Smoke Alarm Safety Checklist

Use this checklist to make sure your smoke alarms are installed correctly and working properly. Regular checks can help keep your home or business safe.

- Smoke alarms are installed in all required areas
- Alarms are less than 10 years old
- Alarms are securely mounted to ceiling or wall
- All alarms are tested regularly
- Alarm sound is loud and clearly audible
- Batteries are working and replaced when needed
- Hardwired alarms have backup battery functioning
- Alarms are free from dust and debris
- No alarms are removed or disconnected
- Interconnected alarms trigger together (if applicable)
- No frequent chirping or false alarms
- Compliance with current safety standards
- Smoke alarms installed near bedrooms and living areas
- Alarms positioned away from vents and dead air spaces