

**Don't  
Let Your  
World  
Go Up In  
Smoke.**



**Home Fire  
Safety Tips  
For Caregivers**

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# Prevent home fires.

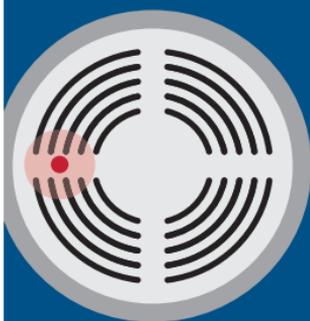
## Protect what matters.

Young children ages 0 to 4 are at a higher risk of death or injury from a home fire than older children. Some children are curious about fire. They might play with items like lighters, matches, or stovetops.



### ■ Protect

Keep children 3 feet away from anything that can get hot. Space heaters and stovetops can cause terrible burns.



### ■ Prepare

Have working smoke alarms on every level of your home. You should also have a smoke alarm inside bedrooms and outside sleeping areas. The sooner you know there is a fire, the more time you have to escape.



### ■ Plan

Have a plan for young children. You will need to wake babies and very young children and help them get out. In your plan, talk about who will help each child get out safely.

Learn more about fire prevention: [www.usfa.fema.gov](http://www.usfa.fema.gov)