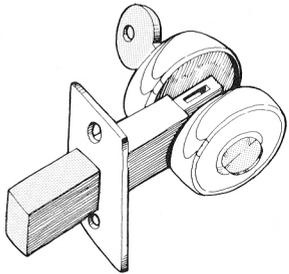


Hotel & motel security

When staying overnight at a hotel or motel, remember the following:

- Determine the most direct route to and from your room, to the fire escapes, elevators, and nearest phone.
- When occupying or leaving your room, use all auxiliary locking devices on doors and windows. (You may want to purchase a portable door lock for traveling).



- Use the door viewer to identify anyone requesting entry. Open the door only if you are certain the person has a legitimate reason to enter your room. If in doubt, call the hotel/motel office.



- Unpack and place belongings in the closet and dresser. Arrange your things so you'll know if anything is missing.
- Consider locking any electrical appliances (blow dryers, electric shavers, etc.) in your luggage. (Suitcases should always be locked so they cannot be used to carry your property out of your room).
- *Never* leave money, checks, credit cards or car keys in the room. Take them with you.

- Place extra cash, expensive jewelry or other valuables (fur, gems, gold, or silver) in the hotel/motel safe.
- Report any lost or stolen items to the hotel/motel management and to the police.
- Report to the management any suspicious movements in the corridors or rooms. Remember—the only way to stop crime is to get involved in crime prevention.

If You Suspect Burglary

Don't go in. Go to a neighbor and call police immediately. Wait outside for them to arrive.

If you confront a burglar, don't try to stop him. Run to a neighbor and call police at once.

After a burglary don't touch anything. Call the police immediately – even a delay of 5 minutes can mean the chances of catching the criminal drop significantly.

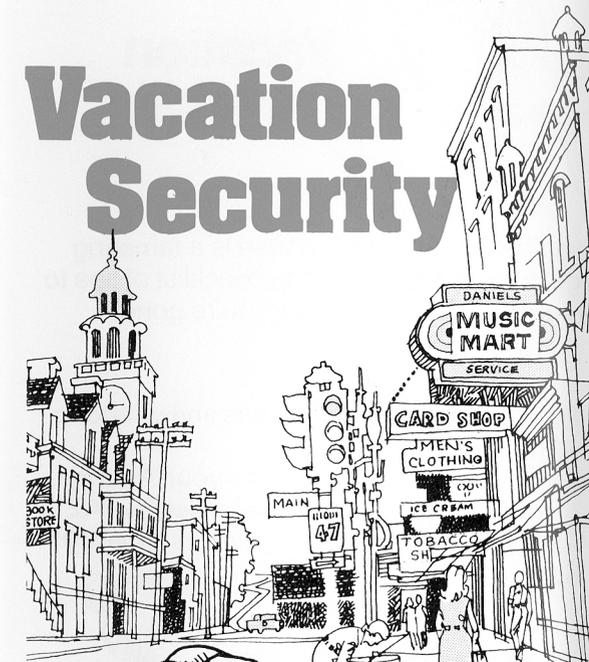
These simple common sense rules will help you and your family have a safe and happy vacation. For more information on crime prevention, contact your local law enforcement agency.



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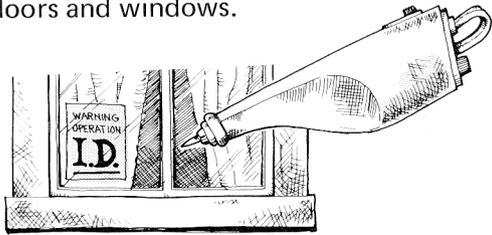
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Vacation Checklist

Going away? An empty house is a tempting target for a burglar. Use this checklist of tips to safeguard your home while you're gone.

- Have good locks on all doors and windows, **AND USE THEM!**
- Engrave your valuables with your Arizona driver's license number (preceded by "AZ") and post Operation I.D. stickers in entry doors and windows.



- Never leave your house key hidden outside under a doormat, in a flower pot, or on the ledge of a door.
- Tell your local police or sheriff's department you plan to be away. Patrol officers may be able to check your home periodically.
- Stop all deliveries, or arrange for a neighbor or friend to pick up your mail, newspapers, and packages.



- Plug in timers to turn lights and a radio on and off at appropriate times. It's another easy way to disguise the fact that you are away.
- Hide garbage cans in the basement or a storage shed. Empty cans when everyone else's are full can tell a burglar you're away.



- Turn the bell on your telephone down low. If a burglar's around, he won't be alerted to your absence by a ringing phone.
- Close and lock garage doors and windows. Ask a neighbor to park occasionally in your driveway. If you leave your car at home, park it in the driveway rather than in the garage. Have your neighbor move it occasionally so it looks like you're using it.
- Leave your blinds, shades, and curtains in a normal position. Don't close them unless that's what you do when you're at home.
- Ask a neighbor to watch the house while you're away. It's a good idea to leave your vacation address and telephone number with a neighbor so you can be reached in case of emergency.



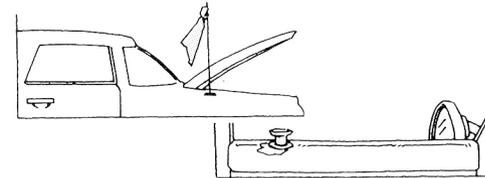
On the road

- Never carry large amounts of cash; use traveler's checks. If you must carry large sums of money, do not display it openly.

- Keep a record of your traveler's check numbers and your credit card numbers in a safe place. Have the telephone numbers to call in case your checks or credit cards are lost or stolen.
- Be aware of your surroundings and never advertise your plans to strangers; this includes travel routes and the amount of cash you are carrying.
- Do not stop to offer help to a stranded motorist. Go to the nearest phone booth and call for assistance.
- If you suspect someone is following you, drive to the nearest service station, restaurant or business and call the police or sheriff's department. If you believe it is unsafe to get out of your car, honk your horn and flash your lights to draw attention.



- If your car breaks down, raise the hood and attach a white cloth to the car antenna. If someone stops to help, it is advisable that you stay in your locked car and ask them to call the police or a garage. If you must abandon your car, keep all passengers together.



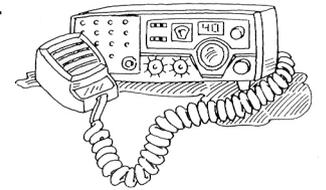
Car security

- Always lock your car when entering or leaving it.

- Always lock valuables out of sight, preferably in the trunk. Always carry wallets, checkbooks and purses with you.
- Do not advertise that you are a tourist. Place maps and travel brochures in the glove compartment.



- Park in well-lighted, busy areas.
- Check the back seat before getting into your car.
- Mark your car radio, and other removable car equipment with your Arizona driver's license number (preceded by "AZ") for identification.



Sightseeing

Remember: Planning reduces your chance of becoming the victim of a crime.

- Ask for directions at a hotel/motel on how to get to those attractions you want to visit.
- Select tour guides carefully.
- Ask if there are any areas in town you should avoid. Stick to well-lighted main streets and public areas.
- Looking lost (stopping and looking at addresses or staring at street signs) may make you look like an easy target for crime. If you do get lost, find an open business and ask for directions.
- Only carry with you the cash you will need, and only small denominations.
- If older children go off separately, be sure they understand the importance of keeping track of time and returning promptly at appointed hours.