

# BUYING A NEW HOME?



## GET THE RIGHT HOME INSURANCE FOR YOU

**Buying a new home is exciting – and it’s probably the biggest purchase you’ll ever make.**

It’s also the perfect time to make sure you have home insurance to protect you financially. Most banks need proof of insurance before they approve your loan.

It’s important to be covered – especially with floods, bushfires and storms happening more often in Victoria. The Victorian Government has developed tools and tips to help you get the right insurance.

STEP  
1

Know your **Risk**

Check the sale documents for bushfire or flood risk in the area.

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Know your **Costs**

What would it cost to rebuild your home? Check our rebuild calculator.

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Know your **Cover**

Make sure your home insurance covers flooding (if you’re in a flood zone), debris clean-up, and temporary housing for you and your pets.

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4

Know how to **Claim**

Plan ahead: know who to contact after a disaster strikes. Keep your key documents safe from fire and water.



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