LOOK. LISTEN. LEARN.

Be aware. Fire can happen anywhere.

The National Fire Protection Association states that 4 out of 5 U.S. fire deaths occur in the home. Look, Listen, and Learn how you can prevent deadly fires.

LOOK

Top three causes for home fires:

1. **Cooking Equipment**
   - Cooking accounts for 47% of fires, and 20% of fire related deaths.

2. **Heating Equipment**
   - Heating accounts for 15% of fires and 19% of fire related deaths.

3. **Electrical**
   - Electrical accounts for 9% of fires, and 18% of fire related deaths.

LISTEN

2/3 of fire deaths occur in homes with missing or non-functioning smoke alarms.

Remember to:

- Test smoke alarms **monthly**
- Change battery **yearly**
- Replace alarm every **10 years**

Install smoke alarms in:

- **Every bedroom**
- **Outside** every sleeping area
- On **every level** of your home, including basement

LEARN

1. **Learn two ways** out of every room.

2. Have a qualified electrician inspect your electrical system **every 10 years**.

3. Have a qualified electrician install **AFCI breakers** and **receptacles**. The CPSC estimates that 50% of electrical fires can be prevented with AFCIs.

4. **Extension cords** cause an estimated 3,300 home fires a year. **Never** use them as permanent wiring.