

Making South Yorkshire Safer & Stronger

Safe & Well Referral Scheme

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YORKSHIRE
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**South Yorkshire
FIRE & RESCUE**



Our prevention work over the last 15 years has helped to reduce accidental house fires to historically low levels.

But in common with most other fire and rescue services nationally, recent years have seen a slight increase in fatal incidents.

In fact, since 2011 more than 50 people have died in house fires in South Yorkshire.



Analysis of each incident has found common factors involved in almost all of our recent fire deaths, such as:

- **Hoarding**
- **Social Isolation**
- **Substance misuse**
- **Mental health problems**



For reasons such as these, many house fire victims were already known to at least one agency, whether it's....

- **A landlord**
- **Doctor's surgery**
- **Drug and alcohol service**
- **Council**
- **Social care team**

But sadly in most cases

We did not

Most of these deaths could have been prevented, but

We need your help

**If we had known about them,
we may have been able to reduce the risk.
The best way to help us, help those most at risk is to sign up to
become one of Safe & Well Referral Partners**



Safe & Well

TOGETHER WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Referral Types

- **Home Safety Check**
- **Threat of Arson Including Domestic Abuse**
- **Think Family**

Partnership Working

- St Leger Homes
- DMBC Adult Social Care
- SCC Adult Social Care
- SCC Housing Teams
- Berneslai Homes
- SWYPT NHS Trust
- IDVA/IDAS Partners
- RDASH
- DCST

How to become a S&W Partner

By contacting safe&well@syfire.gov.uk

Or

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Questions

Thank You

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