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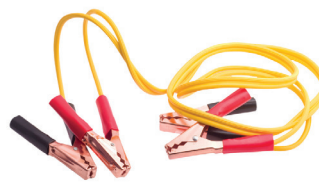


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September is Emergency Preparedness Month. Here in Oregon, we should all be concerned about floods, landslides, and extreme winter weather, among other emergencies. Take time this month to create (or add to) emergency kits for your **home, car, and workplace.**

It's also a good time to create or review your family's emergency plan.

Ready at work

Address emergency preparedness at your safety team meeting, and be sure your co-workers know about your organization's emergency plans. These include evacuation procedures, communication protocols, and the location of life-saving equipment at your worksite. **Ready.gov** has tips for work and home.