

# **FDNY VITAL STATISTICS**

#### **CY 2009**

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NYC Land Area: 322 sq. miles	Population: 8,250,567	Fire Houses: 221 EMS Stations: 30
PersonnelUniformed Fire: 11,213	Uniformed EMS: 3,232	Civilian: 1,641

#### **Key Performance Indicators**

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<ul> <li>Average Citywide Response Times</li> </ul>	
Structural Fires	4:02
Medical Emergencies: (Fire)	4:15
Cardiac Arrest /Choke (Fire & EMS)	4:10
Life Threatening Segment 1-3 (EMS)	6:41
All Incidents (Fire)	4:31
All Incidents (EMS)	8:27
Average Call Processing Time (Fire)	0:29
EMS Emergency Room Turnaround Time	30:18
Civilian Fire Fatalities	73
Numbers of Civilians Saved or Rescued	
From Building Fires	745
• Victims Return of Spontaneous Circulation	1,455
• CFR-D Engine Pre-Hospital Saves	212
Victims Trapped in Elevators	15,104
From Utility Emergencies	1,258
• Trapped Inside Buildings or Apartments	1,067
• Injured or Extricated at Vehicle Accidents	2.020
Miscellaneous Performance Indicators	
• Fire Prevention (AIP) Alternate Issuance	
Procedure exams available on-line	41
• Licenses Reviewed on-line	1,557
Random Drug Screenings Conducted	2,007
Random Drug Screening Pass Rate	99.4%
Annual Medicals Administered	15,696
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#### Significant Events

Jan. 16<sup>th</sup> A "Miracle on the Hudson" when US Airways Flight 1549 ditches in the Hudson River and all 155 on board were pulled to safety as the plane slowly sank.

#### 2009-2010 Strategic Plan Initiatives

- Develop and Implement a risk-based building inspection program.
- Expand multi-lingual fire safety education programs and community outreach.
- Initiate FDNY New York City Project Hypothermia.
- Advance the development of an electronic Firefighter Locator System as a component of a comprehensive incident management system.
- Implement "green" initiatives Department-wide.
- Establish a Leadership Development Program for Staff Chiefs.

## Significant Events Continued

<u>May 4<sup>th</sup></u> Citywide rollout of UCT an initiative to unify calltaking among the Police and Fire departments. NYPD 911 call takers now handle calls previously processed by fire dispatchers dramatically reducing call processing times for most fire unit incidents.

<u>Nov. 5<sup>th</sup></u> FDNY conducts H1N1 BIOPOD exercise where all first responders were offered the H1N1 influenza vaccine. The 4-day drill was part of the Department's ongoing initiative to plan for its response to chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear and explosive incidents. 10 fixed points of distribution (PODs) and three mobile PODs located throughout the five boroughs, were established to reach all of FDNY's first responders

<u>Nov. 9<sup>th</sup></u> FDNY reports a 29 percent decrease in burn injuries suffered by firefighters attributed to a new safety initiative aimed at reducing burns and other on-the-job injuries. Teams of specially-trained instructors visited firehouses and conducted inservice training sessions on firefighter safety. As a result burn injuries fell to 252, down from 354, and a 41 percent decline from 2007, when there were 428 burn injuries. The latest statistics are a record low for firefighter burn injuries; the record high was 1,226 in 1994, the year before the introduction of bunker gear.

<u>Dec. 31<sup>st</sup></u> FDNY continues to improve performance ending the year with 73 fire deaths, the fewest fatalities since the 77 deaths recorded in 1919, and with response times to structural fires faster than ever before. The citywide average response time to structural fires was 4:02 in CY 2009, 6 seconds faster than the previous record of 4:08 in 1994.

<u>Dec. 31<sup>st</sup></u> 2009 Fire Commissioner Nicholas Scoppetta retires ending his nearly half-century of public service. Commissioner Scoppetta lead the FDNY for the past 8 years and left the Department better prepared, better trained, and better equipped than ever before.

