



NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, TRAFFIC SAFETY DIVISION

SAFER NEW MEXICO NOW

City of Las Vegas

## **NEWS RELEASE**

## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

## Contact: Safer New Mexico Now (505) 856-6119

**Las Vegas, NM** – The NMDOT, Safer New Mexico Now and the City of Las Vegas will hold a child safety seat fitting station on January 29, 2014. It will be held from 10:00am to 12:00pm at Las Vegas Fire Station #1, 604 Legion Drive.

The fitting station provides parents and caregivers the opportunity to receive hands-on instruction from certified technicians on the correct use of child safety seats. Technicians educate parents on choosing and installing the appropriate child safety seat for their child and vehicle. They can also determine if a seat is recalled, expired, or otherwise unsafe.

This is a public service available to everyone. There is no charge for this service. Technicians will spend approximately 30 minutes per child safety seat educating parents on the correct use and installation. Parents and caregivers must bring the child safety seat and, if possible, the child. The Las Vegas fitting station will be held on the last Wednesday of each month. For further information or to make an appointment, please call (800) 231-6145.

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