

MEDIA Advisory

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Holiday Safety Tips and Live Demonstrations

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- **Who:** To encourage safety this holiday season, the Orange County Fire Authority (OCFA), the Orange County Sheriff's Department (OCSD), Orange County Global Medical Center and all the Orange County fire agencies have partnered together to raise awareness.
- **What:** Orange County public safety agencies and Orange County Global Medical Center have launched a holiday safety campaign that runs from Nov. 23 Dec. 31. The campaign will culminate with live demonstrations involving the fire dangers associated with a dry Christmas tree, frying a turkey in hot oil, and safety tips from public safety experts.

Scheduled Speakers

- Captain/PIO Steve Concialdi, OCFA
- Assistant Fire Chief Brian Young, OCFA
- Assistant Sheriff Don Barnes, OCSD
- Dr. Andrea Dunkelman, Medical Director, Orange County Burn Center, Orange County Global Medical Center

Dry Christmas Tree Burn and Turkey Frying Demonstrations

- Live burn of a dry Christmas tree and the deep frying of turkeys
- When:Tuesday, December 29 at 11 a.m.Media staging begins at 10:30 a.m.

Where: OCFA – RFOTC

1 Fire Authority Road in Irvine - Drill grounds near the tower

Video & Interview Opportunities Available in English and Spanish

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