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Statistics



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Citywide Performance Indicators

08/01/09 - 08/31/09

Citywide Ambulance Incidents & Runs							
	Segment			Ambulance Tours			
	1	1 - 3	1 - 8		ALS	335.8	
Number of Incidents	2,032	37,748	107,499		BLS	594.3	
Avg Resp Time MM:SS	05:05	06:36	08:26				
Ambulance Runs	4,201	46,603	121,532		TOTAL	930.0	
Segment							
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Number of Incidents	20,851	14,865	23,754	20,978	16,911	7,740	368
Ambulance Runs	24,829	17,573	25,802	22,381	17,965	8,209	572

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.