





NATIONAL SAFETY MONTH and SUMMER SAFETY MESSAGE **JUNE 2010**

Our Army's observance of National Safety Month in June presents commanders with opportunities to emphasize the importance of risk management and to recognize safety accomplishments within their units. This time also allows all leaders to evaluate their safety programs and make adjustments as we enter the summer of 2010.

We ask everyone to take ownership of the risk-management process and to be your own best battle buddy. Whether you are taking a Family vacation, road trip, riding your motorcycle or boating on the lake, be aware of potential hazards. Take responsibility for your own safety. Wear your seat belts, obey speed limits and wear your personal protective equipment as required. You owe it to your fellow Soldiers and your Families to be safe.

The U.S. Army Combat Readiness/Safety Center stands ready to help you safely enjoy this time of year. Visit the USACR/Safety Center website at https://safety.army.mil to find the latest off-duty safety information.

Have a great summer, and remember, Army Safe is Army Strong!

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