

CLIO AREA FIRE DEPARTMENT POLICY

SAFETY

The Clio Area Fire Department will conduct operations with safety and health as a prime concern. Safety and health of fire fighting personnel and the public will be the first consideration regardless of the type of incident or situation in which the Clio Area Fire Department may become involved.

Adequate attention to safety is a condition of employment for all personnel of the Fire Department.

Safety Officer

- Shall direct and be responsible for developing and maintaining a year round safety program for all aspects of fire department operation.

Fire Station

- Not less than twice each year, inspections shall be made of Station, apparatus, and equipment for safety related issues.
- Immediately remove from service any defective equipment or items posing a safety hazard to personnel.

On Scene

- The Safety Officer shall be in charge of all safety related issues on scene.
- Any injury that has occurred shall immediately be brought to the attention of the Incident Commander.

Accident Investigation

- All injuries and Accidents to Fire Department Personnel and Apparatus shall be investigated completely and remedial action taken (if possible) to prevent another such incident.

Training

- Safe practices shall be discussed during training exercises specific to the particular session.

