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NFCC Community Risk Management Programme

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What HMICFRS said?

HMICFRS Tranche 1 commentary

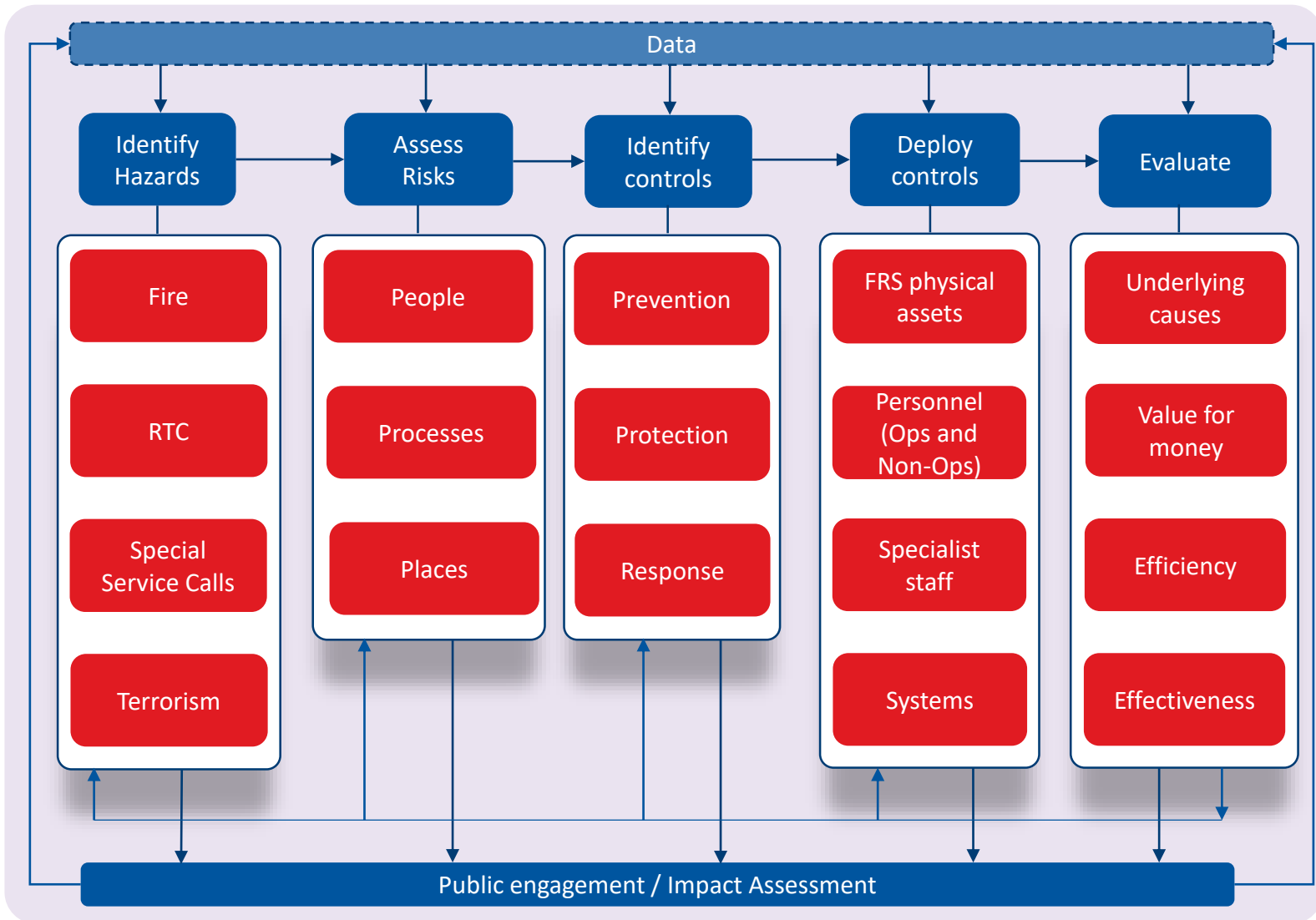
“Services could improve the way they model and predict risk; and how they explain these risks to the public”

“We would particularly like to see fire and rescue services improving the way they use this information to determine allocation of resources across the organisation according to risk”

“We welcome the work of the NFCC through the community risk programme to support this improvement”



Components of RMP



What is the Community Risk Programme?

