

impaired driving in B.C.



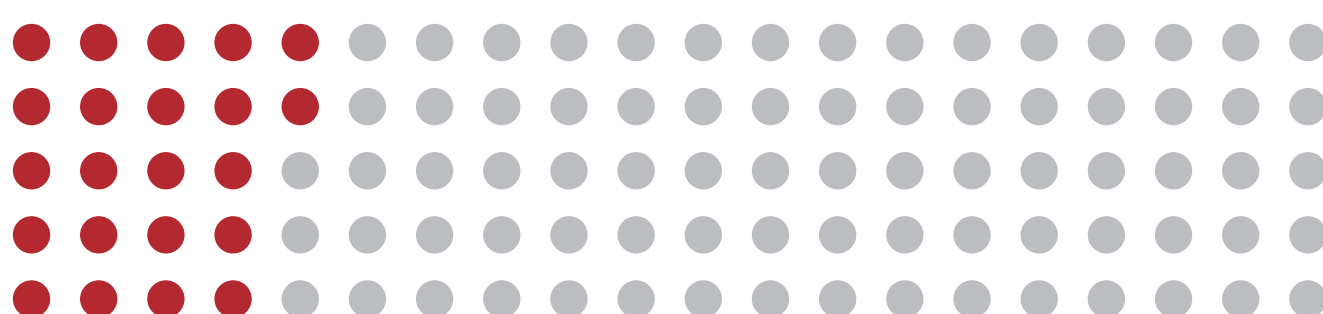
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On average, **67** people die every year in crashes involving impaired driving.

Impaired driving remains a leading cause of car crash fatalities in B.C.

22%

Approximately **22%** of car crash fatalities are related to impaired driving.



weekend and nighttime risk

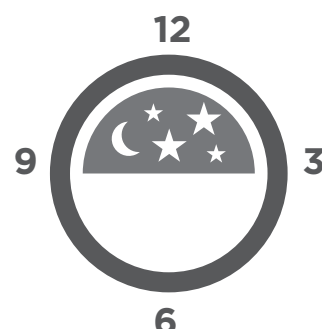
56%

of impaired-related crashes happen on a **Friday, Saturday or Sunday.**

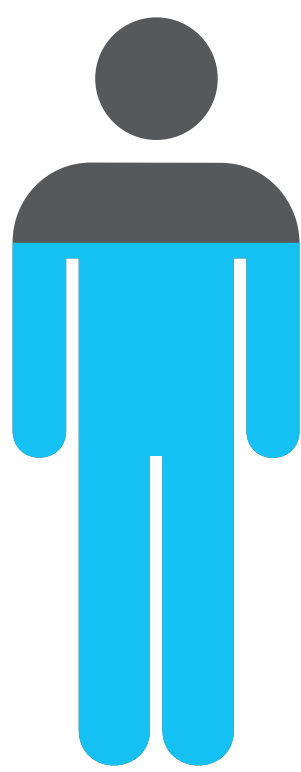


38%

of impaired-related crashes take place **between 9 pm and 3 am.**



demographics



69%

of all impaired drivers in crashes are **male.**

16 to 25 year olds

account for **24%** of impaired drivers in crashes but only **12%** of all drivers in B.C.



stay safe



If you plan to drink, leave your car at home.



Plan ahead for a safe ride home—arrange a designated driver, call a taxi or take transit.



#GetHomeSafeBC

Injuries and crashes are police data, five-year average 2015 to 2019. Fatal victim counts are police data, five-year average 2015-2019. Impaired is defined to include alcohol, illicit drugs and medicines.