

# RESIDENTIAL SURGE PROTECTION

Make your electronics and appliances safety a priority

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## PROTECT YOUR APPLIANCES

Surges can cause unwanted changes in your electrical system and damage to your appliances. The NFPA recommends that all major appliances such as refrigerator, washer, dryer, all have surge protectors.



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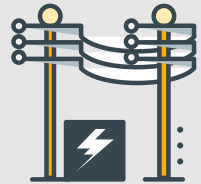
## DON'T WAIT

95% of those who have experienced a surge reported then purchasing surge protection. Anticipate the disaster before it happens.

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## WATCH OUT FOR COMMUNICATION LINES

Equipment connected via communication lines such as ethernet and phone are especially susceptible to surges as they may propagate from areas away from the home



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## BE AWARE OF DOWN EQUIPMENT

If a surge does occur in the home, beware of essential equipment that may be down. Many of those who receive surges experience loss in power and thus lose essential emergency equipment such as smoke, carbon monoxide, and radon detectors, security systems, and fire alarms



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## IF LOSS OF POWER

In the case of loss of power, keep items necessary for safety such as a flashlight, and a small radio to listen for emergency information. If a powerline, or any other essential electrical equipment is damaged, exposed, or has fallen, call your utility company immediately.

