



Newton le Willows Community Fire Station

Community Risk Management Plan 2017-18



Excellent Operational Preparedness

The team at Newton le Willows will:

Manage water supplies for operational incidents by inspecting hydrants and other water supplies within the station area.

Gather SSRI on premises to ensure that key risk information is available to operational crews.

Maintain core skills through training at the TDA.

Prepare for specific incident types matching the station profile including motorways, rural, domestic and large industrial incidents.

Complete all Learnpro assessments to maintain underpinning knowledge and understanding.

Take part in off site tactical exercises to test and ensure our operational preparedness are fit for purpose.

Identify, risk assess and test key locations for HVP access for water supplies.

Excellent Operational Response

The team at Newton le Willows will:

Maintain operational competence and knowledge of procedures to resolve incidents safely and efficiently.

Maintain HVP capability by training and exercising with other HVP and non HVP crews.

Maintain appliances and equipment through testing and maintenance.

Test operational plans through routine off site/table-top exercising.

Mobilise to incidents in the fastest possible time.

Develop a positive culture to reduce accidents and actively record Health and Safety in the workplace.

Promote organisation learning by conducting debriefs/shared learning

Obtain high performance scores in operational assurance audits.

Excellent Prevention and Protection

Crews from Newton le Willows will engage with the community and local businesses to ensure that we:

Deliver HFSC's on a risk based approach so that our resources are utilised to maximum effect. Station staff will utilise status reports, local knowledge and incident history to ensure we are targeting vulnerable groups.

Incorporate seasonal themes into prevention activities as identified through local needs, national campaigns and in line with the needs of our diverse community.

Conduct Simple Operational Fire Safety Assessments to provide advice and guidance to ensure small businesses to comply with legislation.

Facilitate community room use to provide space for groups who share FRS vision and aims.

Promote Newton le Willows fire station as a Safe Haven to offer assistance to those feeling at risk.

Excellent People

The Newton Management Team recognise staff are our key asset.

Individual appraisals will be conducted in April and May to continue the support and development of staff.

We will review individual performance, share good practice and support staff to promote continuous improvement.

We will review skill levels and develop staff to acquire and use new skills required.

Develop staff wishing to progress into management roles.

Station management team will manage absence levels and support staff in line with service procedures.

Staff will promote a positive working environment that reflects the values expected of MFRS staff

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Our mission is to achieve safer stronger communities through safe and effective firefighters, delivering excellent operational preparedness, response, prevention, protection and people.

OUTCOMES are the impact our actions have on the community such as reducing incidents.

	Estimated 2016/17	Target 2017/18
All Fires	155	146
Accidental Dwelling Fires (ADFs)	23	23
Anti-Social Behaviour Fires (ASBs)	78	82
RTC	22	20
Malicious False Alarm	7	3
Unwanted Fire Signals	20	15
Alert to mobile	98.64%	95%
Station Audit Performance		80%
Sickness		4%

OUTPUTS are the quantifiable things we deliver to achieve better outcomes for the communities we serve.

	Annual
Site Specific Risk Information (SSRIs)	63
Home Fire Safety Checks (HFSC's)	1380
Hydrant Surveys	28
Waste and Fly Tipping	48
Simple Operational Fire Safety Assessments	96
Prevention Talks	36
Off Station Exercising	2

The 2017/18 targets are based on 5 years performance data

We aim, by the delivery of these outcomes, to achieve reductions in deaths and injuries in our communities