GENERAL RECOMMENDATIONS:

- Never immerse appliance or cord in water.
- Never use near water.
- Never use an abrasive sponge nor cloth on the exterior of the appliance.
- Never leave appliance unattended while in use.
- Never place anything other than what is intended to be cooked in the appliance.
- Unplug appliance from outlet when not in use and when cleaning.
- Do not place appliance in dishwasher.
- Keep out of reach of children.
- This appliance is not a toy.

IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using the *IMUSA RICE COOKER*, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

- Make sure the voltage in your outlet is the same as the voltage indicated on your appliance's rating label.
- To protect against risk of electric shock, do not immerse the cord, plug or unit in water or any other liquid.
- Do not touch the removable cooking bowl when it is hot.
- Children should not use this appliance.
- Close supervision is necessary when your rice cooker is used near children.
- Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool removable cooking bowl before cleaning or storing this appliance.
- Never yank the cord to disconnect your rice cooker from the outlet. Instead, grasp the plug and pull to disconnect.
- Do not let the electrical cord hang over the edge of the table or countertop, or touch hot surfaces.
- Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, heated oven or microwave.
- Extreme precaution must be used when moving any appliance containing hot food.
- Do not leave appliance unattended during use.
- Do not operate your rice cooker if the cord is damaged, or if the rice cooker has malfunctioned or been damaged. In order to avoid the risk of an electric shock, never try to repair this appliance by yourself. Take it to an authorized service center for examination and repair. An incorrect re-assembly could present a risk of electric shock when the rice cooker is used.
- Before using the rice cooker for the first time, wash the cooking bowl, and the lid.