



SEATTLE POLICE
COMMUNITY OUTREACH



Purse Snatching

CRIME TIPS

- **Be aware** of your surroundings.
- Carry your bags, purses, backpacks **cross-bodied** or with both straps on, **zipped and closed**.
- Carry your keys and ID separately.
- **Show confidence** and trust your instincts.
- Stay in **well-lit** and heavily traveled areas as much as possible.
- Don't set your belongings down next to you when in public.
- **Property can be replaced, you cannot.** Don't put yourself in danger to protect replaceable items.

REPORT TO 911

- If you **see something- say something**.
- **Call 911 immediately** to report a crime or suspicious behavior.
- If you need **translation services**, call 911 and ask for the language you need.

