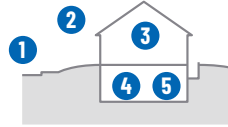


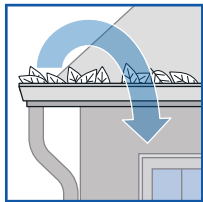


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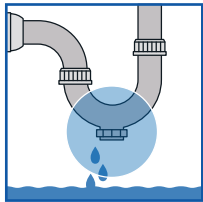
Step 1: Maintain what you've got at least twice per year



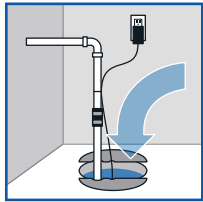
- 1 Remove debris from nearest storm drain or ditch and culvert.



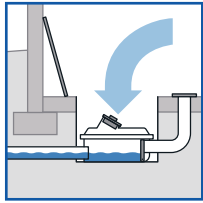
- 2 Clean out eaves troughs.



- 3 Check for leaks in plumbing, fixtures and appliances.

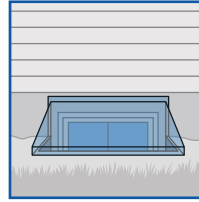
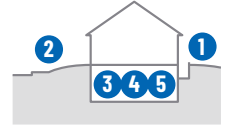


- 4 Test your sump pump.

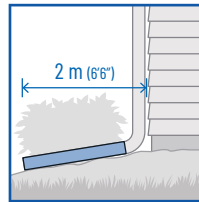


- 5 Clean out your backwater valve.

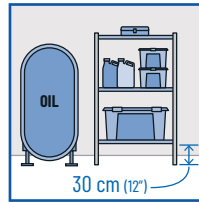
Step 2: Complete simple upgrades



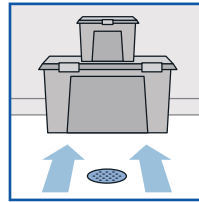
- 1 Install window well covers (where fire escape requirements permit).



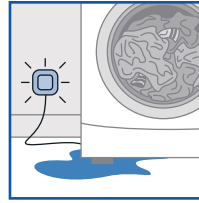
- 2 Extend downspouts and sump discharge pipes at least 2 m from foundation.



- 3 Store valuables and hazardous materials in watertight containers and secure fuel tanks.



- 4 Remove obstructions to floor drain.



- 5 Install and maintain flood alarm.

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