4.5 Assignment

1. Passengers can be helpful and/or a danger to driving in the road. Passengers can be helpful because they give an extra set of eyes and help point out things that are potentially hazardous. On the other side, passengers can be a danger because they can tell an emotionally charged conversation or using constant gestures that distract my driving. If I would to have passengers, I would change the subject to a light topic or pull over for further instruction.
2. There are 3 signs that the driver is potentially impaired. Those three are they’re switching in and out of lanes, drawing at random speeds, and they’re tailgating or drifting. Whenever I am faced with an impaired driver, I would pull over and stay behind the impaired driver. Impaired drivers are unpredictable and I’ll never know if a crash happens if they’re behind me.
3. Anger or negative emotions can cause physical impact such as increase your heart rate, makes me jittery and spiteful, and blocks our any attentive details that can be a hazard.
4. The three questions I will ask myself before entering the vehicle are “Am I awake and alert?”, “Am I emotionally sound?”, and “Am I able to ignore dangerous distractions?”. Each answer will determine my fitness to drive because cases of drowsiness, emotional thoughts, and distractions will help prevent possible collision where I am at fault. Along with that it helps keeps everyone else on the road safe as well, impaired or not.