



# KNOWLEDGE

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### LACK OF COMMUNICATION

Range safety depends on reliable communications and a complete understanding of terminology and procedures to operate on ranges. Because this was an aerial bombing and gunnery range, one might assume we would have a means to communicate with aircraft. We did not.



#### THE WRONG MOVE

We all know moving is a chore. What I didn't realize, however, was that getting my motorcycle to our new home would be the most difficult part.



#### PROFESSIONAL COURTESY

After a long, convoluted flight, I learned a few lifelong lessons. Always do what you know is right. And do whatever you need to maintain the safety of your crew and passengers . . . even if you have to throw the professional courtesy out the window.

## PRODUCTS & TOOLS



Learn the safety culture and climate within your organization.



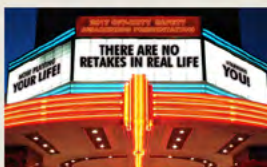
A collection of resources to aid commanders and leaders in the management of range operations and safe weapons handling.



Great resource for finding a local riding association, and learning to be a safer rider.



ReportIt is the single Army accident and risk management system for collecting injury, illness and loss data.



Make your Soldiers aware of the off-duty hazards they'll face with the Off-duty Safety Awareness Presentation.



Going on leave, pass or TDY? Don't forget to first complete your Travel Risk Planning System assessment.

Knowledge is always looking for contributors to provide ground, aviation, driving and off-duty safety articles. Don't worry if you've never written an article for publication. Just write about what you know, and our editorial staff will take care of the rest. Your story might just save another Soldier's life. Click the **SUBMIT AN ARTICLE** tab below to share your story.



## ACCIDENT BRIEFS

### PMV-4

A Soldier died when he lost control of his vehicle while reportedly drag racing and crashed into a tree and house.

### ENGAGEMENT TIPS

Do your Soldiers practice risk management in all of their off-duty activities?



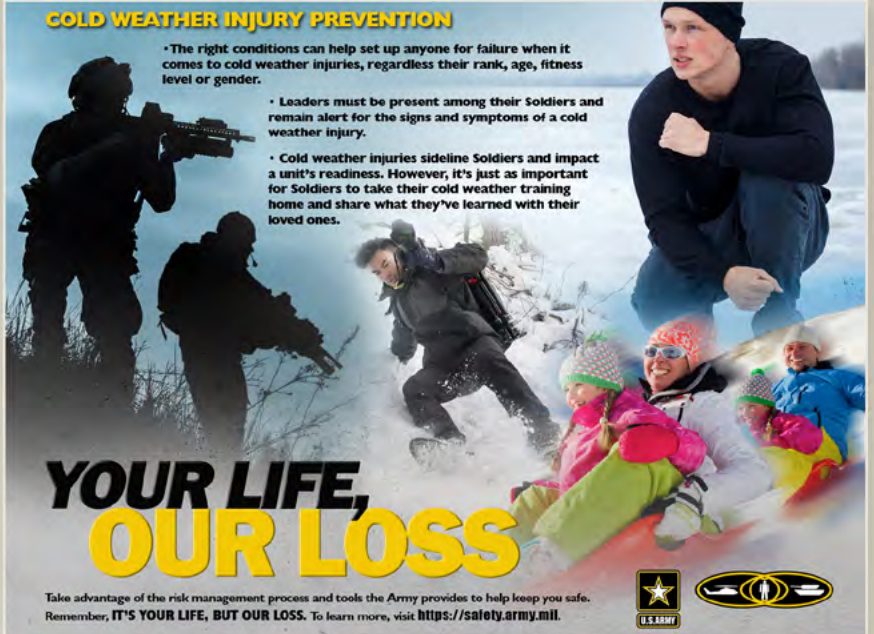
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### COLD WEATHER INJURY PREVENTION

The right conditions can help set up anyone for failure when it comes to cold weather injuries, regardless their rank, age, fitness level or gender.

- Leaders must be present among their Soldiers and remain alert for the signs and symptoms of a cold weather injury.
- Cold weather injuries sideline Soldiers and impact a unit's readiness. However, it's just as important for Soldiers to take their cold weather training home and share what they've learned with their loved ones.



## YOUR LIFE, OUR LOSS

Take advantage of the risk management process and tools the Army provides to help keep you safe. Remember, **IT'S YOUR LIFE, BUT OUR LOSS.** To learn more, visit <https://safety.army.mil>.

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