

“PREVENTER PAPERS” – THE KEYS TO AUTO SAFETY

When your volunteers or employees get behind the wheel to drive on behalf of your organization, make sure they have the right keys – the key points to remember about safety, and how to prevent accidents. Our “Preventer Papers” can help. If you can gather your drivers in small groups on a regular basis, it is a good opportunity to take five minutes and review a driving safety topic together. If a group session isn’t possible, you still can provide the papers to your drivers and tell them how important safety is to your operation and your mission. Either way, these documents can help you establish a culture of safety-consciousness, and personal responsibility for accident prevention. Our “Preventer Papers,” most of which are a single page, cover the following topics:

Attitude	Avoiding being struck from the rear
Defensive driving	Cold weather driving
General safety	Following
Patience	Speed
Pretrip checklist	Falls from vehicles
Driving rules	Accident response
Intersections	Space cushion
Right of way	Seat belts
Be prepared	School zones
Passing	Van safety
Being passed	What yellow means
Head-on collisions	Vehicle backing

The complete set is available to nonprofit organizations at no charge. Please contact William Henry at 800.222.8920 or whenry@cimaworld.com. He also can provide information about insurance for volunteer drivers, or you can view that information at www.cimaworld.com.