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FIRE DEPARTMENT

City of New York

Statistics



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CityWide Performance Indicators

July 2001

Citywide Ambulance Incidents & Runs							
	Segment			Ambulance Tours			
	1	1- 3	1- 8		ALS	280	
Number of Incidents	2,266	31,897	93,805		BLS	648.6	
Avg Resp Time MM:SS	05:08	06:37	07:30				
Ambulance Runs	5,042	42,605	109,140		TOTAL	928.6	

	Segment						
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Number of Incidents	19,595	10,036	20,594	18,633	15,259	6,999	423
Ambulance Runs	25,471	12,092	22,783	19,649	16,103	7,380	620

Emergency Medical Service Incidents:

The total number of Emergency Medical Service incidents reflected in Segments 1 through 8.

Emergency Medical Service Response Times: 1-3

Dispatch and travel time in the two most severe call categories. These times are measured from the time the Fire dispatcher receives the call from the 911 operator and ends when the unit signals its arrival on the scene. The number of incidents used to calculate the response time may be lower than the total incidents due to omitted or incorrect unit arrival signals.

- Segment 1** : Cardiac Arrest & Choking
- Segment 2 & 3** : Life Threatening Medical Emergencies
- Segment 4 - 8** : Non-Life Threatening Medical Emergencies

ALS and BLS Ambulance Tours:

An 8-hour shift when an ambulance is in service in the 911 system.

- ALS Ambulance:** Advanced Life Support staffed with Paramedics.
- BLS Ambulance:** Basic Life Support staffed with Emergency Medical Technicians.