



Idaho **STAR**
Motorcycle Safety Instructor
Professional Conduct Agreement

The Idaho **S**kills **T**raining **A**dvantage for **R**iders (**STAR**) Program believes that high standards support and promote high quality motorcycle safety education. The following standards of professional conduct represent what we believe to be essential elements of the professional Instructor.

As a certified Idaho **STAR** Instructor, I agree to conduct myself in a professional manner as evidenced by:

1. Teaching a minimum of four* (4) qualifying range courses each year to maintain Active Instructor Certification (see Instructor Certification, **STAR** Policies & Procedures Manual, Section 10).
2. Maintaining and furthering personal riding skills sufficient to (at a minimum) correctly demonstrate range exercises.
3. Correctly evaluating and coaching student riding skills and maintaining student safety.
4. Demonstrating **STAR's** values of Integrity, Service and Excellence.
5. Wearing proper protective gear (as specified in the policy manual) whenever riding – at a minimum – to and from (or at) any **STAR** sponsored event. This also applies to any organized event or activity where I am identified as a **STAR** Instructor or representative, regardless of the event sponsor.
6. Owning and operating a motorcycle (that meets Idaho vehicle code requirements) on a frequent, routine basis. (Exception - police officers who operate a motorcycle on the job, but do not own one).
7. Riding free of alcohol and other drugs at all times.
8. Maintaining a satisfactory riding and driving record.
9. Enrolling in and completing Instructor update/refresher courses as required (see Instructor Certification, **STAR** Policies & Procedures Manual, Section 10).
10. Maintaining contact and keeping the Idaho **STAR** Program informed of any personal address changes, informed of inability to teach for a period of more than four weeks, and returning any surveys promptly.
11. Maintaining an email account, checking it **at least** weekly and returning any messages promptly.
12. Seeking prior Idaho **STAR** Program approval before using the credibility of the Idaho **STAR** Instructor certification to take a public position on legislative issues or when addressing a public policy forum.
13. Complying with Idaho **STAR** Program rules, regulations, policies and procedures, to include adherence to **STAR** curricula, Range Guidelines, and Range Principles.

*Years 1-3, Instructors are required to teach a minimum of six (6) qualifying range courses.

I understand that my certification as an Idaho **STAR** Instructor may be revoked for conduct not in keeping with the above Professional Conduct Agreement.

Print name

Signature

Date