

Put safety first in your everyday life

Perhaps it is time to re-evaluate your home and workplace to examine how safe your environment is for you and your loved ones. The National Safety Council (NSC) offers guidelines for injury-prevention and awareness to prevent accidents and deaths. Practice these preventive measures to lower your risk of an accident and potential injury:

- Clean and dry spills immediately.¹
- Keep cabinet drawers closed when not in use.¹
- Use handrails in stairwells and take one step at a time.¹
- Apply nonskid floor coatings and slip-resistant mats where falls could happen.¹
- Inspect ladders before and after you use them.¹

We're here to help you

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To lower the risk of accidents, particularly for aging adults, wear proper footwear to reduce the chance of a fall. For instance, athletic shoes can greatly reduce the chance of a fall for the elderly.¹

Here are a few tips to keep you safe:

- Use non-slip throw rugs to avoid slipping on linoleum.¹
- Exercise regularly to help increase your body's strength, which can help you in the case of a fall.¹
- Store frequently used items in easily accessible storage areas.¹

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