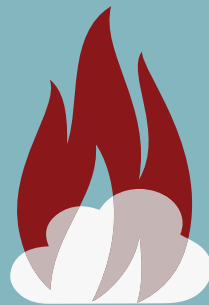


Fire Prevention Week

October 9 - 15, 2016



Smoking articles such as lit cigarettes, pipes, etc. are the leading causes of house fires in NWO.



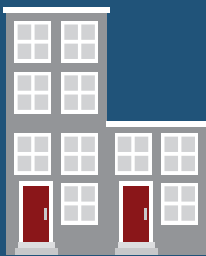
100% of fatal residential fires in Thunder Bay were caused by smokers' articles (2012–14).



It is recommended that you test your smoke alarm every month.

10
years

Smoke alarms should be replaced every ten years.
(Ontario Association of Fire Chiefs)



89% of adults in Ontario think that smoking should not be allowed in multi-unit housing.
(2014 report, CAMH)



Up to 65% of the air in a unit can come from other units in the building.



Adopt a Smoke-Free Policy for Your Home

Smoke-free policies are legal and enforceable and can significantly improve the health and well-being of those living in multi-unit housing.