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As always, the Security team here reviews and adjusts force protection measures regularly, and incorporates additional measures on a random basis so as to avoid predictability.

All personnel have a role in security: maintain general awareness of surroundings in order to become a target of opportunity; AND report all suspicious activity.

See something suspicious on post, online or get a strange phone call probing for information and don't know what to do? You can report it using the Suspicious Activity Report tool located now at http://carlislebarracks.carlisle.army.mil/iWatch/SuspiciousActivityReport.cfm

"The tool provides employees and residents with an easy to way report anything suspicious," said Barry Farquhar, head of the post's plans and training division. The reports can be made anonymously if desired.

"Disclosure of the reporter's personal contact information is voluntary, but important if additional or clarifying information is needed," said Farquhar.

The tool also allows the post to be able to track these reports to see if there are patterns developing.

"Using previous reporting systems we really had no idea if anything was reported at Carlisle Barracks because it was reported to another organization," said Farquhar. Now reports will come into a central location and will be delivered to the appropriate organization, whether it's law enforcement, the intelligence analyst or sent higher for more analysis.

Incident reporting tips:

- Be Observant & Attentive
- Remember Details about People, Places, Conversations, and Vehicles (Including License Plate Numbers)
- Act Non-Committal and Ask for Time to Think Over Any Offers
- Report the Incident Only to US Army Intelligence Special Agents
- Do not self-investigate

Immediate threats should be reported to the Carlisle Barracks Provost Marshal Office 24 Hour Line at (717) 245-4115.

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