

(A) IN GENERAL.

(1) THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT APPLY WHERE A PEDESTRIAN TUNNEL OR OVERHEAD PEDESTRIAN CROSSING IS PROVIDED, AS DESCRIBED IN §21-503(B) OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(2) IF A TRAFFIC CONTROL SIGNAL IS NOT IN OPERATION, THE DRIVER OF A VEHICLE SHALL YIELD THE RIGHT-OF-WAY AND, IF NECESSARY, SLOW DOWN OR STOP TO YIELD THE RIGHT-OF-WAY TO A PEDESTRIAN WHO IS CROSSING THE ROADWAY IN A CROSSWALK, IF THE PEDESTRIAN IS:

(I) ON THE HALF OF THE ROADWAY ON WHICH THE VEHICLE IS TRAVELING; OR

(II) APPROACHING SO CLOSELY FROM THE OTHER HALF OF THE ROADWAY AS TO BE IN DANGER.

(B) DUTY OF PEDESTRIAN.

A PEDESTRIAN MAY NOT SUDDENLY LEAVE A CURB OR OTHER PLACE OF SAFETY AND WALK OR RUN INTO THE PATH OF A VEHICLE WHICH IS SO CLOSE THAT IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR THE DRIVER TO YIELD.

(C) PASSING OF VEHICLE STOPPED FOR PEDESTRIAN PROHIBITED.

IF, AT A MARKED CROSSWALK OR AT AN UNMARKED CROSSWALK AT AN INTERSECTION, A VEHICLE IS STOPPED TO LET A PEDESTRIAN CROSS THE ROADWAY, THE DRIVER OF ANY OTHER VEHICLE APPROACHING FROM THE REAR MAY NOT OVERTAKE AND PASS THE STOPPED VEHICLE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 66 1/2, §11-502.

The only changes are in style.

21-503. CROSSING AT OTHER THAN CROSSWALKS.

(A) IN GENERAL.

IF A PEDESTRIAN CROSSES A ROADWAY AT ANY POINT OTHER THAN IN A MARKED CROSSWALK OR IN AN UNMARKED CROSSWALK AT AN INTERSECTION, THE PEDESTRIAN SHALL YIELD THE RIGHT-OF-WAY TO ANY VEHICLE APPROACHING ON THE ROADWAY.

(B) WHERE SPECIAL PEDESTRIAN CROSSING PROVIDED.

IF A PEDESTRIAN CROSSES A ROADWAY AT A POINT WHERE A PEDESTRIAN TUNNEL OR OVERHEAD PEDESTRIAN CROSSING IS PROVIDED, THE PEDESTRIAN SHALL YIELD THE RIGHT-OF-WAY TO ANY VEHICLE APPROACHING ON THE ROADWAY.

(C) BETWEEN ADJACENT INTERSECTIONS.