

# Firework Injuries

## in Montana

About **40** Montanans are treated in hospitals or emergency departments with firework-related injuries each year.

**70%** of firework injuries in Montana occur around the 4th of July!



### Who is Injured?

All people who use or watch fireworks are at risk of injury.

**Children** were injured at a rate **2.4** times greater than adults.

**Males** were injured at a rate **2.7** times greater than females.

### Safety Tips

Never allow young children to play with or ignite fireworks.

Always have an adult supervise fireworks activities.

Make sure you, your kids, and others watch fireworks displays from a safe distance.

Never try to re-light or pick up fireworks that have not ignited fully.

Call 911 immediately if someone is injured from fireworks.



**19%**

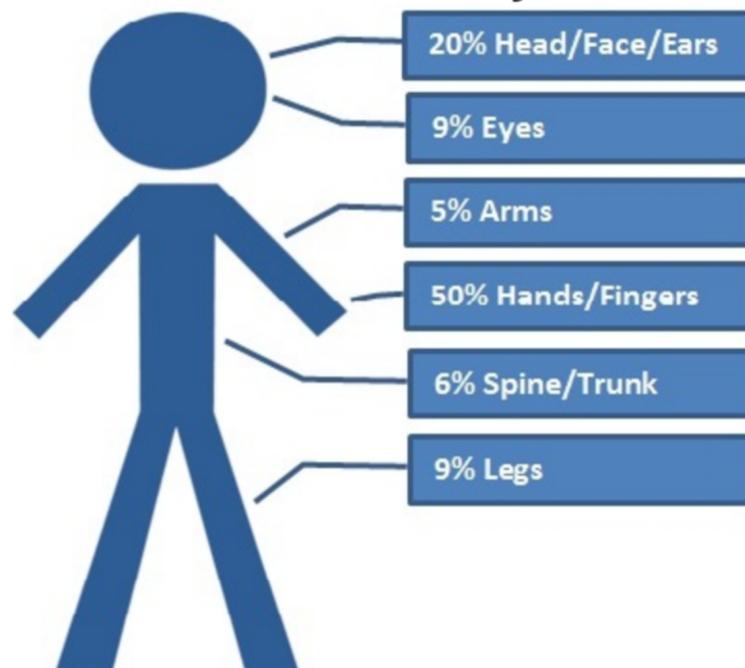
of firework injuries are due to

**SPARKLERS,**

according to the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission

## Types and Locations of Firework Injuries

### Locations of Injuries



### Types of Injuries (%)

