



Short Safety Subject

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www.bragg.army.mil/psbc-bm/PubsAndForms/ShortSafetySubjects.htm

Pedestrians On The Roadway

Pedestrians on the roadways should:

- Use the sidewalks where provided
- Walk on the left side of the road facing traffic or the shoulder facing oncoming traffic when there is no sidewalk
- Not stand on a roadway for the purpose of soliciting a ride
- Obey pedestrian traffic lights/signs when crossing streets
- Check both directions of the road for vehicles approaching before crossing regardless of right of way at crosswalks
- Avoid jumping across ditches or fences
- Stay on the sidewalk whenever possible
- Walk in well lit areas
- When climbing stairs use the handrail whenever possible
- Avoid stairs that have low or no handrails
- Do not run up and down steps
- Avoid construction sites that are not fenced off
- Wear proper footwear for maximum traction