

# HEROES

HELPING EDUCATE RESIDENTS ON SAFETY



**Contact the State Fire Marshal's Office about receiving  
smoke alarms for your home FREE OF CHARGE!**



**Be a HERO today by taking some simple fire prevention steps that can help save lives:**



### **SAFE AT HOME**

Working smoke alarms can alert a home's sleeping residents, doubling the chances of survival by increasing the amount of time residents have to escape a house fire. Need working smoke alarms? Contact the State Fire Marshal's Office about receiving smoke alarms for your home **FREE OF CHARGE!**



### **STAND BY YOUR PAN**

Cooking is among the leading causes of home fires in Tennessee. Always stand by your pan if you are frying, grilling, or broiling. If you must leave the room, even for a short period of time, turn off the stovetop. **NEVER** pour water on a grease fire. Keep children and pets at least three feet away from cooking areas.

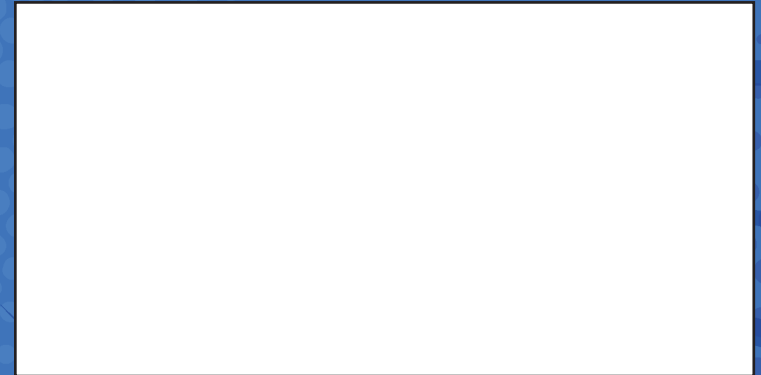


### **CLOSE THE DOOR**

A closed door can hinder flames and smoke from spreading to other rooms and can help deprive a fire of the oxygen it needs to grow. Keep your bedroom door closed when sleeping at night. When exiting a home that is on fire, close the door when leaving.

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FIRE SAFETY TIPS,  
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