

DriverMetrics[®] Profiling

DriverMetrics[®] Profiling is the most extensively validated measure of behavioural, coping and situational risk available. The Ambulance profiling variant identifies crash risk for drivers, enabling the selection of highly targeted and therefore more effective coaching interventions.

Risk Factors for Ambulance Drivers

DriverMetrics[®] Profiling assesses ambulance driver risk by considering the stress of driving for work. Research demonstrates that the following risk factors are most important for this type of driver and each is measured in the assessment.

Situational Risk Factors	Behavioural Risk Factors	Coping Risk Factors
Age Annual mileage Driving hours Driving experience Licence status Crash history	Aggression Anxiety Fatigue Proneness Hazard Monitoring Thrill Seeking	Emotional Coping Avoidance Coping Confrontive Coping Reappraisal Coping Task Focus Coping

All of the UK's Ambulance Service Trusts now utilise DriverMetrics® Profiling for our instructor development programmes. Every Trust is in the process of allocating a member of the training team faculty to attend a DriverMetrics® workshop thus enabling them to accurately analyse the profiles once completed and subsequently produce a coaching plan to address the high risk areas identified. Our vision is to initially ensure all future NHS Ambulance Driving Instructors give high inclusion and priority to the value derived from the ADRI, and include this as a significant element of their coaching plans that they produce for developing new drivers who join the organisation as new recruits.

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What does it mean for your business?





Research Evidence

We know DriverMetrics[®] Profiling assesses driver behaviour, because its scales have been the subject of over 70 published academic papers. It has reliably been shown that these factors are personality-based emotional responses to driving, and they are associated with crashes, errors, driver behaviours and reactions behind the wheel. You can find the full publication list at www.drivermetrics.com/publications

