## **FIRE**

#### **Simple Steps to Follow**

# ALWAYS REMEMBER!

- Stay calm.
  Do not panic.
- Walk! Do not run.
- Use the stairs.
  Do not use an elevator.
- Use judgment to assess the safest course.

## **PLAN NOW!**

- Know several escape routes.
- Know location of alarms/extinguishers.
- Keep your emergency contact info current at StanfordYou.
- Know your Emergency Assembly Point (EAP).
- Know your Building Evacuation Response Team (BERT) member and Building Manager.

### 1. PULL ALARM

If you witness (see, smell, etc.) a fire, PULL ALARM.

#### 2. EVACUATE BUILDING

During a fire, **EVACUATE** the building; if safe, **TAKE VALUABLES** with you (keys, cell phone, wallet, prescription drugs, etc.); **DO NOT USE THE ELEVATOR**; test doors with the back of your hand before opening them – if door is warm or if you notice smoke, use an alternative escape route; if your Building Manager or BERT member issues specific instructions, follow them.

#### 3. SHUT DOORS

As you exit your area, **SHUT DOORS** but **DO NOT LOCK** them; this will help isolate the fire.

#### 4. KEEP LOW

If smoke is present, **CRAWL** on the ground to avoid breathing in smoke; if visibility is poor, use the wall to help guide you to the nearest exit.

#### 5. REPORT TO EAP

**ASSEMBLE AT YOUR EAP**; report hazards and/or injuries to a representative at the EAP; follow instructions issued by an official at the EAP; if you are away from your normal work/study place, assemble at the EAP where you are visiting and follow that EAP's instructions; **DO NOT REENTER** the building until instructed.

## 6. STAY INFORMED

**KEEP APPRAISED** of the situation by staying in touch with your Building Manager, reading AlertSU texts, listening to AlertSU voicemails, and visiting Stanford's emergency website; **DO NOT LEAVE** campus or work/study from an alternative location unless requested; obtain information only from an **AUTHORIZED STANFORD UNIVERSITY SOURCE**.