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# KNOWLEDGE

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## WATER SAFETY

Sometimes the most common indication that someone is drowning is that they don't look like they're drowning. They may just look like they are treading water. One way to be sure is to ask them, "Are you all right?" If they can answer at all, they are probably OK. If they return a blank stare, you may have less than 30 seconds to get them to safety.



### GRACE UNDER PRESSURE

Everything was going as planned the first couple of hours of the mission. It was a quiet night, and we were about to return to base. Suddenly, our AH-64A began to have violent, uncommanded control inputs.



### DROWSY DRIVING

As the transition to my next duty assignment neared, I decided to take the family on a vacation. So, we packed our bags and headed to Disney World. My stubbornness while behind the wheel, however, almost caused our vacation to go south.

## DID YOU KNOW?

Before heading to the beach or lake for that final summer vacation, check out the USACR/Safety Center's online Water Safety Challenge. This interactive site puts challenging and fun online activities, as well as links to useful information, right at your fingertips. Show off your skills by competing in the Water Safety Challenge today.



## SAFETY FEATURE

**The signs are all around.**  
It's up to YOU to recognize and act on them.

**Training, Discipline and Standards**

Training, discipline and standards are the bedrock of our Army, and as Soldiers, you've been taught what right looks like. As leaders, you have a duty and a responsibility to maintain standards in your formation. You also have an obligation to your Soldiers and their families to manage risk and take action to correct problems. In our fight against accidental fatalities, knowledge is the weapon of choice.

**know the signs**  
DO WHAT'S RIGHT

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## PRODUCTS & TOOLS



Get the tools to become a battle buddy for your Soldier with the Family Engagement Kit.



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



The Know the Signs campaign is designed to heighten awareness of risk factors and provide leaders and Soldiers the tools

they need to address safety issues in their unit or peer group. The signs are all around. *It's up to you to recognize and act on them.*



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