

ARE YOU FIRE-READY?



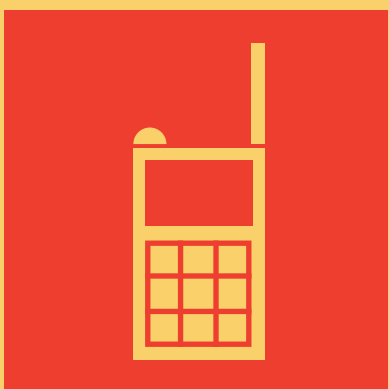
Whether it's caused by a careless match, a bolt of lightning, or faulty wiring, fire can pose a serious threat to any family. Luckily, you can prepare for fire in any of its forms, and it may not be as difficult as you think. Take a look below at some simple items that can help you keep your cool when the heat comes. **NOTE: IF YOU'RE IN A BURNING BUILDING, YOUR #1 PRIORITY IS GETTING OUT. KEEP YOUR GEAR IN A EASY-GRAB LOCATION, AND DON'T HESITATE TO LEAVE THINGS BEHIND IF NECESSARY.**



EMERGENCY KIT

Often, a fire near or in your home means that you need to make a quick getaway, and a handy backpack full of survival basics can ease the departure. Consider food, water, first aid, warmth, light, and communication as you assemble your kit.

WHERE'S A HANDY SPOT IN YOUR HOUSE TO STORE YOUR GRAB'N'DASH KIT?

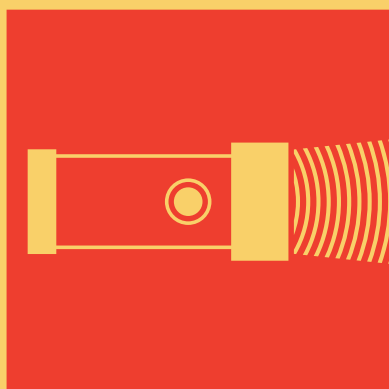


COMMUNICATION/RADIO

In any emergency situation, good communication is essential. It's important to be in touch — not only with your family and loved ones — but with news and weather reports.

DO YOU KNOW YOUR LOCAL EMERGENCY RADIO STATION?

DOES YOUR FAMILY KNOW WHERE TO MEET UP IN AN EMERGENCY?



LIGHT & POWER SUPPLIES

Portable energy and light sources are invaluable if a fire forces your family out of your home. Consider storing a lightweight power source in your car or in other handy places.

DO YOUR FLASHLIGHTS HAVE FRESH & BACKUP BATTERIES?

HAVE YOU PRACTICED USING YOUR PORTABLE POWER SOURCE?



SMOKE ALARMS

The NFPA recommends installing smoke alarms in every sleeping room and on every level of your house. Be sure to test each alarm once a month. Plan with your family to know what to do and where to go if a smoke alarm sounds.

WHEN WAS THE LAST TIME YOU CHECKED YOUR SMOKE ALARMS?

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