

TWO LIGHTS IN THE MIRROR STEER CLEAR



TAKE CARE WHEN DRIVING

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DANGEROUS DRIVING BEHAVIORS AROUND SEMI-TRUCKS AND BUSES INCLUDE:

- Unsafe lane changes
- · Failure to signal lane changes
- · Failure to yield the right of way
- Following too closely
- Speeding
- · Failure to use due care
- Aggressive driving (a combination of two or more behaviors)





KNOW THE NO ZONES

The "no zones" are the areas around large commercial vehicles where the truck or bus driver cannot see other vehicles. Avoid these areas when traveling near a truck or bus; and when changing lanes, leave additional space between you and the commercial vehicle.



TRUCK SMART TIPS

- When passing a truck, make sure you can fully see both of the truck's headlights in your mirror before changing lanes and maintain your speed.
- A truck simply does not drive like a car. It can take over 500 ft. for a fully loaded truck going 65 mph to come to a complete stop.
- The truck driver has blind spots—or areas he can't see—in front of the cab, on both sides of the rig and the rear of the trailer.
- If you find yourself driving behind a truck and can see the truck's side mirrors on both sides, you are at a safe distance behind it. If you can't see the mirrors then you are too close.

FOR MORE INFORMATION





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MOVING VIOLATIONS INCLUDE:

- Unsafe lane changes
- Failure to signal lane changes
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CMV SAFE DRIVING REMINDERS

- Slow down, buckle up and stay alert
- Look at least 1/4 of a mile in front of you to respond early to changing conditions and avoid dangerous abrupt braking situations
- · Slow down, move over for emergency vehicles
- Check your mirrors often
- · Always drive defensively
- Slow down in work zones

Zero Fatalities^a Drive Safe Nevada





CARS & TRUCKS: WATCH OUT FOR EACH OTHER

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