



Thank you for your support to the Canadian Burn Resource Guide

Our Mission:

To inform the community of safety issues, risk of injury, burn prevention, and identify precautionary measures that can be taken to reduce the risk of burn injury and the destruction of property.

We believe that creating awareness through delivering burn safety issue topics, up to date news and information from around the world on current events, causes and incidence of burn injury, mortality and property damage that future injuries can be greatly reduced or even eliminated.

The World Health Organisation reported that, worldwide, 265, 000 people die of burn injuries every year. In Canada there are over 4,000 burns admitted to hospital every year and almost 400 of those die from their injuries, many of them being seniors or children. Another 1,000 victims die at the scene of the fire or accident. Lives can change in a second, families come under so much stress, seniors chances of survival are poor, children's lives are changed forever, and when one of the parents in a family is burned life changes for everyone.

Almost every burn injury can be avoided if people are aware. Through education and awareness, in both the workplace and at home, the number of deaths and injuries can be greatly reduced and through the information published in the Canadian Burn Resource guide awareness is brought to a higher level.

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