

16 WAYS TO KEEP YOUR FAMILY SAFE...

Take 10 minutes to go through this safety checklist once a year.
That's all...10 minutes, once a year.
Think of your loved ones. It's worth it!

- Smoke alarms are outside all sleeping areas and on every level of your home.
- Smoke alarms are in working order and tested regularly.
- All escape routes are planned and practiced with every family member.
- Escape routes are clear of clutter and easily accessible.
- The clothes dryer vent and filter are clean and clear of lint.
- Extension cords are not used in place of permanent wiring.
- Electrical outlets are not overloaded and cords are in good condition.
- House numbers are visible from the street day and night.
- Carbon monoxide detectors are installed outside sleeping areas.
- An adult stays in the kitchen when food is cooking on the stove.
- Smokers use proper ashtrays and do not smoke in bed.
- Furnace, heaters and stove have 3 feet of clearance from combustibles.
- Chimneys and furnace are cleaned and inspected once a year.
- Candles are never left unattended and candle holders are stable.
- Matches and lighters are kept out of reach of children.
- Your kids know fire safety!

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