

Good to consider again vulnerable road users



Some Useful Tips



UN RS week 2000:



fatalities:2001-2010: -34% versus -43%

Impact of road death and Injury

- Socio-economic costs are known: 1,5-2,5% GDP
- Human suffering (FEVR study 1997) may not have changed





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Causes:have often to move in an environment which was not primarily planned for them. Different users, speed +mass



He will not go to school today as the car break down (picture APPER)





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? Silver bullet: speed reduction in built up areas

Because laws of physics and the vulnerability of the human body haven't changed



WHO,VCD,DVR, 30km.eu

Safe system approach for vru self explaining streets, forgiving streets/cars Engineering/Enforcement Education/Evaluation









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Target 2011-2020: -60% pedestrian fatalities ? Reduce also severe injuries among vru

Dr Margaret Chan, Director-General WHO:

"To date, pedestrian and cyclists have been neglected in transport and planning policy. The world must now increase its focus on making walking and cycling safer, and protecting these road users .. governments need to consider how non-motorized forms of transport can be integrated into more sustainable and safer transport systems."







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