



**So you think
distracted driving is
OK?**



Think again!



***Some Sobering
Distracted Driving Facts****

- Texting increases crash risk by 23 times.
- Reaching for a moving object increases crash risk by 9 times.
- Dialing a cell phone increases crash risk by 4 times.
- Looking at an external object increases crash risk by 3.7 times.
- Applying makeup, increases crash risk by 3 times.
- It is illegal to hold a handheld personal communications device (a smart phone) while driving a moving motor vehicle in VA
- **No text, phone call, or other distraction is worth dying for so ...**

**DRIVE SMART - JUST DRIVE!
For more information visit**

**distraction.gov
drivesmartva.org**



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