



BICYCLISTS

The driver doesn't always look!



Watch for drivers turning out of driveways or side streets

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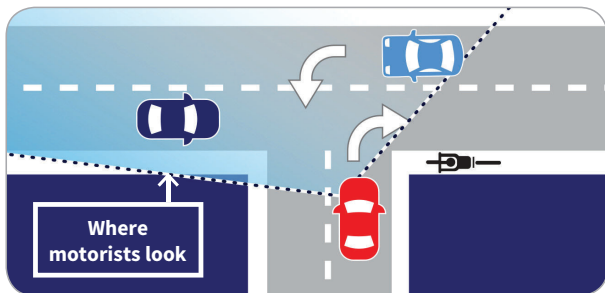
More than **60% of bicycle crashes** on US 192 from I-95 to Babcock Street are the result of motorists failing to look for bicyclists riding from the right on the sidewalk.

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Motorists often only look where they expect to see cars.



Cars don't expect to see moving traffic on a sidewalk and don't look for you when backing out of a driveway or turning. Yield to traffic when appropriate. **It's better to be safe than "to be right."**

Florida law requires motorists yield to all traffic on sidewalks next to a roadway. Florida law also allows bicyclists riding on a sidewalk all the rights and duties applicable to a pedestrian.

Remember these four tips on your next ride:

- 1** If you are walking or riding on a path next to the roadway, a motorist turning into or out of a driveway may not look in your direction.
- 2** Watch for right turning motorists coming from driveways or side streets.
- 3** Look out for left turning motorists coming from behind you.
- 4** Before walking or riding in front of a car, make eye contact with the driver and be sure the driver is going to yield to you.

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