NFCC strategic commitment

“NFCC will work with FRSs to ensure that Risk Assessments align to a national definition of risk, supporting the development of risk assessment methodologies which allow a consistent risk-based approach to risk management planning, enables FRSs to focus its resources on activities where they will have the greatest impact on reducing risk and vulnerability within their communities.”



What is the Community Risk Programme?

NFCC Community Risk Programme

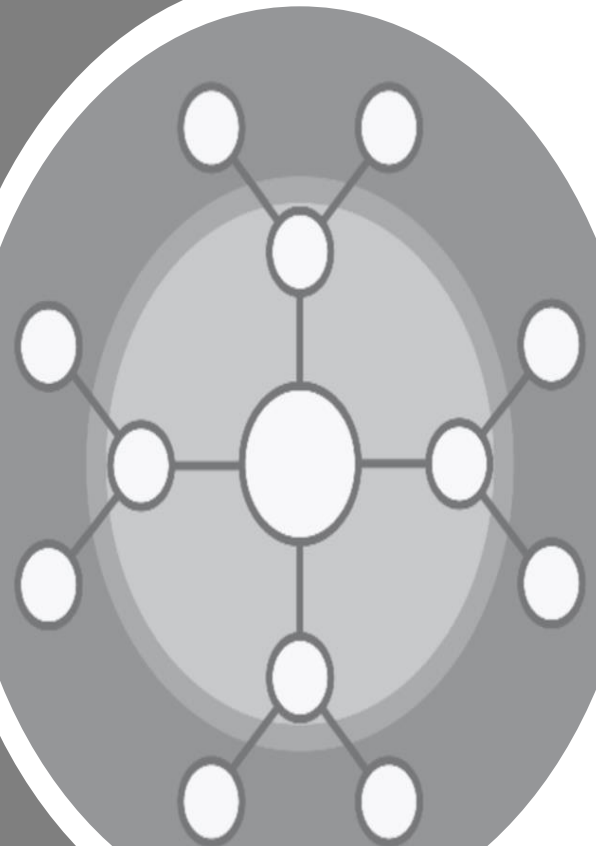
A programme of work that supports improvement in the approach taken by fire and rescue services to risk management planning in every part of the UK

The programme will deliver a toolkit that:

Generates capacity, data, expertise, understanding and competence at a national level to support this function

Creates a common suite of standards by tools, that can be used locally to develop an RMP

Supports political understanding and local communication, engagement and consultation in the creation of RMPs



What are the benefits?

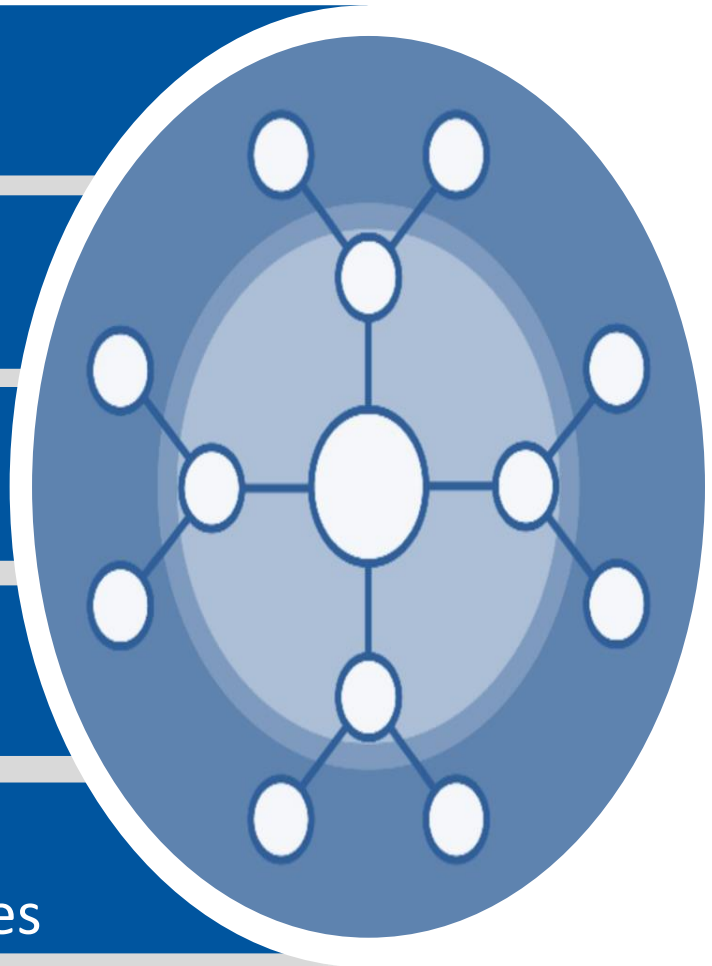
Consistent CRM with improved links to inputs, outputs & outcomes

