

Class Rules

- This class is 1½ hour long. Plan accordingly.
- If you are late, you will not be admitted.
- If you leave, you will not be readmitted.
- If you miss the class, you are responsible for rescheduling.
- If you fail to complete the class, you forfeit previous monies paid. You will also be required to pay the fine amount of \$164.00, D-6 fee of \$23 and \$60.00 to reinstate your suspended driver's license. Three (3) points will be assessed on your driving record.
- All persons will conduct themselves as adults, with a polite and courteous manner. Those who do not will be dismissed from class, resulting in failure to complete the program.

Class Outline

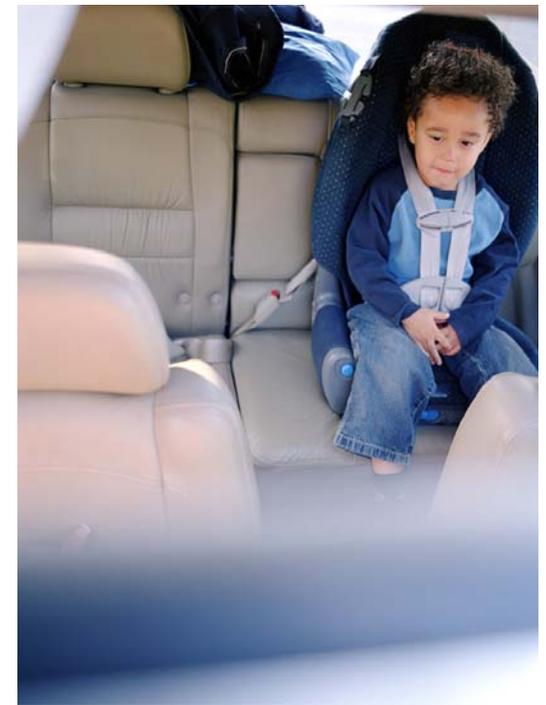
1. Registration up to 12 offenders
2. Introduction
3. Motor vehicle safety video
4. Installation of car safety seats
5. Adjustment to size of child
6. Different types of restraint devices [seatbelts, infant and child seats, air bags]
7. Compatibility issues
8. Demonstration of proper techniques
9. Testing of knowledge & technique
10. Awarding of Certificates of Completion

*Important Notice:

You must contact the Clerk of Circuit Court within 30 days after issuance of citation or you will have waived your right to make this election.

- Fill in all blanks on this form and have your **signature notarized**.
- Mail or hand-deliver the original of this form, your yellow citation and a personal check or money order in the amount of \$148.50 to the address on the Affidavit. **DO NOT** send cash! (Disregard the amount on the yellow citation.)
- If mailing, payment must be mailed to reach the Clerk of Circuit Court's office within 30 days of the citation issuance date. Mail between 7 and 10 days before it is due.

Contact the Hernando County Health Department at (352) 540-6848 to receive information about CROP classes and registration.



Child Restraint Offender Program (CROP)

Hernando County
Health Department &
Clerk of Circuit Court

About This Pamphlet

This pamphlet explains the Child Restraint Offender Program [CROP] for Hernando County. This pamphlet has all the details and information you will need to choose or decline this program. Read the **ENTIRE** pamphlet, make your decision and complete all the forms.

What is CROP?

CROP was established under a law passed by Florida's Legislature. CROP provides an opportunity for persons cited for improper or non use of child safety seats to attend an educational class and withhold 3 points from their driver's license.

Program Goals:

- Provide education on motor vehicle safety;
- Provide information on proper use of child safety restraints;
- Encourage correct use of child safety restraints.

Who Is Eligible?

Anyone may attend the class to receive information and learn more about motor vehicle safety and child restraint devices. Persons attending for informational reasons do not pay any fee. Those attending because of traffic citations for improper use or non use of child safety restraints, pay court costs.

Times, Dates & Location

CROP classes are offered regularly at the Hernando County Health Department. When you call the Health Department to register, you will be scheduled for the next available class and told the day, time and location.



What Are My Options?

Option #1

Pay citation within 30 days, 3 points assessed to driver's license.

Option #2

1. Sign, notarize and return CROP affidavit, with program fee of \$148.50 and the traffic citation to:
*Hernando Co. Clerk of Circuit Court
20 N. Main Street, Room 217
Brooksville, FL 34601*
2. Sign up for CROP class by calling Hernando County Health Department (352)-540-6848.
3. Successfully complete CROP course and return Certificate of Completion to Hernando County Clerk of Circuit Court within 90 days of signing affidavit.

What Do I Bring to Class?

- The person who receives the citation MUST attend the CROP class. One other adult or a spouse may accompany them.
- Do not bring children.
- Bring a pen or pencil. The instructor will not provide these.

Karen Nicolai
Clerk of Circuit Court,
Hernando County, Florida
20 N. Main Street, Room 134
Brooksville, FL 34601
(352) 540-6388
www.clerk.co.hernando.fl.us

Citation# _____ Case# _____

Name: _____

Charge: Child Restraint Violation:
FS 316-613

AFFIDAVIT

I elect to attend a **CHILD RESTRAINT OFFENDERS PROGRAM (CROP)** and shall complete the course provided by Hernando County Health Department within 90 days of this date.

An extension to complete the program will not be given under any circumstance!

I further understand that upon my completion of the program, points will be withheld from my driver's license.

Further, I understand if I fail to complete the program, I will forfeit previous monies paid [*See back page], I will be required to pay a fine amount of \$164.00, D-6 fee of \$23 and \$60.00 to reinstate my suspended driver's license. Three (3) points will be assessed on my driving record.

Sworn before me this _____ day of

_____, 20_____

(Violator's Signature)

By: _____
(Deputy Clerk OR Notary)