OPERATIONS SECURITY

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OPSEC is our first line of defense against intelligence collection!

Protect Critical Information (CI):
(Critical facts which could reveal sensitive details of the mission.)
- *Planned Operations*
- *Current Operations*
- *Capabilities and Limitations*

Operations Security (OPSEC) - *an analytical process used to deny our adversaries unclassified – but sensitive - information concerning our intentions and capabilities by identifying, controlling, and protecting indicators associated with our planning processes or operations.*
*A past study revealed the following information risks, in order of severity, were:
1. *Loose Talk*
2. *Careless Paper Handling*
3. *Computer Systems.*
*The 179AW Critical Indicators List is available by calling the above poc's.

Apply OPSEC to:

-*Military Operations*
"Loose Lips, Sink Ships"

-*Personal Activities*
"Loose Lips, Helps Thieves'

-*Professional Activities*
"Loose Lips, Sink Jobs"

Know Your Critical Information and Protect it!