

Indoor Electrical Safety



Electrical fire risk is easy to reduce.

Take these simple steps in your home to minimize your risk.



Electrical work should only be performed by a licensed electrician.

ONLY use extension cords temporarily.

ALWAYS plug an appliance directly into a wall outlet.

AVOID placing cords across doorways or under carpet.

REPLACE damaged or cracked electrical cords.

USE light bulbs that match the recommended wattage.

MAKE sure receptacle outlets and switches have faceplates.



NEVER overload wall outlets, extension cords, or power strips.



NEVER plug an extension cord into another extension cord.

TIP:



Turn off lights and unplug small appliances when they are not in use.

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