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# FIRE DEPARTMENT

## City of New York

### Statistics



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## Bronx Performance Indicators Calendar Year 1999

Ambulance Incidents & Runs							
	Segment			Ambulance Tours			
	1	1- 3	1- 8		ALS	37.2	
<b>Number of Incidents</b>	4,061	84,718	227,186		BLS	127.2	
<b>Avg Resp Time MM:SS</b>	06:08	08:19	09:45				
<b>Ambulance Runs</b>	8,799	112,222	269,385		TOTAL	164.4	

  

	Segment						
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<b>Number of Incidents</b>	55,179	25,478	41,497	44,249	31,297	12,936	12,489
<b>Ambulance Runs</b>	74,772	28,651	47,675	48,309	34,501	13,291	13,387

**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.