Home Fall Prevention Checklist





Home Entrance

- Add a ramp or grab bar if you have a step or stairs going into your home
- Have designated area for packages to reduce risk of tripping



Living Room

- Add risers to low furniture to reduce fall risk
- Get furniture with arms to hold yourself steady when sitting or standing up
- Coil electrical cords to the wall to avoid tripping



Bathroom

-] Add grab bars by the shower and toilet
- Place anti-slip mat in shower
- Keep floors dry to avoid slipping

Bedroom



- Keep necessary items, like water or a flashlight, on your bedside table during the night for easy access
- 🗌 Install a bed rail
- Purchase an adjustable bed
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 floor Avoid clutter, like dirty clothes, on the ground
- Have lamps on both sides of the bed



Kitchen

- Avoid putting pantry items in high cabinets
- Keep dining chairs pushed in all the way to avoid tripping



Halls & Stairways

-] Add nightlights in hallways
-] Install a stair lift
-] Ensure handrails are secure
- Place reflective tape on each stair