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## Young Burn Survivors Get Back on their Feet with Fire Fighter Hosted Burn Camp

*Fire fighters mentor dozens of teens during enriching weeklong adventure in Washington, DC.*

Dozens of teen burn survivors from across the United States and Canada are headed to Washington, DC for a priceless one-week camp hosted by the [IAFF Foundation](#) led by professional fire fighters who know the challenges these remarkable children face.

No one understands the harrowing effects of a fire more than fire fighters who are first on the scene treating injuries that can last a lifetime. Children are the ones rescued and too often left facing a future of physical and emotional challenges. These fire fighters, who donate their time to this camp, are committed to helping these brave survivors grow and thrive.

### **Journalists: We can help you tell this story. Media coverage opportunities:**

- Sunday, September 15 campers tour the Inner Harbor in Baltimore.
- Monday, September 16 campers join DC Fire Fighters for lunch at the "Chinatown Firehouse" at 500 F Street NW.
- Thursday, September 19 campers enjoy a Carnival Day at Camp Wabanna in Mayo, Md.
- B-Roll packages/photos of campers and interviews available.

**2019 IAFF International Burn Camp**  
**Saturday, September 14 to Saturday, September 21**  
**Washington, DC**