



HOME FIRE SAFETY CHECKLIST



SMOKE ALARMS

- Install smoke alarms on every level, inside bedrooms, and outside sleeping areas.
- Test smoke alarms monthly.
- Replace batteries at least once a year (or use 10-year lithium batteries).
- Replace smoke alarms every 10 years.



ESCAPE PLAN

- Create a home fire escape plan with two ways out of every room.
- Practice your plan twice a year.
- Designate a safe meeting place outside the home.



SMOKING SAFETY

- Smoke outside and never in bed.
- Fully extinguish cigarettes in water or ash.



GENERAL SAFETY

- Store flammable liquids properly, away from heat.



FIRE EXTINGUISHERS

- Keep at least one fire extinguisher on each floor.
- Ensure extinguishers are easily accessible.
- Learn to use it PASS – Pull, Aim, Squeeze, Sweep.



ELECTRICAL SAFETY

- Avoid overloading outlets or extension cords.
- Inspect cords for fraying or damage.
- Keep appliances away from water.



HEATING & CANDLES

- Keep heaters at least 3 feet from anything flammable.
- Never leave candles unattended, place on stable, heat-resistant surface.
- Use flameless candles when possible.



EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

- Post emergency numbers near the phone.
- Have a fire escape ladder for upper floors.