

Home Fire Sprinklers

What Homeowners Should Know





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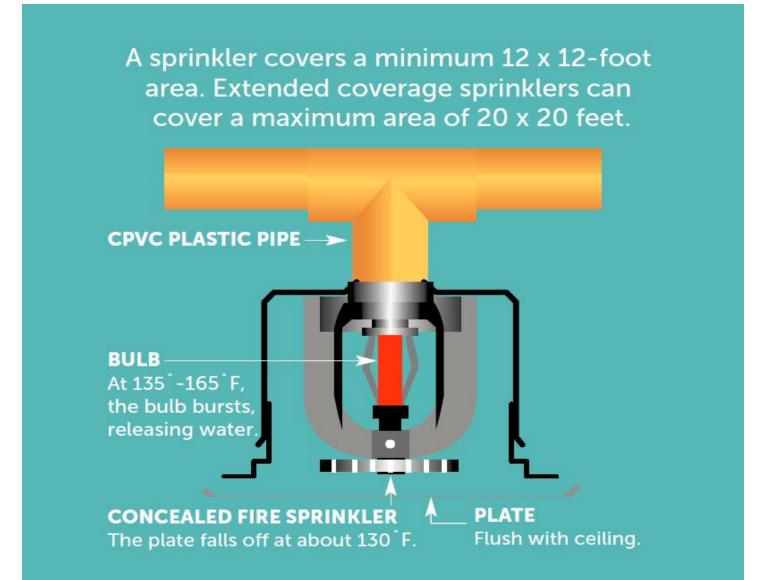






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Concealed Sidewall Pendant



Myths About Sprinklers



Sprinklers leak

False, they are pressure tested,
just like domestic water systems







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All of the sprinklers will operate

 False, only the sprinkler that feels the heat will operate





Myths About Sprinklers



Water will create more damage than fire.

 False, sprinklers use far less water than fire hoses and stop the fire damage





Care and Upkeep



Home fire sprinkler systems are relatively maintenance free

- Keep valves open (water meter)
- Do not hang items from sprinklers
- Do not paint sprinklers or their cover plates
- Run the inspector test valve annually (located at riser or remote location.)
- If present, backflow devices may need maintenance





Thank You!

Questions?