

# **Holiday safety message from Maj. Gen. Williams**

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## **Veterans Day safety message**

November 3, 2008 -- On November 11, 2008, we celebrate Veterans Day in honor of the brave men and women defending our freedom and to those who gave their lives for our Nation.

Many of us will be traveling over the long four-day weekend; this will increase the chance of injury to Soldiers, civilians and their families. Every year, senseless injuries occur as the result of speeding, unsafe vehicles and overindulgence in alcohol.

I encourage all personnel to perform a safety check on your vehicle prior to traveling over the long weekend. Remember, responsible drivers are always well rested, drive defensively, buckle up and never drink and drive. Let's celebrate this holiday weekend by bringing everybody safely back to Carlisle Barracks. Have a safe and enjoyable holiday weekend.