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Safe Environment for Every Kid

SMOKE ALARMS → SAFETY

The Facts

- 3 in 5 deaths due to home fires happen in homes with broken smoke alarms
- The risk of dying in a home fire is **cut in half** with working smoke alarms

Safety Tips

- Each bedroom and living area should have a working smoke alarm, including the basement
- Smoke alarms when installed in a kitchen should be at least 10 feet from a cooking appliance to minimize false alarms
- If you need alarms, call your local Fire Marshall today. Some cities offer free smoke alarms and installation. Find U.S. Fire Administration contact below:



Only ***working*** smoke alarms save lives!



Every 3 months
Test alarms



Early fall
Change batteries



After 10 years
Replace alarms

For more information, please contact the U.S. Fire Administration

1-888-382-3827

http://www.usfa.fema.gov/prevention/outreach/smoke_alarms.html