### <u>Highlights</u>

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• Total Incidents (Fire)	473,024
Structural Fires	26,666
• Emergencies (non-medical)	194,406
<ul> <li>Medical Emergency Incidents (Fire)</li> </ul>	209,563
<ul> <li>Total EMS Incidents</li> </ul>	1,236,730
Total EMS Life Threatening Incidents	444,920
Hospital Transports	940,519
<ul> <li>Operating Budget FY-10(\$ M)</li> </ul>	\$1,616.6
• Revenue Budget Fire FY-10 (\$ M)	\$99.3
• Revenue Budget EMS FY-10 (\$ M)	\$165.3
• Capital Commitments FY-10 (\$ M)	\$105.0
<ul> <li>Total Building Inspections FY-09</li> </ul>	259,150

<ul> <li>Bureau of Fire Prevention FY-09</li> <li>Number of Inspections</li> <li>Fire Protection Inspectors (Actual)</li> <li>Revenue (\$ millions)</li> <li>Notice of Violations (NOV) issued</li> </ul>	197,418 257 \$48.25 28,871	<ul> <li>Bureau of Training</li> <li>New Fire Recruits Trained</li> <li>Fire Officers Trained</li> <li>EMS Officers Trained</li> <li>New EMTs Trained</li> <li>New Paramedics Trained</li> <li>Promoted Paramedics Trained</li> </ul>	0 118 0 239 17 40
<ul> <li>Bureau of Fire Investigation (BFI)</li> <li>Total Investigations</li> <li>Incendiary Fires</li> <li>Total Arrests</li> <li>Juvenile Arrests &lt; 16 Years</li> <li>Juvenile Fire Setter Referrals</li> <li>Fireworks Arrests</li> </ul>	6.482 2,076 588 28 127 32	<ul> <li>Bureau of Support Services</li> <li>Work Orders Submitted (Facilities)</li> <li>Work Orders Completed</li> <li>Total emergency Priority Red Work Orders rec'd &amp; % Completed</li> <li>Engine Apparatus Downtime</li> <li>Ladder Apparatus Downtime</li> <li>Ambulance Downtime</li> <li>Rescue/Haz-Mat Downtime</li> </ul>	13,456 13,631 6,460 94.9% 15% 19% 15% 14%
Top Five Causes of Accidental FiresInvestigated by BFI1. Electrical2. Smoking3. Open Flame (match, candle, etc)4. Careless Cooking5. Hot Objects	856 555 351 242 163	<ul> <li>Public Education</li> <li>Fire Safety Education Presentations</li> <li>Civilians Trained in CPR</li> <li>Number of Fatal Fire Campaigns</li> <li>Smoke C/O detectors distributed</li> <li>Detector Batteries Distributed</li> </ul>	5,696 9,265 27 7,814 101,048
Top Five Engine Companies	Unit Activit	<u>y CY 2009</u> <u>Top Five Ladder Companies</u>	Runs

Top Five Engine Companies	Kuns	Top Five Ladder Companies	Kuns
1. Engine 62	5,498	1. Ladder 123	4,432
2. Engine 75	5,346	2. Ladder 43	4,366
3. Engine 58	5,300	3. Ladder 120	4,261
4. Engine 290	5,153	4. Ladder 26	4,242
5. Engine 37	5,124	5. Ladder 28	4,233
Top Five Battalions	Runs	Top Five EMS Units	Runs
1. Battalion 9	5,114	1. 57A3	2,988
2. Battalion 8	4,416	2. 37B2	2,879
3. Battalion 16	4,226	3. 37D3	2,789
4. Battalion 50	4,074	4. 37B3	2,777
5. Battalion 6	3,863	5. 48B2	2,766
Fire Units		FDNY EMS Units	
Borough Commands	5	Field Divisions	5
• Divisions	9	<ul> <li>Daily Average Scheduled ALS Tours</li> </ul>	203
Battalions	52	Daily Average Scheduled BLS Tours	423
• Engines (Including Haz-Tech Engines)	198	• Daily Average Tours	626
• Ladders (Including SOC-Support Ladders)	143	Haz-Tac Ambulances	30
• Squads	7	Major Emergency Response Vehicles	5
• Rescues	5	Mobile Respiratory Treatment Unit	1
Haz-Tech Engines	4	WOMD Unit	1
• Special Operations-Support Ladders	25	• Paramedic Rescue-Haz-Tac Units	5
Chemical Protection Clothing Companies	29	Non-FDNY EMS Units	
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• Daily Average ALS Tours

• Daily Average BLS Tours

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147

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340

 Chemical Protection Clothing Companies 29 • Haz-Mat Company 1 3

- Fireboats
- Foam Units
- Recuperation & Care Units (RACS)