

WBRSO

Challenges and Opportunities



7th IRTAD Conference

Better road safety data for better safety outcomes

Lyon, 27-28 September 2022

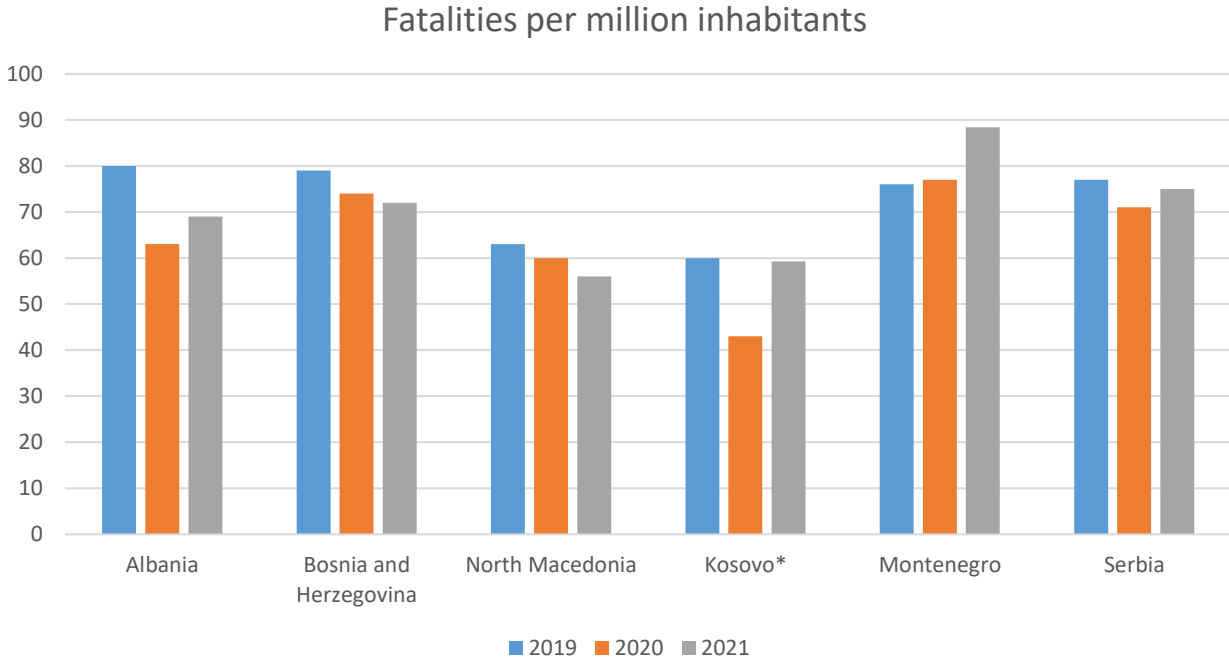
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Fatalities for 2019-2021

Average per million inhabitants
Year 2021

EU - 44 road deaths
WB – 70 road deaths



*This designation is without prejudice to positions on status, and is in line with UNSCR 1244 and the ICJ Opinion on the Kosovo Declaration of Independence.

State of Play



- Western Balkan Road Safety Observatory was announced on 5 July 2021 at the 4th Transport Community Ministerial Conference, held in Brdo pri Kranju, Slovenia.
- Transport Community as Technical Secretariat
- Representatives from Ministries of Transport, Interior and Health are appointed as Focal Points
- Appointed Technical Committee members on Road Safety act as regional data coordinators
- 2021-2025 work plan approved at TC and RSC meetings
- Regional Participants Profiles 2019 – published
- Findings of ongoing 2021 baseline data collection and analyses

