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Please note that this is not an all-inclusive list of safety issues in the home

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<b>NAME OF RESIDENT</b>		<b>ADDRESS</b>	
<b>PHONE</b>		<b>E-MAIL ADDRESS</b>	

**DATE** \_\_\_\_\_ **EDUCATOR COMPLETING FORM** \_\_\_\_\_

Correction Needed		Correction Needed	
<b>EXTERIOR</b>		<b>EXTERIOR</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	House numbers visible from street	<input type="checkbox"/>	If smokers are in home, ashtrays are large, deep, and kept away from combustibles
<input type="checkbox"/>	Proper lighting & No tripping hazards	<input type="checkbox"/>	Candles have wide bases and are on non-combustible surfaces, kept out of reach of children and pets, and always attended. <b>3-Foot Rule</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Propane/charcoal grill used 10 feet from structures & combustibles	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fire-escape ladder for 2 <sup>nd</sup> -floor sleeping rooms
<input type="checkbox"/>	No accumulation of debris/fire loads against home (wood, leaves, trash)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Firearms and ammunition secured
<input type="checkbox"/>	Gas and electric meter accessible, free from snow build up and bushes	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fuse box accessible and labeled. Metal door closed
<b>GENERAL</b>		<b>KITCHEN</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Family has escape plan and has practiced 2 ways out of every room	<input type="checkbox"/>	Cooking area is free of combustibles. <b>3-Foot Rule.</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Smoke alarms on every level of home, in every bedroom, and every hallway. <b>Tested monthly</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Kitchen stove hood is clean and vented to outside
<input type="checkbox"/>	Matches and lighters secured out of reach of children	<input type="checkbox"/>	Resident knows how to extinguish a grease fire
<input type="checkbox"/>	Space heaters have auto tip-over shut-off switches and are listed; Lamps and TV's are away from combustibles	<b>BATHROOMS</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	No exits blocked or sealed	<input type="checkbox"/>	Small appliances unplugged when not in use
<input type="checkbox"/>	Home free from tripping and clutter hazards	<input type="checkbox"/>	Bathroom vent cleaned once a year
<input type="checkbox"/>	Water heater set at 120° F. or just below "Medium"	<b>LAUNDRY ROOM</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	No overloaded electrical outlets; surge protectors used as needed	<input type="checkbox"/>	Washer & dryer free from combustibles
<input type="checkbox"/>	Extension cords are not used as a substitute for permanent wiring	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dryer vented to exterior (metal vent) & all lint areas cleaned
<input type="checkbox"/>	No cords/wires running under carpets or through walls or doors	<b>GARAGE</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	All electrical outlets and light switches seen have cover plates	<input type="checkbox"/>	Solid-core [or metal fire-rated] door between garage and residence
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hand rails on stairways	<input type="checkbox"/>	No openings or penetrations in garage firewall
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cleaners, medicines, alcohol, and other poisons are kept in a cabinet with a child-safety lock or latch	<input type="checkbox"/>	No storage located within wood trusses
		<input type="checkbox"/>	No accumulation of large fire loads
		<input type="checkbox"/>	Flammable liquids & chemicals properly stored; less than 10 gallons; away from exits

*NOTE: This safety checklist is provided for educational purposes only. Sparks Fire Department and Project SAFE volunteers assume no responsibility for needed corrections noted above. Corrections are the responsibility of the resident and/or homeowner.*