



NOT ALL WOMEN confine their driving to shopping expeditions or journeys to the office. A growing number of women earn their living behind the wheel of a car, bus or truck. Female school bus drivers, in particular, are becoming a common sight.

WOMEN DRIVERS TAKE THE WHEEL

Women are no longer taking a back seat to men when it comes to driving an automobile.

Studies show they are becoming nearly half the total population of licensed drivers -- a direct result of the ever-increasing number of women joining the work force and requiring transportation to and from their employment.

As shown in the following table broken down state by state, the national average of licensed women drivers has now reached 42.5%.



PERCENTAGE OF LICENSED WOMEN DRIVERS BY STATE

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| Alabama | 42.4% |
| Alaska | 43.2% |
| Arizona | 44.6% |
| Arkansas | 40.1% |
| California | 41.9% |
| Colorado | 39.2% |
| Connecticut | 45.7% |
| Delaware | 45.7% |
| Florida | 42.6% |
| Georgia | 42.5% |
| Hawaii | 39.5% |
| Idaho | 40.9% |
| Illinois | 43.0% |
| Indiana | 45.2% |
| Iowa | 42.3% |
| Kansas | 46.4% |
| Kentucky | 37.9% |
| Louisiana | 42.5% |
| Maine | 43.4% |
| Maryland | 43.1% |
| Massachusetts | 44.7% |
| Michigan | 42.8% |
| Minnesota | 42.4% |
| Mississippi | 42.7% |
| Missouri | 44.1% |
| Montana | 44.7% |
| Nebraska | 44.3% |
| Nevada | 43.9% |
| New Hampshire | 43.8% |
| New Jersey | 43.7% |
| New Mexico | 44.7% |
| New York | 40.3% |
| North Carolina | 43.9% |
| North Dakota | 43.0% |

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| Ohio | 39.6% |
| Oklahoma | 45.9% |
| Oregon | 42.8% |
| Pennsylvania | 40.7% |
| Rhode Island | 42.1% |
| South Carolina | 38.9% |
| South Dakota | 44.9% |
| Tennessee | 44.2% |
| Texas | 43.6% |
| Utah | 44.4% |
| Vermont | 41.9% |
| Virginia | 42.3% |
| Washington | 45.1% |
| West Virginia | 40.2% |
| Wisconsin | 43.5% |
| Wyoming | 41.0% |
| Washington, D.C. | 37.0% |
| National Percentage | 42.5% |

New Profile In Auto Repair

The discerning buyer is always seeking value and reliability in the services and products he buys.

Needless to say, today's typical auto repair garage has left many customers feeling cheated when it comes to honest, first-class auto repairs.

Two Livonians, Jack Vadori and Ken Cowher, have spent many years working in Detroit-area auto dealerships. With the opening of their new repair shop, Quality Auto Electric, they hope to eliminate some of the aggravations.

"We know all about the problems the car owner faces as an innocent lamb in the hungry den of auto garages," the two men claim. "We also know about the inefficiencies which bog down many large repair establishments.

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