



OPERATIONAL SUMMARY

July, 2017

January 1, 2017 through July 31, 2017



The Badge Means We Care

The mission of the Houston Police Department is to enhance the quality of life in the city of Houston by working cooperatively with the public to prevent crime, enforce the law, preserve the peace, and provide a safe environment.

Classified Employees¹

	July 16	July 17
Class A	5,183	5,108
Class C	1	1
TOTAL	5,184	5,109
Population	2,250,411	2,319,603
Rate per 1,000	2.30	2.20

Crime Statistics² - Part I Crime

	YTD 16	YTD 17	YTD Difference	YTD % Difference
Murder	182	147	-35	-19.2%
Forcible Rape	595	760	165	27.7%
Robbery	5,634	5,821	187	3.3%
Aggravated Assault	7,134	8,316	1,182	16.6%
VIOLENT CRIME	13,545	15,044	1,499	11.1%
Burglary	10,394	9,556	-838	-8.1%
Theft	39,006	41,607	2,601	6.7%
Auto Theft	7,554	6,876	-678	-9.0%
NON-VIOLENT CRIME	56,954	58,039	1,085	1.9%
TOTAL PART I CRIMES	70,499	73,083	2,584	3.67%

Response Times³

	YTD 16	YTD 17	YTD Difference	YTD % Difference
Priority 1	5.4	5.2	-0.2	-3.7%
Priority 2	9.9	9.9	0.0	0.0%
Priority 3	34.9	31.7	-3.2	-9.2%
Priority 4	46.7	43.6	-3.1	-6.6%
AVERAGE	24.2	22.6	-1.6	-6.7%

Calls for Service³

	YTD 16	YTD 17	YTD Difference	YTD % Difference
Priority 1	18,807	17,409	-1,398	-7.4%
Priority 2	115,795	117,929	2,134	1.8%
Priority 3	150,118	143,374	-6,744	-4.5%
Priority 4	126,414	125,208	-1,206	-1.0%
All Other codes	272,806	257,729	-15,077	-5.5%
TOTAL	683,940	661,649	-22,291	-3.3%

Commendations⁴

	YTD 16	YTD 17	YTD Difference	YTD % Difference
Citizen	572	891	319	55.8%
Department	2,456	3,254	798	32.5%
TOTAL	3,028	4,145	1,117	36.9%

Complaints⁵

	YTD 16	YTD 17	YTD Difference	YTD % Difference
Internal Complaints	525	432	-93	-17.7%
External Complaints	145	141	-4	-2.8%
TOTAL	670	573	-97	-14.5%
New Cases	22	17	-5	-22.7%

HPD and the Community: A Sampling of Notables⁶



Back to school!

July 28, 2017

HPD partnered with ABC Dental in July to hand out backpacks filled with school supplies collected by HPD officers and citizens at all patrol divisions.

¹ Employee Services Division Monthly Report. ² Monthly Crime Trend Comparison Report. ³ Calls for Service Monthly Response Time Report. ⁴ Employee Services Division Monthly Report. ⁵ Complaints compiled from all issue classifications, department wide. Statistics represent number of employees involved in each allegation category. Multiple complaints may make up a single allegation. Some complaints may be modified upon conclusion of open investigations - IAD Monthly Professional Standards Classifications Report & IAD Monthly Caseload Assignment Report. ⁶ HPD Social Media.