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Top Tips on Fire Safety

- Test your smoke alarms every week. A smoke alarm can only warn you if it works properly.
- Have a night time routine. Every night, remember to close all doors, switch off and unplug appliances. Keep a telephone and any mobility aids close by if you need them.
- Always use a fire guard and make sure candles are not near anything that could catch fire. Don't leave a heater too close to anything and never cover it. Take extra care with open flames and heaters.
- Don't overload plug sockets and never use them if wet.
- Always take care when cooking – don't have anything near the cooker that could catch fire. Remember to use a timer or other reminder so you don't forget about your cooking.
- Always take proper care with cigarettes and put them out properly especially if you are tired or unwell. NEVER smoke in bed.
- Plan an escape route. Remember to keep the hallway, stairs or doorways clear so that it is easy to get out in an emergency.
- NEVER fight a fire yourself. If a fire starts in your home, leave as quickly as possible, 'phone 999 and ask for the Fire Service.
- To arrange a FREE Home Fire Safety Check contact PenCartref – 01978 714180 or enquiries@pencartref.co.uk