Keep safety at the top of your list this Holiday Season

- Inspect all lights, decorations and extension cords for damage before using
- Use the proper ladder and assistance when hanging decorations
- Avoid overloading electrical outlets with too many decorations or electrical devices – they can overheat and cause a fire
- Keep decorations and extension cords out of walkways
- Turn off all lights and decorations when not in use
- Keep candles attended and on a stable surface away from anything that can catch fire
- Keep trees well-watered away from heat sources like fireplaces and radiators
- Check your fire extinguisher and the batteries in your smoke alarms to be sure they work
- Practice food safety when preparing meals and office treats
- Reheat all leftovers to at least 165° F (74° C)
- Designate a sober driver before attending an event
- Clear outdoor walkways of snow and ice

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