Recipe for Preventing Turkey Fryer Fires

Frying food is the greatest risk of cooking fires. Consider the dangers or risks before using a turkey fryer.

✔️ Turkey fryers can easily tip over, spilling hot cooking oil over a large area.

✔️ An overfilled cooking pot will cause cooking oil to spill when the turkey is put in, and a partially frozen turkey will cause cooking oil to splatter when put in the pot.

✔️ Without thermostat controls, deep fryers can overheat oil to the point of starting a fire.

✔️ The sides of the cooking pot, lid and pot handles can get dangerously hot.

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