

# 2016 IMPAIRED DRIVING FACTS | Tarrant County



## WHAT IS AN IMPAIRED DRIVING CRASH?

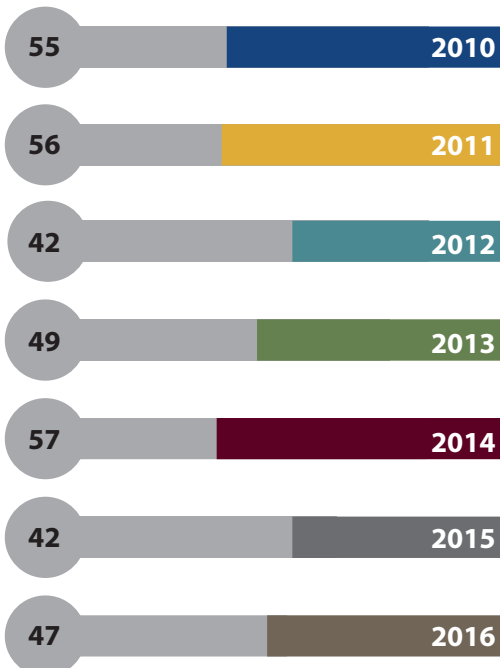
An **impaired driving crash** is a crash where the driver has a blood alcohol concentration (BAC) result of  $> 0.00$ , or had a positive alcohol test, or had a positive drug test, or had a contributing factor of *had been drinking*, or *under the influence of alcohol*, or *under the influence – drugs*, or *taking medication*.

## TARRANT COUNTY IS RANKED

**#4** IN TEXAS  
FOR FATAL  
IMPAIRED  
DRIVING  
CRASHES

TARRANT COUNTY WAS  
RANKED #5 IN 2015

## FATAL IMPAIRED DRIVING CRASHES



## IMPAIRED DRIVER STATISTICS

MOST COMMONLY:  
Caucasian  
Male



AVERAGE AGE:  
34-years-old

AVERAGE BAC:

**0.16**



Twice  
the legal  
limit

**6%** had a  
positive  
drug result



## IMPAIRED DRIVING FATALITIES

**52**  
IN 2016

IMPAIRED  
DRIVING  
FATALITIES

**UP  
13%**

FROM  
2015

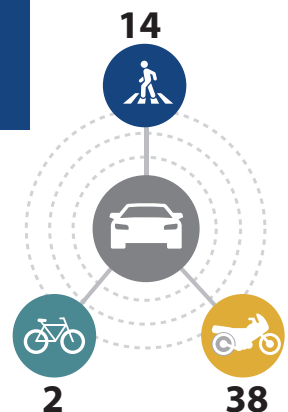
**23**  
YEARS OLD

MOST COMMON  
AGE OF A  
PERSON KILLED  
IN AN IMPAIRED  
DRIVING CRASH

## IMPAIRED DRIVING CRASHES AND OTHER ROAD USERS

In 2016, there were

- **14** impaired driving crashes involving a **pedestrian**
- **2** impaired driving crashes involving a **pedalcyclist**
- **38** impaired driving crashes involving a **motorcyclist**



All referenced data originates from  
the Texas Department of Transportation's  
Crash Records Information System as of  
11/9/2017

