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Statistics



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Brooklyn Performance Indicators

01/01/08 - 12/31/08

Brooklyn Ambulance Incidents & Runs							
	Segment			Ambulance Tours			
	1	1 - 3	1 - 8		ALS	96.5	
Number of Incidents	7,173	132,123	354,629		BLS	169.4	
Avg Resp Time MM:SS	05:00	06:32	07:57				
Ambulance Runs	14,908	165,089	403,784		TOTAL	265.9	
Segment							
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Number of Incidents	76,786	48,164	73,666	68,157	54,913	24,677	1,093
Ambulance Runs	93,020	57,161	79,930	72,562	58,224	26,392	1,587

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.