



# SAFE CYLINDER SAFE HOUSE



Handle your LP Gas cylinders carefully

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- Ensure Proper ventilation in the kitchen.
- Ensure good access to the regulator knob and the cylinder at all times.
- Ensure Gas valve/ regulator is closed before leaving the kitchen / house.



- Do not use lighter or match to check gas leak. Use soap water solution instead.
- Do not place the cylinder close to an electrical socket or flammable substance,



- Light the match before switching on the burner / stove.



- Never leave the stoves unattended while using, nor allow children to operate LPG appliances.
- Inspect the stove & gas connections regularly and replace it in case damage or changes are noticed by specialized & authorized inspectors. Do not cover the connections for the purpose of visual inspection.

- Always use approved low pressure domestic regulator which suits the stove type and never tamper with it.
- Do not connect more than one cylinder to one cooking appliance.

## If LPG Leak is suspected by smell, please do not ignore as it may lead to fire / explosion

- ⚠ Do not operate ( either switch on or off) any electrical appliance.
- ⚠ Put off all exposed flames.
- ⚠ Close the regulator / valve, if it is safe to approach from upwind.
- ⚠ Open door / windows and allow dispersion of leak.
- ⚠ If leak persists, remove cylinder to a safe, open/ventilated place.

## Recommended Best safety practices

- ⚠ Purchase gas cylinders and related accessories only from authorized gas distributors.
- ⚠ For any cylinder replacement & maintenance work related to gas, check if the contracting company is duly authorized by Civil Defence.
- ⚠ The cylinder should be placed in a well ventilated location and not exposed directly to the Sun & heat sources. When kept outside, cylinders should be placed in a cabinet which has wire mesh provided at the bottom to allow LP Gas to escape into the air in case of a leak.
- ⚠ Check if your cylinder is in good condition and not damaged, dented or rusted.
- ⚠ Check for cylinder validity based on manufacturing and retest dates inscribed on the cylinder stay plate.
- ⚠ Keep a fire extinguisher and a fire blanket handy in your house for emergencies and also get trained to use them.
- ⚠ We encourage you to install smoke and gas detectors at your homes for enhanced safety.

## Important Contact Phone Numbers

- In case of leak or fire, contact Police / Civil Defence on the following Emergency Numbers 999 or 997.
- For any Gas related service assistance contact Emirates Gas at 800 EMGAS (36427) or Dubai Municipality at 800 900.