

North Carolina 4-H Presentation Guidelines: Safety

Purpose/Objectives:

- To encourage and stimulate safe living in the home and in the community
- To promote safety awareness among people at all times
- To provide leadership for safety education and assist in promoting safety activities among all community residents.

Eligibility:

Individuals or teams may compete.

- **9-10** - 4-H'er must be 9 years old prior to January 1 of the current year and not have reached their eleventh birthday before January 1 of the current year.
- **11-13** - 4-H'er must be eleven years old prior to January 1 of the current year and not have reached their fourteenth birthday before January 1 of the current year.
- **14-18** - 4-H'er must be fourteen years of age prior to January 1 of the current year, and not have reached their nineteenth birthday before January 1 of the current year.

Presentation Ideas:

- How to care for a burn victim
- How to make a home first aid kit
- How to prepare food for a safe picnic
- How to prepare a snack for traveling or outdoor activities
- How to be prepared for babysitting
- How to provide medical treatments for bites, stings, or other injuries
- Safety around the home and farm.
- How to contact emergency care providers
- Fire Safety
- Electrical safety
- School Bus Safety
- Kids Identification
- Pesticide Safety

Resources:

- Emergency care providers
- Hospitals, Doctors, Nurses, Teachers, Firemen
- Internet searches
- Electricians, etc.

Rules/Regulations:

[See NC 4-H Presentation Regulations.](#)

[NC 4-H Presentation Scoresheet 9-13...in PDF](#)

[NC 4-H Presentation Scoresheet 14-18...in PDF](#)

Suggestions/Helpful Hints:

- Use good visuals.
- Be prepared to answer questions.
- Clearly explain what the specific safety reference is to your presentation.

Judging:

- Judges will review each presentation and complete a judge's score sheet.
- Judges will use their own discretion as to whether questions will or will not be asked.
- Judges decisions will be final.

Awards: District Winners -Certificates for each Division Winner

State Winners - \$25.00 award for each Division Winner

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