

# Darlington Fire Station

## St. Cuthberts Way, Darlington

### DLI 5LN

## STATION RISKS

### VERY HIGH



Dwelling fire



Road vehicle fire



Secondary fire



Marauding terrorist/malicious attacks

### HIGH



Other non-residential building fires



Road traffic collisions



Other outdoor fires



Incidents involving hazardous materials



Other residential building fires



Rescues from water



Flooding



Industrial fires



Waste and recycling sites

### MEDIUM



Rescues at height



Building of heritage and special interest

### LOW



Rail incidents



Animal incidents



Aircraft incidents

### Did you know?

We responded to **1,108** incidents between April 2020 and March 2021

In total our area has **3,267** Commercial properties

In total our area has **51,265** Residential properties



We protect approx. **105,500** People living in Darlington



## OUR PERFORMANCE

PREVENTION	Our targets 2020/21	Our performance 2020/21	Our targets 2021/22
Safe and Wellbeing Visits (SWV's)	1243	880	2826
Business Fire Safety Audits	99	57	276

INCIDENTS	Our targets 2020/21	Our performance 2020/21	Our targets 2021/22
Accidental dwelling fires	39	31	37
Deliberate car fires		22	21
Deliberate secondary fires	329	337	329
Deliberate primary fires	46	42	49
Primary fires	124	111	115
Road traffic collisions		23	22
Automatic fire alarms	124	139	117

## HOW WE REDUCE STATION RISKS

### VERY HIGH

- Target and deliver quality Safe & Wellbeing visits to the most vulnerable in the community, focussing on making referrals to partners.
- Develop & apply a consistent menu of tactics with partners to reduce deliberate car fires and secondary (nuisance) fires.
- Promote and develop FireStoppers internally, and within the community.
- Conduct joint fire investigations with Police to identify trends & prosecute offenders.
- Maintain MTA capability and apply Joint Emergency Services Interoperability Programme (JESIP) and develop role of NILO

### HIGH

- Complete business fire safety audits, familiarisation visits and where appropriate pursue enforcement.
- Gather new & reinspect existing operational risk information, develop and test incident plans through tactical exercises (TX) for high-risk buildings. High risk sites will be reviewed and visited bi - annually.
- Support national and local RTC and Water Safety campaigns and tactics using risk-based data and working partnerships.
- Annual station based and LRF multi-agency TX programme.

### MEDIUM

- Maintain local risk information based on historic incidents within the station area and undertake familiarisation visits training and exercising to ensure operational competence.
- Level 2 Safe Working at Height rescue capability

### LOW

- Maintain awareness of Animal rescue capabilities at Bishop Auckland station & RSPCA.
- Maintain operational risk information relevant to railways and aircraft to support the consistency of approach to this incident type and undertake familiarisation visits training and exercising to ensure operational competence.

For all service risks at CDDFRS, firefighters will provide effective emergency response by maintaining skills and competence through the relevant training.