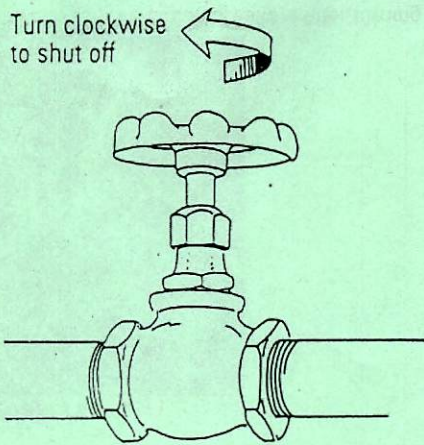
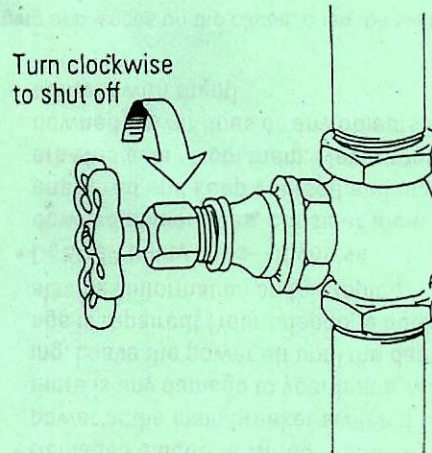


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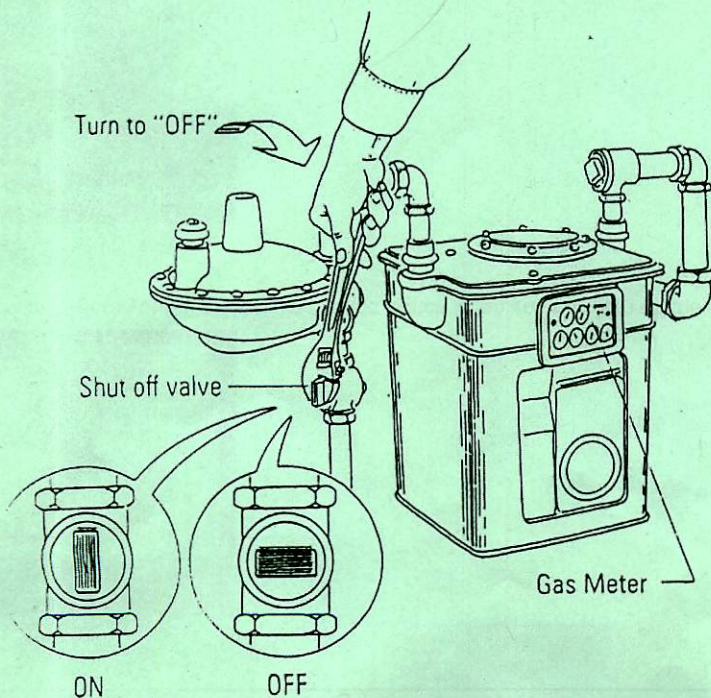


Water

Some water shut-off valves can be found at the foundation.

All water shut-off is located at the curb.

GAS SHUT-OFF



- Gas leaks—Only turn off the gas if you suspect a leak because of broken pipes or detect the odor or sound of leaking natural gas. Use a manual gas shut off wrench to close your main gas valve by turning it counter-clockwise. Don't turn gas back on by yourself—wait for the gas company! (Your telephone book has information on this topic.)

Turning Your Electricity On And Off

Main Switch



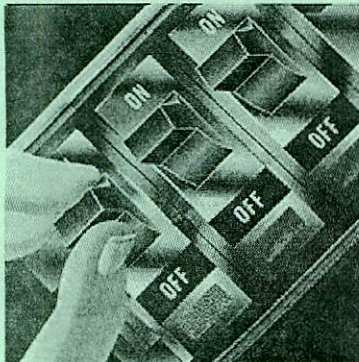
- Know where your home's main electric switch is, so you can turn off the electric supply to your entire home quickly in case of an emergency.

Fuses



- Know where your fuse box or circuit-breaker box is located.
- Know the correct sizes of any fuses needed in your home and keep spares on hand. Blown fuses must be replaced, not repaired. Do not replace a fuse with one of higher amperage.
- If a fuse blows, disconnect or turn off the appliance(s) that may have caused the problem.
- Shut off the main electric switch before replacing a fuse.

Circuit Breakers



- Know how to reset a circuit breaker. After turning off or unplugging appliances on the circuit, push the switch firmly to the off position, then back on. If the overload is cleared, the electricity will come back on.
- If your circuit breakers trip off repeatedly, there could be a problem with the appliance(s) on that circuit. If the appliances are unplugged but the circuit breaker trips off again, call an electrician.

- Damaged electrical wiring—Shut off power at the main breaker switch if there is any damage to your home wiring. Leave the power off until the damage is repaired! (Your telephone book also has information on this topic.)
- Downed utility lines—If you see downed power lines, consider them energized and keep yourself and others well away from them. Never touch downed power lines or any objects in contact with them!