Provide adequate adult supervision of children at all times.

Use safety latches, door knob covers and locks on doors and cabinets.
- This prevents access to dangerous materials such as medicines, household cleaners, matches, knives and other items that are harmful to kids.

Use outlet covers.
- Use covers that cannot be easily removed by small fingers and hands.
- Ensure covers are large enough so that children cannot choke on them.

Implement anti-scald devices.
- These are available for shower heads and faucets.
- Set water heater temperature to 120 degrees Fahrenheit.

Use window guards and safety netting.
- These prevent falls from windows, balconies and decks.

Use furniture and appliance anchors
- Prevent curious climbers from tipping over televisions, bookcases, shelves and other furniture.

Remember: No safety device can replace adequate supervision!
Cold rain, sleet, ice and snow: Perfect ingredients for slippery foot travel

Do you feel like a penguin when navigating through snow and ice-covered sidewalks and parking lots? Before you and your children venture out into the winter wonderland, take a minute to review these quick reminders.

Prevent slips and falls

- Wear boots or shoes with traction and nonslip rubber soles.
- Use hand railings when available.
- Take short steps and plant your feet firmly.
- Walk with your center of gravity over your feet.
- Be careful while entering and exiting vehicles.
- Clear snow to expose hard-to-see icy surfaces.
- Be wary of ice patches that may be under layers of snow.
- Extend your hands out for balance and be ready to steady yourself if you do fall.
- Go slow!

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