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## CHILD

## **CHild Injury Led Design**

Project details		
Domain	Vehicle Technology: Passive Safety	
Duration	from 01/09/2002 until 31/08/2005	
Website		
Other sources	Advanced methods for improved Child Safety  Child Advanced Safety Project for European Roads	

CHILD aims towards a more comprehensive understanding of the injury mechanisms experienced by children of different ages in road accidents, through innovative tools and methods, in order to contribute to revised or improved standards and more efficient design of child restraint systems.

The main goal of CHILD is to improve the child safety in road accidents. CHILD will enable the investigation of injury mechanisms and tolerances for different ages of children and to establish injury criteria and risk curves.

	Coordinator
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## **Partners**

- BAST Federal Highway Research Institute (DE)
- Chalmers University of Technology (SE)
- Technical University of Delft (NL)
- <u>Fiat</u> (IT)
- First Technology Safety Systems (NL)
- Applus+ IDIADA (ES)
- INRETS Institut National de Recherche sur les Transports et leur Securité (FR)
- Medical University of Hannover (DE)
- PSA Peugeot Citroen (FR)
- TNO automotive Organisation for Applied Scientific Research (NL)
- TRL Transport Research Laboratory (UK)
- <u>University Louis Pasteur</u> (FR)
- <u>VSRC Loughborough University Vehicle Safety Research Centre</u> (UK)