



## Does your home have Baseboard Heaters?

Baseboard heaters are very efficient, but they can be a serious fire hazard if used carelessly. Common sense can prevent a baseboard heater fire. Any time a flammable object comes in contact with a heater, a fire could result.

### Checklist for Baseboard Heaters

- Check baseboard heaters often and remove objects that have fallen on top or near the heater.
- Keep all furniture and curtains a safe distance from your heaters.  
**Never** block the flow of heat.
- Never** permit electrical cords to drape across heaters.
- Always** hire an experienced electrician to do any necessary repair work on your baseboard heaters.



Scorched curtains / draperies



Burned and melted furniture