

Fireworks Safety

4th of July! 2018

Fireworks caused estimated 15,600 reported fires in the U.S.

[1,400 structure fires / 700 vehicle fires / 14,000 outside and other fires]

2013

2014

06/20
07/20

[CPSC data]

sparklers alone account for more than 28%

of emergency room fireworks injuries

Read caution labels first

WARNING



light one at a time / move away quickly

DON'T relight "dud" fireworks



No alcohol until fireworks are over!

ALWAYS keep bucket of water / charged hose nearby



Never give to a child

PETS



→ Don't bring them to a fireworks display!

→ Try to put them in a safe, interior room to reduce exposure to sound.

→ Make sure they have ID tags in case they run away.



Never shoot fireworks of any kind [sparklers, fountains, etc.] near pets!



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