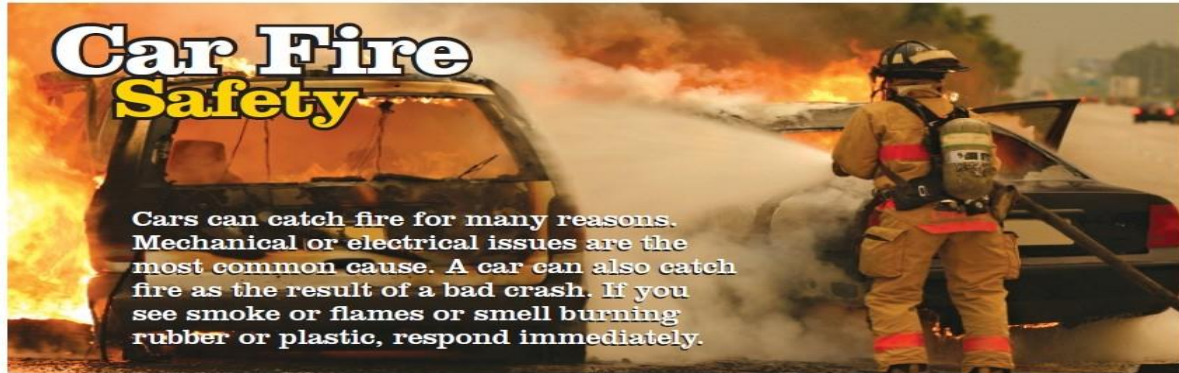


# CAR FIRE SAFETY



## WHAT TO DO IF YOUR CAR IS ON FIRE

- Pull over as quickly as it is safe to do so, be sure to use your turn signal as you make your way to a safe location off the road such as the emergency lane or a rest stop.
- Once you have stopped ~ **TURN OFF** the engine.
- **GET** everyone out of the car. Never return to a burning car for anything.
- **MOVE** everyone at least 100 feet from the burning car and well away from traffic.
- **CALL** 9-1-1.
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## HOW TO PREVENT A CAR FIRE

- Have your car serviced regularly by a professionally trained mechanic. If you spot leaks, or your car is not running properly~ get it checked. A well-maintained car is less likely to have a fire.
- If you must transport gasoline, transport only a small amount in a UL certified gas can that is sealed. Keep a window open for ventilation.
- Gas cans and propane cylinders should never be
- Transported in the passenger compartment.
- Never park a car where flammables~ such as grass, are touching the catalytic converter.
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## KNOW THE DANGER SIGNS

- Cracked or loose wiring or electrical problems, including a fuse that blows more than once
- Oil or fluid leaks
- Oil cap not on securely
- Rapid changes in fuel or fluid level, or engine temperature

## **FACT**

Most crashes do NOT result in a fire. In the event of any crash, call **9-1-1**. If there is no sign of fire, wait for emergency assistance to help any injured individuals out of the car