FAMILY FIRE ESCAPE PLAN

Name of Provider____________________________ Date___________

Check the following statements, which best describes your home and list the number of rooms available for child care:

☐ House, rooms available for child care? ________

☐ Apartment, rooms available for child care? ________

☐ Mobile Home, rooms available for child care? ________

Describe the emergency evacuation plan for your home, include an outside meeting place. (Note: all floors/levels on which children are cared for must have two (2) ways of exiting the outside.)

Be sure EVERYONE has an emergency escape route.

♦ If necessary consider installing an escape ladder
♦ Rearranging bedrooms/sleeping areas that children occupy with easy rooftop escape
♦ Cutting access door between bedrooms –possibly through closet
♦ Installing a hall door.

NOTE: If a hall door can be closed, all bedrooms can share one emergency escape exit.
Here’s how to make a floor plan…with TWO ESCAPE ROUTES:

STEP A (basic floor layout)

1. Make an outline in blue ink of entire floor area. Dimensions and details need not be exact.
2. Now add each bedroom and label it.
3. Locate windows, doors and stairway. If upper floor, shade in any rooftops that could be used as a fire escape.

STEP B (room inspection)

1. Go to each bedroom. Select the best window for an emergency escape.
2. Test the window to see that it works easily…and is large and low enough.

STEP C (complete “Escape Plan”)

1. Black arrows to show normal exits through hall or stairway. Colored red ink arrows show emergency exit in case if fire blocks hallway or stairs.

CREATE YOUR FAMILY FIRE ESCAPE PLAN ON THE BACK
Create your Family Fire Escape Plan here:

Current address__________________________

City________________________State_______

Zip________________________