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# FIRE DEPARTMENT

## City of New York

### Statistics



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## CityWide Performance Indicators

### June 2004

Citywide Ambulance Incidents & Runs							
	Segment			Ambulance Tours			
	1	1- 3	1- 8		ALS	314.4	
<b>Number of Incidents</b>	1,996	33,438	95,196		BLS	621.8	
<b>Avg Resp Time MM:SS</b>	5:20	6:49	8:00				
<b>Ambulance Runs</b>	4,303	43,885	109,149		TOTAL	936.2	

  

	Segment						
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<b>Number of Incidents</b>	20,991	10,451	20,676	18,696	15,249	6,712	425
<b>Ambulance Runs</b>	26,731	12,851	22,387	19,580	15,794	6,869	634

**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.