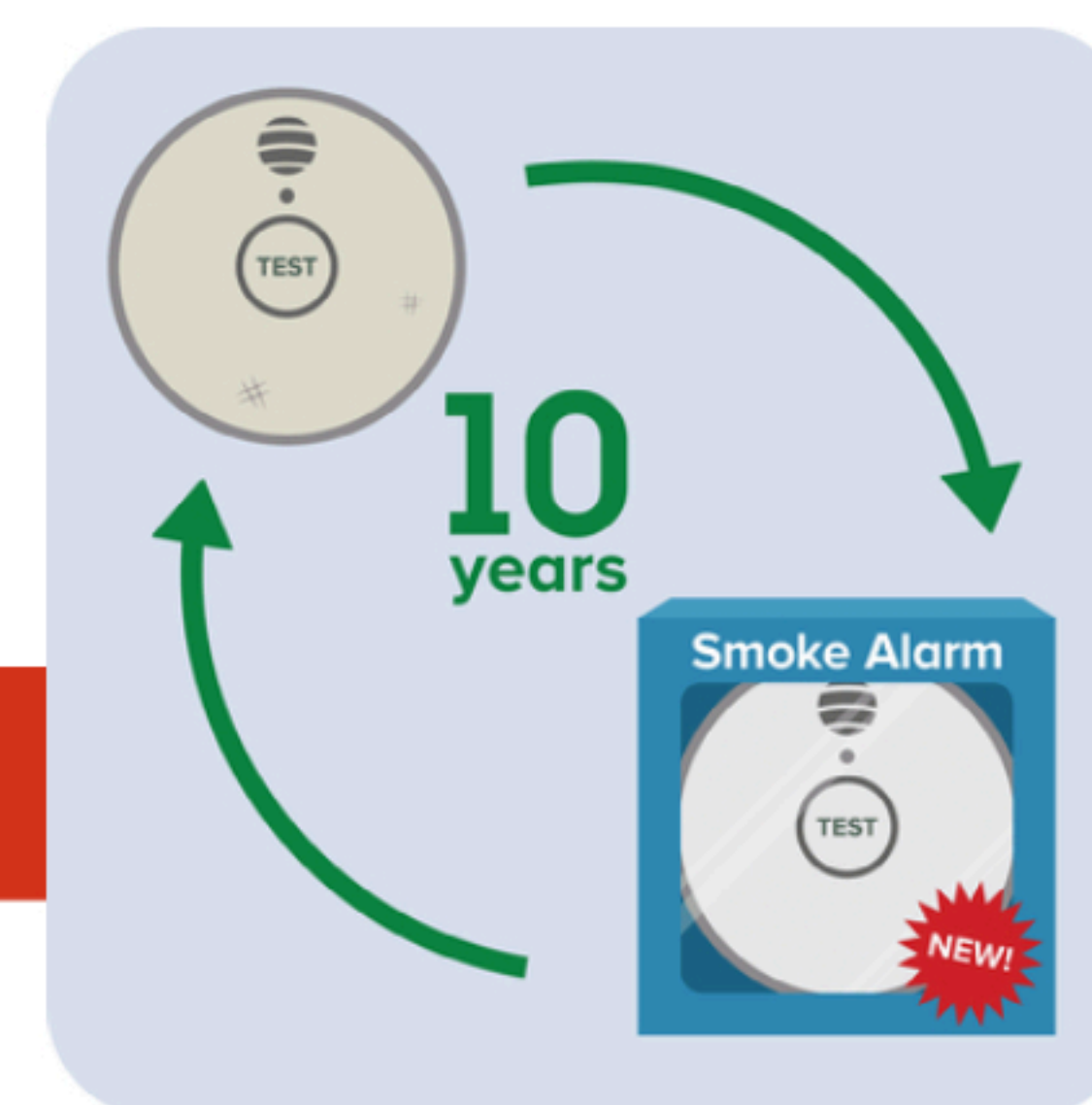
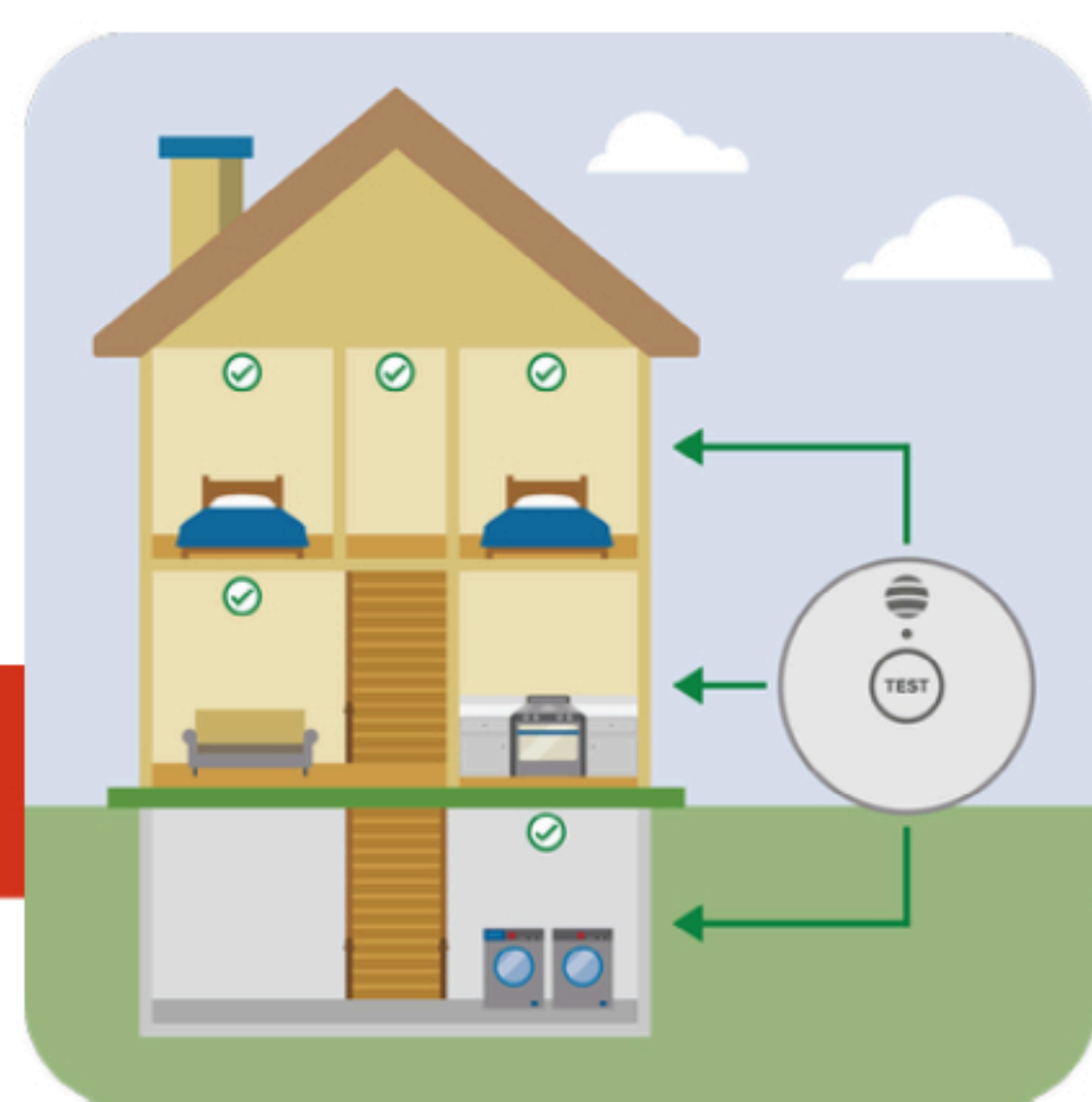


# SMOKE ALARMS SAVE LIVES



The risk of dying in a home fire is cut in half when the home has working smoke alarms. Half of all home fire deaths happen at night, when people are sleeping.



- Place smoke alarms in every bedroom, hallway & major living spaces.
- Test them monthly to make sure they are in proper working order.
- Replace them every 10 years from the manufacture date (back of the alarm).

## RENTAL PROPERTIES

If you rent your home, it is the property manager's responsibility for supplying and installing smoke alarms (SC Code of Laws, Title 5, Chapter 25, Building Codes and Fire Prevention, Article 11). The renters should test their smoke alarms and report any smoke alarms that don't work to the property manager to have them repaired or replaced.

**Call North Charleston Fire  
Department for  
smoke alarm assistance:  
843-740-2616**

