

TIPS for holiday fire safety

It may seem like common sense, but when the busyness of the holiday season captures your attention, you can easily overlook the practical steps you can take to help avoid accidental fires. These six reminders will help keep your holiday free from fire mishaps.

Turn off or unplug all electrical holiday lights before leaving your home or office, or before going to bed



Never leave food cooking on your stovetop or in the oven unattended



Keep candles and sparklers away from combustible materials, and extinguish all candles or other open flames before leaving the room or going to bed



Do not overload electrical outlets, and keep all electrical cords out of the reach of children, and away from snow or standing water



Use non-combustible decorations
where possible. Keep Christmas trees and
combustible decorations away from
your fireplace, space heaters and open flames



Do not block doorways; keeping paths to exits in the house clear can help you and your family get out safely in case of a fire





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