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MEMORANDUM FOR All Fort Gordon Personnel

SUBJECT: Memorial Day Holiday Safety

1. This Memorial Day, we honor those men and women who died in service to our great nation. As we pay tribute to those who paid the ultimate sacrifice, we also honor those who place their lives in danger each day so that each of us may enjoy our freedom.
2. Memorial Day also signifies the traditional start of the summer season. We must all maintain vigilance and make sound choices that promote safety, both this weekend and throughout the summer. Ensure that traditional summer activities, such as water sports, fireworks, and outdoor grilling, are conducted safely and legally. Take measures to mitigate heat by applying sunscreen and adequately hydrating.
3. Many members of the Cyber Center of Excellence and Team Gordon will take advantage of this well-deserved weekend to spend time with family and friends and to enjoy travel, outdoor recreation, and sports. Be aware of the high-risk activities involved with holiday travel and outdoor activities and ensure appropriate risk mitigation steps are in place. Focus on the proper wear of personal protective equipment, safe driving practices (such as not texting while driving), safe hiking practices, and responsible legal use of alcohol.
4. We are counting on you to maintain your focus on safety during this holiday weekend and beyond. You are the first and last line of defense to prevent an accident - at work, at home, on or off duty. Be smart, be safe, and use proper judgment. All Service Members and Civilians have the responsibility of protecting one another, as well as their families and friends. Proactive leadership, individual discipline, safety awareness, and teamwork will ensure we enjoy an accident free holiday and summer season. We wish each of you a safe holiday and thank you for your continued selfless service to our Nation.
5. Have a safe and fun Memorial Day.

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