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Risk Watch is about saving lives and teaching children in their communities. There are three sets of RISK WATCH materials that were developed and produced by NFPA. Maryland Risk Watch communities have copies and electronic copies can be requested. The materials are no longer in print, so we use current ATS, EMSC, FEMA, NFPA, Safe Kids products.

- 1. Risk Watch Injury Prevention (K-8th) for schools & other community programs:**
Each of the 5 binder covers 2 grade levels and comes with CD of student worksheets. Eight Injury Prevention modules are covered with the addition of 911. To participate each community is asked to identify and submit the team leadership and the four (or more) content areas you plan to focus on.

Injury Prevention Modules: Motor Vehicle Safety, Fire and Burn Prevention, Choking, Suffocation, and Strangulation Prevention, Firearms Injury Prevention, Bike and Pedestrian Safety, Poison Prevention, Falls Prevention, Water Safety

- 2. Ready for Risk Watch (K-3) for community activities and organizations:**
There were 4 sets of packets (K,1,2,3) that include 30 activity books for children and one Educators Guide that are designed to provide “safety smart activities for kids”. The content covers the same Injury Prevention Modules as the comprehensive Risk Watch curriculum. Target audiences include: Weekend safety training and open houses, scouting groups, after school programs, child care, and any opportunity to have children learn about safety. ***OUT OF PRINT but can be copied.***

Injury Prevention Modules: Motor Vehicle Safety, Fire and Burn Prevention, Choking, Suffocation, and Strangulation Prevention, Firearms Injury Prevention, Bike and Pedestrian Safety, Poison Prevention, Falls Prevention, Water Safety

- 3. Risk Watch Natural Disaster (k-8th) for schools & other community programs:**
Each of the 5 spiral notebooks covers 2 grade levels and comes with a CD of activity sheets for children. The program is designed to help children and families take actions toward general preparedness and learn responses to disasters by teaching them the skills and knowledge they need to make positive choices for their personal safety and well-being.

Natural disaster modules are: General Preparedness, Earthquakes, Floods, Hurricanes, Tornadoes, Wildfires, Severe Winter Storms

- 4. Maryland Risk Watch Steps to Safety:** Each year the team puts together a set of six or more displays that teach injury prevention with rotating risk areas. Sample teaching tools are available onsite at the MSFA Convention in Ocean City. For more information contact riskwatch@msfa.org or come visit us at Convention.

For more information about the Maryland Risk Watch Team please email RiskWatch@msfa.org or call MIEMSS EMSC at 410-706-1758

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