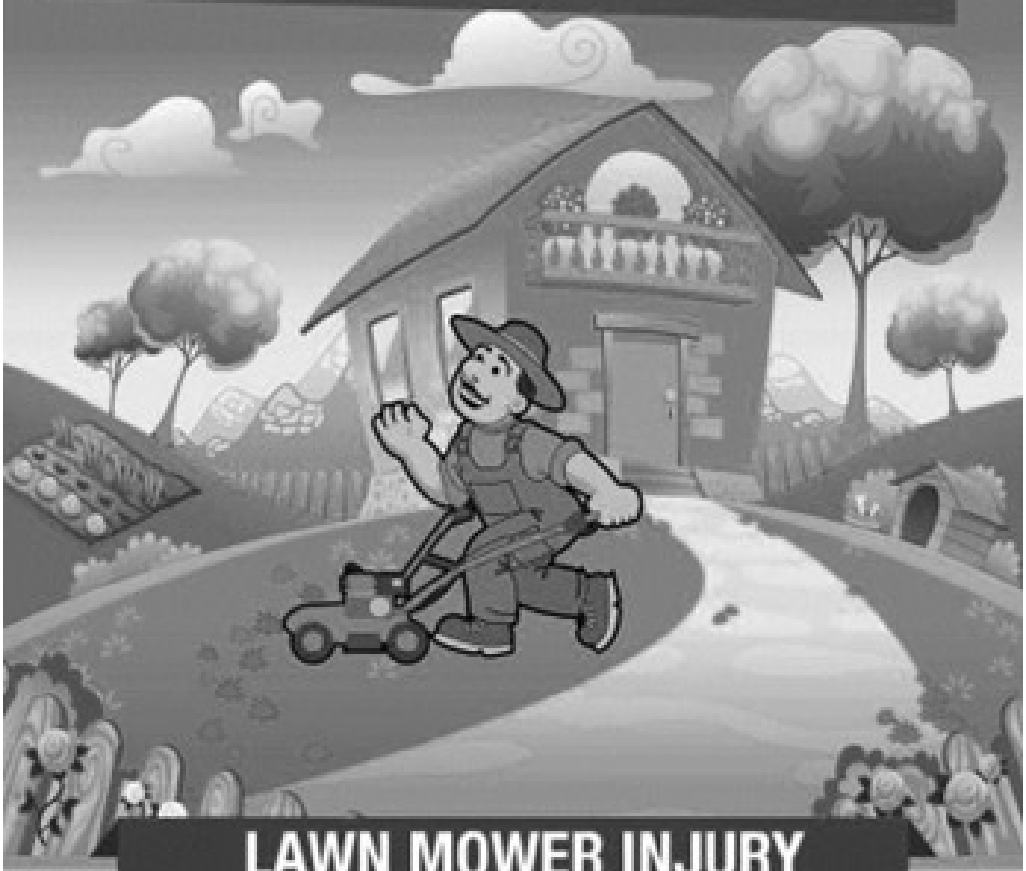
Riding Lawn Mowers – Landscaping Infographic

What You Need To Know About

LAWN MOWER SAFETY



LAWN MOWER INJURY STATISTICS

The energy transferred by a typical lawn mower blade is equivalent to being shot in the hand with a

.357 magnum

pistol according to the American Academy of Orthopedic Surgeons.



In 2011, **3,780 kids** 14 or under were among

83,291 people treated in U.S. hospital emergency departments for lawn mower injuries.



More than **80,000** people go to the emergency room each year because of lawn mower injuries.



Each year, **800** children are run over by riding mowers or small tractors and more than 600 of those incidents result in amputation;

75 people are killed, and

20,000 injured;

one in five deaths involves a child.



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