Motor vehicle reports: Balancing the expense and the need

Driving history solutions can be a significant investment, but insurers that don’t fully use these tools may overlook opportunities to capture missing or lost premium, realize savings, and free up valuable resources.
It’s difficult and costly to track driving history. Not knowing may be worse.

Missed violations account for $3.5 billion a year of premium leakage—corresponding to wrong or missing underwriting information—for personal auto insurers. And incomplete violations data can drive adverse selection.

One customer’s struggle:

“Our company keeps our higher-risk drivers on a watch list, ordering MVRs as often as every three months…We’re often running MVRs when there have been no new violations. We’d like to keep the same accuracy with rating but reduce the unnecessary expenses."

You can steer between the expense of knowing and the risk of not knowing.
Leverage our relationships and reap the savings.

50 states (and D.C.)
Verisk has connections with all U.S. motor vehicle departments and some Canadian provinces.

42% savings
That’s how much some auto insurers saved on MVR costs using Verisk’s driving history solutions.³

Verisk’s driving record solutions boost efficiency.

- Economical look-back indicators optimize MVR spend
- Violation monitoring flags potential surcharges
- Custom business rules drive location-based strategy
- Alternative data feeds track tickets and license status
- License verification prevents costly “no hits”

A savings scenario
Verisk cost-containment tools cut one customer’s MVR costs by 37%, or $1.2 million. Lower underwriting costs—focused where they were needed—reduced the combined ratio while maintaining underwriting accuracy. MVR spending targeted risks that required a surcharge, creating more premium.

What will you do with the savings?
MVRs and more: Choose the right driving history tools for you

Our solutions are also helping commercial auto insurers efficiently monitor driving history.

Find your balance with our driving history solutions. Contact your Verisk representative today.

1. Verisk analysis
2. The Challenge of Auto Insurance Premium Leakage, March 2017
3. Source: Data on file, Verisk

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