

**DETROIT FIRE DEPARTMENT
COMMUNITY RELATIONS DIVISION
HOME FIRE SAFETY CHECKLIST**

Yes No

PLAN TO GET OUT ALIVE

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| Do you have a home fire escape plan with a pre-determined location to meet outside? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Is there at least one smoke alarm on each floor level in your home? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you test your smoke alarm(s) monthly? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Is the smoke alarm battery replaced yearly? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

PLAN TO BE FIRE SAFE

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| Do you make sure matches and smoking materials are out before disposing of them? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you smoke in bed? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you smoke while taking medication which can make you drowsy? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

ELECTRICAL HAZARDS

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| Are there enough electrical outlets in every room to avoid the need for multiple attachments
Plugs and long extension cords? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you have special circuits for heavy-duty appliances such as air conditioners? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Are all extension and appliance cords checked frequently for wear? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you avoid draping wires and extension cords over pipes or nails? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Are the wrong size fuses installed in your fuse box? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

HOUSEKEEPING HAZARDS

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| Do you keep your basement, closets, and attic cleared of combustible materials? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you keep paint, varnish, polish, or flammables near the heater, furnace or water tank? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you have gasoline or kerosene stored in your home? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

HEATING AND COOKING HAZARDS

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| Do you turn off portable heater(s) when you go to bed? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you refill the fuel tank of your portable heater(s) outdoors? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Are your portable heaters spaced 3 feet away from combustible materials, i.e. furniture? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Is your kitchen range, including the oven and broiler, kept clean of grease? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Does your family's everyday cooking habits include not leaving food unattended
And keeping pot handle turned in from the stove's edge? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |