Don’t ride your bike if you’ve been drinking alcohol.

Alcohol impairs your balance, coordination and reflexes. Impaired judgment makes it’s harder to tell how fast cars are going.

And yes, you can get a DUI riding a bike.

FL Statute 316.193
Always ride in the same direction as traffic.

Never ride facing cars. It’s just as dangerous as driving a car the wrong way on a road. Drivers don’t expect you and you could cause a head-on collision. Also watch out for parked cars and opening doors.

Use lights on the front and back of your bike as soon as it starts getting dark.

You need a white light in the front that can be seen from 500 feet away and a red light in back that is visible from 600 feet away. Wearing bright colors and reflective strips helps too. Drivers can’t avoid you if they can’t see you.

Follow all traffic signals. Obey stop and yield signs just like you’re driving a car.

Watch out for cars at intersections, especially cars making a right turn on red. Don’t assume they see you or will stop for you. Use hand signals when you turn left or right to let cars know where you’re going.

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