

Environmental Health and Safety

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Holiday Shopping Safety

With the Holidays around the corner, shopping can become hazardous. Excellent deals attract many holiday customers. This can create long lines, impatient shoppers, and large crowds. When going out on Black Friday or any other day, remember these safety tips.

- If shopping with friends or family, set a meeting place and time. Be specific.
- Be aware of your surroundings. Don't rush through the store.
- Carry your cellphone close to you in case of an emergency.
- If a mob begins to form, back away. Sales are not worth the risk of personal injury.
- Be sure to keep your purse and wallet close to you. Avoid carrying cash if possible.
- Have your keys out and ready before you leave the store.
- Place all purchased items in the trunk of your vehicle. Visible items can attract thieves.
- Be sure to check the back seat of your car as well as under and around it before getting in.
- Park your car in a visible space such as near or under a light. Avoid parking next to and between larger vehicles.



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