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Statistics



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Citywide Performance Indicators

01/01/09 - 01/31/09

Citywide Ambulance Incidents & Runs							
	Segment			Ambulance Tours			
	1	1 - 3	1 - 8		ALS	340.5	
Number of Incidents	2,089	37,297	101,054		BLS	604.0	
Avg Resp Time MM:SS	05:11	06:41	08:03				
Ambulance Runs	4,312	46,363	114,059		TOTAL	944.4	
Segment							
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Number of Incidents	21,955	13,253	22,091	18,801	15,435	7,051	379
Ambulance Runs	26,290	15,761	23,659	19,905	16,231	7,441	460

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.