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Home catches fire on west side of Buffalo Grove

Buffalo Grove, IL – Buffalo Grove firefighters were dispatched at Sunday, March 12 at 8:27 p.m. to the 600 block of Checker Drive for the report of a structure fire. Upon arrival at 8:30 p.m., firefighters found an active fire in a second-floor bedroom of the single-family home.

Five occupants were found outside in the driveway, who confirmed there were no others in the home. Firefighters brought the fire under control within 10 minutes. Two occupants were evaluated on scene by firefighter paramedics and released.

The cause of the fire is unknown and is currently under investigation. Initial estimates for fire damage are \$100,000, and the home was considered uninhabitable.

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