



**East Renfrewshire Performance Report  
1st April 2024 to 30th June 2024**



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# Local Fire and Rescue Service<sup>7</sup> Plan Priorities

The Local Fire and Rescue Service Plan has been developed to set out the priorities and objectives within East Renfrewshire and allows our local authority partners to scrutinise the performance outcomes of these priorities. We will continue to work closely with our partners in East Renfrewshire to ensure we are all “**Working Together for a Safer Scotland**” through targeting risks to our communities at a local level.

The plan has been developed to complement key partnership activity embedded across East Renfrewshire Community Plan and associated Delivery and Thematic plans. Through partnership working we will seek to deliver continuous improvement in our performance and effective service delivery in our area of operations.

The Local Fire and Rescue Plan for East Renfrewshire identified six areas for demand reduction and is subject to regular monitoring and reporting through the Police / Fire and Rescue Committee. A summary of the priorities and current activity is detailed below with further detail and analysis contained within this performance report.

	Accidental Dwelling Fires	Accidental Dwelling Fire Casualties	Unintentional Injury and Harm	Deliberate Fire Setting	Non-Domestic Fire Safety	Unwanted Fire Alarm Signals
<b>Barrhead, Liboside &amp; Uplawmoor</b>	4	1	3	15	0	6
<b>Clarkston, Netherlee &amp; Williamwood</b>	1	0	1	3	1	3
<b>Giffnock &amp; Thornliebank</b>	2	1	1	7	1	6
<b>Newton Mearns North &amp; Neilston</b>	0	0	0	14	1	3
<b>Newton Mearns South &amp; Eaglesham</b>	1	0	0	4	1	4

<b>Total Incidents</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>22</b>
<b>Year on Year Change</b>	-38%	100%	-50%	-42%	100%	-65%
<b>3 Year Average Change</b>	-7%	67%	-14%	-28%	-15%	-23%

## About the statistics within this report

The activity totals and other statistics quoted within this report are published in the interests of transparency and openness. They are provisional in nature and subject to change as a result of ongoing quality assurance and review. Because all statistics quoted are provisional there may be a difference in the period totals quoted in our reports after local publication which result from revisions or additions to the data in our systems. The Scottish Government publishes official statistics each year which allow for comparisons to be made over longer periods of time.

- Activity levels have reduced by more than 5%
- Activity levels have reduced by up to 5%
- Activity levels have increased overall

# East Renfrewshire Activity Summary <sup>8</sup>



fires  
primary &  
secondary



special  
services



false  
alarms



248  
total number of  
incidents



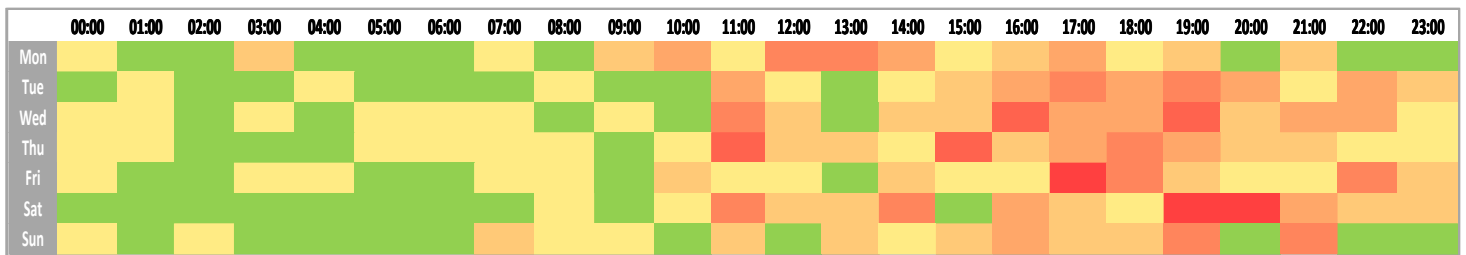
7  
fire & non-fire  
casualties



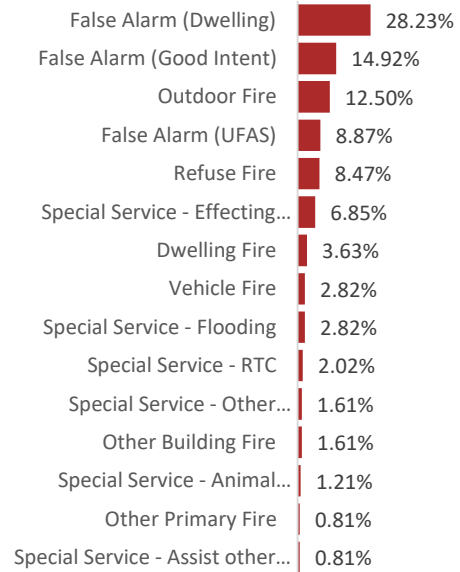
£43,340  
economic cost of  
ufas incidents

