

play safe! be safe!®

An award winning fire safety education program
created especially for children ages 3—5

Free Training!

Wednesday, October 14, 2015
Thursday, October 15, 2015

Eugene, OR
Bend, OR

8:30 - 9:00 a.m.
Registration

Workshop Training & Materials FREE

9:00 a.m.

Introductions: Krista K. Fischer, Oregon Office of State Fire Marshal

9:15 a.m. — Noon

Training provided by Fireproof Children Company
A fascinating and entertaining look into the preschool child's perception of fire, the surprising frequency of children's misuse of fire, practical approaches to teach young children fire safety, and introduction to the award winning "*play safe! be safe!*" kit.

Designed for teachers, other direct care providers, program managers, and fire & life safety educators.
All participants receive a free "play safe! be safe!" kit!



Online registration is required. Registration form available online at:

<http://www.oregon.gov/osp/SFM/Pages/Training.aspx>

For more information email: FireSetter@osp.state.or.us



The award winning "*play safe! be safe!*" multi-media classroom fire safety education kit includes:

- 🐾 20 minute video and DVD featuring "Firefighter Dan" in English and Spanish
- 🐾 Four sets of colorful story cards
- 🐾 Two activity boards
- 🐾 Keep Away! card game
- 🐾 Comprehensive teacher's manual with materials for parents in English and Spanish!

Sponsoring Agencies: Fireproof Children, Oregon Office of State Fire Marshal Youth Fire Prevention and Intervention Unit, Eugene-Springfield Fire Department, Head Start of Lane County, Bend Fire Department, Oregon Fire Marshals Association, Safe Kids Oregon.

Funding for training and materials provided by a grant from the BIC Corporation.





Save the Date

***October 14, 2015 – Eugene, Oregon
October 15, 2015 – Bend, Oregon***

***play safe! be safe!®* Free Training Opportunity**

Mark your calendar to join us at the free play safe! be safe!® fire education workshop

The ***play safe! be safe!®*** program is a multimedia fire safety education program created especially for children ages three to five. The workshop explores children's perception of fire and the limits of their ability to understand potential risk of fire and its consequences.

Online pre-registration is required. The online registration form is located on the Oregon Office of State Fire Marshal website at: <http://www.oregon.gov/osp/SFM/Pages/Training.aspx>

Training is appropriate for a wide range of community partners, including teachers, day care providers, Early Childhood Education Programs, Head Start, fire/ life safety prevention educators, and other health, safety and education professionals. Please share the training information with your community partners so they don't miss out on this opportunity.

Oregon's ***play safe! be safe!*** workshop will be presented by Dr. Holly Brown, Doctor of Nursing and member of the University of Rochester School of Nursing faculty. (See the online registration form for more information on Dr. Holly Brown.

Workshop participants will receive:

- 3 hours of training.
- A ***play safe! be safe!*** multi-media classroom kit available in English and Spanish, including DVD, activity boards, Keep Away! card game, and Resource Book.
- Strategies to involve parents in home fire safety and how to work with local community fire service to promote fire education and prevention.



Workshop participants learn:

- How vulnerable young children are to fire and burn injuries.
- The surprising frequency of children's misuse of fire and their distorted perception and limited capacity to understand the potential danger of fire. Effective developmentally appropriate methods of teaching fire prevention to young children
- How to motivate children and families to change behaviors

The ***play safe! be safe!*** curriculum is the winner of the Director's Choice Award for Best Curriculum from Early Childhood News, a journal of the National Association for the Education of Young Children.

Each year the BIC Corporation provides grants to present 8 free "***play safe! be safe!***" workshops in the U.S. and Canada. Priority is given to communities which can demonstrate commitment to fire safety education and are able to provide a 'host' that helps with coordination and audience recruitment. Play safe! be safe! kits have been distributed to classrooms, libraries, fire departments and hospitals in more than 40 countries.