



## Division of State Fire Marshal

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# SAFETY ADVISORY



## Ceramic Fire Pots & Fire Gel Injuries



Recently, there have been several incidents throughout the United States involving ceramic fire pots using fire gel, resulting in serious injury. This safety advisory serves as an awareness of the potential dangers associated with the use of ceramic glass fire pots:

- People have no idea they are dealing with something so potentially dangerous.
- Refilling the fire pot with gel-style fuel while the pot is still lit is the number one cause for injury.
- Injury occurs during refueling because the flame appears colorless; giving the impression the fire pot has extinguished itself. However an active flame is present.
- Ceramic pots can break, causing the ignited fuel to burst outward towards people, resulting in catching their clothes afire and causing injury.



### Flaming Gel Pots Faulted In Burn Injuries

[Click Here to watch this video](#)

**Any Fire or EMS agencies that experience a fire pot incident are urged to report it to your local State Fire Marshal's Office.**

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