Evidence based clarity for the Sector on the role of 'firefighters'

Supporting prosperity through inclusive risk mitigation

Increased confidence & clarity with citizens through a connected approach.

Improved connectivity with the wider public service 'risk' assessment strategies

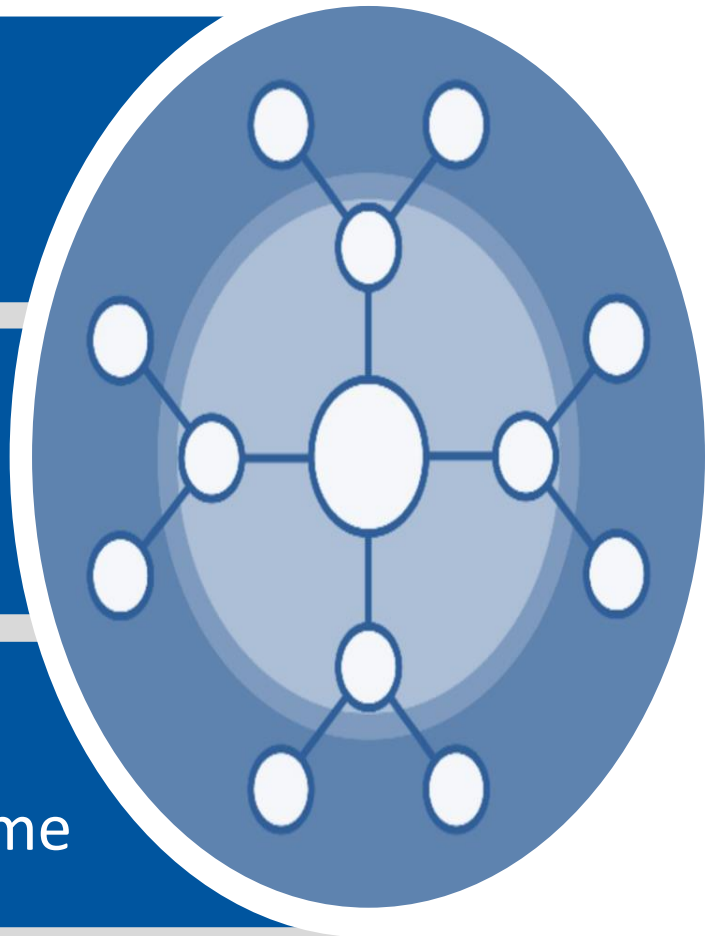


Today's focus

Research Project Aims & Objectives

Key considerations from the
Research Project

The development of the next steps
within the Community Risk Programme



Research Context

NTU strategic perspective

Create an **evidence base** to support professional, informed judgements about resourcing to address or mitigate the assessed risk



