

## Winter Weather Safety Alert: Slips, Trips & Falls



### How can you protect yourself?

- Call the Snow Removal Hotline at 5-0000 to report hazardous conditions, 24-7!
- Sign up for University listserv for campus condition updates:  
<http://www.facilities.rochester.edu/notifications.php>
- Wear weather appropriate footwear!



### Increase traction with rubber soles & non-slip tread

- Slow down walking and driving speed, paying careful attention to surface conditions.
- Avoid hazardous shortcuts, look for flat walking routes avoiding slopes and ramps during ice and snow events.
- Use handrails!
- Avoid carrying multiple bags and items which can upset your balance.
- Call x3-4567 to report wet, slippery floors and rumped floor mats.