

CFA's structure

CFA delivers service to the community through 1,240 brigades located throughout Victoria, including rural, urban and metropolitan areas. Neighbouring brigades cooperate together, forming 142 groups which ensure that mutual support and shared resources are available and effectively used.

These brigades are supported by nine Area headquarters which provide direct operational support through 20 Regions. Career and volunteer personnel share a range of administrative, planning and operational management roles at region, group and local level.

CFA's corporate headquarters in Melbourne provides strategic support, administrative and management services to each Area, as well as centralised coordination of resources during significant incidents.