

Balloon Frame Construction

Review the hazards of fires in balloon frame occupancies.

IFSTA 4th Edition Essentials: Chapter 3

Delmar Firefighters Handbook Chapter 13

Building Construction for the Fire Service: 3rd Ed. 96-101
(Especially note the Tactical Considerations)

- Where are they in your still district?
- How do we control a basement fire in a balloon constructed home?
- Where might a fire extend in this construction type?
 - How would you check for extension?

