

NWCG Safety Gram Reporting Criteria:

Safety Gram data will include wildland fire related incidents/accidents that result in:

- Fatality(s)
- Entrapment(s)
- Burnover of personnel
- Burnover of fire suppression apparatus (e.g., fire engines, dozers, etc)
- Incidents/accidents that result in three or more persons requiring in-patient hospitalization
- Training related accidents that result in any of the above

Data will be collected for:

- Personnel involved in the direct support of wildland and prescribed fire (private citizens acting on their own behalf resulting in injury or death will not be included).
- Suppression apparatus that are damaged and/or destroyed as a direct result from operational involvement (parked vehicles with no occupants that are damaged from flame impingement will not be included).
- Any fire resource on an incident, in mobilization or demobilization status.

Data will be captured under the following categories:

Date – the date that the incident/accident occurred

Location – the location where the incident/accident occurred:

- Incident name (if applicable)
- Jurisdictional Unit (e.g., forest, district, refuge, etc.)
- State
- If jurisdictional unit is not available, identify by nearest town/city

Activity – describe operational activity when incident/accident occurred:

- Firefighting (signify wildland, prescribed or Wildland Fire Use)
- Driving (on incident, mob, or demob)
- Training
- Work Capacity Test
- Walking
- Tree felling
- Aviation

Agency/Entity of personnel involved – identify personnel involved by agency.

- Specify if Federal, State or local governmental agency employee and agency
- If state employee, list the state employed not state occurred
- Specify if contractor or volunteer firefighter