

## **Group Riding**

Texas MS 150

Ride Predictably: Just like driving a car, cyclists should ride in a smooth and consistent manner

## Communicate:

- Communicate, in advance, by using verbal and hand signals to fellow cyclists and automobile traffic so they can predict what you, the cyclist, will be doing
- Verbal warning examples: approaching or passing on your left, slowing, stopping, flat, car up, car back, etc.

## Awareness:

- Be aware of others around you and ride with your head up.
- Do not use aero-bars in a group.
- Never wear listening devices on or near your ears
- Do not use your cell phone while riding your bike

## Control:

- Maintain control and speed of your bike
- never overlap your wheels with another cyclist
- Spacing: Ride no more than 2 abreast



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