



## Fire Extinguishers

Tuesday, August 27, 2024  
 9:00 a.m.- 11:00 a.m  
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According to the Fire Industry Association, the use of hand portable fire extinguishers was responsible for suppressing upwards of 93 percent of blazes in 2021. The importance of educating people on fire extinguisher safety methods as well as the limitations associated with them cannot be understated.



This session will cover essential elements associated with the safe use of hand portable fire extinguishers, including:

### TOPICS OF DISCUSSION

What is Fire?
Fire Prevention and Protection
Classes of Fire
Types of Extinguishers
Selection, Inspection, Maintenance, and Disposal
Fire Extinguisher Use
Fire Extinguisher Use <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fight or Flight</li> <li>• PASS</li> </ul>
Resources
Q&A



**ABOUT THE PRESENTER:**  
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Kimlee is currently the Senior Risk Management Trainer for the Massachusetts Interlocal Insurance Association (MIIA). She has enjoyed various positions in the safety and health profession for over 43 years. Her expertise is in construction, maritime, education, insurance, and regulatory compliance. She has also been developing curriculum, and serving as an industry director and instructor for the OSHA Education Center for 33 years.