Autism and Safety in the Home

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Agenda

• Review how to create a safe environment in the home
• Learn how to incorporate EBPs in teaching fire safety
• Review resources
Review how to create a safe environment in the home

- Kitchen
- Bathroom
- Bedroom
- Laundry room
- Family/living room
- Garage
Review how to create a safe environment in the home

• Kitchen
  • Stove
  • Microwave
  • Refrigerator
  • Cabinets/drawers
  • Shelving/pantry
  • Sink
Review how to create a safe environment in the home

• Bathroom
  • Shower
  • Bath
  • Sink
  • Toilet
  • Cleaning supplies
  • Doors
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- Family/Living Room
  - T.V.
  - DVD/BluRay player/VHS
  - Fireplace
Review how to create a safe environment in the home

- Garage
  - Car
  - Lawn equipment
  - Sports Equipment
  - Garage Door
Learn how to incorporate EBPs in teaching fire safety

- Modeling
- Social Narratives
- Task Analysis
- Visual Supports

Reinforcement is key
Resources

- www.autismspeaks.org
- www.autism-society.org
- www.pacer.org
- www.nationalautismcenter.org
- www.lucasworks.org
- www.nationalautismassociation.org
Questions?

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