Walk Safely

New Jersey

- Always Cross at Corners
- Look Both Ways Before Crossing the Street
- Always Walk Facing Traffic

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Facts:
Walking is a great activity and a great way to stay fit. However, it can also be dangerous.

More than a hundred pedestrians are killed in New Jersey each year and thousands more are injured.

Tips:

◆ Wear bright-colored clothing, especially at night. If necessary, attach a piece of reflective material to your clothing or handbag.

◆ Walk on sidewalks or paths and always cross at the corner, within marked crosswalks.

◆ Do not try to cross mid-block or between parked cars.

◆ Look left, right and left again before crossing and be on the lookout for turning vehicles.

◆ Continue to look for vehicles while crossing.

◆ Make eye contact with the driver before crossing in front of a vehicle.

◆ Learn the proper use of “Walk/Don’t Walk” signals and obey them.

◆ Use the buddy system. Walk and cross with others when possible.

◆ If at all possible, do not walk at night or during bad weather such as rain, snow or ice.

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