Sedgefield Fire Station
Ropers Garth, Sedgefield
Stockton-on-Tees, TS21 2BA

We responded to **101** incidents between April 2021 and March 2022

STATION RISKS

VERY HIGH

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Other non-residential buillding fires

Flooding

Industrial fires

Incidents involving hazardous materials

MEDIUM

Road traffic collisions

Road vehicle fire

Dwelling fire

Aircraft incidents

LOW

Building of heritage and special interest

Rescues at height

Secondary fire

Animal incidents

INCIDENTS

	Our targets 2021/22	Our performance 2021/22	Our targets 2022/23
Accidental dwelling fires	3	1	0
Deliberate car fires	2	3	2
Deliberate secondary fires	10	12	13
Deliberate primary fires	6	7	6
Primary fires	12	20	12
Road traffic collisions	10	21	13
Automatic fire alarms	12	14	12

OUR PERFORMANCE

PREVENTION

	Our targets 2021/22	Our performance 2021/22	Our targets 2022/23
Home Fire Safety Checks	302	313	180

DELIBERATE FIRE REDUCTION

	Our targets 2022/23
Environmental visual audits (EVA's)	
Blue routes	
Rubbish removals	
School visits (Arson)	2

In total our area has **254** Commercial properties

We protect approx. **9,400** People living in Sedgefield

In total our area has **4,364** Residential properties

HOW WE REDUCE STATION RISKS

VERY HIGH

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- Gather new & reinspect existing operational risk information, develop and test incident plans through tactical exercises (TX) for high-risk buildings.
- Maintain local risk information based on historic incidents within the station area and undertake familiarisation visits training and exercising to ensure operational competence.
- Annual station based and LRF multi-agency TX programme.

MEDIUM

- Target and deliver quality Home Fire Safety Checks to the most vulnerable in the community, focussing on making referrals to partners.
- Support national and local RTC and Water Safety campaigns and tactics using risk-based data and working partnerships.

LOW

- Promote and develop FireStoppers internally, and within the community.
- Conduct joint fire investigations with Police to identify trends & prosecute offenders.
- Develop & apply a consistent menu of tactics with partners to reduce deliberate car fires and secondary (nuisance) fires.
- Maintain awareness of Animal rescue capabilities at Bishop Auckland station & RSPCA.

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