

#### **HURRICANE SAFETY TIPS**

Along with strong winds, hurricanes produce torrential rainfall, storm surges and flooding. Drive only if absolutely necessary.

#### Monitor road conditions

Always be on guard as storms can worsen in an instant. Listen to your local radio station for updates. If you need additional information, pull over to a safe parking space before accessing emergency websites on your mobile device.

# Do not drive through standing water

If you think the water is deeper than six inches, turn around and drive the opposite way.

### Slow down and use caution

Hydroplaning can occur from rain alone. Pay attention to barricades. They are there for your protection. Do not drive around them.

## Watch for downed power lines

Watch surroundings carefully as water is an electrical conductor and can cause electrocution.

# Seek help, if necessary

If you become trapped in rising water or cannot restart your vehicle, call 911. Get a passerby's attention or try to reach higher ground.

