

FIRE SAFETY RULES

Smoke Alarms

- Should be installed in an area of the home near to where you sleep
- Lithium-battery alarms last 10 years
- Install a smoke alarm on each level of the home
- Perform a monthly test by pressing and holding the test button for 4-5 seconds
- Change 9-volt batteries every six months. Whenever you change your clock for daylight savings time, change your battery too!

Leave the house when the ALARM Sounds

- FEEL THE DOOR - A "too hot to touch door" means the fire is outside the door.
- CRAWL if you get caught in smoke.
- Treat all alarms as a real emergency.

Once Out – Stay Out

- Don't stop for valuables or to get dressed. IMMEDIATELY EVACUATE !
- NEVER go back into a burning house
- Go to your pre-designated meeting area.
- If you live in an apartment or condominium, ALWAYS use the exit stairs. NEVER an elevator. Close the door as you leave the room.
- Once out, call for help from the outside

Prepare – Prepare- Prepare

- Create a Home Escape Plan
- Plan and practice two (2) ways out of each room
- Consider your own situation - don't forget about the key for the dead-bolt lock