- Never leave a child unattended in a vehicle, not even for a minute.

- If you see a child left unattended in a vehicle, call 9-1-1.

- Be sure that all occupants leave the vehicle when unloading. Don't overlook sleeping babies.

- Always lock your car and ensure children do not have   access to keys or remote entry devices. If a child is missing, always check the pool first, and then the car, including the trunk. Teach your children that vehicles are never to be used as a play area.

- Keep a stuffed animal in the car seat and when the child is put in the seat place the animal in the front with the driver.

- Or place your purse or briefcase in the back seat as a   reminder that you have your child in the car.

- Make "look before you leave" a routine whenever you get out of the car.