



CRIME PREVENTION TIPS:

Home Security Self-Assessment



Is your home potentially attracting a burglar? Does your home have enough security to frustrate a would-be thief and increase their chances of being caught? The Home Security Self-Assessment survey was designed to give you an indication of how secure your home actually is. Complete the security evaluation and learn how a little time, effort and money can greatly improve your peace of mind around the house.

TAKE THE SECURITY SELF-ASSESSMENT SURVEY:

EXTERIOR	YES	NO	N/A
Are shrubs cut below the window level?			
Are limbs of trees cut above the window level?			
Is your house number clearly visible from the street?			
Do you have a motion detector light?			
Is the front door well lit?			
Is the back door well lit?			
Are bicycles, ladders and other yard equipment stored inside?			
Have you engraved your valuables with a special marking?			
Spiny, thorny or otherwise hostile vegetation around low level windows?			
DOORS	YES	NO	N/A
Does your door have a 180 degree peep hole?			
Are all locks that can be opened from the inside at least 40 inches from windows and side lights?			
Are all exterior entrance doors solid core or steel?			
Are all exterior doors equipped with dead-bolt locks, with at least a 1" throw into the strike plate?			
If the hinge pins are outside, are they removable?			
Does the door securely fit the door jam?			
If you have sliding doors, do you have anti-lift devices?			

