

FIRE FIGHTERS GUIDANCE NOTE # 4 -12

ISSUE: FIREFIGHTER HEAD PROTECTION (STRUCTURAL FIREFIGHTING)

A firefighter who is exposed to the hazard of head injury should wear head protective equipment that is appropriate in the circumstances.

A fire fighting helmet that meets the requirements of NFPA 1971 – 2000 edition (Standard on Protective Ensemble for Structural Fire Fighting) will provide appropriate protection for structural fire fighting.