## Safe Play Tips To Keep Kids Safe On Snow Days



Before children head outside to play, **TEACH THEM ABOUT THE DANGERS** of snow, ice, and rough play.



Make sure children **PLAY IN GROUPS**, and never leave any friends behind.



**NEVER LET CHILDREN GO SLEDDING** in the street, even if there are no cars on the road.



**CHECK TO MAKE SURE** the sled is in good working order and can steer before letting children play.



**NEVER** let children ice skate on frozen ponds.



TEACH CHILDREN NOT TO THROW snowballs, as they can cause serious eye injuries.



MAKE SURE children play close to home, where parents can always keep an eye on them.



**CHILDREN UNDER 12** should always have adult supervision.



If you take children out to sled, **CHOOSE A WIDE-OPEN AREA** free of trees, bushes, poles, and tables.



**ALWAYS** have children wear protective eye gear, helmets, and properly-sized shoes before playing sports in the snow.



Building igloos and forts out of snow are dangerous; **THEY CAN COLLAPSE** and suffocate children.

