Your CRF was designed as a rider-only motorcycle. It was not designed to carry a passenger or cargo. A passenger or cargo could interfere with your ability to move around to maintain your balance and control of the CRF.

In addition, exceeding the weight limits or carrying an unbalanced load can seriously affect your CRF's handling, braking, and stability. Adding accessories or making modifications that change this CRF's design and performance can also make it unsafe. Also, the weight of any accessories will reduce the maximum load the motorcycle can carry.

More specific information on load limits, accessories, and modifications follows.

Loading

How much weight you put on your CRF, and how you load it, are important to your safety. If you decide to carry cargo, you should be aware of the following information.

A WARNING

Overloading or carrying a passenger can cause a crash and you can be seriously hurt or killed.

Follow all loading guidelines in this manual.

Loading Guidelines

As discussed on page 2, we recommended that you do not carry any cargo on this motorcycle. However, if you decide to carry cargo, ride at reduced speeds and follow these commonsense guidelines:

- Keep cargo small and light. Make sure it cannot easily be caught on brush or other objects, and that it does not interfere with your ability to shift position to maintain balance and stability.
- Place weight as close to the center of the motorcycle as possible.
- Do not attach large or heavy items (such as a sleeping bag or tent) to the handlebar, fork, or front fender.
- Check that both tires are inflated properly.