

26. Kentucky: Fire Inspector I

This class is the first step in the Fire Marshal's revised Fire Inspector program. Fire and building code officials will benefit from this course. This class will provide instruction based on NFPA 1, 2018 Fire Code, NFPA 101, 2018 Life Safety Code, the Kentucky Standards of Safety (815 KAR 10:060) and the Kentucky Building Code (KBC). Officials will learn basic principles of fire inspections, and how they relate to the KBC and International Building Code (IBC). This class will consist of one fast-paced day of instruction followed by an exam. Certificates are issued upon passing the test.

Course Objectives:

- Prepare the attendees to conduct fire inspections of buildings for fire hazards and code compliance per 815 KAR 10:060 (The Kentucky Standards of Safety).
- Determine if fire protection equipment is operational, maintained and in compliance.
- Determine the adequacy of exits.
- Determine an occupant load for a facility.
- Where required, ensure emergency fire evacuation drills are held.
- Advise property owners of the inspector's findings.
- Gain an understanding of projects that must be approved by the Division of Building Code Enforcement and other Divisions within the Department of Housing, Building, and Construction.

Instructor

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