When you cook, you’re responsible for more than just dinner. Follow these easy steps to protect your home and loved ones from cooking fires:

- Turn pan and pot handles toward the back of the stove to prevent dangerous spills.
- Keep the area around the stove clear. Move dish towels, bags and boxes, and anything that could catch fire.
- Keep a baking sheet or pan lid nearby. Use it to cover a pan if it catches on fire.