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NATIONAL CENTER FOR THE SAFE TRANSPORTATION OF
CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL HEALTHCARE NEEDS
SPECIAL NEEDS UPDATE

NATIONAL CENTER TRAVELS TO TEXAS AND ARIZONA

The National Center was busy this fall, as it was asked to teach the “Safe Travel for All Children” course on September 22-23 in Haltom City, Texas, and again October 8-9 in Phoenix, Arizona. Between both courses, two technicians successfully completed their instructor candidacies, and thirty-two other technicians were taught best practice recommendations regarding safe transportation of children with special needs. They also learned about the most updated specialized products available on the market. These courses were sponsored by Cook Children’s Medical Center and Phoenix Children’s Hospital, respectively. Congratulations to all who participated!



Texas Course



Arizona Course

“SAFE TRAVEL” IN QATAR

At the request of Safe Kids Worldwide and Hamad Medical Corporation, the National Center’s Dr. Marilyn J. Bull and Jason Skinner, MOTR, traveled to Doha, Qatar to teach the “Safe Travel for All Children” training course on November 15-16. Nine technicians completed the course, and it was an honor to share our expertise and to help increase the safety of children internationally.



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“SAFE TRAVEL” COURSE COMING TO LIFESAVERS CONFERENCE

The staff of the National Center will be conducting the “Safe Travel for All Children: Transporting Children with Special Healthcare Needs” course on April 1-2, 2016 in Long Beach, California. The class will be conducted as a pre-conference activity for the 2016 Lifesavers Conference. The two-day class will serve as an enrichment course for CPSTs who are interested in learning more about special needs transportation. The course will be instructed by Dr. Bull and Jason Skinner, with the help of many talented instructors from across the country. To register for the class, go to www.preventinjury.org and select the “Training Dates” tab near the top-right of the page. For conference registration and more information about the Lifesavers Conference, go to www.lifesaversconference.org.

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