

Fire during a firefighter strike - **do you know what to do?**

**GET OUT
STAY OUT
AND CALL
999**



Firefighters are planning to go on strike from 6pm on Friday 31 October 2014 to 6pm on Tuesday 4 November 2014. **In the event of fire, you should still get out, stay out and call 999** – you will get an emergency response.

Here are seven important steps to take to help you stay safe:

- Make sure you have smoke alarms on at least every level of your home
- Smoke alarms save lives, but only if they're working. Test them regularly
- Stub cigarettes out properly and dispose of them carefully
- Plan your escape route and make sure everyone knows how to get out in a fire
- Take extra care in the kitchen and never leave cooking unattended
- Do not overload electrical sockets. Watch out for faulty and over-heating electrical equipment, and wiring/cables
- Drinking alcohol? Plan how to get home safely without driving

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