### Rules of the Road









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## BIKE MEDIC TEAM



## Bicycle Safety Informational Brochure



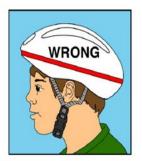




#### **HELMET SAFETY**

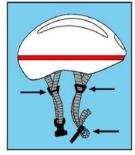
- ⇒ Always wear your helmet when riding
- ⇒ Adjust helmet size to fit correctly on your head
- $\Rightarrow$  use the chin strap always
- ⇒ Treat your helmet well and check for cracks or damage and replace if needed





Wear the helmet flat on the head, not tilted back at an angle!







### **CLOTHING SAFETY**

- $\Rightarrow$  AVOID LOOSE FITTING PANTS
- ⇒ WEAR PROPER SHOES
- ⇒ MAKE SURE TO TIE SHOE LACES
- ⇒ USE A BACKPACK TO CARRY ITEMS

### **SAFETY CHECKS**

- $\Rightarrow$  Wear bright colors
- $\Rightarrow$  Adjust saddle height
- ⇒ Make sure feet can touch the ground
- ⇒ Check tire pressure and inflate if needed
- ⇒ Make sure reflectors are in place
- ⇒ If riding at dark, use both a headlight and a tail light

