

High-Rise Safety

Should I stay or go?



If there is a fire in your unit and you decide to go:



- Check your unit door for heat before exiting.
- Close the door (but do not lock)



- Pull the fire alarm and yell "FIRE."
- Go to the nearest emergency exit.
- Exit through the stairwell.



- Call 9-1-1 once you are safely outside at your meeting place.
- Know your address and unit number

If there is a fire or smoke in the building (but not your unit) and you decide to shelter in place:



- Ensure the unit door is closed, but not locked.



- Go to a bedroom or other room with a door that closes securely.
- Roll up a towel or carpet to place against the bottom of the door.



- Stay low to the floor near a window (smoke rises).
- Call 9-1-1 and know your address.



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