

31 - Crosby Community Fire Station

Community Risk Management Plan 2024-25



Operational Preparedness

Crosby will:

Train, familiarise and exercise against identified risks within the station area. The Port of Liverpool represents a significant area of consideration.

Complete allocated (SSRI) inspections within the station area and maintain currency. Develop awareness and use of the PORIS (Provision of Operational Risk Information System) software to capture and make risk information available.

Manage the availability of water supplies through hydrant inspections and open water identification & pre-planning.

Attend all core & risk critical training at the Training & Development Academy, ensuring firefighter apprentice skills are maintained in line with the required standards.

Complete all allocated E learning and acquire the required standard.

Undertake two off station training scenarios. Utilising due for renewal SSRI locations to develop new relationships and realistic incident scenarios.

Undertake Safe Person Assessments ensuring that the required standard is met.

Individuals will take ownership for the High Rise located within the station area & be responsible for all operational issues.

Operational Response

Crosby will:

Continuously develop skills, knowledge & understanding of service equipment & procedures and develop against skills associated with marine response specialism.

Maintain the highest standards of operational response through continuous training, exercising & audits.

Maintain competencies as a Marine Firefighting station through regular pre-planned training and validation exercises.

Test local and operational plans through training, exercising & table top scenarios.

Work with our partners such as NWAS, Coastguard and RNLI to maintain excellent response to water and mud related incidents.

Ensure appropriate standards of PPE, adherence to procedures and safe working practice at operational incidents and training exercises.

Actively record & monitor Health & Safety in the workplace through inspection, reporting and active monitoring.

Respond to notification of incidents immediately to minimise alert to mobile times and contribute to overall effectiveness.

Prevention and Protection

Crosby will:

Undertake prevention activities & take part on campaigns to reduce the risk to the most vulnerable within our community.

Utilise PIP's to target those most vulnerable, elderly or impoverished within our community.

Liaise with CRM and the District Prevention Team to ensure effective use of resources in line with risk, demand and vulnerability.

Utilise NFCC calendar to target identified groups and initiatives.

Effectively working with partners to develop & support activities to reduce the number of special service incidents to Crosby beach.

Promote Fire safety awareness with small businesses community by completing Simple Operational Fire Safety Assessments

Continue to make contact with and commit to assisting organisations by attending and delivering our fire safety message to the most vulnerable.

Promote safeguarding of vulnerable persons and those with protected characteristics.

Recognise and provide advice on Community Habits around Cost of Living and Lithium Battery dangers

People

Crosby will:

Promote awareness of the importance of mental health wellbeing. Encourage all to monitor and signpost their colleagues to counselling /occupational health, where appropriate.

Positively promote Critical Incident Stress Management process. These measures should contribute to maintaining low absence levels.

Develop our people via continued engagement to deliver a professional service, which has a positive impact on our communities and workplace.

Develop and support personnel at all rank levels to be the best they can be and identify and support potential managers for the future.

Contribute to the Coaching and Mentoring.

Review performance and identify future development needs through the appraisal system.

Promote a healthy lifestyle amongst personnel through good nutrition and a physical fitness environment.

Recognise and promote the value of EDI within the FRS and the wider communities we serve.

Host a Station Community Events, and feed into Sefton "Have a Go Day" to support positive recruitment action, whilst developing understanding of diverse communities.

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Our Vision: To be the best Fire and Rescue Service in the UK – One team putting its communities first.

Our Purpose: Here to Serve. Here to Protect. Here to keep you safe.

Our Aims: To Protect, Prevent, Prepare and Respond

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

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

	Estimated Performance 2023/24	Estimated Targets 2024/25*		Annual Target 2024/25
All Fires	200		Site Specific Risk Information (SSRIs)	26
All Primary Fires	59		Home Fire Safety Checks	2227
Accidental Dwelling Fires (ADFs)	31		HFSC's delivered to over 65's (60% of HFSC target)	1336
Deliberate Vehicle Fires	2		Hydrant Surveys	73
All Secondary Fires	141		Waste & Fly Tipping	48
Anti-Social Behaviour Fires (ASBs)	68		Prevention talks	12
AFAs in Non Domestic Premises	9		Simple Operational Fire Safety Assessments	100
% ADF No Smoke Alarm	83.3%		Off Station Exercising	2
Alert to Mobile	98.8%	95%	Community Events	2

The targets are based on 5 years performance data.

*Targets for 24/25 will be added in March

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