



FIRE DEPARTMENT

City of New York

Statistics



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Citywide Performance Indicators

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03/01/13 - 03/31/13

Citywide Fire Incidents						
	Structural Fires	Non-Structural	Non-Fire Emergencies	Medical Emergencies	Malicious False Alarms	
Number of Incidents	2,316	1,300	14,863	17,333	1,397	
Avg Resp Time mm:ss	04:00	04:21	05:03	04:19	04:31	
Serious Incidents						
	All Hands	2nd Alarm	3rd Alarm	4th Alarm	5th Alarm or Greater	Total
Number of incidents	218	14	3	1	0	236

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Number of Incidents	752	466	4,179	5,003	325	
Avg Resp Time mm:ss	03:35	03:52	04:33	03:57	03:51	
Serious Incidents						
	All Hands	2nd Alarm	3rd Alarm	4th Alarm	5th Alarm or Greater	Total
Number of incidents	66	2	1	0	0	69

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Bronx Fire Incidents						
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Number of Incidents	479	156	3,064	3,402	329	
Avg Resp Time mm:ss	04:00	04:46	05:23	04:24	04:58	
Serious Incidents						
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Number of incidents	47	6	0	0	0	53

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Manhattan Fire Incidents						
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Number of Incidents	575	336	4,032	4,491	339	
Avg Resp Time mm:ss	04:10	04:27	05:12	04:30	04:36	
Serious Incidents						
	All Hands	2nd Alarm	3rd Alarm	4th Alarm	5th Alarm or Greater	Total
Number of incidents	33	2	2	1	0	38

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Queens Fire Incidents						
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Number of Incidents	397	281	2,826	3,513	291	
Avg Resp Time mm:ss	04:29	04:33	05:13	04:31	04:36	
Serious Incidents						
	All Hands	2nd Alarm	3rd Alarm	4th Alarm	5th Alarm or Greater	Total
Number of incidents	50	4	0	0	0	54

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Staten Island Fire Incidents						
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Number of Incidents	113	61	762	924	113	
Avg Resp Time mm:ss	04:20	04:33	04:58	04:31	04:40	
Serious Incidents						
	All Hands	2nd Alarm	3rd Alarm	4th Alarm	5th Alarm or Greater	Total
Number of incidents	22	0	0	0	0	22

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Citywide Ambulance Incidents & Runs							
	Segment			Ambulance Tours			
	1	1 - 3	1 - 8		ALS	365.8	
Number of Incidents	1,950	35,688	105,405		BLS	616.6	
Avg Resp Time MM:SS	05:14	06:42	08:55				
Ambulance Runs	4,025	43,463	117,241		TOTAL	982.3	
Segment							
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Number of Incidents	21,012	12,726	19,366	21,907	19,413	8,810	221
Ambulance Runs	24,451	14,987	20,673	23,151	20,362	9,234	358

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.

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Brooklyn Ambulance Incidents & Runs							
	Segment			Ambulance Tours			
	1	1 - 3	1 - 8		ALS	99.4	
Number of Incidents	586	10,489	30,809		BLS	173.8	
Avg Resp Time MM:SS	05:18	06:34	08:45				
Ambulance Runs	1,199	12,776	34,372		TOTAL	273.2	

	Segment						
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Number of Incidents	6,105	3,798	5,502	6,254	5,992	2,538	34
Ambulance Runs	7,101	4,476	5,922	6,607	6,309	2,715	43

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	Segment			Ambulance Tours			
	1	1 - 3	1 - 8		ALS	81.3	
Number of Incidents	364	8,292	24,554		BLS	135.4	
Avg Resp Time MM:SS	05:04	07:05	09:40				
Ambulance Runs	756	9,924	27,136		TOTAL	216.7	
Segment							
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Number of Incidents	5,041	2,887	4,081	5,300	4,635	2,201	45
Ambulance Runs	5,764	3,404	4,366	5,652	4,873	2,276	45

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	Segment			Ambulance Tours			
	1	1 - 3	1 - 8		ALS	83.3	
Number of Incidents	361	8,267	25,512		BLS	128.5	
Avg Resp Time MM:SS	04:51	06:19	09:14				
Ambulance Runs	747	9,809	27,952		TOTAL	211.8	
Segment							
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Number of Incidents	4,961	2,945	4,864	5,441	4,801	2,080	59
Ambulance Runs	5,666	3,396	5,133	5,722	5,040	2,141	107

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	Segment			Ambulance Tours			
	1	1 - 3	1 - 8		ALS	77.9	
Number of Incidents	509	6,939	20,113		BLS	141.5	
Avg Resp Time MM:SS	05:33	06:56	08:15				
Ambulance Runs	1,053	8,742	22,714		TOTAL	219.4	
Segment							
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Number of Incidents	3,917	2,513	4,070	4,088	3,311	1,633	72
Ambulance Runs	4,690	2,999	4,351	4,300	3,439	1,726	156

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	Segment			Ambulance Tours			
	1	1 - 3	1 - 8		ALS	22.5	
Number of Incidents	130	1,701	4,417		BLS	36.1	
Avg Resp Time MM:SS	05:12	06:37	07:10				
Ambulance Runs	270	2,212	5,067		TOTAL	58.6	
Segment							
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Number of Incidents	988	583	849	824	674	358	11
Ambulance Runs	1,230	712	901	870	701	376	7

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