Research Project Aims

Review Current FRS Practice

Identify Good Practice

Identify Gaps in Practice

Suggest Areas for Future Direction



NTU Research Considerations

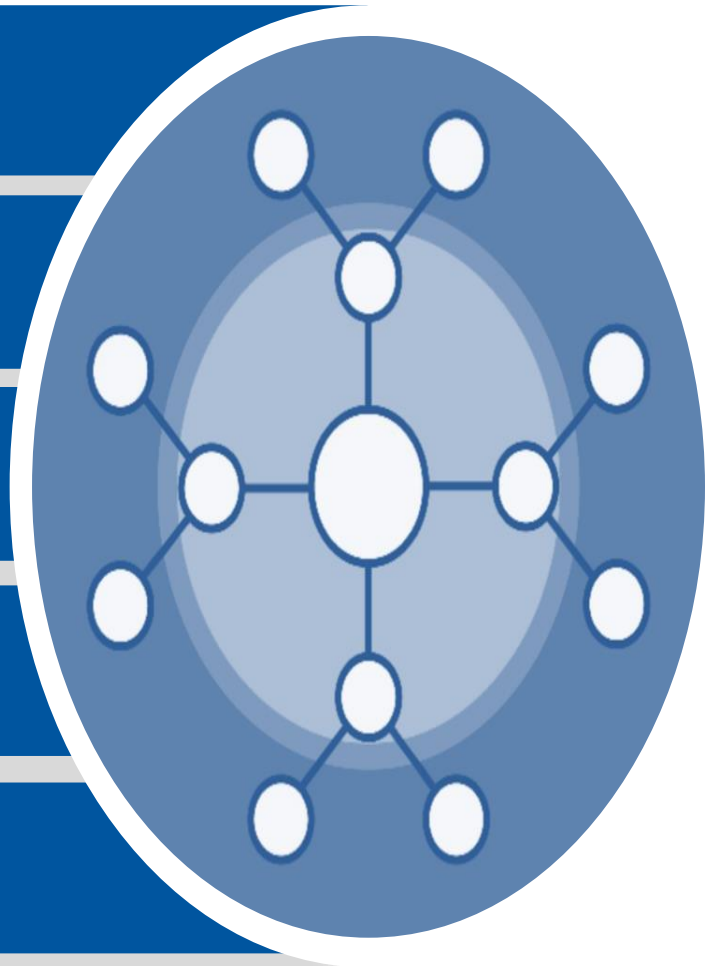
FRS Use of Data

FRS Use of Evidence

CRM Methodology

Evaluation

Other Related Issues



Research Messages

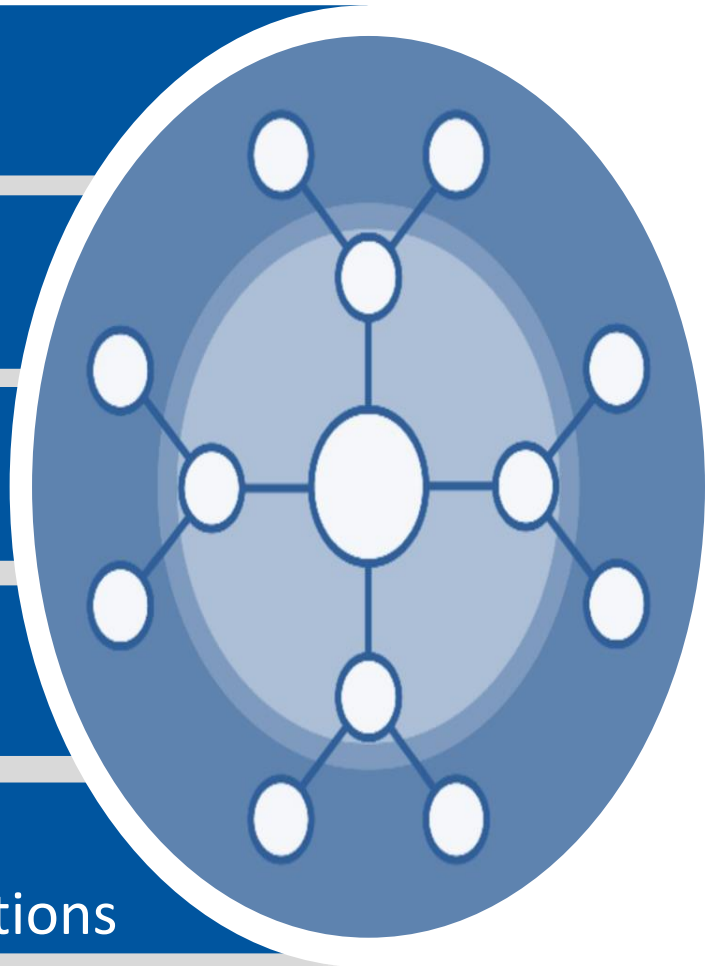
Current CRM toolkit (FSEC) deemed unusable and/or irrelevant

