

COMMANDING OFFICER'S SAFETY POLICY

Marine Corps personnel, Military and Civilian, assigned to Marine Corps Air Station (MCAS) Beaufort shall be committed to the maximum conservation of manpower and material by the application of a comprehensive and effective mishap prevention program. This commitment is reflected in our participation in Federal OSHA's Voluntary Protection Program (VPP) and shall be accomplished by compliance with standard operating procedures and practices designed to prevent mishaps, illness and injury and by the conscientious observance of all safety directives. It is the policy of this command to prevent mishaps before they happen through the diligent application of Operational Risk Management (ORM) at all levels of leadership. It is equally important for the workers to recognize their own responsibility towards safety and to remain alert and cognizant of their fellow worker's safety.



An effective safety program is a vital part of an efficient operation. As such, it requires a combination of training, active participation and leadership from all levels. Adherence to proven safe practices includes a thorough investigation of all mishaps causes and the proposal of sound countermeasures. Department Heads, Officers-In-Charge (OIC) and supervisors shall develop safety awareness among all personnel through effective communications.

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