



Australian Firefighters' Health Study Bulletin No 8

Welcome to the eighth bulletin of the Australian Firefighters' Health Study, a publication designed to keep you informed about the progress of the Australian Firefighters' Health Study.

Study progress

- The final study report was released in December 2014 and is available at: <http://www.coeh.monash.org/downloads/finalreport2014.pdf>
- Some questions and answers about the study and its findings have also been posted at: <http://www.coeh.monash.org/downloads/faqs2014.pdf>
- We are working on reanalysis of the volunteers to exclude those who have no recorded incident data and to use much higher cut points in the incident analysis to provide more contrast between the exposure groups.
- The Fiskville study final report was released in January 2015 and is also available at: <http://www.coeh.monash.org/assets/fiskvillereport1.pdf>
- The Defence study draft report has been sent to Defence for comments and will be published in due course.

To learn more about the study or to find copies of this and other bulletins, visit our study website: <http://www.coeh.monash.org/ausfireftr.html>. If you have any questions or comments, please send an email to firefighterstudy@monash.edu.

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