FAA takes aim at family travel

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) is calling on passengers to take an active role in aviation safety.

“Passengers can help us by taking a few simple steps to keep themselves and their loved ones safe and, most importantly, pay attention to the flight and cabin crews,” said FAA Acting Administrator Michael Huerta.

Travelers can make their flight even safer by following these guidelines:

- Pay attention to the flight attendant safety briefing at the beginning of your flight and read the safety briefing card.
- Buckle up. Keep you and your family safe by wearing a seat belt at all times while seated.
- Use an approved child safety seat or device if your child weighs less than 40 pounds.
- Prevent in-flight injuries by following your airline’s carry-on restrictions.
- When it’s time, turn off your personal electronic device (PED).

For more information and a media tool kit on child safety, go to [www.faa.gov/passengers/fly_children/](http://www.faa.gov/passengers/fly_children/).