

## **FACT SHEET**

### **CAR SEAT DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM**

The biggest threat to the health and safety of young children is an automobile accident. More young children die or are seriously injured each year from these crashes than from any illness or other type of accident. Yet, the tragedies resulting from automobile crashes can be reduced dramatically by the consistent, proper use of child safety seats and safety belts.

Umatilla Morrow Head Start in collaboration with Safe Kids provides car seats to low-income families at a reduced cost.

- Infant Seats           \$30.00
- Convertible Seats   \$30.00
- High Back Boosters \$20.00
- No Back Boosters   \$10.00

The program is provided as a service to Umatilla and Morrow County Residents.

To buy a car seat at a reduced cost, bring with you:

- The vehicle, with working seat belts in place, in which the seat is to be installed.
- The infant-child for which the seat is intended.
- Proof of current OHP, Oregon Trail Card, WIC Voucher, or SSI.
- Money to pay the reduced co-pay for the seat.

Seats can be bought in Hermiston at the Administrative office at 110 NE 4<sup>th</sup> St., and in Pendleton at the WIC Office at 1308 SW Emigrant Ave.