



HOME FIRE SAFETY CHECKS



THIS IS A **FREE** SERVICE PROVIDED BY THE
ISLE OF WIGHT FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE

With over **300** domestic fire deaths and over **12,000** fire related injuries annually, the Isle of Wight Fire and Rescue Service are offering Home Fire Safety Checks to increase people's awareness in domestic fire safety.

GET YOUR HOME CHECKED BY THE EXPERTS

- **FIRE** Over 50% of domestic fire deaths died from smoke inhalation.
- **FIRE** Over 50% of domestic fire deaths were aged 65 or over.
- **FIRE** The Isle of Wight Fire & Rescue Service target the most vulnerable people in the community for Home Fire Safety Checks.

Most fires are accidental – a few simple precautions can reduce significantly the risk of fires occurring.

HOME FIRE SAFETY CHECKS ARE FREE OF CHARGE

At your request a Community Firefighter will:

- Visit your home to carry out a home fire safety check.
- Offer fire safety advice on risks within your home and discuss a fire escape plan.
- Check location, function and maintenance of smoke alarms and where necessary, fit a 10 year lithium battery operated alarm. (one alarm per floor)

If you would like a **FREE** Home Fire Safety Check please telephone **407075** direct line (answer phone outside working hours), complete the online form by logging onto iwight.com/fire, email us at fire.communitysafety@iow.gov.uk or alternatively complete the return slip on the reverse and send to our postal address.

Name:

Referring Agency:
(If applicable)

House/Flat Number:

Building Name:

Road Name:

Please sign and date below;

Town:

Postcode:

Telephone (daytime):

Mobile Number:

Email Address:



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