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MEMORANDUM FOR ALL

SUBJECT: Command Safety Philosophy

1. I am the USAG-Fort Stewart/Hunter Army Airfield Safety Officer, and my goal is No Loss of Life. This includes both aviation and ground safety. We will do everything possible to meet that goal by taking care of our Soldiers, our Civilian Employees, our Family Members, and our equipment.
2. Safety is an inherent leadership function. We must implement appropriate measures at all levels to prevent unsafe acts and conditions that are robbing us of our most precious asset: our people. Empower first-line leaders/supervisors to ensure a safe environment in their units/directorates and hold them accountable for achieving the standard.
3. Safety, both air and ground, must be woven into everything we do: the right thing, the right way, *Always*. We as leaders are responsible for the actions and omissions of the Soldiers and Civilians we lead, both on and off duty, to an extent that is unique to our military culture. Our philosophy must be overarching but simple: supervise, educate, and reduce risk-in order to seek out and eliminate conditions, practices, and habits that pose a threat to the safety of our people.
4. Safety is the responsibility of each individual. Soldiers and Civilian Employees must have the moral courage to step forward and speak up when an unsafe act or condition exists. Safety affects every facet of our daily lives. Through education, awareness, supervision, and responsible risk management, we can produce an environment that is safe for our Soldiers, Civilians and their Families.
5. Soldiers and Civilians at all levels will comply with the accident-reporting and investigation process in order to efficiently target risk areas. Leaders will also use the awards program to reinforce positive safety behavior.

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