

Did You Know?

- Trespassing is a leading cause of railroad related deaths.
- Trespassing is against the law on any railroad facility and has fines as well as jail time.

REPORT PROBLEM
OR EMERGENCY
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XYZ RAILROAD

! If you see a damaged sign, obstructed view, or signal malfunction, call the railroad's emergency number which is posted on the blue Emergency Notification Sign located at each railroad crossing.

! If you see a stalled vehicle or person walking on the tracks, call the railroad's emergency number.

LIVE TO TELL

BE 
RAIL
SMART

FDOT 

TARGET
ZERO 
FATALITIES & SERIOUS INJURIES

You Are Not Alone CALL FOR HELP

(800) SUICIDE
(800) 784-2433

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One life lost is too many.

YOUR role in rail safety is vital to the community.

Our goal is to increase awareness and reduce the number of rail-related incidents.

RAIL SMART FACTS

- Some train speeds can exceed **80 mph**.
- It takes more than **a mile** for some trains to stop.
- An approaching train may be **closer** and traveling **faster** than it appears.

Scan for Program Information



#BeRailSmart | <https://www.fdot.gov/agencyresources/be-rail-smart/>



AS FAST AS YOU THINK YOU ARE, THE TRAIN IS ALWAYS FASTER.

NO Trespassing
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Whether you are walking, riding your bike or driving a car, here are some simple “**DO**’s” and “**DON**’Ts” to **BE RAIL SMART.**

DO's

- ▶ Stay behind the stop line or gate while waiting for the train to pass.
- ▶ Wait for the gates to go up completely before crossing.
- ▶ Look both ways to ensure there are no other trains coming.
- ▶ Use sidewalks or other designated crossings.
- ▶ Obey all signals and warning signs.
- ▶ Report a problem or emergency by calling the number posted on the blue Emergency Notification Sign located at each railroad crossing.

DON'Ts

- ▶ Go around or under the gates when they are down.
- ▶ Stop on the tracks.
- ▶ Take shortcuts along or over the tracks – this is trespassing.
- ▶ Talk on the phone, text or listen to your headphones when crossing the tracks.
- ▶ Extend your arms, legs or any other body part past the gates or stop bar.
- ▶ Cross the tracks when red lights are flashing.