



We hope this email finds you well. The First Responder Center for Excellence (FRCE) is pleased to provide this quarterly communication to keep you informed about the work of the Alliance.

Visit [the FRCE website](#) for cancer information related to the fire service, including links to the most up-to-date resources, research and best practices.

THE FIRST RESPONDER CENTER FOR EXCELLENCE (FRCE) HAS PARTNERED WITH THE FDNY AND THE FDNY FOUNDATION

The FRCE partnership with the FDNY builds on their previous relationship with the New York City Fire Department which began with support of the FDNY publication – *"Reduce York Risk"* and production of several cancer related videos beginning in 2017.

As part of this recent partnership, the FRCE has sponsored a series of 6 short training videos produced by the FDNY Bureau of Training. The goal of these videos is to further educate firefighters of simple actions they can take to reduce their risk of occupational cancer. "This series of videos is designed to bring a greater awareness and mindfulness of simple tactical nuances that when adopted can equal big results" says FDNY Chief Frank Leeb.

<https://www.fdnyp.org/reduceyourrisk/#:~:text=The%20FDNY%E2%80%99s%20Reduce%20Your%20Risk%20Project%20was%20established,address%20the%20acute%20health%20concerns%20facing%20today%E2%80%99s%20Firefighters.>



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An Aggressive Approach to Decon to Save Firefighter Lives

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Loading Hose

After the Fire - Loading Hose - Tactical Nuances

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Childhood Cancer 5

Cancer Rates - Children of Firefighters
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ARTICLES



Glendale Fire Department gets \$1M grant to test over 250 ...

The Glendale Fire Department is receiving a \$1 million grant from the Federal Emergency Management Agency to screen firefighters for cancer. Vincere Cancer Center will administer the cancer screenings, using Galleri early cancer detection...

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With increased risk, experts recommends early lung...

CHICAGO - When it comes to occupational hazards, few jobs are as dangerous as fighting fires. "I fell through a floor once," said veteran firefighter Michael Butkus. "High rise fires, those are the worst, and you don't think you're going to get..."

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In Memoriam: Dr. Susan Shaw-Advocate for Firefighter...

Dr. Susan Shaw died peacefully at her New York City home. Founder of the Shaw Institute, she authored numerous studies about the environmental causes of cancer and other health problems associated with a wide range of pollutants ranging from...

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40 Plus Fire | PROSTATE CANCER Information For Male...

Prostate Cancer is a cancer in a man's prostate, a small walnut-sized gland that produces seminal fluid. A man's prostate produces the seminal fluid that nourishes and transports sperm. Symptoms include difficulty with urination, but sometimes...

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State's firefighter's union recommends firefighters not...



Firefighting Foams: Fire Service Roadmap

The overall goal of this project is to develop a strategic roadmap for the fire service while transitioning from fluorinated foam (i.e., AFFF) usage to fluorine free foam technology.

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BOSTON: The state's firefighter's union is encouraging firefighters participating in the BFit Challenge Sunday not to wear their turnout gear. The annual event, hosted by the Boston Bruins and the Boston Bruins Foundation, invites first...

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DetecTogether Online Learning for Firefighters

DetecTogether is a 501(c)(3) education and advocacy organization that is saving lives by teaching people how to detect cancer early and become active partners in their healthcare. DetecTogether uses 3 Steps Detect to educate people about the...

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firefighter.detecttogether.org

Biden reignites 'cancer moonshot' with focus on early...

President Biden Joe Biden Biden's FDA pick clears key Senate hurdle Overnight Health Care - DC ending mask, vaccine mandates American unity is key to a Europe whole and free MORE on Wednesday will reignite the "cancer moonshot" project with a...

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WCBS 880 AM Radio Firefighter Cancer

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1.9M new cancer diagnoses expected in 2022, report says

Published Wednesday by the American Cancer Society , the annual report states an estimated 1.9 million new cancer diagnoses and 609,360 deaths - or roughly 1,670 deaths per day - are expected to occur across the U.S. this year. Cancer remains the ...

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First Responder Center for Excellence recognizes...

By FireRescue1 staff CROFTON, Md.
- In recognition of January as Firefighter Cancer Awareness Month, the First Responder Center for Excellence is highlighting its upcoming regional cancer seminars to help firefighters be more aware of their risk...

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UPCOMING TRAININGS

2022 REGIONAL CANCER SEMINAR SCHEDULE

Kansas City, Missouri 3.4.2022

Fort Worth, Texas 4.4.2022

Colorado Springs, Colorado 5.13.2022

Orange, California 6.3.2022

San Diego, California 6.4.2022

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