EMS Staffing

Field Division Summary

Authorized Personnel Strength Assigned to Ambulance Duty (Less Command staff and Communications staff)	374
Current Personnel Strength Assigned to Ambulance Duty (374 Less 39 Vacancies and 23 Reassignments)	312
Actual Personnel Strength Assigned to Ambulance Duty (Less 3 not cleared to 2-person duty and 20 currently on FMLA or othe	289 er)
Number of Personnel Required to Staff Ambulance (37 Full Time Ambulances 24x7 and 4 Peak Load Ambulances 12x7)	273

EMS Schedule

Medics assigned to Field Operations work a 48 hour workweek, (40 regular hours plus 8 hours of built in overtime every week)

The current schedules are designed through a collaborative process with the Employees Association Workforce Committee

The current schedules consist of

- Fixed 24 hour schedules (2 24 hours shifts, e.g. Mon/Thu)
- Rotating 24 hour schedules
- Fixed Hybrid schedules (2 12 hour shifts/1 24 hour shift, e.g. Sun/Mon/Tue) both day and night
- Rotating Hybrid schedules (rotates through days of the week) for both day and night shifts

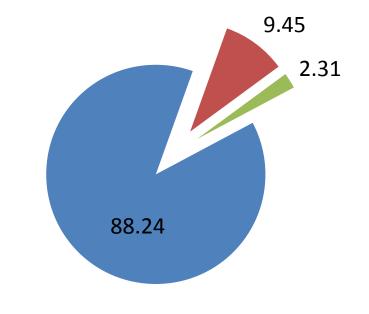
Currently the Field bids once a year for a year long bid

- The bid is based on seniority
- Each Medic selects their station and days of the week to work (if fixed)
- With each seat assignment there are 12 days a year that are designated as on-call days and paid accordingly

Daily EMS Schedule

Field Operations and Special Events

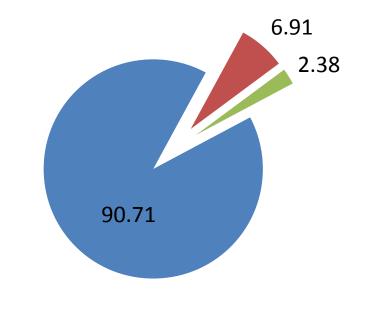
- 88.24% of the schedule is covered by regular time
- 9.45% of Extra duty shifts (Overtime) had voluntary coverage
- 2.31% of Extra duty shifts (Overtime) were covered from paid on-call list



Daily EMS Schedule

Field Operations excluding Special Events

- 90.71% of the schedule is covered by regular time
- 6.91% of Extra duty shifts (Overtime) had voluntary coverage
- 2.38% of Extra duty shifts (Overtime) were covered from paid on-call list



EMS Overtime Budget

Built-in 8-hours

FY 2015 Budget

- Field Operations overtime \$6,246,790
- Built in overtime for 48-hour work week \$4,659,077
- Overtime to cover any schedule openings (benefit time, FMLA or other) and training for each Medic \$1,587,713

