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**Request:**

*Number of callouts to fires where "air fryer" is named as the cause in each of the following calendar years: 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022. Please include any available details on the number/type of injuries, deaths and length of time to put each fire out.*

**Response:**

The LFB do not currently record "air fryer" as an ignition source for fires. However, after doing a free text search of our Incident Management System (IMS), we have identified five fires that took place since 2017 where an 'air fryer' has been recorded as the main cause of the fire.

We have a record of an injury being recorded at one of these five fires. There are no fatalities recorded at any of the five fires.

We do not record the length of time to put each fire out. We do record the time a fire engine arrives at an incident and the time they leave an incident.

The table below shows the time the first fire engine in attendance arrived and left the five incidents we have identified an 'air fryer' as being the main cause of the fire since 2017:

Incidents where an air fryer has been identified as being the main cause of fire		
Year	Time first fire engine arrived	Time first fire engine left
2022	20:53:22	21:36:38
2021	09:47:28	11:28:31
2021	17:01:24	17:19:59
2021	02:04:56	02:37:05
2021	19:29:00	19:43:53

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