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Hotel Safety Tips

It's always great to get away from all the stresses of everyday life but it's important to keep in mind that unfortunate things can occur anyway - even on your dream vacation. You don't have to worry too much but please keep in mind a few of these hotel safety tips to ensure your next vacation is amazing and relaxing:

To protect yourself

- Keep the door to your room locked at all times. If you are inside the room, turn the deadbolt and/or fasten the security chain.
- When you leave your hotel room, pull the door completely closed behind you- even on quick trips to the ice machine. Make sure the latch has engaged. Take a moment before you leave to try the door and make sure it is closed and locked.
- Do not open your door to strangers. Use the security viewport to see who is outside your door. **Do not trust someone claiming to be a hotel employee if you are not expecting one.** If you are unsure, call the front desk to check. Leave the security chain engaged while opening the door for further protection.
- Check all windows and doors in your room every time you enter it and leave it to make sure they are closed and locked.
- When entering or leaving the hotel after dark, use the main entrance.
- If you travel often, consider buying a portable alarm system to hang on the doorknob for added protection. These movement-sensitive devices can awaken you if a door lock should happen to fail.

To protect your valuables

- Use the safe provided in the room to store keys, wallets, extra cash and credit cards, jewellery, and other small valuable items you are leaving in the room. If no safe is supplied, check with the front desk. They may have locked storage available for your use.
- Don't leave cash, travelers checks and expensive electronics and jewellery lying around the room.
- Leave larger expensive or breakable objects at home, if at all possible. If you must bring them, store them in the closet and out of the way of the cleaning crew.



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