



## Appraise your collection

Every 2-3 years if you have items:

- Worth \$100,000 or more
- Containing diamonds of 3 carats or more



*Use a professional jeweler with a Graduate Diamond or Gemologist certification.*



## Make it hard for burglars

### House Tips

#### Tip 1

The first place burglars look is a jewelry box in the master bedroom or bathroom. Put your fine jewelry in a bank vault or in-house safe in an inconspicuous place.

#### Tip 2

Store jewelry in multiple safes in different places in the house.

**68%**

of burglars look for jewelry.\*

**10 minutes**

How long a burglar typically spends in a house.\*\*

**60%**

of burglars avoid houses with alarms.\* Connect your safe to your home alarm system.

**30 minutes**

How long the body and door of a TL-30 rated safe will successfully resist entry when attacked with common mechanical and electronic tools.

## Keep track of it

Over 50% of jewelry claims occur because a piece was lost or misplaced, not stolen.

Every 1-2 years, restring pearl necklaces that are worn regularly to prevent them from breaking.



## Traveling tips

- Check for loose stones before leaving.
- Make a list of items and keep them in sight at all times.
- Pack items in non-descript packaging.
- Keep items in the hotel safe, not in-room safe.
- Don't wear items to the pool, beach, skiing or biking.



## Want to learn more?

Contact your agent or broker or visit [www.chubb.com/us-jewelry](http://www.chubb.com/us-jewelry)

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\*Source: "Understanding decisions to burglarize from the offender's perspective, The University of North Carolina at Charlotte Department of Criminal Justice & Criminology  
 \*\* "10 Surprising Home Burglary Stats and Facts," The SafeWise Report, [www.safewise.com](http://www.safewise.com)