FRS deemed data poor compared to other emergency services

Development required in the 'what' & 'how' data sources are used to RA

Limited use of 'up-to-date' guidance or academic/Government research

Majority of FRSs do NOT evaluate the Effectiveness of risk mitigation interventions



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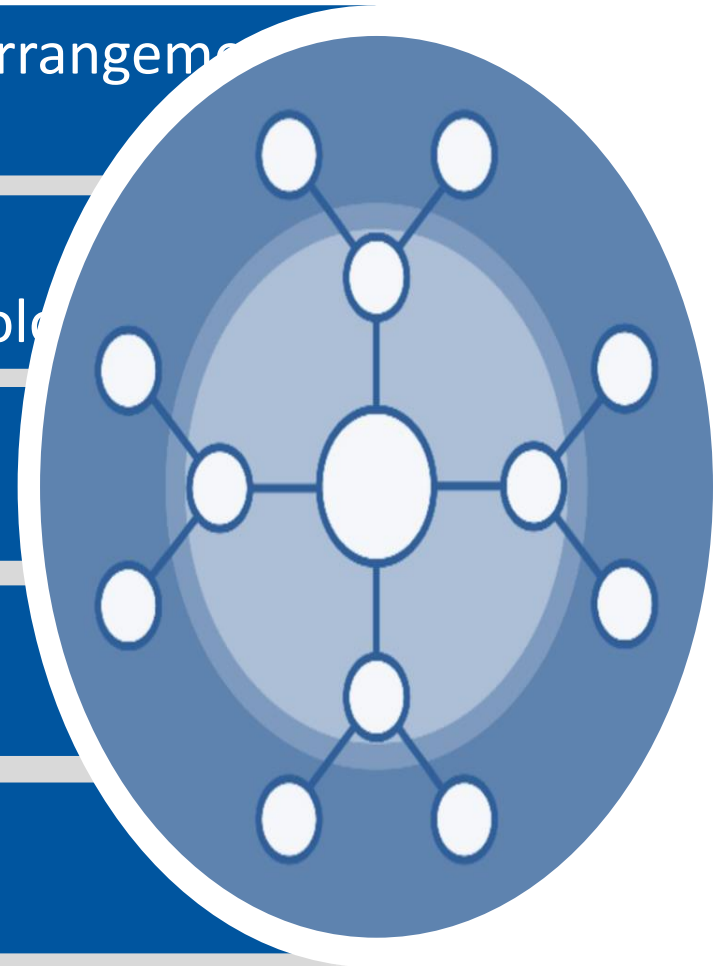
Further development of collaborative arrangements to support data sharing

Establish a Sector Intelligence Model (evidence base) for evaluation methodology

NFCC to facilitate a national & regional risk assessment

Training in statistical analyses, evidence based practice, etc

Further Research Required



What next?

