

Incident Name: Grouse Fire Burn Injury (2020)

State: Idaho

Date: 9/11/20

Incident Type: Burn Injury

Description of the Incident:

On the Grouse Fire on the Boise National Forest, a hand crew firefighter stepped into a hot stump hole and sustained a “fist-sized” burn to the back of one leg. This burn injury was located between the top of the boot and the knee. The patient was attended to on scene by a U.S. Forest Service EMT, then transported via an agency owned vehicle (AOV) to a hospital. The patient was transferred to the Boise Burn Center, then treated and released on the same night. A full recovery is expected.

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