



September 2013

YOU SHOULD KNOW

IN THIS ISSUE /

[Common Mistakes Download Checklist](#)
[Where's Baby?](#)



Paul F. Oliveri, Esq. -
 Founding Member of

Oliveri & Schwartz, P.C. -
 Accident, Personal Injury
 and Medical Malpractice
 Attorneys

Four New York Office
 Locations To Serve You
 For Your Free Consultation
 Call (800) 427-9546

Dear Ana,

When used properly, car and booster seats save young lives. But more often than not, parents install child safety seats incorrectly. Heed these common mistakes and take advantage of the resources highlighted in this issue of You Should Know.



THE DOCKET /

> **OLIVERI & SCHWARTZ, P.C.**
**CASE INCLUDED IN THE NY
 LAW JOURNAL'S LIST OF 2012
 TOP SETTLEMENTS.**

A quick check now could save a life later ...

Five Common Mistakes to Avoid with Child Safety Seats

Becoming a parent means taking an unspoken vow to protect your child from harm starting on day one. So unless you plan to walk home from the hospital, it's important to choose the right car seat and have it properly installed long before that first contraction.

This month's *You Should Know* highlights the five most common mistakes made by almost every parent with car safety seats. Avoid these miscues and safeguard your children while on the road, knowing that a simple check now will create long-term peace of mind – until the kids start driving, that is!



Nearly one-third of parents stop using rear-facing car seats too soon. See inside.

Buckle up for more. >>>

BY THE NUMBERS /

**7 in 10
 Wrong**

While 96 percent of parents and caregivers believe their child safety seats are installed correctly, research shows that seven out of 10 children are improperly restrained.

Source: *Child Passenger Safety Overview, Seatcheck.org*

**71 & 54
 Percent**

Correctly installed child safety seats reduce the risk of fatal injury by 71 percent for infants, 54 percent for toddlers riding in passenger cars.

Source: *Traffic Safety Facts 2011 Data, National*

> **\$1.2 MILLION JURY AWARD: NY COUNTY, FALL AT DEFECTIVE SIDEWALK TREE WELL, CAUSING KNEE REPLACEMENT**

> **PAUL F. OLIVERI, ESQ. IS ON AVENUE MAGAZINE'S PERSONAL INJURY LEGAL ELITE LIST**

> **PAUL F. OLIVERI, ESQ. HAS ACHIEVED AN AV PREEMINENT RATING FROM MARTINDALE-HUBBELL**

> **HIGHEST RANKED PERSONAL INJURY / CIVIL JUSTICE NEW YORK LAW FIRM**

We treat every client like a member of the family.

Our Toll-Free Phone Numbers:

800 427 9546
877 ABOGACIA
888 AVOCAT1

We have 4 convenient office locations to better serve you:

Uptown Manhattan / Harlem
1825 Park Avenue
New York, NY 10035

Downtown Manhattan / Financial District
120 Broadway
New York, NY 10271

Long Island
1140 Franklin Avenue
Garden City, NY 11530

Brooklyn
26 Court Street
Brooklyn, NY 11242

Complimentary consultations are by appointment only.

We look forward to helping you.

Email:
info@oliveriandschwartz.com

Highway Traffic Safety Administration ([download](#))

#1 Killer

Car crashes are the number one killer of children ages 1 through 13 in the United States.

Source: *Car Seats, Parents Central, Safercar.gov*

BOOKMARK FAVORITES /

Parents Central Is Gateway for Car Seat Resources

Learn how to choose and properly install the car or booster seat that fits your child and your car at [Parents Central](#). Instructional videos are available in addition to extensive educational resources.

Local Experts Will Check Your Car Seat Installation

The [Child Car Seat Inspection Station Locator](#) from the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration will help you find certified technicians who will inspect your child car seat and demonstrate correct installation and use. In most cases, there is no charge for this service.

App Encourages Correct Car Seat Selection

The [American Academy of Pediatrics](#) has released a [car seat check app](#) that makes it easy for a parent to find the correct seat for their child. Products are broken down by age, height and weight, and also include recent recall information.

Phone: (800)427-9546 or
(212)987-1100. [Continue reading.](#)



Look Before You Lock

An average of 38 kids die each year from heat stroke after being left in a hot car. The

“Where's Baby” campaign was started to prevent these tragedies.

[Be informed](#)



‘Our Only Focus is Safe Kids’

Kate Carr, president of Safe Kids Worldwide, leads the charge to protect kids at home, around cars and during play.

[Listen now](#)

You Should Know is a copyrighted publication of Voice2News, LLC, and is made possible by the attorney shown above. This newsletter is intended for the interest of past and present clients and other friends of this lawyer. It is not intended as a substitute for specific legal advice. You received this newsletter at <aalicea%40oliverianschwartz.com> because you indicated to the above attorney your interest in receiving information via email. If you no longer wish to receive these emails, click here to unsubscribe from this newsletter, and your request will be honored immediately. You may also submit your request in writing to: Steven L. Miller, Editor, 4907 Woodland Ave., Des Moines, IA 50312. Be sure to include your email address.