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**HOME
SAFETY
CHECKLIST**



Home Safety Checklist

| 6-Month Checklist | Date | Date | 12-Month Checklist | Date |
|---|------|------|--|------|
| Clean smoke detectors / change batteries | | | Check / test the furnace | |
| Change furnace filter | | | Check / test the air conditioner | |
| Check and clean dryer vent | | | Check / test water heater | |
| Check your plumbing: | | | Check / test the water softener | |
| a. Check all plumbing line connections for leaks | | | Check the home's exterior: | |
| b. Check seals around toilets | | | a. Check / repair all loose siding, fascia, soffits | |
| c. Check under all sinks for leaks | | | b. Clean all gutters / downspouts | |
| d. Check exterior faucets for leaks / drips | | | c. Check / repair all loose gutters / downspouts | |
| e. Shut off water to exterior lines in the winter | | | d. Check roof for debris, loose / missing shingles | |
| f. Check the sump pump | | | e. Check all roof vents | |
| g. Check crawl space for moisture / leaks | | | f. Secure all loose roof items | |
| Check all appliances in the home: | | | g. Check all exterior vents for blockage | |
| a. Check the refrigerator for seals; check ice / water line | | | h. Check driveways / sidewalks for cracking or obstruction | |
| b. Check the stove and all connections | | | i. Check foundation for cracking | |
| c. Check the dishwasher and its water lines | | | j. Clear away debris from exterior A/C units | |
| d. Check the washing machine and its hoses | | | k. Remove all dead trees, shrubs, plants | |
| e. Check the dryer and the vent for blockage | | | l. Remove trees / branches that hang over the house and structures | |
| f. Check the microwaves | | | m. Check / reseal all windows and doors | |
| g. Check the trash compactor | | | n. Check fireplace | |
| h. Check the hood vent | | | o. Check / clean fireplace flue, liner, and vents | |
| Test security alarm | | | Check all fences, patios, rails, pools, and steps for safety | |
| Test all electrical outlets; correct any issues | | | | |