# **Safety Tips**



Read more to find some helpful fire safety tips to help you prevent fires.



**Escape Planning** 

Fire can spread rapidly through your home, leaving you as little as two minutes to escape safely once the alarm sounds.

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Exit Drills In The Home (E.D.I.T.H.)

Eighty percent of fire deaths happen in the home. That's why you need working smoke alarms and a

plan to get out of the home in case of fire.

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# **Cooking Safety**

Cooking brings family and friends together, provides an outlet for creativity and can be relaxing. But did you know that cooking fires are the number one cause of home fires and home injuries? By following a few safety tips you can prevent these fires.

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# Microwave Safety

With busy lives, families rely on the microwave oven as a quick way to heat up a meal, warm up a drink or defrost dinner. The convenience of the microwave oven is something we take for granted, safety should not be. By following a few simple safety tips you can prevent painful burns and possible fires.

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# **Candle Safety**

Candles may be pretty to look at but they are a cause of home fires - and home fire deaths. Remember, a candle is an open flame, which means it can easily ignite anything that can burn.

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#### People with Disabilities

There's nothing like being at home, relaxing in a warm bed, enjoying the aroma of a pie coming out of the oven, sharing a laugh with family and friends. But did you know that the majority of fire deaths occur in the home? It's important to take precautions to provide adequate fire safety for everyone.

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# **Smoking Safety**

The place where we feel safest — at home — is where most smoking-materials structure fires, deaths, and injuries occur. Smoking materials are the leading cause of fire deaths. Smoking material fires are preventable.

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# Outdoor Electrical Safety

Lighting to improve the look and safety of our homes, electric tools to make our outdoor work easier, and power lines to our home, all need to be handled with care.

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# **Clothes Dryer Safety**

Doing laundry is most likely part of your every day routine. But did you know how important taking care of your clothes dryer is to the safety of your home? With a few simple safety tips you can help prevent a clothes dryer fire.

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**Car Fire Safety** 

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Cars can catch fire for many reasons. Mechanical or electrical issues are the most common cause. A car can also catch fire as the result of a bad crash. If you see smoke or flames or smell burning rubber or plastic, respond immediately.

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**Grilling Safety** 

When the warmer weather hits, there's nothing better than the smell of food on the grill.

Three out of five households own a gas grill, which translates to a lot of tasty meals. But it also means there's an increased risk of home fires.

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