

CHECK YOUR HOME FOR SAFETY

	Check	(✓)
	Yes	No
Bedroom		
1. Do you keep the floor clear of tripping hazards?	()	()
2. Are bureau drawers closed to prevent painful bumps and bruises?	()	()
3. Are doors closed or left securely wide open?	()	()
4. Is the room well ventilated, especially in cool weather when using heaters?	()	()
5. Are too many appliances run from one outlet?	()	()
6. Are all flexible electric cords in good shape?	()	()
7. Do you keep scissors, pins and sharp tools out of reach of children?	()	()
Living Room		
1. Do you keep floors cleared of toys and other tripping hazards?	()	()
2. Are rugs kept from curling and slipping?	()	()
3. Is there a well-lighted study area that is convenient and comfortable?	()	()
4. Is the floor finish safe to prevent slipping?	()	()
5. Are frayed or worn electric cords repaired or discarded?	()	()
6. Are firearms kept unloaded and out of reach of children?	()	()
Kitchen		
1. Are sharp knives kept in a rack out of the reach of children?	()	()
2. Is a step stool or ladder kept handy to reach objects on high shelves?	()	()
3. Are all matches stored safely out of reach of children?	()	()
4. Do you immediately wipe up water or grease spilled on the floor?	()	()
5. Do you turn pan handles away from the front edge of the range but not over other heating units?	()	()
6. Do you have a safe can opener, such as the swing-away wall type?	()	()
Bathroom		
1. Are all medicines properly labelled and stored out of children's reach?	()	()
2. Is there a container or wall slot for used razor blades?	()	()
3. Is there a grab rail firmly anchored to the wall over the tub?	()	()
4. Is there a nonslip floor in the shower?	()	()
5. Are electrical appliances placed where they cannot be reached from the tub, shower or wash basin?	()	()
6. Do you always make sure that your hands are dry before touching any electrical appliance or fixture while standing in the tub or on a damp floor?	()	()
7. Have you a first aid kit easily accessible?	()	()
Utility Area		
1. Are oily cloths kept in a closed tin container?	()	()
2. When lifting objects do you keep your back straight, knees bent and feet apart so that the leg muscles do the work and not the back muscles?	()	()
3. Is there "a place for everything" in your cleaning closet?	()	()
4. Does all laundry equipment have a ground wire properly connected?	()	()
5. Do you always disconnect the electric iron from the outlet when you leave the room?	()	()
6. Are all flammable liquids labelled and sealed?	()	()