

Inattention while cooking is the leading cause of fires in college buildings.

Can you stop an inattentive college student from starting a fire?

Yes – with Cookstop!



- First Time on Their Own
- Cell Phone Distraction
- Sleep-deprived
- Inexperienced Cooks
- Partying
- Cluttered Stove Area
- Just Forgot when Leaving

The Only Solution with Programmable Cooking Permissions *Plus* Motion Sensing

- Set the stove for use during only certain hours or days (e.g. no after midnight cooking)
- Set the stove so student must push a button to cook longer than a set time (ensuring student is attentive to the cooking)

Designed with Management in Mind:

- Easily "Key" each residence for the individual student or your residence rules
- Programmable key can hold multiple profiles
- Student cannot change settings
- CookStop can be configured so student doesn't have to know anything about using the device.

COOKSTOP
Stovetop Fire Prevention

Each year almost 2400 cooking fires are reported in college residences.

- NFPA statistics 2002-2005

Cooking Fire Causes \$1.7 million in Damages at University of Texas Apartments

August 5, 2006 – Lamar was frying potatoes and stepped away from his stove... It took 100 Austin firefighters an hour and a half to extinguish the blaze. Damages to the three-story building were listed at \$1.2 million and losses to residents at \$500,000 or more.

Columbia Missouri Fire Department Responds to 20 Unattended Cooking Fires a Year

October 19, 2007 – Apartment resident Ella started heating oil on the stove and went outdoors to talk on the phone. Four cooking fires in the last 30 days have caused more than \$200,000 in damages.

**Try it yourself and see.
Call regarding
evaluation units.**

Cooking Fire Forces Late-night Evacuation of Rutgers Residence Hall

October 3, 2006 – The resident left grease on the stove and went to take a shower... The sprinklers activated in the ten-story residence. "It looked like a waterfall," said one student. Students affected by the water damage were offered the chance to relocate on campus.

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No amount of inspections or fire safety education can stop the risk of inattention. Cookstop can.

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