

# SHABBAT: MUKTZA IN THE KITCHEN

## Shabbat: Muktzah: Moving a Hotplate

You may move a hotplate on Shabbat but ONLY if you need the space where it is located. You do not need to use an unusual method (*shinu'i*).

**NOTE** You may not unplug an operating hotplate. If the hotplate will not go on again, you may unplug it-- but only in a non-standard manner.

## Shabbat: Muktzah: Moving an Empty Pot

Pots become muktzah on Shabbat once the food in them is all gone. See [Introduction: Shabbat: Muktzah](#).