

# Home Safety Audit

Use the checklist below to check the safety of your home.  
If you tick “No” to any of the questions, let an adult in your house know and you can make a change together to keep you and your family safe.

You can take before and after photos to help show any changes that were made.

	YES	NO	What needs to be done to make it safe?
Do you have working smoke alarms installed? Have you checked them recently?			
Do you have a fire blanket and fire extinguisher in or near the kitchen?			
Is there a first aid kit in your home? Check expiry dates.			
Do you use power boards with surge protectors?			
Are electrical cords out of reach of children?			
Are all chemicals and poisonous substances stored in a secured area?			
Are matches and lighters stored away out of children’s reach?			
Is the kettle, including the cord out of children’s reach?			
Are hot drinks kept out of young children’s reach?			
Do you have a fire escape plan for your home? Do you practice it regularly with family members?			
If you live in a bushfire prone area, does your family have a prepared and practiced bushfire survival plan?			
Are hair straighteners unplugged when not in use and stored in a secure cupboard?			
Does everyone in your home know the triple zero (000) emergency number?			

If you would like, you can send your completed home safety audits to Kidsafe and show us how you have made your home safe.