



National Safety Month

June 2015

During the past 10 years fatal Army accidents have declined significantly, both on and off duty. That trend has persisted through years of combat operations and continues now as we remain committed on multiple continents in support of National Defense objectives. Army leaders, Soldiers and Army Civilians have worked hard to make this possible. Thank you all for ensuring that our Army remains safe and ready.

June is National Safety Month and we encourage you to take this opportunity to measure the performance of your formations in relation to the 2015 Army Safety and Occupational Health Objectives. In this document, we called for reductions of 10 percent or more in fatalities and losses resulting from private motor vehicle accidents, personal injury and aviation mishaps. Though there are only a few short—yet critical—months left in the fiscal year, you still have time to make significant headway toward these goals. Opening a dialogue on National Safety Month can help you re-engage your Soldiers and Army Civilians on safety matters to end the year on a positive note.

As in years past, the U.S. Army Combat Readiness Center will release a multimedia campaign on June 1 centering on four topics: aviation safety, ground safety, driving safety and injury prevention. The campaign material, along with this year's supporting objectives, is available at <https://safety.army.mil>. We invite you to leverage this information to help your Soldiers and Army Civilians evaluate their personal risk and come through the summer months safely.

Thank you again for supporting National Safety Month and the Army Safety Program. By remaining safe, we remain Army Strong!

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