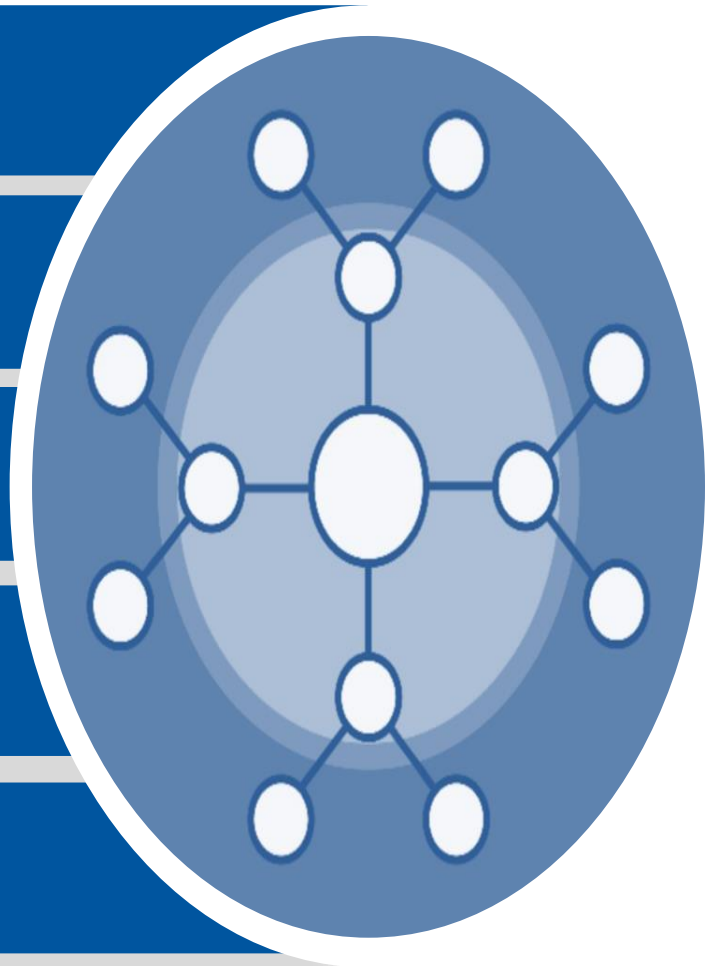
National Toolkit to support CRM

National QA Standardised Database

R & D to consider the credibility of data sources

Review & maintain relevant up-to-date guidance, good practice repository

Refine NFCC Strategy



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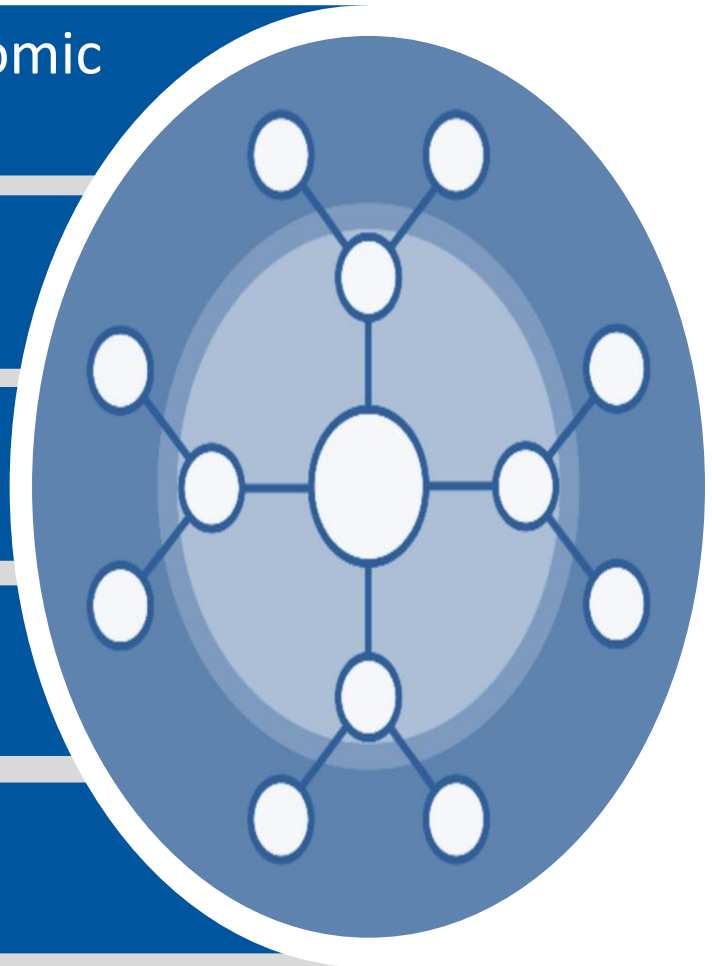
Commission research to establish economic & social cost of fire

Establish a Sector Intelligence Model For evaluation methodologies

Develop a competency framework in CRM

Collaboration with HO, HMICFRS, other Emergency services

Communicate & Consult





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Thank you and
questions

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