

- Have smoke alarms installed inside and outside ALL sleeping areas and on every level of your home.
- Test your smoke alarms once a month by pushing the test button.
- Make sure everyone in your home can hear your smoke alarm.
- Change smoke alarm batteries twice a year.
- Replace smoke alarms every ten years.



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#### **ILLINOIS "REMEMBERING WHEN"**

#### A Fire and Fall Prevention Program for Older Adults

This program is carried out by a Community Coalition consisting of:

- Vernon Hills Police
   Department
- Lake County Sheriff
- Hawthorn Woods Police Department
- Condell Immediate Care Center
- Advocate Condell Medical Center
- Hawthorn Lakes
- The Park at Vernon Hills
- Countryside Fire Protection District



## **Program Highlights:**

- Provide and install FREE smoke alarms with 10-year lithium batteries.
- Provide and install **FREE** night lights.
- Provide **FREE** safety brochures on fire and fall prevention.
- Provide FREE home safety visits/ inspections for fire and fall hazards.
- Provide resources
   for additional help
   (public health, Dept.
   of Aging, etc.) if
   needed.



# Who is the program for?

- Adults age 65 and older or under 65 with disabilities.
- Participants MUST live within the Countryside Fire Protection District.

## How does the program work?

- Interested individuals may call our office to schedule an appointment for the FREE home safety visit.
- A minimum of two members of the community coalition will conduct the home visit.
- Home safety visits will incorporate safety inspections, safety education, and installation

#### **Questions...**

If you have any questions or want to schedule your **FREE** home safety visit, please contact:

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