



NEWCOMERS BRIEF

**NAVAL SUPPORT ACTIVITY
FIRE & EMERGENCY
FIRE PREVENTION**



Items we will cover today for Fire Safety:

- Emergency Reporting and contact information
- Escape Plans
- Portable Heaters
- Kitchen fires
- Cooking / BBQ's
- Electrical concerns



Business Numbers:



**FIRE PREVENTION OFFICE
CAPODICHINO**

DSN: 626-6627/6626

Commercial 081-568-6627/6626

SUPPORT SITE

DSN: 629-4487

Commercial 081-811-4487

Emergency Reporting:



In Government Facilities: Dial 911 from a safe location.

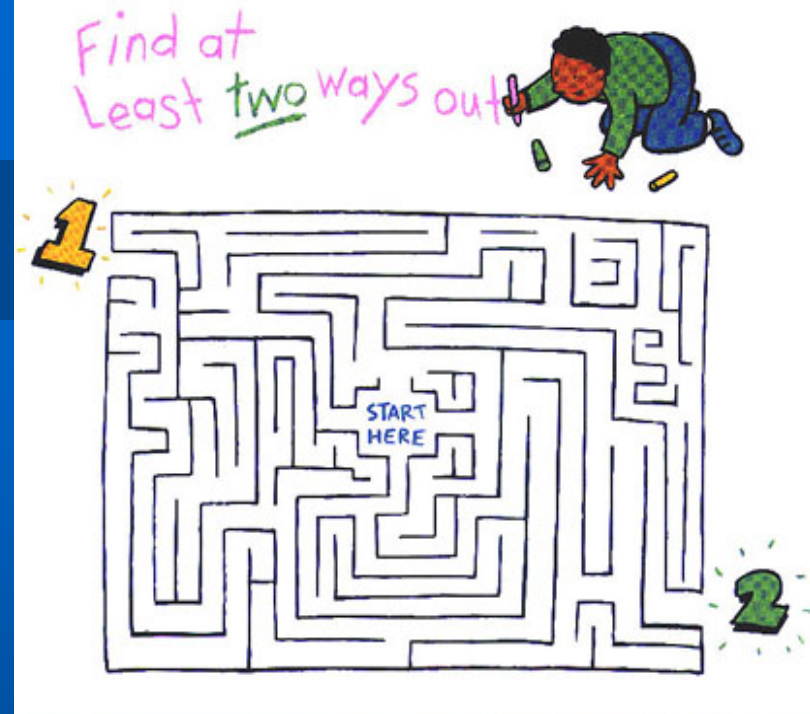
- **Fire Alarms at the Support Site in Government Housing report to the Dispatch Center.**
- **Fire Alarms at Capodichino Do Not report to the Dispatch Center.**
- **You must Follow up all Fire Alarms with a 911 Phone Call.**
- **Give location and the Type of Emergency.**
- **From a cell phone or economy housing DIAL:**
081-568-4911

Plan Your Escape

Are You Ready:

- Plan your escape; have **TWO WAYS OUT**
- Have an Emergency Escape Plan
- Involve the whole family in your Emergency Escape Plan
- Practice E.D.I.T.H

(**EXIT DRILLS IN THE HOME**)



Fire Extinguishers and Pull Stations

- Know the location of fire extinguishers and how to use them
- Know the location of fire pull stations to activate alarm systems
- Know emergency reporting procedures



Should I fight the fire?

If you have doubt, GET OUT!



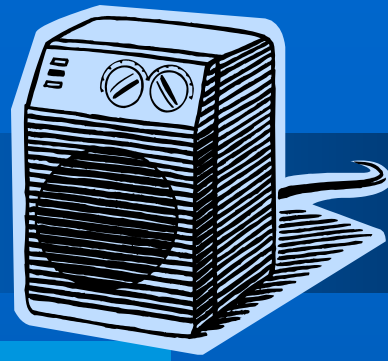
- Smoke, and toxic gas inhalation is what incapacitates humans beings. (fire is not usually the killer)
- Fire must be confined to a small area.
- You must have an unobstructed escape route
- Choose the right extinguisher for the type class of material burning.

