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BRAIN INJURY SAFETY NET LISTSERV



What is the Safety Net Listserv?

The Safety Net Listserv is a platform for professionals interested and invested in brain health, concussion awareness, and concussion management to share resources as well as presentation, conference, and training opportunities.

This listserv is similar to a newsletter, offered as a free benefit to our colleagues and fellow professionals with a shared interest in brain health. It is a moderated email correspondence focused solely on concussion and brain injury awareness where resources, landmark research, referrals, and opportunities for presentations, collaborations, etc. are shared.

All About the Safety Net Listserv

Click below to learn all about the Safety Net Listserv, how it works, who should join, what the benefits are to you, etc.

www.braininjurysafetynetsc.com/safetynetblog/what-is-the-safety-net-listserv

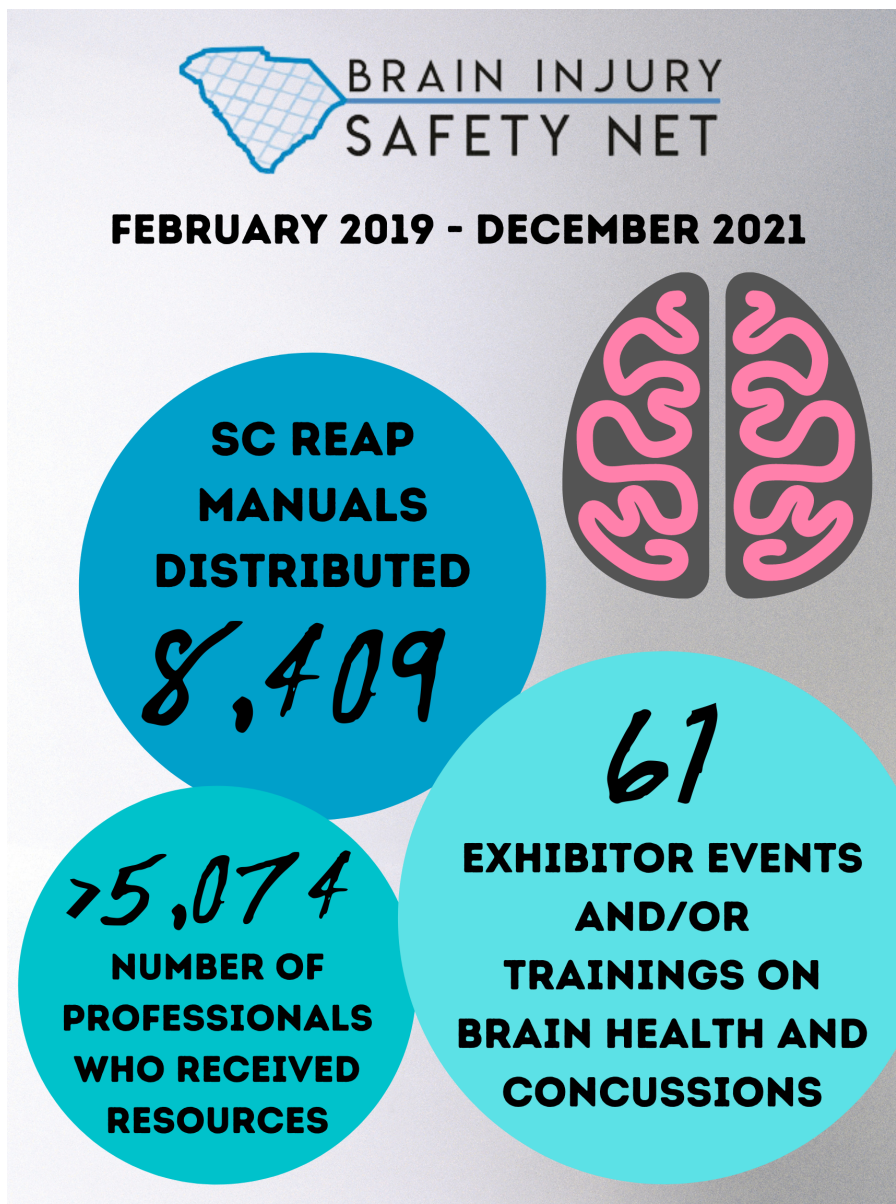
Safety Net 2021 Year-End-Review

This past year has been busy with educational events, conferences, and outreach opportunities related to concussion awareness.



Blue Cross Blue Shield Foundation: 3-Year Grant Review

We are so excited to announce that the past three years of our grant through BCBS Foundation of South Carolina has been incredibly successful! Due to this success and the support of the Brain Injury Association of SC Board of Directors, we are able to continue this essential work through various other funding sources. This includes money from the SC legislature! Check out what we have accomplished over the past three years. This includes the creation of 5 educational videos by brain injury specialists, and the presence of 24 brain injury professionals on our Safety Net Task Force.





A support & advocacy group for young adults who have been impacted by brain injury



What is BrainStorm?

BrainStorm is a group for young adults (ages 15-29) who are striving to advocate, educate, and create a safe space for individuals that have been affected by concussions, traumatic brain injuries, or acquired brain injuries in any capacity.

This group strives to bring visibility to this 'invisible' injury through education, advocacy, open-communication, and support.



WHO:

- This is a group is open to survivors, family, friends, and advocates of brain injury
- Anyone between the ages 15-29 years of age is encouraged to attend
- Someone who has a brain injury that impacts their life in at least one way on a regular basis
- Someone whose parent, neighbor, friend, sibling, significant other, etc. is living with a brain injury

WHAT ARE THESE MEETINGS:

Join Facilitator, Young Adult, and Brain Injury Survivor Jasmine Norris as she assists youth in:

- Finding community and peer support - you are not alone in your experience with brain injury!
- Educating anyone and everyone in your community about brain injuries

WHERE:

- Virtual Meetings will be held on Zoom once a month
- 3rd Wednesday of every month from 6:30 - 8 pm EST

HOW TO GET MORE INFORMATION:

- Contact Brain Injury Safety Net Coordinator, Rachel Kaplan by clicking [here](#).
- Join our Facebook Group by clicking [here](#). As a reminder, this group will only accept youth ages 15-29 years of age to create a safe and inviting peer support space.
- Download the informational PDF and share with anyone that may be interested by [clicking here](#).

How Do I Join? Can I invite someone who would benefit?

Sign up is easy! Simply visit our website and fill out the contact information: <https://www.braininjurysafetynetsc.com/contact>

When filling out the contact form please make sure to include the following information:

- Name
- Organization
- Job Title
- Phone Number
- Email Address

Please feel free to share this resource with colleagues and professionals that would benefit from this information. Any questions can be directed to safetynetcoordinator@biaofsc.com.



Brain Injury Safety Net Program
Brain Injury Association of South Carolina
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Contact us via email at safetynetcoordinator@biaofsc.com

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