

Get Your Hands on Home Safety!

Installing the right safety products and planning for the whole family can prepare you to deal with whatever may arise. We all have the most critical tools needed to make the largest impact on our home's safety...our own two hands.



1.

Have grab bars in the tub and shower.

2.

Read the label before using products. If you see the words "caution", "warning", "danger", or "poison", lock these items in a place where children can't reach them. Call the Poison Control Center at 1-800-222-1222.



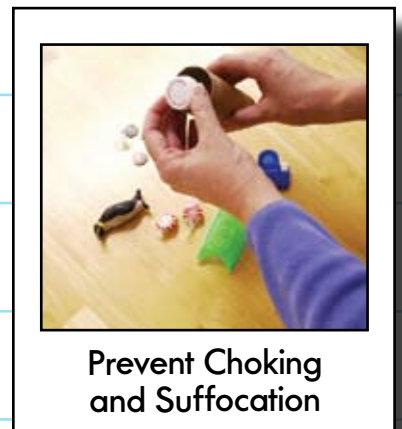
3.

Have working smoke alarms and hold fire drills. If you build a new home, install fire sprinklers.



4.

Things that can fit through a toilet paper tube can cause a young child to choke. Keep coins, latex balloons and hard round foods, such as peanuts and hard candy, out of children's reach.



5.

Stay within an arm's length of children in and around water. This includes the bathtub, toilet, pools and spas - even buckets of water.



Visit the Home Safety Resource Center at www.homesafetycouncil.org/homesafetymonth for FREE information, including posters, brochures, safety checklists and additional tips to help keep your family safe.