

Home Security Checklist:

- Do you always use the peephole before answering the door?
- Do your doors have deadbolts and metal plates?
- Are your windows and doors locked at all times?
- Have you installed supplementary locks on all windows and sliding glass doors?
- Is your garage locked?
- Have you ensured that no spare keys are hidden outside the premises?
- Did you change the locks when you moved in?
- Have you ensured your key ring does not have your address on it?
- Have you marked your valuable possessions with unique, irremovable identifiers?
- Can your doors and windows be seen from the street or by your neighbors?
- Do you have a security system?
- If you are going away for an extended period, have you informed your neighbors?
- Do you have motion -detector lights around the property?
- Are your tools and ladders put away where a thief could not find and use them?

