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State of Connecticut
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Commission on Fire Prevention and Control
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1. NIOSH Fire Fighter Fatality Investigation and Prevention Program Report

Fire Fighter Dies of Heart Attack after Skills Training the Previous Night–New Hampshire
A paid-on-call fire fighter took part in a weekly training drill involving rescue equipment. Upon awakening the next morning at home, the fire fighter felt chest pain, collapsed, and lost consciousness. The fire fighter was transported to a hospital and pronounced dead.

Volunteer Fire Fighter Dies after Running Out of Air and Becoming Disoriented in Retail Store in Strip Mall Fire–North Carolina
A volunteer fire fighter died while fighting a fire in a commercial strip mall. While operating the nozzle inside the retail store, the fire fighter ran low on air. As he tried to exit the mall, he became disoriented. Rescue crews located and transported him to the hospital where he was pronounced dead.

Volunteer Fire Fighter Struck and Killed by Tanker Backing into the Bay of the Fire Station–Pennsylvania
A volunteer fire fighter died when a tanker struck him. The fire fighter walked toward the rear of the tanker as the tanker driver was backing into the apparatus bay. The driver did not see the fire fighter and backed over him. The fire fighter was pronounced dead at the scene.

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2. VFIS Emergency Vehicle Driver Training Instructor Level – Hosted by Westbrook FD

The Westbrook FD is hosting the VFIS Emergency Vehicle Driver Training Instructor Level Course April 19 & 20, 2018. See the attached for additional information.

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3. 2018 Safety Stand Down to Focus on Firefighter Medical/Physicals

The IAFC and the National Volunteer Fire Council have announced the theme for the 2018 Safety Stand Down: *Be Aware – Get Checked*

The Safety Stand Down takes place June 17-23. This year's them focuses on understanding, implementing and monitoring a comprehensive annual medical/physical for firefighters and navigating the Road Map to Firefighter Health and Wellness.

Firefighters face many health risks, such as heart disease, cancer, diabetes and PTSD, and early detection through annual medical evaluations and physicals saves lives. Safety Stand Down resources and materials will increase awareness among firefighters of how to educate their physicians on risks, where to go for the latest information on the IAFC occupational hazard profile and how to access available resources about annual medicals/physicals.

This important event allows everyone to refresh or learn new skills and techniques based on today's research into firefighter annual medicals/physicals. Firefighters have a responsibility to be fit and ready to answer the call, and this year's Safety Stand Down aims to provide the tools to make that happen and reduce line-of-duty deaths.

Agencies across the country are encouraged to suspend all non-emergency activities during the week of June 17-23 in order to focus on training and education related to this year's theme. An entire week is provided to ensure all shifts and personnel can participate. Topic information, training materials and videos will be available at SafetyStandDown.org, the official website for the Safety Stand Down event.

In addition, Safety Stand Down partner NFPA will again launch its Fire Service Safety Stand Down Quiz in May to compliment this year's topic. Everyone who completes the quiz online will be automatically entered into a sweepstakes; 200 randomly selected participants will win a specially designed challenge coin commemorating this year's Safety Stand Down theme.

The Safety Stand Down is coordinated by the IAFC Safety, Health and Survival Section and the NVFC, and it's supported by national and international fire and emergency service organizations, including the NFPA.

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4. Back to Basics: Truck Operations at the Fairfield Regional Fire School

Fairfield Regional Fire School will host a Back to Basics: Truck Operations on Saturday,

April 14 8:30 am – 4:30 pm Fee: $200 per student Lunch Included. Required Equipment: Full Protective Clothing, SCBA and Spare (see flyer for more information Click Here To Register

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5. Emergency Medical Technician Course - East Hartford OR New Haven

Dates/Times: April 9th to July 5th - Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 6 pm - 10 pm

Location: Code One East Hartford - 121 Roberts Street East Hartford, CT 06108 OR

Code One New Haven - 270 Amity Road, Suite 129 Woodbridge, CT 06525

Details: Code One's 180 hour Emergency Medical Technician program has graduated hundreds of professional responders since the first program began in 2007.

Invoicing: Fire/EMS/Police agencies can be invoiced for participants. If you have 4+ participants interested in attending, please contact Rich for a group discount (rich@code1web.com).

Register: Participants can register at https://code1web.com/evening-emergency-medical-technician

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6. CT Fire Marshals Association Annual Conference – April 12-13, 2018

The CFMA's Annual Conference will be held April 12-13, 2018 at Eversource 107 Selden Street in Berlin, CT. 14.5 CT Credit Hours will be awarded for attendance on both days. Please see the attached program flyer for additional information and registration. The registration deadline is April 6 and is limited to 125 attendees each day.

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7. One Year Extension for State of CT Naloxone Rebate Program

Connecticut Assistant Attorney General Michael Cole notified us that the Office of the Connecticut Attorney General and Amphastar, the manufacturer of Naloxone, have agreed to extend the State of Connecticut Naloxone Rebate for an additional year. He asks that we notify all Connecticut Public Safety agencies of this extended agreement.
The rebate provides $6 back to agencies for each dose purchased during the quarter periods. Seven quarters have closed so far in the program providing $144,798 in rebates for 24,133 doses.
Attached to this letter are the forms and directions for agencies to take part in the rebate through its closing on March 24, 2019. (See Attached)
Governor Malloy's Office asked Common Cents EMS Supply to process the rebate program for Connecticut State and Municipal Agencies. Through an Agreement with the Office of the Attorney general we are providing this on a volunteer basis without charge.
Thank you for your service.
John T Dunn

Common Cents EMS Supply
http://www.savelives.com
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8. Fire Service Day at the Capitol – April 11th – Save the Date

The Joint Council of Connecticut Fire Service Organizations annual ***Fire Service Day*** at the State Capitol in Hartford will be held on **Wednesday, April 11, 2018** from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m. The House will be in Session beginning at 10:30 a.m. so it should be a busy day! All fire service personnel are welcome and strongly encouraged to attend!! Please contact members of your legislative delegation and invite them to visit displays in the Concourse area between the Legislative Office Building and State Capitol. Better yet, schedule a meeting with your legislators for that day and personally escort them to visit the displays.

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