

Huronia



HURONIA FAMILY DAY HOURS OF OPERATION

Please take note that Huronia will be CLOSED on Monday, February 15th for Family Day. **We will re-open on Tuesday, February 16th.** Our 24/7 ULC listed [monitoring stations](#) WILL be open the holiday Monday with no interruption in service.

HELP KEEP FIRE HYDRANTS CLEAR DURING SNOWY MONTHS



Our municipalities are asking residents to help keep hydrants clear of snow build-up. In case of an emergency, emergency response personnel need to be able to locate and quickly access the fire hydrant without having to spend valuable seconds digging it out of a snowbank.

Residents with hydrants located on or near their property are asked to clear a one metre/three feet space all around the hydrant and ensure a clear path to the street. It's best to do this as soon as possible after a snowfall to ensure that the area doesn't get hard-packed (if it melts and freezes again) which will make the snow much harder to clear as time goes on.

Image courtesy of the Town of Collingwood

FIRE SAFETY RESOURCE FOR CAREGIVERS OF PEOPLE LIVING WITH ALZHEIMER DISEASE OR RELATED DEMENTIA

Across Canada in January, the [Alzheimer Society](#) supports and leads Canada's Alzheimer's Awareness Month. Our colleagues at the Office of the Fire Marshal (OFM) in conjunction with the Alzheimer's Society have prepared a resource guide for caregivers, to help minimize the risk of residential fire and provide a safer environment for those living with Alzheimer disease or related dementia and their families.

Prevent fire before it starts:

- Fires can begin from careless smoking – like improperly extinguishing a cigarette. Discourage smoking by removing visible cues like cigarettes, lighters, matches and ashtrays.
- Provide supervision, when possible, in the kitchen. Ensure combustible materials are a safe distance from the stove, unplug small appliances that aren't being used and store them out of sight and ensure that microwave ovens are being used appropriately.
- Heating appliances like space heaters should be placed one metre/three feet away from anything that can burn. And ensure that there are metal fire screens around woodstoves and fireplaces to help prevent burns.
- Candles should be removed from the home of the person with Alzheimer disease or related dementia to reduce the risk of a candle-related fire.
- Adjust the temperature of water heaters to 54C (130F) to help prevent scalds and injury.
- Install smoke alarms – one on every level of the home. Every home in Ontario must

have a working smoke alarm on every storey and outside all sleeping areas.
Homeowners: must install and maintain smoke alarms on every storey of their home and outside sleeping areas. And test them monthly.

- Scan the home for tripping hazards – inside and outside – and remove any obstacles. Use nightlights to illuminate dark hallways.
- Advise a trusted neighbour that someone with Alzheimer disease is living next-door – this buddy system will provide caregivers with an extra set of caring eyes and someone who may be able to assist in an emergency.

For more detailed information and tips, [click here to download the PDF Fact Sheet](#).

Huronia also offers [fire, wellness and life safety products and services](#) (including [Alarm.com](#)) that can assist those living with Alzheimer disease or related dementia to live more independently while providing family and caregivers greater peace of mind. [Please contact us should you have any questions about fire and life safety products and services that we provide.](#)

WE'RE HIRING ... HELP US FIND THE NEXT GREAT ADDITION TO OUR TEAM!

To support our commitment to exceptional customer service we are on the look-out for talented people to join our team. Some of our best leads have come from our customers, and so we are reaching out to you again! We are actively recruiting individuals with technical experience in security and life safety systems as well as sales of these respective systems.

Fire Safety Technician - CFAA certification required

Responsibilities include inspection, verification and installation of fire alarm & life safety systems, installing, repairing, servicing, inspecting fire alarm systems/equipment and commercial kitchen suppression systems monthly/annually, assisting in the instructions of subscribers in operational procedures and care of equipment, current knowledge of codes and regulations concerning the fire alarm industry, customer service, participation in on-call emergency hours as needed and on-call rotation for after-hours emergency service. Proficiency in ULC standards, building, fire, and electrical codes required.

Junior Security Alarm Technician

Responsibilities include: the installation and pre-wiring of structured cabling, audio video cabling and related equipment for security alarms, card access systems, fire alarm devices, CCTV and IP camera systems, structured cabling termination and audio components installation, rough-in, installation, troubleshooting, commissioning and maintenance activities pertaining to burglar alarm detection systems, door/access control systems, public address/intercom systems, CCTV/IP camera systems, control & display systems, networks, audio/video and associated structured cabling, installation of TV's and speakers, attend on-call emergency calls as required as part of the on-call rotation for emergency after-hours service and customer service.

[Click here to submit an application or to receive additional information about this career opportunity.](#)

If you know of someone who is looking for an employment opportunity with a family-owned and operated business that is dedicated to customer satisfaction, [please contact us](#).

We offer an incentive for leads that create viable employment opportunities for our company: three months free monitoring for the lead; 12 months free monitoring if we employ the lead through their probationary period; an additional 24 months of free monitoring should the lead remain employed after one continuous year of service.



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