

Home Watch Checklist

Interior

- Air Conditioner checked for proper setting and operation
- Doors and windows checked to assure they are secure
- Doors and windows checked for forced entry damage and vandalism
- Check for signs of obvious water leaks from interior sources (i.e. hot water heater, interior plumbing)
- All smoke detectors will be checked for proper operation
- Check for signs of obvious water leaks from exterior sources
- Check refrigerator for proper operation (if left on) or mildew accumulation (if turned off)
- All rooms are inspected for evidence of roof leaks, including door and window frames
- Electrical service panel will be inspected for tripped breakers caused by power surges and re-set
- Home checked for condition and cleanliness left by authorized vendors/guests
- Unless otherwise requested, all faucets will be turned on and run water through sinks, tub/showers.
- Toilets will be flushed to prevent dried gaskets and traps
- Visually check for pests/insects/rodents
- Check water heater
- Verify laundry room water supply lines turned off
- Check all lights
- Run washing machine on rinse cycle, once per month
- Run dishwasher, once per month.

Exterior

- Check for lawn damage
- Check for exterior lighting issues
- Check for any problems with vents
- Check for drainage problems
- Remove all unwanted fliers/newspapers
- Remove Mail (if applicable)
- Check Pool/Spa for water level and discoloration
- Assure Pool Pump is running
- Check pool cage/screens for damage
- Check for storm damage
- Check for forced entry
- Check for broken windows or doors
- Check doors, including garage all locked
- Pick up, properly discard unwanted newspapers, leaflets, door hangers, etc.
- Check to be sure exterior lighting including porch, garage, motion detector, are operational
- Check appearance of equipment such as air conditioning
- Note roof condition

