

Juvenile Fire Setters Intervention Network

Fire Safety for Parents and Children

*** THE NETWORK PROVIDES INFORMATION AND COUNSELING ***

Today's Date: _____

Guardian's Name: _____ Child: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

The number of fires set by children go up during the summer . . .

FACTS

- ◆ Young children are fascinated by fire
- ◆ Children set an average of 15 fires a day in Oregon
- ◆ Yearly, hundreds of children die in home fires started by children

PREVENTION

- ◆ Keep matches and lighters out of children's sight and reach
- ◆ Teach children that fire is a tool, not a toy
- ◆ Don't leave children unattended and unsupervised

ACTION

- ◆ As a parent of young children, *take any fire play seriously!*
- ◆ Get immediate help to prevent behavior from becoming worse
- ◆ Call your local fire department or district ~ they can help

YOU AND YOUR CHILD HAVE BEEN PLACED IN THE FOLLOWING FIRE SAFETY TRAINING (Guardians are requested to attend):

Date/Time: _____

Juvenile Department, 609 W. 10th, Medford
Medford ~ (774-4800 - for directions only)

If you have questions contact: Dept./Distr. _____
Representative _____
Telephone # _____

Can't make it? Please call; help us keep this program free! Your call allows us to cancel our Professional Counselor. Your cooperation is appreciated!

*** Fire Personnel * Professional Counselor * County Services Personnel ***