A Safe Decision

After 10 years of rising injury rates in one community, the decision to seek accreditation as a Safe Community was followed by a 2-year decline in injury hospitalizations.

A study* showed that nearly 300 hospitalizations may have been prevented, saving the community more than $14 million in health care costs.

Find out how to decrease injuries in your community. Visit safecommunitiesamerica.org.

* NSC study presented at the 2015 conference of the Society for Advancement of Violence and Injury Research