

The SMSA is a 501 (c)(3) nonprofit organization that provides leadership for comprehensive motorcycle safety programs by:

- Influencing national policy and standards
- Providing guidance on adoption and administration of policy and standards
- Encouraging comprehensive programs
- Fostering communication, collaboration and partnerships
- Encouraging data collection, sharing and research
- Promoting effective management practices
- Identifying proven best practices

SMSA is comprised of individuals and organizations working to make a difference. SMSA members coordinate safety programs at the state and local level joined by other professional organizations, corporations, instructors, and other individuals striving to make motorcycle riding a safer and more enjoyable experience. SMSA brings together the talents of a nationwide network of motorcycle safety professionals to share information, products and events, as well as video and audio public service announcements that highlight motorcycle safety awareness.

SMSA's mission is to assist motorcycle safety programs, through collaboration and partnerships, to implement comprehensive, data-driven motorcycle safety programs and countermeasures to achieve a significant reduction in motorcycle operator traffic crashes, fatalities and injuries.

SMSA's vision is to be recognized as a national leader and resource for motorcycle safety programs.

### **SMSA's Goals:**

- Expand member support services and benefits.
- Support and encourage comprehensive motorcycle safety programs and countermeasures at the national, State and local levels.
- Support the NHTSA Highway Safety Program Guideline No. 3 - Motorcycle Safety as a national priority and develop programs and resources to assist State and local programs.
- Support and encourage comprehensive State Motorcycle Safety Plans.
- Establish and maintain partnerships with federal, State, professional and stakeholder organizations that support comprehensive motorcycle safety programs.
- Serve as an online clearinghouse for resources and materials that assist in developing, implementing and evaluating comprehensive motorcycle safety programs.
- Serve as a trusted national resource and partner for motorcycle safety issues and advocacy.



## **National Association Of State Motorcycle Safety Administrators State Memberships**



The National Association of State Motorcycle Safety Administrators is dedicated to serving the needs and interests of state motorcycle safety administrators and programs by advocating motorcycle safety and fostering and promoting the exchange of ideas and resources.

## Benefits of Membership

- The opportunity to shape the future of our profession by participating in SMSA programs and on SMSA committees.
- Serve on SMSA Committees
- Representation on the SMSA Executive Committee and the opportunity to serve.
- The opportunity to vote on SMSA business functions, officers, policies, etc.
- The opportunity to network, share ideas, and receive technical assistance through the annual SMSA conferences.
- Access to SMSA Listserv which is an easy and efficient way to contact your fellow SMSA Members with questions and concerns relating to Motorcycle Safety and Rider Education.
- Access to the “Members Only” section on the SMSA website and membership contact directory.
- Access to other states legislation on motorcycle safety issues (SMSA website section).
- Member names and logos with links to website listed on the SMSA website.
- Free advertisements on the SMSA website.
- Receive special SMSA materials, including our Newsletter, Email Communication Blasts, Special Reports, Strategic Plan, and SMSA Project Reports.
- Participation in SMSA Webinars.
- Member rates for conference registration as well as free exhibit space for the annual conference.
- Use of the SMSA Proud Partner Logo

- Training on how to prepare for an assessment.
- State members may request assistance from SMSA to prepare for comprehensive NHTSA State Program Assessment.
- Access to SMSA staff and Executive Committee

## State Membership

Each applicant for State Member shall be a state agency with responsibility for management of any portion of the state motorcycle safety program or components of that State's program. State Members shall also include the five branches of the United States military.

State Members shall designate an individual to serve as its SMSA representative for the purpose of receiving notices and otherwise acting on behalf of the State Member in the conduct of SMSA business.

**Cost: \$1,200.00 per year**

### Annual Memberships

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The National Association of State Motorcycle Safety Administrators (SMSA) was established in 1984 as a forum for the exchange of information among state-sponsored motorcycle education programs. The SMSA works to foster and promote state-administered motorcycle safety programs and to represent concerns related to motorcycle safety by working cooperatively with those individuals and organizations with an interest in motorcycle safety.



States accepted into membership cannot represent their opinions as those of SMSA. Likewise, membership in SMSA does not imply that SMSA supports the individual views of its members. The SMSA gratefully accepts contributions that will be used to further its mission and goals.