

**MOST DANGEROUS ROADS FOR WALKING****Essex County**

**52 pedestrians were killed on Essex County roads** in the three years from 2011 through 2013. Tri-State Transportation Campaign's analysis of federal traffic fatality data reveals that Route 21 (McCarter Highway) and Route 508 (Central Avenue) had the highest number of pedestrian deaths over the period studied.

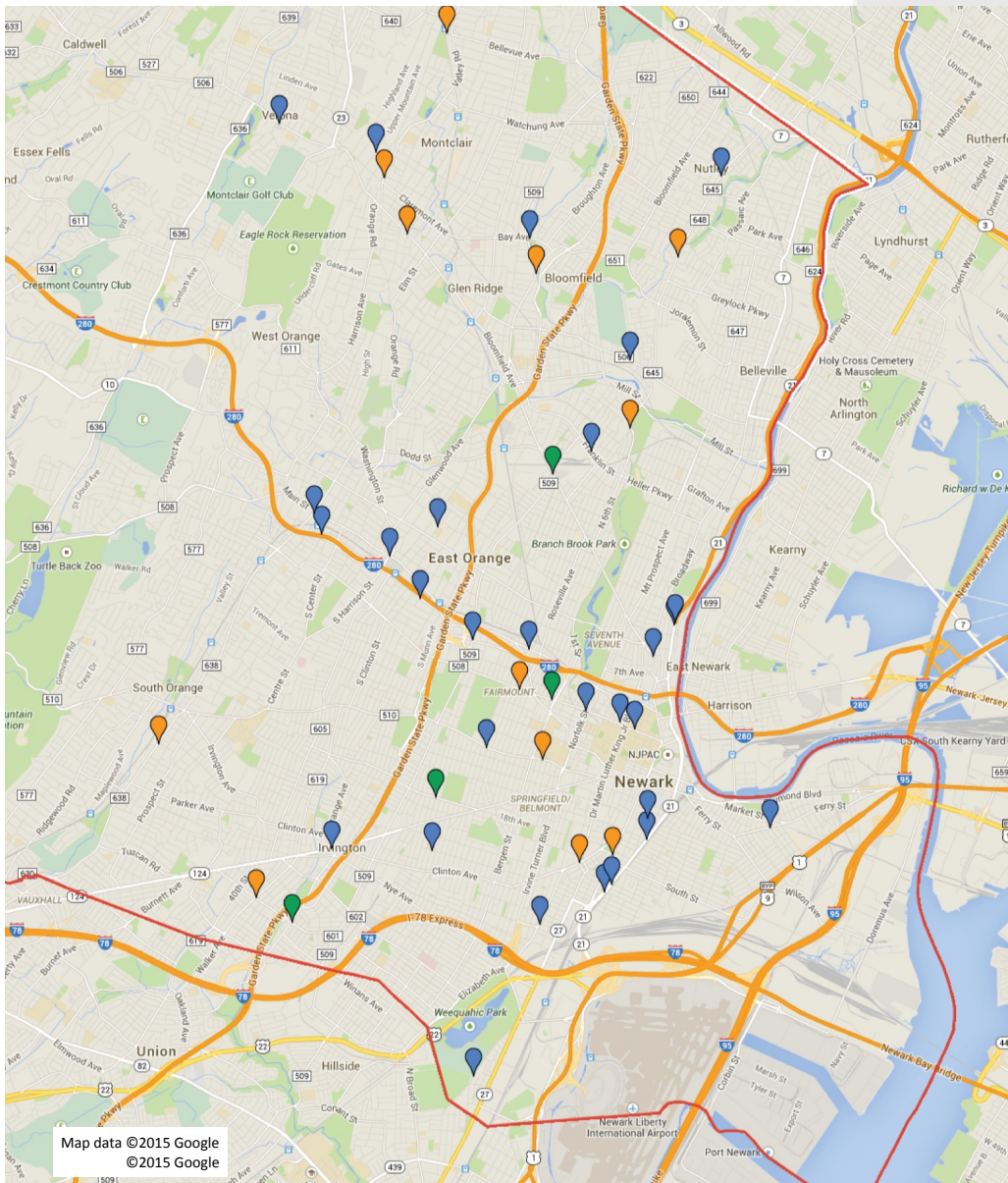
**Annual County-wide Pedestrian Fatalities**

<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>Total</u>
18	21	13	52





**Most Dangerous Roads**

<u>Road</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>2012</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>Total</u>
1. Route 21 (McCarter Highway)	2	1	2	5
2. Route 508 (Central Avenue)	2	2	0	4

# LOCATION OF ESSEX COUNTY PEDESTRIAN FATALITIES, 2011-2013



**Legend**

-  Children (≤15 yrs)
-  Adults (16-59 yrs)
-  Seniors (≥60 yrs)
-  Unknown Age

**McCarters Highway (Route 21) and Route 508 (Central Avenue) were Essex County’s most dangerous roads for pedestrians.**

Data source: TSTC analysis of National Highway Traffic Safety Administration’s Fatality Analysis Reporting System, 2011, 2012 and 2013.

Note: Analysis of most dangerous roads excludes Interstates, highways and other roads where pedestrians are prohibited.



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