



Statement on Safety

Every Marine in MCWS 28 is responsible for the safety of their fellow Marines. I expect that each of you will consistently demonstrate attention to safety and common sense in everything you do, whether in garrison, in operations and training, or on leave. You are the Corps' most valuable asset, and inattention to safety degrades our force.

I expect that you will demonstrate **honorable** leadership in every level of this command through relentless pursuit of the welfare and safety of our Marines. In every action, you will focus on risk management, attention to detail, and proper planning. You will comply with standard operating procedures and ensure that common sense is a guiding force in everything we do.

Every Marine in this squadron, regardless of rank, will have the **courage** to intervene in an unsafe situation. At every level, we must police ourselves, pause and re-evaluate when necessary, and have the guts to say STOP when we must. We will not accept shortcuts for the sake of expediency or in the name of operational tempo. At every level, we will have the courage to speak up when necessary, and this command will not tolerate reprisals for doing so.

We will demonstrate **commitment** to the Marines of this command by consistently addressing safety education and awareness, focusing on risk management in an inherently hazardous profession. Additionally, we will know our equipment and be technically and tactically proficient. Safety requires that we know both our capabilities and our limitations and then act accordingly.

I expect every Marine to be knowledgeable and comply with all guidance, instructions and standing safety policies and to intervene and report any deviation from them. I count on each of you to ensure your own safety and that of your fellow Marines in every situation, every day.

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