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Halloween SAFETY TIPS

FOR PARENTS:

- **ENSURE** an adult accompanies children as they trick-or-treat.
- **STAY** in familiar areas.
- **HAVE** children carry flashlights or glow sticks for easier visibility.
- **INSPECT** all treats before anything is eaten. Don't let children eat anything that is unwrapped or seems unusual.
- **PIN** your child's name, address and telephone number to his or her costume in the event the child is separated from the group.
- **TURN** on your home's exterior lights and remove any objects from your walkway that may be a hazard.
- **SEND** children trick-or-treating before dark, if possible.



FOR KIDS:

- **WALK**, don't run, from house to house.
- **STOP** only at well-lit houses.
- **CROSS** the streets at crosswalks or corners, never in the middle of the road.
- **NEVER** enter the home of a stranger.
- **DON'T** play pranks that can hurt other people or damage property.

COSTUME TIPS:

- **AVOID** long costumes that may cause children to trip (Falls are the leading cause of injuries on Halloween).
- **AVOID** using simulated knives, guns or swords. If using these props, ensure they are soft and flexible to prevent injury.



Call 911 for an emergency.
FOR NON-EMERGENCIES, CALL
(954) 764-HELP (4357).

