Your home is the place where accidents are most likely to happen. Don't place portable heaters and candles near furniture or curtains. Sharpen knives regularly. (c) When cooking on the oven top, keep handles of pans turned inward. DIY* and garden safety One of the biggest causes of DIY accidents is being too ambitious. Blunt knives are more dangerous. Being aware of the dangers helps you prevent them from happening. Fire safety Fires may start suddenly and spread quickly. Don't dry clothes near a fire or cooker. Keep matches and lighters out of reach of children.