\*data above is year on year change

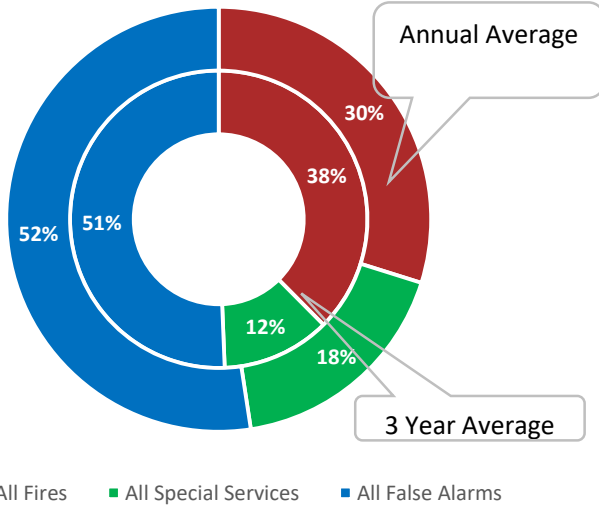
## Activity by Time of Day



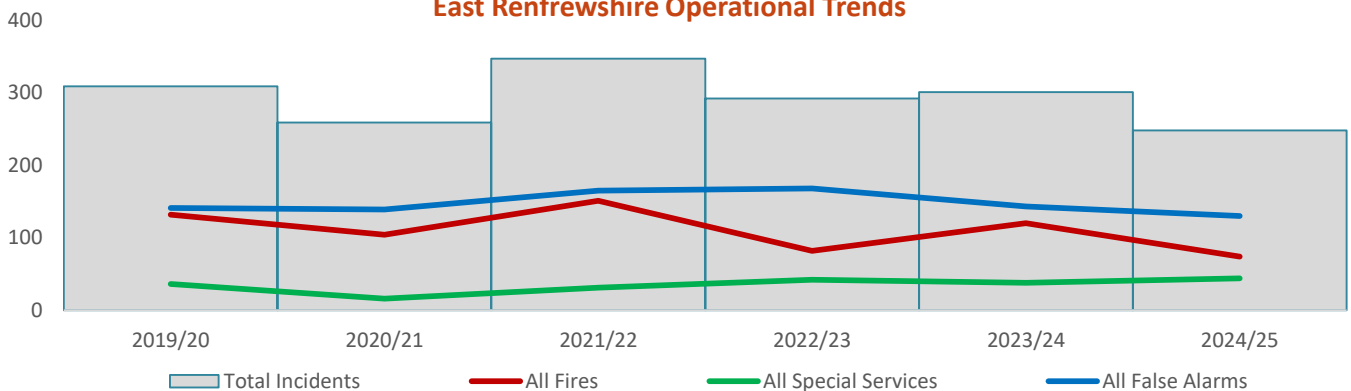
## Top 15 Incidents Types by %



## Incidents by Classification



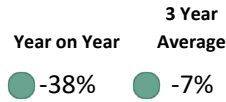
## East Renfrewshire Operational Trends



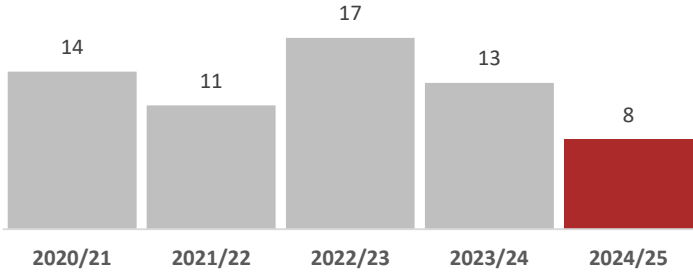
# Domestic Safety - Accidental Dwelling Fires



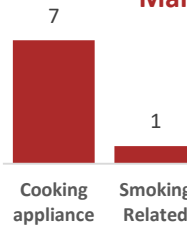
## Performance Summary



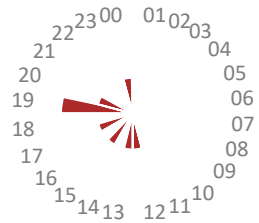
## Accidental Dwelling Fires



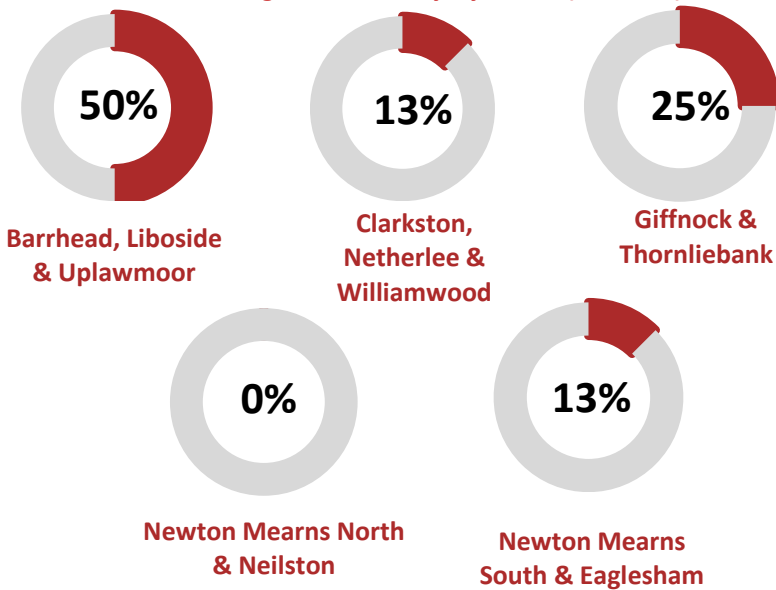
## Main Source of Ignition



## Accidental Dwelling Fires by



## Accidental Dwelling Fires Activity by Ward (% share)



## Severity of Accidental Dwelling



No Firefighting Action  
**25%**



Direct Firefighting  
**13%**



No Heat/Smoke Damage  
**63%**



No Fire  
**13%**

## Human Factors



Distraction  
**50%**



Alcohol/Drug Impairment  
**0%**

## Automatic Detection &



Detection Present  
**100%**



Calls Made via  
**50%**



Detection Actuated  
**100%**

It is positive to note a significant decrease of 38% on the year on year indicator as well as a decrease of 7% within the 3 year average. Cooking is again the main contributor, accounting for over 90% of the activity. However, it is encouraging to note that detection was present and actuated in all of them thus, providing early warning.

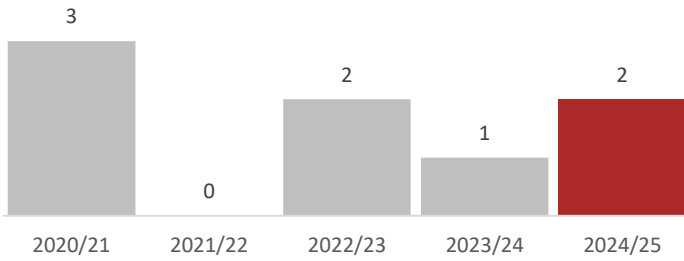
# Domestic Safety - Accidental Dwelling Fire Casualties

## Performance Summary

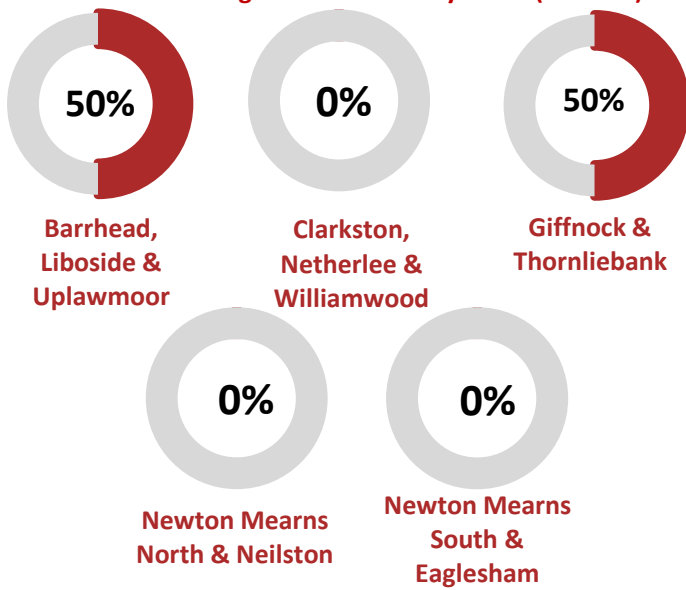


Year on Year ◆ 100%     3 Year Average ◆ 67%

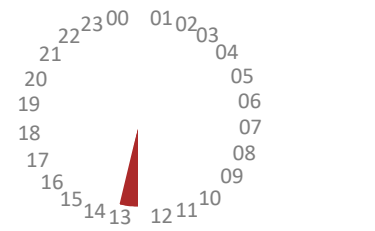
## Accidental Dwelling Fires Casualties



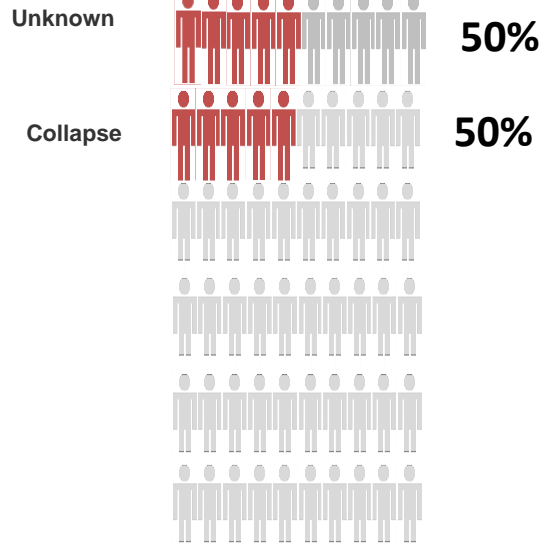
## Accidental Dwelling Fire Casualties by Ward (% share)



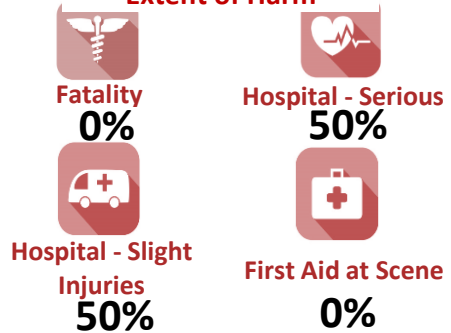
## Fire Casualties by Time of Day



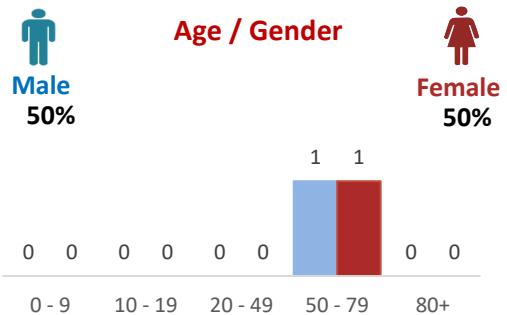
## Nature of Injury



## Extent of Harm



## Age / Gender

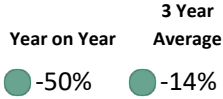


There have been 2 accidental dwelling fire casualties within this reporting which has resulted in an increase of 100% on the year on year indicator and a 33% increase on the 3 year average. However, it is important to note that this is measured against historically low figures and that there was detection in both of the premises which actuated providing early warning, minimising potential injuries to the persons within. Both casualties were taken to hospital one female suffering smoke inhalation and one male for a precautionary check up.

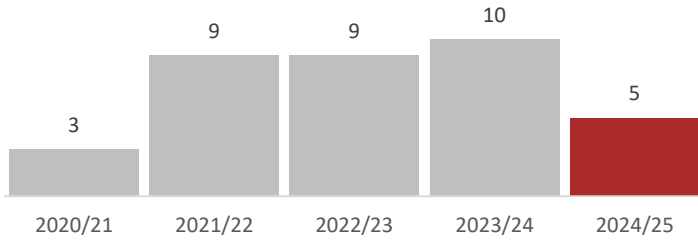
# Unintentional Injury and Harm <sup>11</sup>



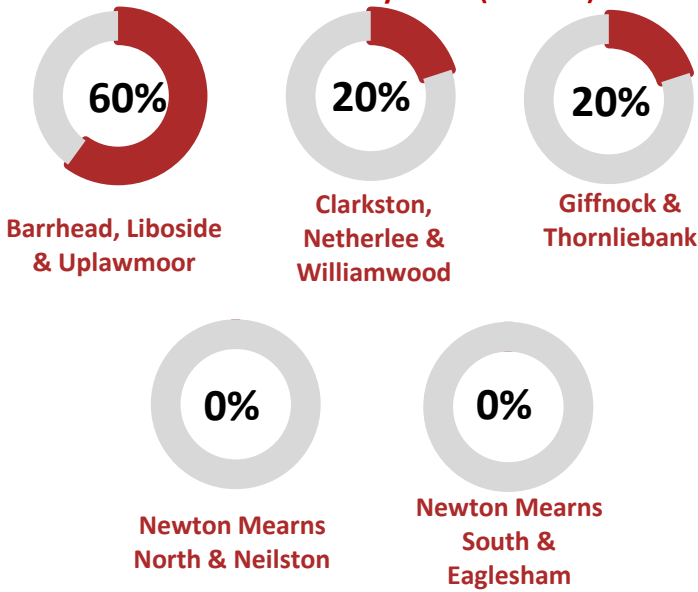
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## Non-Fire Casualties

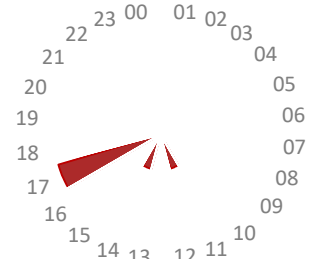


## Non-Fire Casualties by Ward (% share)

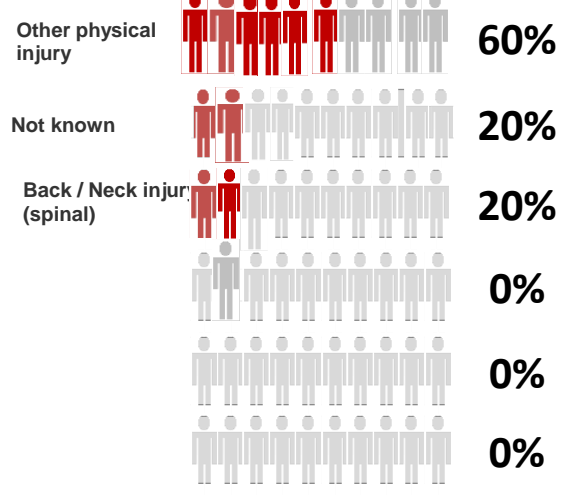


It is encouraging to note a significant reduction of 50% in this type of incident on the year on year indicator as well as a 14% decrease on the 3 year average. It is also important to take in to account that 40% of the activity in this indicator is attributed to assisting other agencies.

## Non-Fire Casualties by Time of Day



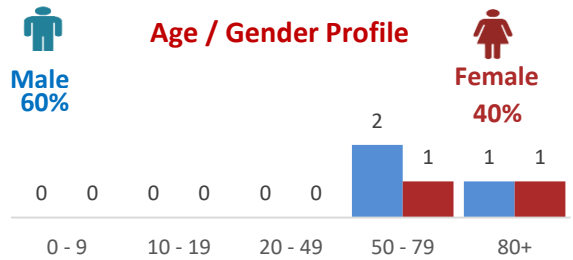
## Nature of Injury



## Extent of Harm



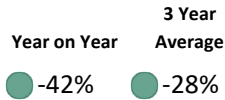
## Non-Fire Emergency Activity



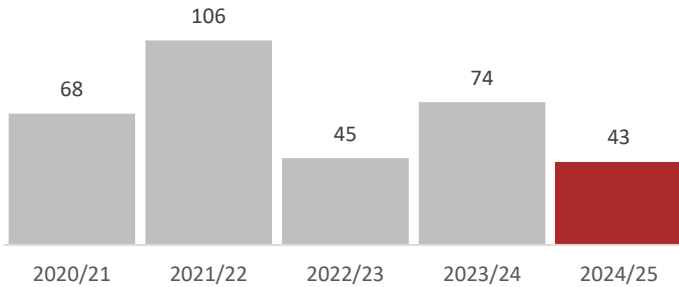
# Deliberate Fire Setting



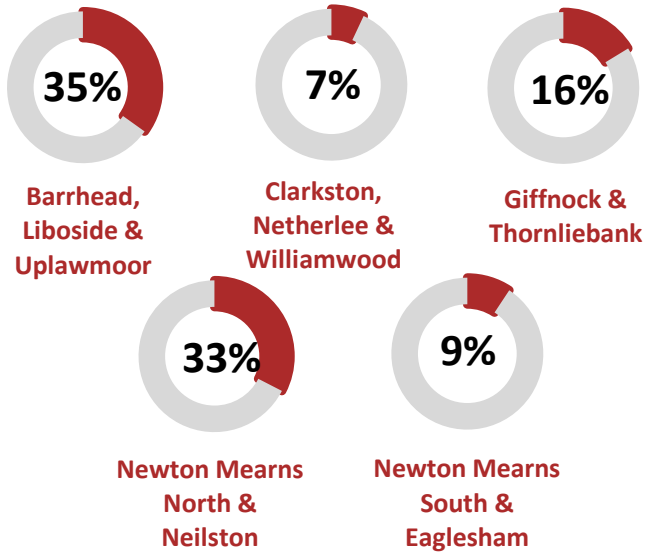
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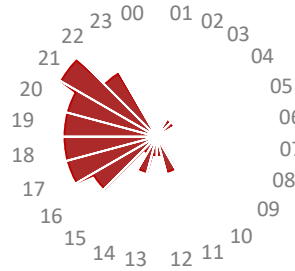
## Deliberate Fires



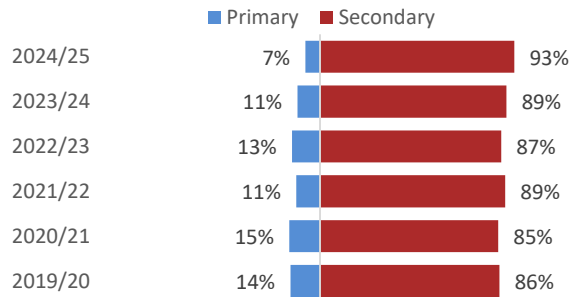
## Deliberate Fires by Ward (% share)



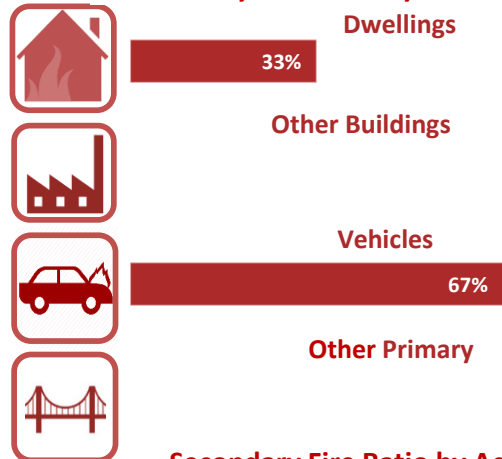
## Deliberate Fires by Time of Day



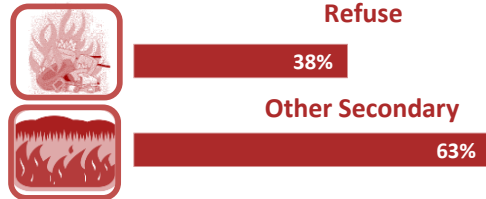
## Deliberate Fires by Classification



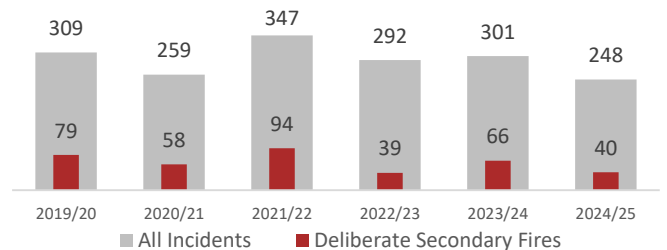
## Primary Fire Ratio by Activity Type



## Secondary Fire Ratio by Activity Type



## Deliberate Fires Compared to Operational Activity



### Definitions

**Primary Fires** - all fires in buildings, vehicles and outdoor structures or any fire involving casualties, rescues or fires attended by five or more appliances

**Secondary Fires** - fire incidents that did not occur at a primary location, was not a chimney fire in an occupied building, did not involve casualties (otherwise categorised as a primary incident) and was attended by four or fewer appliances.

It is positive to report a 42% decrease within the year on year indicator and a 28% reduction in the 3 year average. Refuse fires are again a key contributor within this indicator.



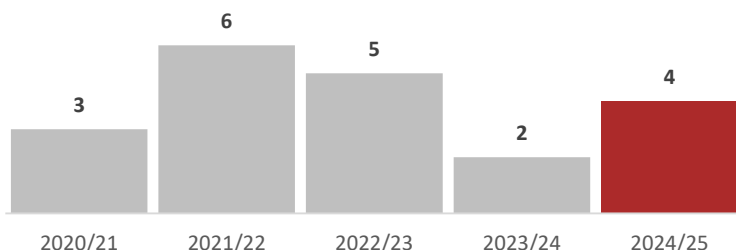
# Non Domestic Fire Safety



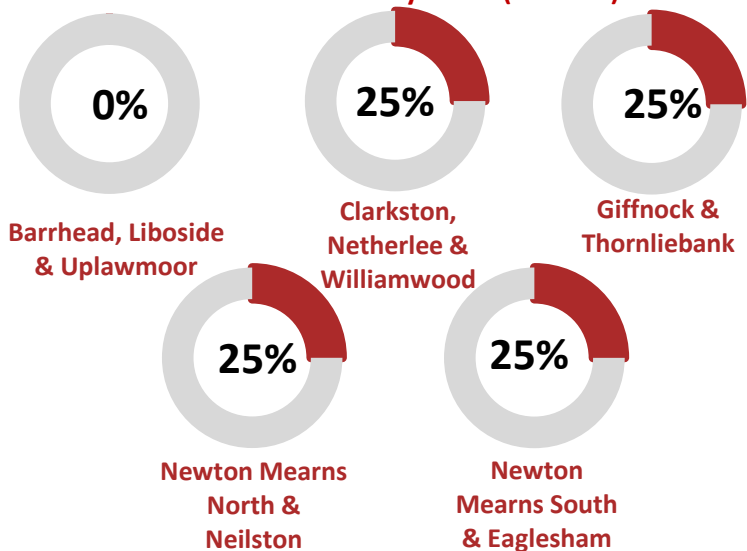
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Year on Year ◆ 100%     3 Year Average ● -15%

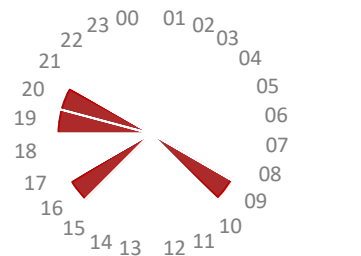
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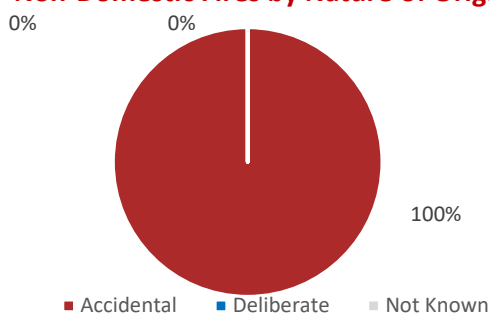
## Non-Domestic Fires by Ward (% share)



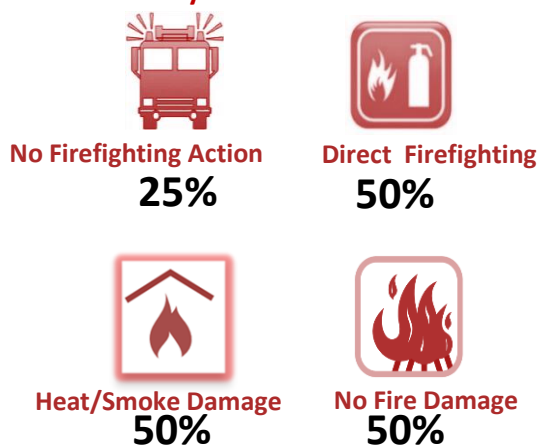
## Non-Domestic Fires by Time of Day



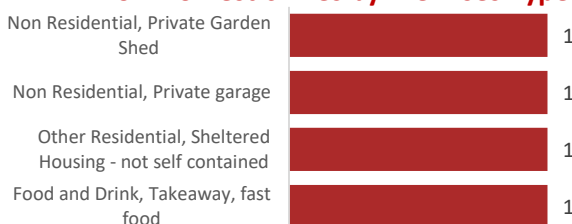
## Non-Domestic Fires by Nature of Origin



## Severity of Non-Domestic Fires



## Non-Domestic Fires by Premises Type

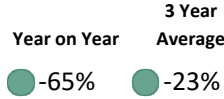


Though there has been a 100% increase on the annual indicator within this category it measured against historically low figures. This is highlighted in the 15% reduction within the three year average. It is also worthy of note that all of the incidents were accidental and resulted in minimal damage to the properties involved.

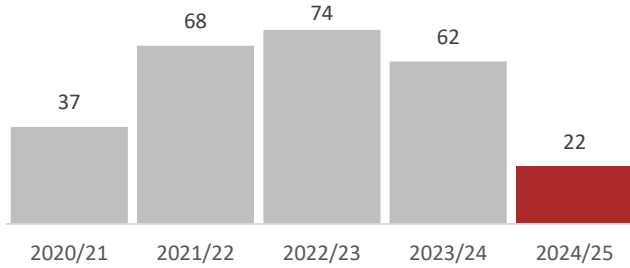
# Unwanted Fire Alarm Signals



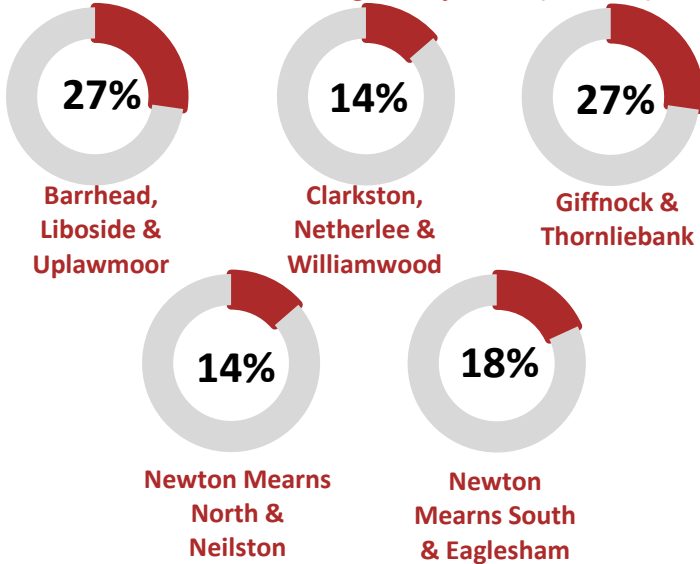
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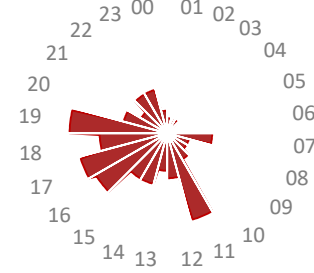
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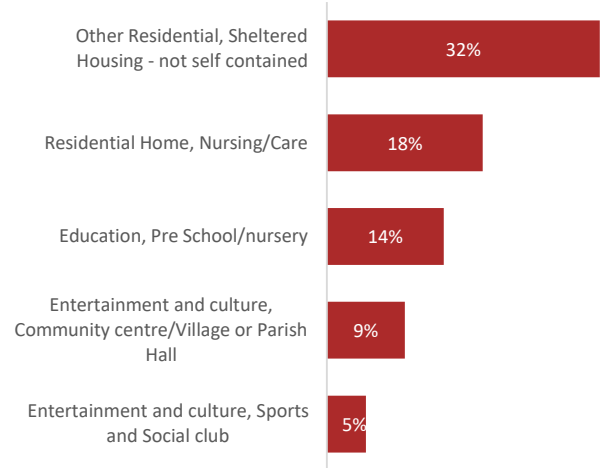
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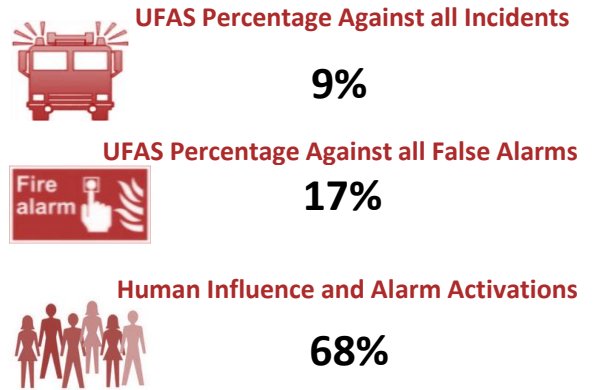
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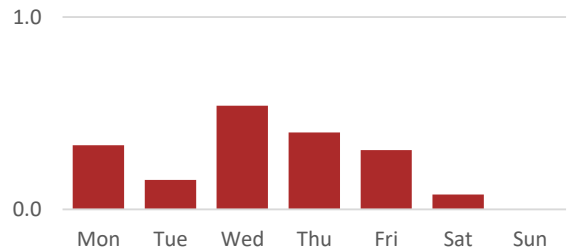
## Unwanted Fire Alarm Signals - Top 5 Premises



## Unwanted Fire Alarm Signals Activity Ratios



## Average Unwanted Fire Alarm Signals per Day



It is positive to report a reduction of 65% against the year on year indicator for UFAS and a 23% decrease against the three year average. However, it is disappointing to note again that the majority of UFAS incidents are avoidable and caused by human error or faulty equipment predominantly within the care setting in this reporting period.