



## Plumbing Tips

1. Know the location of your main water shut-off valve before a plumbing emergency. If you have an old turn style shut-off valves consider installing ball valve style shut-off valves.
2. Turn off your washing machine shut-off valves when not in use. Consider installing stainless steel washing machine hoses, single lever shut-off valves and water detector alarm.
3. Consider turning off all water in house when going on vacation and installing flood detector alarm to alert a neighbor of heater failure in winter.
4. Check the age of your hot water heater. Heaters usually last approximately to 12 years.
5. When installing a new hot water heater, consider installing a water heater drain pan and water alarm.
6. Turn off all outside faucets in the winter and drain if possible.
7. Carbon monoxide detectors should be installed near fuel burning heating equipment.
8. Test for leaking toilets with a few drops of food coloring in toilet tanks.
9. If your water has a foul taste or odor, contact us for testing.

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