

Five tips to stop fires at home



Smoking

Always use a proper, deep ashtray.
Never smoke in bed or a chair if you are tired.



Cooking

Always stay in the kitchen when using the oven.
Never put plastic and paper near stoves.



Plugs

Always switch off and unplug appliances when not in use (only the fridge and freezer should stay on).
Never overload sockets with too many plugs.



Candles

Always keep candles and oils away from fabric (this includes clothing, curtains and sofas).
Never leave the room if candles are burning.



Heating

Always sit away from portable heaters or fireplaces.
Never put washing over heaters or near fires.