



HOUSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT

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Unit*	Type of Response	Goal	MONTHLY REPORTING PERIODS												YEAR-TO-DATE					
			Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average	Min	Max	Total		
	Total Fire Responses		10,240	8,418	9,450	8,901	10,054	10,651	10,568								9,755	8,418	10,651	68,282
	Total EMS Responses		39,557	38,481	40,015	37,905	40,075	38,698	39,777								39,215	37,905	40,075	274,508
D 028	EMS/First Responder Responses		10	5	5	6	8	7	6								7	5	10	47
D 028	Fire Responses		72	53	59	66	70	82	84								69	53	84	486
D 028	Total Responses	300	82	58	64	72	78	89	90								76	58	90	533
E 002	EMS/First Responder Responses		43	50	44	43	47	47	42								45	42	50	316
E 002	Fire Responses		106	120	107	98	106	129	116								112	98	129	782
E 002	Total Responses	300	149	170	151	141	153	176	158								157	141	176	1,098
E 003	EMS/First Responder Responses		69	86	92	89	86	83	75								83	69	92	580
E 003	Fire Responses		105	124	134	112	164	163	136								134	105	164	938
E 003	Total Responses	300	2,19	210	226	201	250	246	211								192	2	250	1,346
E 028	EMS/First Responder Responses		15	150	134	135	137	127	135								119	15	150	833
E 028	Fire Responses		149	123	136	121	156	170	150								144	121	170	1,005
E 028	Total Responses	300	299	273	270	256	293	297	285								282	256	299	1,973
E 060	EMS/First Responder Responses		96	101	84	78	71	84	81								85	71	101	595
E 060	Fire Responses		129	84	100	94	96	123	112								105	84	129	738
E 060	Total Responses	300	225	185	184	172	167	207	193								190	167	225	1,333
L 028	EMS/First Responder Responses		33	51	44	34	41	46	39								41	33	51	288
L 028	Fire Responses		65	50	60	57	70	67	77								64	50	77	446
L 028	Total Responses	300	98	101	104	91	111	113	116								105	91	116	734
SF002	EMS/First Responder Responses		0	1	1	0	4	0	2								1	0	4	8
SF002	Fire Responses		180	144	148	153	161	198	194								168	144	198	1,178
SF002	Total Responses	300	180	145	149	153	165	198	196								169	145	198	1,186
CC002	EMS/First Responder Responses		0	1	0	0	0	0	0								0	0	1	1
CC002	Fire Responses		14	16	13	20	17	15	22								17	13	22	117
CC002	Total Responses	300	14	17	13	20	17	15	22								17	13	22	118
CV 002	EMS/First Responder Responses		0	0	0	0	0	n/a	n/a								0	0	0	0
CV 002	Fire Responses		3	6	6	3	0	n/a	n/a								4	0	6	18
CV 002	Total Responses	300	3	6	6	3	0	n/a	n/a								4	0	6	18
A 002	EMS/First Responder Responses		215	221	220	211	202	200	190								208	190	221	1,459
A 002	Fire Responses		5	10	8	6	9	12	9								8	5	12	59
A 002	Total Responses	300	220	231	228	217	211	212	199								217	199	231	1,518
A 028	EMS/First Responder Responses		310	325	326	317	317	338	326								323	310	338	2,259
A 028	Fire Responses		15	9	10	7	16	9	12								11	7	16	78
A 028	Total Responses	300	352	334	336	324	333	347	338								338	324	352	2,364
A 528	EMS/First Responder Responses		328	310	385	310	321	313	307								325	307	385	2,274
A 528	Fire Responses		9	16	6	11	15	9	13								11	6	16	79
A 528	Total Responses	300	337	326	391	321	336	322	320								336	320	391	2,353
A 060	EMS/First Responder Responses			304	315	285	319	303	302								305	285	319	1,828
A 060	Fire Responses			7	8	11	15	11	20								12	7	20	72
A 060	Total Responses	300		311	323	296	334	314	322								317	296	334	1,900
S 003	EMS/First Responder Responses		386	363	372	351	358	373	3,19								315	3	386	2,206
S 003	Fire Responses		18	25	18	20	16	25	29								22	16	29	151
S 003	Total Responses	300	404	388	390	371	374	398	348								382	348	404	2,673
S 060	EMS/First Responder Responses		412	402	407	399	432	392	418								409	392	432	2,862
S 060	Fire Responses		23	23	17	27	21	20	29								23	17	29	160
S 060	Total Responses	300	435	425	424	426	453	412	447								432	412	453	3,022

2008 Fire Suppression and EMS Average Response Time Report

Average response time is presented in minutes and seconds (MM:SS).

The Houston Fire Departments' response time objectives are the following:
 First apparatus on location at a reported structural fire incident: 6 minutes or less, for 80% of the incidents



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All members of the investigative team on location (2 Engines, 1 Ladder and 1 District Chief): 9 minutes or less, for 80% of the incidents
 First responder on location on an EMS response: 8 minutes or less, for 80% of the incidents
 First apparatus on location on an ALS response: 8 minutes or less, for 80% of the incidents

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		Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average	Min	Max	
Fire Average Call Processing Time		2:00	2.17	2.21	2.20	2.17	2.17	2.21	2.15					2.18	2.15	2.21	
EMS Average Call Processing Time		2:00	2.12	2.13	2.10	2.09	2.11	2.10	2.21					2.12	2.09	2.21	
Unit	Description	Goal	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Average	Min	Max
A 002	BLS Ambulance	6:00	7.48	8.03	7.21	7.45	8.03	7.20	8.35						7.68	7.20	8.35
CC002	Cascade (Oxygen Truck)	16:00	11.04	9.44	4.00	9.28	10.33	7.36	10.55						8.86	4.00	11.04
E 002	Fire Engine	6:00	5.43	6.19	5.58	6.29	6.06	6.13	5.60						5.90	5.43	6.29
SF002	Safety 2	8:00	8.57	6.57	9.26	8.58	8.07	9.03	8.06						8.31	6.57	9.26
E 003	Fire Engine	6:00	5.52	6.31	6.02	5.47	5.49	6.10	6.25						5.88	5.47	6.31
S 003	BLS Squad	8:00	8.02	7.41	8.07	7.52	7.45	7.21	8.08						7.68	7.21	8.08
A 028	BLS Ambulance	6:00	6.29	6.35	6.32	6.21	6.30	6.23	6.24						6.28	6.21	6.35
A 528	BLS Ambulance	6:00	6.50	6.48	6.32	6.35	6.35	6.59	6.34						6.42	6.32	6.59
D 028	District Chief Vehicle	8:00	5.15	5.39	5.45	5.39	5.09	5.56	6.11						5.45	5.09	6.11
E 028	Fire Engine	6:00	5.04	5.04	5.19	5.09	5.33	5.56	5.16						5.20	5.04	5.56
L 028	Ladder	8:00	6.11	6.28	5.58	5.29	5.56	6.12	5.53						5.78	5.29	6.28
A 60	BLS Ambulance	6:00	6.53	6.56	6.49	6.56	6.58	6.50	7.00						6.60	6.49	7.00
S 60	BLS Squad	8:00	7.38	7.22	7.30	7.47	7.46	7.34	7.27						7.35	7.22	7.47
E 060	Fire Engine	6:00	5.46	5.31	5.28	5.31	5.39	5.51	5.43						5.38	5.28	5.51