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Safety Guidelines -

Health & Safety

- Wear a mask in crowded areas and carry hand sanitizer.
- Avoid visiting if unwell (fever, cough, etc.).
- Maintain distance where possible—especially in queues.
- Stay hydrated and avoid consuming food from unhygienic stalls.
- Follow entry/exit signs to prevent congestion.

Fire & Electrical Safety

- Do not smoke near or inside the pandal.
- Avoid touching electrical wires, decorations, or lighting setups.
- Report any suspicious activity or fire hazard to organizers or security.

Crowd Behavior

- Be patient in queues—pushing or rushing can lead to accidents.
- Avoid peak hours (typically evening to late night) if you prefer a calm darshan.
- Keep children close and do not let them wander.
- Do not litter—use designated dustbins.

Respect & Decorum

- Dress modestly and respectfully, especially inside or near the sanctum.
- Turn off or silence mobile phones during anjali or cultural programs.
- Do not step onto the stage or altar unless permitted.
- Participate respectfully in rituals like anjali or sindoor khela, following priest's or volunteers' directions.

Photography & Social Media

- Ask before taking photos—some pandals may have restrictions.
- Do not block others' views for selfies or videos.
- Avoid drone cameras unless officially permitted.

Transport & Parking

- Use public transport where possible—many roads may be closed or congested.
- Park only in designated areas—illegally parked vehicles may be towed.
- Be aware of one-way traffic rules and crowd control barriers around big pandals.

For a Peaceful Visit

- Visit during daytime or early morning for less crowd and more spiritual ambiance.
- Keep emergency contacts and a charged phone with you.
- Be kind to volunteers and security staff—they're working long hours for public safety.