Helmets

Motorcyclists who wear a motorcycle helmet can reduce their risk of death by almost 40% and the risk of severe head injury by over 70%. Motorcycle helmets should meet a recognized safety standard and must be correctly fastened in order to be most effective.

- This survey showed that only 40% of countries have a motorcycle helmet law that covers both riders and passengers at all times, and mandate that helmets should meet a specific national or international standard

*Motorcycle helmet laws and helmet standards by country/area*