Smoke Detectors



- **Test smoke detectors at least monthly.**
- **Clean your smoke detector monthly by spraying it with dust off or simply use a swiffer duster.**
- **Replace all smoke detector batteries every six months (unless hard wired). If the smoke detector “chirps,” the battery is low; replace the battery immediately.**
- **Smoke detectors are required in all sleeping rooms.**
- **For detector malfunctions in housing contact the housing trouble desk so that PW can investigate the problem. After hours, contact the Quarter Deck, and they’ll call the housing maintenance standby personnel.**

Portable Heaters:



- (1) Bombola: Heaters are not authorized for Government Leased Housing**
- (2) Electrical Heaters : Proper Placement, Do not use extension cords or place near combustibles**
- (3) Space heaters prohibited in government facilities**
- (4) The most important item about any Portable heater is use Common Sense**

Kitchen Fires



- Unattended cooking is the number one cause of fires in the United States and on military installations!
- Stay in the kitchen when you are cooking!
- If grease catches fire, carefully slide a lid over the pan and smother the flames, then turn off the burner
 - **DO NOT USE WATER!!!!!!**

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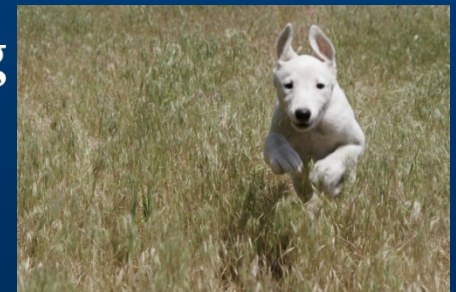


- Keep cooking areas clear of combustibles
- Wear short or tight-fitting sleeves
- Keep the handles of your pots turned inward so they do not over-hang the stove.
- If there is a fire in the oven, leave the door shut and try to turn the oven off

Outdoor Cooking



- Outdoor cooking devices **cannot** be used inside quarters, carports, garages.
- Gas grills **are approved** for use on balconies.
- Charcoal grills **are NOT approved** for use on balconies.
- Have a fire extinguisher in place
- Outdoor cooking devices must be at least 10 feet away from combustibles and buildings
- Keep children and pets away from all cooking devices



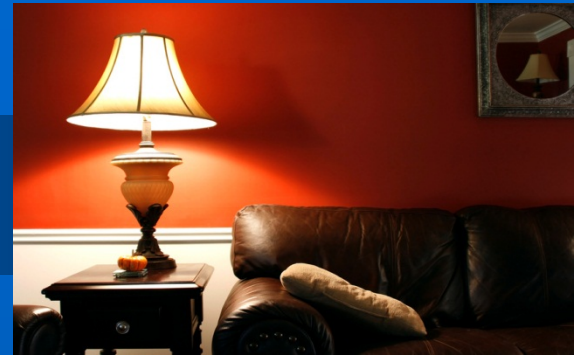
Electrical concerns



- **Ensure all electrical devices have a marking from a reputable testing laboratory UL or CE (not EC)**
- **Recent electrical fire resulted in over 160,000 euro in damage**



Renters Insurance



- May be offered by auto insurance provider
- Huge benefits considering the cost of repairs in Italy and the cost of replacing household items



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Services Provided:

Facility Inspections

Fire Warden Training

Hot work Permits

Plan reviews

Fire Protection Reviews

Fire Extinguisher Training

Fire Training and Education

Evacuation Drills

Fire Warden Support



If unable to reach the Fire Prevention Office, contact Emergency Dispatch Center 081-568-5638, or the On Duty Ass. Chief @ 335-665-9711

In Case of Emergency Dial 911 from DSN or Dial 081-568-4911 from off base

Questions

