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Statistics



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CityWide Performance Indicators

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Citywide Ambulance Incidents & Runs							
	Segment			Ambulance Tours			
	1	1- 3	1- 8		ALS	320.5	
Number of Incidents	2,099	33,040	92,019		BLS	631.7	
Avg Resp Time MM:SS	05:24	06:52	07:54				
Ambulance Runs	4,546	43,196	105,732		TOTAL	952.2	
Segment							
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Number of Incidents	20,610	10,331	19,743	17,307	14,789	6,724	416
Ambulance Runs	25,947	12,703	21,264	18,130	15,410	6,872	860

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.