Fire Safe SC Community Goals Reduce Home Fires - Promote Consistent Messages - Improve Data Quality - Provide Valued Resources

Fire Safe SC Community Designations are made annually. For 2024 consideration, all community goals below must be completed by Dec. 31, 2024.

1. Education - Community Risk Reduction Courses

Complete **four** different classes from the list below. Multiple members of a department should complete classes and new department members must attend annually to build depth. Visit <u>FireSafe.SC.Gov</u> for course codes and descriptions. For course credit, provide course name, completion date, and any certificates. (*Note: If multiple people take the same course, it only counts as one of the four required.*)

- MFA and Vision 20/20: Vision 20/20 Community Risk Reduction for Chief Fire Officers, Vision 20/20 CRR
 Academy, Any two or six-day NFA Community Risk Reduction Course
- <u>SC Fire Academy</u>: Basic Fire Investigation, Fire Investigation First Responder, S.C. Fire & Community Risk Reduction Summit, Fire and Life Safety Educator Quarterly, Fire and Life Safety Educator, Introduction to Sound off with the Home Fire Safety Patrol, Home Safety Visit Train-the-Trainer, NFIRS End-User, NFIRS Administrator, ICC Fire Inspector Test Prep, Fire Codes and Standards Training
- <u>Self-Paced</u>: Introduction to Application of Data for Fire and Emergency Services, Introduction to Community Risk Assessment, Introduction to Strategic Community Risk Reduction, South Carolina - Essentials of Community Risk Reduction

2. Establish priority based on specific community risks in your fire district

- Name targeted population, location and risk you have identified
- Data set used to select population and/or location
- List the approach or intervention used to target the risk in the area
- Provide results of your efforts
- List fire and life safety messages used

3. Data

- Minimum 6 months reporting to NFIRS
- Review the <u>NERIS FAQ</u>
- Define and share how your department improved data quality this year
- If using a third-party software, learn and share
 -How will they support the change to NERIS
 -How will you access data previously stored in the NFIRS system after transitioning to NERIS

4. Engage and Build Relationships with Community Stakeholders

- Name of community partners
- How does these partners help you reduce community risk
- What type of resources/services have been requested
- Identify quantity of resources/services received (Alarms, Volunteer Hours, Money, etc.)

5. Provide Life Safety Education using Core Four Safety Messages and/or Fire and Life Safety Guides

- Identify groups of your population you focused on with messaging
- Share which messages were promoted
- Identify number of citizens reached
- Report method used to share messaging

Track your 2024 CRR activities:



See what has already been submitted:



