



Firework Safety for Children

- Never allow children to play with fireworks without supervision
- Teach children how to hold sparklers (away from body at arms length)
- Light sparklers one at a time
- Children should not run with sparklers or wave them at other children
- Dress children in fitted clothes (loose or flowing clothes could catch fire)
- When sparklers go out they can still be hot (put in water or sand)
- Do not drink alcohol while using fireworks and watching children

Children Under The Age of Five

- Never hold a baby or child while holding a sparkler
- Never let a child under the age of five hold a sparkler
- Supervise young children closely

In Case of Emergency

- Treat burns with cold water for about ten minutes
- Do not touch the burn or pull any material away that is stuck to it
- To prevent infection, cover the burn with clean, non-fluffy material
- If clothes catch on fire remember STOP, DROP, and ROLL (stop the person, drop them to the ground and roll them on the ground or roll them in a heavy material such as a coat)
- If burn is severe, go to the emergency room or to a doctor