## How to talk to children about the Home Safety

It is not only important for adults to understand home safety, but children as well. Please review the Home Safety Check List and consider the many opportunities in which you can empower the children in your life to be safety minded. Here are a few tips on how to talk to children under your supervision.

## Empower the Children in Your Life:

- Children model the behaviors of adults they see in their lives. Make sure you're being safe so they will too.
- As you go through the Home Safety Check List accompanying this tip sheet, or found at www.pcaky.org, survey your environment so you can give examples your child(ren) can see.
- Review the Home Safety Check List with your kids. As you do, discuss each topic with your child as it relates to your home
- Be mindful of the developmental stage of your child.
  Encourage



- Encourage interactive learning through discussion and answer questions to ensure understanding.
- Celebrate your family's commitment to home safety and injury prevention by signing the included Prevention Pal Commitment Certificate. Let your child choose somewhere meaningful to display the certificate.
- Reward your child with the PCAK Prevention Pal sticker!

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