

Name of Instrument: **Bicycle Helmet Use Survey**

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**Private Use Cost:** \$

**Public Use Cost:** \$

**Year Developed:** 1991

**Where to obtain Instrument:**

- Other: address reprint requests to the address mentioned above.

**Description of the Instrument**

- Measures bicycle and helmet use patterns of children younger than 15 years of age.
- The survey contains items that measure where children ride their bicycles, riding time, and their helmet use patterns.

**Form of instrument:**

- Questionnaire/ Survey
- Safety Assessment Tools

**Method of delivery:**

- Phone Interview

**Relevance to injury/ Percentage of the instrument specific to injury**

- The survey assesses helmet use among children.

**Time to administer or complete the instrument**

**Methods of data analyses:**

- Quantitative

**Setting/sample instrument used in:**

- Subjects were selected at random to participate.
- A total of 399 households, who owned a bicycle, and had a member who had ridden a bicycle a year before the interview, were interviewed over the phone.
- The interview took place during June to July 1991.

**Was it pilot tested?** Yes

**Pilot test sample:**

- Small sample of bicyclists

**Reliability Measures**

**Validity Measures**

**References**

Rodgers, G.B. (1996). Bicycle helmet use patterns among children. *Pediatrics*, 97(2), 166-173.

**Other references**

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