

## **SAFEGUARDING POLICY**

It is a document written to protect the people and promote peaceful living

### **The purpose of safeguarding policy**

- To prevent and respond to abuse, bullying, and other forms of harm
- To recruit and screen staff and volunteers who work with children and vulnerable adults
- To respond to allegations of abuse
- To respond to concerns about online abuse

### **Threats to safeguarding policy**

- Slapping, kicking and punching
- Unsafe living conditions
- Cyberbullying
- Insulting others, belittling them
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### **Principles of safeguarding policy**

- Prevention
- Empowerment
- Accountability
- Partnership

## **Fire safety measures**

### **Fire prevention**

- Install smoke alarms on every level of your home, including bedrooms and outside sleeping areas

- Test smoke alarms monthly and change batteries if needed
- Keep clutter away from fire exits and firefighting equipment
- Inspect your heating sources
- Maintain your electrical wiring system
- Store flammable products correctly
- Be careful with open flames

## Fire safety responses

- Create clear escape routes, emergency exits and assembly points.
- Ensure everyone knows what to do during a fire breakout.
- Make sure everyone knows how to use a fire extinguisher.
- Make sure you have the right type of fire extinguisher.
- Identify the fire hazard and people at risk.



## References

 AkiraChix Safeguarding Policy