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SPECIAL ORDER



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SERIES	NUMBER	RESPONSIBLE UNIT	EFFECTIVE DATE	EXPIRATION DATE
2025	106	OFC	April 25, 2025	May 19, 2025

SUBJECT

Skin Cancer Screening Days

May is National Skin Cancer and Melanoma Awareness Month.

Firefighters have a 21% higher risk of melanoma, the deadliest form of skin cancer, compared to the general population, due to exposure to heat and chemicals. **Early detection makes it treatable.**

In recognition, the Health and Safety Division, a team of board-certified dermatologists and local medical students in collaboration with the American Academy of Dermatology, the Firefighter Cancer Support Network, and We Rock Cancer will offer members the opportunity for a free skin cancer spot check.

Free Skin Check

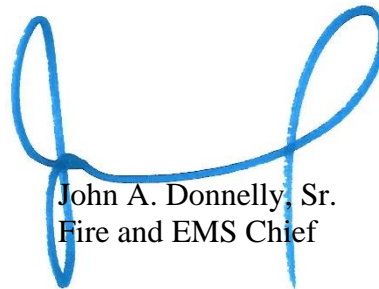
- By Dermatologists: Spot checks by board-certified dermatologists
- Identifies concerning skin lesions
- Last 5-15 minutes in private rooms
- Female-only room available

Schedule

- Platoons 3, 4, 1: Scheduled by Operations Office
- Platoon 2 and all uniformed and civilian employees: Come any day or use QR to book

Event Details

- When: May 16–18, 2025 | 1:30 – 3:30 PM
- Where: Engine 4 – 2531 Sherman Ave NW, Washington, DC 20001
- Organized by: American Academy of Dermatology, Firefighter Cancer Support Network, We Rock Cancer, and local volunteers



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HEROES NEED **PROTECTION TOO**

**Free Skin Spot Checks
for DC Firefighters**

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DCFD Fire Engine Station 4

2531 Sherman Avenue NW
Washington, DC 20001



SCAN ME OR
TAP ME TO
SIGN UP!



**Doctors, Residents, &
Medical Students On-Site**



**spot skin
cancer**



**Free Skincare
Samples Provided**



Walk-ins Welcome!



**American
Academy of
Dermatology
Association**

**Let's protect those who protect us.
Stop by for a quick, free screening—
it could save a life.**

