



## Multimodal Development and Delivery (M2D2)

## Active Transportation Workshop: Walking, Bicycling, and Transit

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#### Learning objectives:

- Understand the state role in providing safe, convenient, and comfortable facilities for active transportation—walking, bicycling, and using transit
- Examine best practices, standards, and guides for the design of transit, walking, and bicycling facilities in various contexts appropriate to Florida
- Identify potential solutions to perceived and real barriers to routinely planning and designing for walking, bicycling, and transit modes
- Apply decision-making process to include walking and bicycling facilities in sample transit corridors





# Agenda – April 7 (Day One)

12:45p – 1:00p	Sign-in
1:00p – 1:15p	<ul> <li>Introduction</li> <li>Introduction to M2D2</li> <li>Introduction to instructors</li> <li>Icebreaker</li> <li>Review learning objectives</li> </ul>
1:15p – 1:35p	<ul><li>Active transportation at FDOT (presented by FDOT)</li><li>Overview of FDOT work on active transportation</li></ul>
1:35p – 2:15p	<ul> <li>The state role in active transportation</li> <li>Relevance to the goals of many state agencies <ul> <li>Health, safety, economic development</li> </ul> </li> <li>Florida's Complete Streets policy and the "complete trip"</li> <li>Factors that influence mode choice</li> <li>Potential roles for state DOTs in implementing Complete Streets</li> <li>Discussion: How can FDOT have the biggest impact in supporting active transportation?</li> </ul>
2:15p – 3:00p	<ul> <li>Active transportation, land use, and successful TOD</li> <li>Transportation and land use interface</li> <li>Best practices in TOD <ul> <li>Key pedestrian and transit friendly land use features</li> <li>ITDP principles for TOD</li> <li>FDOT TOD approach/materials?</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

3:00p – 3:15p Break





3:15p – 4:00p	<ul> <li>Transit fundamentals</li> <li>Understanding the range of transit choices</li> <li>Roles and responsibilities</li> <li>Understanding design challenges</li> <li>Addressing operational conflicts</li> <li>Resolving environmental considerations</li> <li>Navigating the community context</li> </ul>
4:00p – 4:45p	<ul> <li>Group exercise: Owning success</li> <li>Role-playing to explore different perspectives in providing transit service</li> <li>Understand challenges and opportunities as seen from different points of view</li> <li>Explore what it takes to reach consensus and develop good projects and solutions</li> </ul>
4:45p	Break for the day





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# Agenda – April 8 (Day Two)

7:45a – 8:00a	Sign-in
8:00a – 8:15a	<ul> <li>Welcome to day two</li> <li>Review of day one</li> <li>Icebreaker</li> </ul>
8:15a – 10:15a	<ul> <li>Designing for active transportation</li> <li>Considering context and needs <ul> <li>Functional classification, access/mobility</li> </ul> </li> <li>Design controls that influence walking and bicycling safety and comfort <ul> <li>Speed, peak hour, lane width, intersection design, design vehicle</li> </ul> </li> <li>Users, networks, best practices in designing for walking and bicycling <ul> <li>Types of users and preferred facilities, facilities in context</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
10:15a – 10:30a	Break
10:30a – 12:00p	<ul> <li>Understanding and overcoming challenges to designing for active transportation</li> <li>Typical sources of conflict and obstacles (philosophical, modal, technical, environmental, community, financial)</li> <li>Managing priorities and competing interests</li> <li>Corridor design and management considerations</li> <li>Dealing with design conflicts</li> </ul>
12:00p – 12:45p	Lunch





12:45p – 1:45p	Group exercise: Routinely creating great environments for active
	transportation
	Review model decision-making process for transportation projects
	• Apply process to sample thoroughfare(s)
1:45p – 2:00p	Break
2:00p – 2:30p	Performance measures for active transportation
	Types of performance measures
	Opportunities to include multimodal concerns
	Examples from other communities
2:30p – 3:00p	Making your case for active transportation projects
	Talking about transportation investments
	Partnerships with advocacy and community groups
	Examples from other places
	• Exercise: What tools do you need?
3:00p – 3:30p	Summary of key principles and roles in active transportation
	Gaps, Barriers and Opportunities in FDOT planning and design
	practices
	o Walking
	o Bicycling
	<ul> <li>Transit use and operation</li> </ul>
	Lessons Learned
	What Will You Do Differently "Next Time"?
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### 3:30p Adjourn