

Changes to the Highway Code Transcript

[Soundtrack: Upbeat music]

[Text: Do you know about the changes to the Highway Code?]

[Graphics: Road Safety GB North East logo and Durham County Council logo]

[Image: Road with a Zebra crossing]

[Text: Drivers must give priority to pedestrians, cyclists and people on horseback]

[Graphics: Silhouettes of a person walking, a cyclist and someone riding a horse]

[Text: The Highway Code has changed to better protect vulnerable road users]

[Graphics: A line with silhouettes of a truck, a person walking, a cyclist, someone riding a horse, someone riding a motorbike, a car and a van rated from most vulnerable to least vulnerable]

[Text: Give pedestrians priority at junctions. Drivers, motorbike riders and cyclists must give way to pedestrians crossing or waiting to cross a road into which or from you are turning]

[Graphics: A crossroad with silhouettes of a person, a car, a cyclist and a motorbike rider]

[Graphics: Car and cyclist on a road with an arrow showing a 1.5meter space between them]

[Text: Drivers must give cyclists at least 1.5m space when overtaking them]

[Text: Cyclists are advised to ride in the centre of lanes on quieter roads, at junctions, and in slower-moving traffic]

[Graphic: Two cyclists on riding on opposite sides of the road]

[Text: Do not cut across cyclists or horse riders. Drivers and motorbike riders should not cut across cyclists or horse riders when you are turning into or out of a junction]

[Graphics: A car, a horse rider and a cyclist at a crossroads]

[Text: For more information, visit:www.durham.gov.uk/cycling]

[Graphics: RoadSafetyGB North East logo and Durham County Council logo]

[Image: A long stretch of road with no traffic]