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# Repairing Computers & Other Electrical Devices



When repairing computers and other electrical devices:

- Always shut down and unplug the power supply of any device before servicing it.
- If smoke is observed coming from the power supply or other electric device (by sight or smell):
  1. Stop what you are doing and unplug that device immediately.
  2. Allow it to cool/discharge before attempting any repair.
- In the event of an electrical fire:
  1. Use only fire extinguishers rated for electrical fires (rating C).
  2. Never use water if the power is still on.

