



## Burglary Cocooning Advice

# BURGLAR ALERT

BURGLARS HAVE BEEN AT WORK IN YOUR STREET.

READ ON TO FIND OUT HOW YOU CAN PROTECT YOUR HOME AND VALUABLES.



# THERE HAS RECENTLY BEEN A BURGLARY IN YOUR AREA AND IT IS POSSIBLE THEY WILL STRIKE AGAIN.

### MAKING IT HARDER FOR BURGLARS

- ▶ Keeping your home locked if you are at home or out
- ▶ Marking your property (speak to your local officer)
- ▶ Recording serial numbers of your possessions
- ▶ Taking photos of jewellery , high value items
- ▶ Register items with unique serial numbers at [www.immobillise.com](http://www.immobillise.com)
- ▶ Installing quality deadlocks fitted to all doors & windows
- ▶ Installing quality security lighting and alarms

## SAFETY CHECKLIST



Use this check list around your home. The more 'yes' boxes you can tick the harder you are making it for burglars !!!

Is your home clearly visible from the street ?	Y	N
Are your trees and hedges trimmed so its harder for burglars to hide ?	Y	N
Do you have deadlocks and / or deadbolts fitted to all doors ?	Y	N
Do your windows have security devices or locks ?	Y	N
Does you house have an automatic timer or sensor lights ?	Y	N
Do you leave a light on when you go out at night ?	Y	N
Are the entrances to your home well light ?	Y	N
Is your home fitted with an alarm ?	Y	N
Is the garage or shed kept locked ?	Y	N
Are any tools or ladders stored securely?	Y	N
Are you valuables engraved for ease of identification ?	Y	N
Have you recorded your serial numbers ?	Y	N
Do you have window stickers letting burglars know you have an alarm & your property is marked ?	Y	N
Do you have your emergency contact numbers to hand ?	Y	N
Do you have a dog ?	Y	N
Have you joined neighbourhood watch ?	Y	N

