



U.S. Department
of Transportation
**National Highway
Traffic Safety
Administration**

Auto Safety Hotline

Vehicle Owner's Questionnaire

NATIONWIDE 1-800-424-9393
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INTERNET: <http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov>

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Do you authorize NHTSA to provide a copy of report to the manufacturer of your vehicle? ☐ YES ☐ NO
In the absence of an authorization, NHTSA WILL NOT provide your name and address to the vehicle manufacturer.

Signature of Owner _____ Date ____/____/____

VEHICLE INFORMATION

Vehicle Ident. No. (VIN) (Location at bottom of windshield and driver's side) 1G1ND52T7X6140206	Vehicle Make CHEVROLET	Vehicle Model MALIBU	Vehicle Year 1999	Current Odometer Reading
Purchase Date 01-APR-2000	Dealer's Name _____		Engine Size (CID/CC/L) 3.1L	☐ Turbo ☐ Diesel ☐ Gas ☐ Fuel Injection
☐ New ☒ Used	City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____		No Cylinders _____	
Transmission Type ☐ Manual ☐ Automatic	Antilock Brakes ☒ Yes ☐ No	Restraint System ☐ 3-Point Belt ☐ Motorbelt ☐ Driverside Airbag ☐ 2-Point Bel ☐ Passengerside Airbag	Cruise Control ☒ Yes ☐ No	Drive Train ☒ Front ☐ Rear ☐ 4-Wheel
Vehicle Type ☐ Car ☐ Sport Util ☐ Van ☐ Truck ☐ Minivan ☐ Motorcycle ☐ Other _____		Body Style ☐ 2-Door ☒ 4-Door ☐ Stationwagon ☐ Pick Up Truck ☐ Other _____		

FAILED COMPONENT(S)/PART(S) INFORMATION

Component 03250000 12111200	Part Name(s) BRAKES:HYDRAULIC:ANTI-SKID SYSTEM INTERIOR SYSTEMS:PASSENGER RESTRAINTS:AIR BAG:FRONT.	Location ☐ Left ☐ Right ☐ Front ☐ Rear	Failed Part(s) ☐ Original ☐ Replacement
No of Failure 2	Date(s) of Failure(s) 01-AUG-2000 35000 Mileage at Failure(s) _____	Failed Part(s) ☐ Yes ☐ No	NHTSA Previously ☐ Yes ☐ No

APPLICATION INCIDENT INFORMATION

(Please describe in detail the incident(s), Failure(s), Crash(es), and Injury(ies) on the back of this form)

Crash ☐ Yes ☐ No	Fire ☐ Yes ☒ No	Number of Persons Injured 0	Number of Fatalities 0	Estimated Property Damag 0	Reported to Police ☐ Yes ☒ No
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NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF FAILURE(S), INCIDENT(S), INJURY(IES)

MY AIR BAG LIGHT STAYS ON. I CALLED THE DEALER AND THE GUY SAID IT MEANT THE AIR BAGS DIDN'T WORK AND THEY WOULDN'T COME OUT EVEN IN A CRASH AND SINCE THE WARRANTY WAS GONE I WOULD HAVE TO PAY TO HAVE IT FIXED. MY FLOOR BOARD FLOODS WHEN IT RAINS. THERE HAS BEEN ABOUT AN INCH OF WATER IN MY FLOOR AT ONE TIME AND HAS FLOODED EVERYTIME IT RAINS. I WAS TOLD THAT TOO WOULD HAVE TO BE PAID FOR OUT OF MY POCKET. MY ANTI-LOCK SYSTEM MESSED UP WHILE IT WAS STILL UNDER WARRANTY AND WAS FIXED BUT I HAD TO REPLACE THE PADS IN NOVEMBER AFTER ONLY BUYING THE CAR IN APRIL. IT'S MARCH AND I NEED NEW BRAKES AGAIN. THE CAR WAS IN THE SHOP IN THE SUMMER BECAUSE IT WENT DEAD WHILE GOING DOWN THE INTERSTATE AND HAD TO BE TOWED IN. IT WAS STILL UNDER WARRANTY SO THEY FIXED IT AT NO CHARGE. IT SEEMS

CONTINUE ON REVERSE

The Privacy Act of 1974-Public Law 93-579 This information is requested pursuant to authority vested in the National Highway Traffic Safety Act and subsequent amendments. You are under no obligation to respond to this questionnaire. Your response may be used to assist the NHTSA in determining whether a manufacturer should take appropriate action to correct a safety defect. If the NHTSA proceeds with administrative enforcement or litigation against a manufacturer, your response, or a statistical summary thereof, may be used in support of the agency's action.