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# **Fall Natural Gas Safety:**

Have Your Appliances Checked Regularly









For your safety it is important to have major electric, natural gas, or other fuel-burning appliances and equipment - such as furnaces, boilers, ranges, water heaters, and clothes dryers periodically inspected. Failure to have this equipment properly maintained could lead to property damage, personal injury, or even death.

Have a trained professional heating contractor perform a safety inspection on all fuel-burning appliances each year. The contractor should check to make certain:

- · All appliances are installed and operating properly.
- · All burners receive enough outside/fresh air for complete combustion.
- · All vents, chimneys, and flues are clear and well connected.

#### Other Safety Tips:

- · Never use an oven or range as a space heater.
- Never let the car run in an attached garage.
- · Never sleep in a room with an unvented gas or kerosene space heater.
- Never operate gasoline-powered engines (generators, chain saws, etc.) in enclosed spaces.
- · Never use a barbecue or charcoal grill indoors.



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