



- Know your vehicle and how it operates. Not all cars respond the same to slippery roads. Knowing how to handle your vehicle and how it responds in various weather conditions is important.
- Always maintain a safe distance from vehicles in front of you. The most important thing to remember when driving on slick roads is that you must travel, steer and brake more slowly than usual. Drive according to conditions.
- Recognize Danger Zones:
 - Intersections -- Slow down before reaching an intersection. Scan all directions for cars and pedestrians.
 - Curves -- Reduce speed before entering a curve.
 - Bridges -- Ice forms on bridges and freeways so reduce speed and use caution.
- Non-working traffic signals should be treated as stop signs.
- Never brake while driving on ice. If you are approaching a patch of ice, brake during your approach. Applying pressure to your brakes while on ice will only throw you into a skid or place you in an understeer condition.
- Always buckle up and use extra caution when driving in slick or icy conditions.

Diagnosticate [dahy-uh g-nos-ti-keyt] – (diagnose) driving conditions - adjust your speed and your level of attention accordingly.

Be Aware, Be Smart, Be Safe!