



## Do It Yourself Safety Audit

At Adssi HomeLiving Australia, we provide practical help for people to stay living safely in their own home. The safety audit below is easy to do, and can help you identify risks and prevent falls and injury. Take a look around your home, inside and out, and check the following:

### Roof Guttering - Can you see it's full of leaves or is rusted and damaged?

Leaking or dirty gutters can overflow on to paths and make them slippery and a falls risk. We can repair, replace or clean your gutters to reduce risks.

Yes  No

### Paths – Are they damp and slippery or uneven?

These are a trip hazard and can cause significant injuries. Prevent a fall by having them pressure cleaned or repaired if they are uneven.

Yes  No

### Are all your locks and catches working?

Loose or faulty locks and catches on windows and doors can be a security risk. Have them repaired or replaced for peace of mind.

Yes  No

### Do you have an Electrical Safety Switch in your meter board?

This can protect you against electrocution if one of your electrical appliances fails. Our licensed electrician can install a safety switch for you.

Yes  No

### Do you regularly replace the smoke detector battery and test it is working?

Remember - always turn your heater off before going to bed and keep curtains and other items clear! We can install a smoke alarm with a 10 year battery to ensure you are protected.

Yes  No

### Are all your handrails, verandah posts, stairs and decks in good repair?

Rotting or rusted rails, stairs and decking can cause trips and falls. Have them repaired or replaced by our licensed tradesman to ensure they are sturdy and safe.

Yes  No

### Check all your powerpoints and light switches. Are any broken?

These can easily be replaced making them safe to use once again.

Yes  No

### Check your night time safety to ensure you have adequate external lighting. Can you see when you put the rubbish out, feed your pet, or answer the door?

Installing a sensor light will make it easier and safer for you to be outside when it's dark. It's also convenient (and safe!) if you arrive home after dark.

Yes  No

### Is your garden overgrown, making access or visibility difficult?

Our garden team can provide a one-off garden tidy to prune back overhanging trees and shrubs, improving visibility inside and out and making access along paths safer.

Yes  No