Road Safety data issues

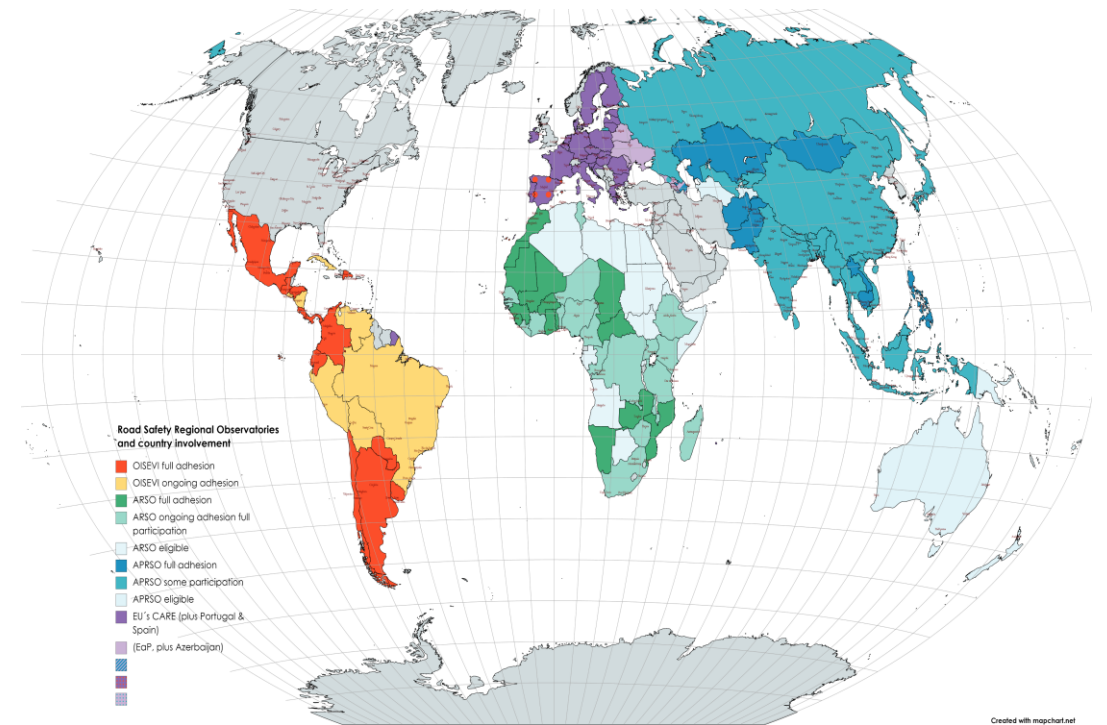


- A considerable gap exists between official road death statistics and estimates by the World Health Organization (WHO)
- 2 out of 6 Regional Partners has no vita registration system
- fatalities should include deaths up to 30 days
- Harmonisation of data
- Missing data

Regional Participants	2016 deaths reported @ WHO (2018)	WHO deaths estimated (2018)	WHO assessment vita registration system	2019 reported	2019 WHO estimated
Albania	269	399	Without (4)	227	337
Bosnia & Herzegovina	318	552	Without (4)	261	446
North Macedonia	148	134	Good (1)	132	107
Kosovo				113	
Montenegro	65	67	Good (1)	47	48
Serbia	607	649	Good (1)	534	656
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RSO creates opportunities

- WBRSO promotes the adoption of a common set of road safety indicators
- serve as an avenue to assist Regional Partners in improving the management of their crash data systems
- MiniCADAS as an intermediate goal
- Outputs from WBRSO provide context as to the most pressing issues in the region, which can then inform on the types of data to prioritise.
- Capacity building and exchange of best experience with EU MS and other RSOs



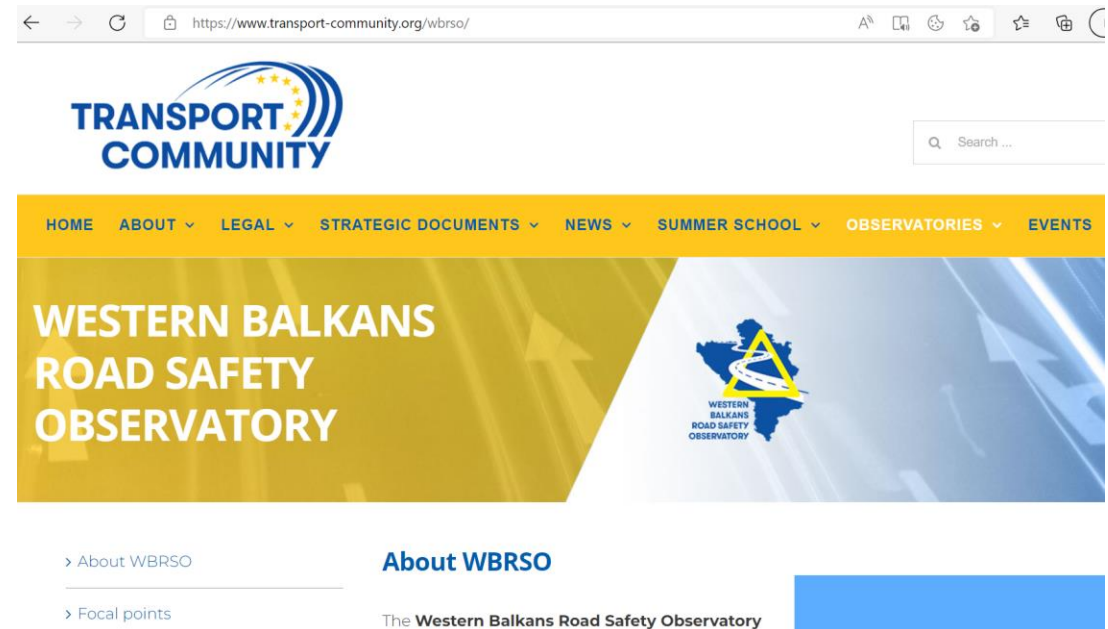
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Work in progress

By end of 2022:

- WBRSO information system will be available for members of WBRSO and public users
- Mobile App (iOS and Android) for all users



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you!*

