



# 3 "C" S for Child Safety

1

**CHILD-PROOF** your house to prevent poisonings and drowning.

- Install child-proof locks on cabinets that store harmful substances.
- Keep vitamins, medicines, matches, lighters, sharp objects, coin lithium batteries, cosmetics, cleaning products and guns out of children's reach and in locked containers.
- Supervise children in tubs and near pools, toilets and large containers with water. A child can drown in as little as one inch of water!

2

**COVER** items and gate off areas to prevent accidents and fires.

- Put plastic covers on electrical outlets.
- Place child-safety covers on door and stove knobs.
- Put gates on the top and bottom of stairways.
- Cover fireplaces and fire pits with safety screens.
- Use corner and edge bumpers against sharp edges on walls, furniture and fireplaces.

3

**CONNECT** to the wall – any piece of furniture that can tip over on a child:

- TVs
- Bookcases
- Dressers

