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We moved to OR from CA two years ago, and I've never seen so much drug paraphernalia littered on the sidewalks - during my last visit to Troutdale last weekend, we saw used needles and syringes on the sidewalk near the train museum. During a rare visit into Portland, we saw much more - very nasty. Driving on Foster, we saw a homeless man shooting up under the 205 fwy. I've seen at least 6 belligerent homeless men - screaming at passing cars or flipping people off. It's nasty. I hope it doesn't spread more into the suburbs.