

Fire Safety Guide

1. Install Smoke Alarms

Place smoke alarms on every level of your home, especially near bedrooms. Test monthly and change batteries twice a year.

2. Create a Fire Escape Plan

Draw a floor plan with two exits from each room. Practice the escape plan with everyone in your household at least twice a year.

3. Know Your Exits

Make sure all doors and windows open easily. Don't block exits with furniture or clutter.

4. Practice "Stop, Drop, and Roll"

Teach children what to do if their clothes catch fire: Stop, drop to the ground, and roll until the flames are out.

5. Keep Fire Extinguishers Handy

Place fire extinguishers in key areas like the kitchen and garage. Learn how to use them with the PASS method (Pull, Aim, Squeeze, Sweep).

6. Cook with Caution

Never leave cooking unattended. Keep flammable items away from stovetops, and turn pot handles inward.

7. Use Heaters Safely

Keep space heaters at least 3 feet away from anything flammable. Always turn them off before leaving the room.

8. Don't Overload Outlets

Avoid plugging too many devices into one outlet. Use surge protectors and check cords for damage.

9. Store Flammables Properly

Keep matches, lighters, and flammable liquids out of reach of children and in a cool, dry place.

10. Know Emergency Numbers

Teach kids how and when to call 911. Post emergency numbers by the phone.



Stay Safe. Stay Prepared.

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