



**GREATER
MANCHESTER**
FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICE

Free **Home Fire Safety Assessment**



Half of fires that result in deaths are in homes with no working smoke alarm

Smoking is the main cause of fire deaths in the home

Most fires in the home start when people are cooking

Greater Manchester Fire and Rescue Service provides home fire safety advice to keep you safe.

For personalised advice or to find out if you are eligible for a Home Fire Safety Assessment, please scan the QR code or visit our website at **manchesterfire.gov.uk**



(Accidental fire data from 2009/10 to 2019/20)

Working smoke alarms save lives

Greater Manchester Fire and Rescue Service was called to a house in Leigh after residents were alerted to a fire by their smoke alarm. Firefighters attended the scene quickly and rescued three people whilst other crew members tackled the fire in the bedroom. Firefighters successfully put the fire out and stopped it spreading. It is suspected that the fire was caused by smoking materials.

Station Manager for Wigan, Chris Evans, said: "If it wasn't for the smoke alarm alerting the residents to this serious fire the outcome could have been far worse. This incident is a reminder to make sure there are working smoke alarms on each floor of your property."

Remember! If there is a fire in your home:



Get out



Stay out



Call 999

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If you do not have access to the internet, call **0800 555 815**

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