



# Burlington Fire Department

## Monthly Report

### September 2016

“The Mission of the Burlington Fire Department is to provide for the fire and life safety needs of the community in the most professional, courteous, and efficient manner possible.”

## Operations

We had 441 calls for service in September, 2016 compared to 278 calls for service in September, 2001 (60% increase). On September 6<sup>th</sup> the crews ran 26 calls including 22 ambulance calls. The following shift on Sept. 7<sup>th</sup>, crews responded to 28 calls for service with many of those being related to a severe weather event.

Our average response time for EMS calls in September was 5 minutes and 54 seconds in Burlington. This includes both emergency and non-emergency calls. Our average response time for structure fire alarms was 4 minutes and 37 seconds. There were 152 overlapping calls.

We participated in several events surrounding the 15<sup>th</sup> anniversary of 9/11. On Friday Sept. 9<sup>th</sup>, we were honored by the players, fans, and coaches of the Burlington Community High School football team at Bracewell Stadium. On Sept. 11<sup>th</sup>, we held a remembrance ceremony at Central Fire Station that was well attended by the community. In addition to these events, many churches and other groups held special services or provided food for members of the Department.





### **Fire Prevention**

In addition to completing 23 inspections in September, Fire Marshal Crooks investigated several fires and attended the annual conference of the Iowa Chapter of the International Association of Arson Investigators. He has also been preparing for Fire Prevention Week 2016. Crews installed 26 smoke detectors and 2 carbon monoxide detectors in September. Elk's Lodge #84 purchased 124 smoke detectors and 24 carbon monoxide detectors to be installed in area homes. Crews completed several fire preplans for area buildings including Simpson Paper and the Burlington Railroad Shops.

## Training

There were 274 hours of training completed in September. Several members attended an EMS training event at GRMC that consisted of an ambulance driving skills course and a penetrating trauma class presented by our medical director, Dr. Carlos Falcon. Several paramedics also completed Advanced Cardiac Life Support renewal training. Deputy Chief Ryan attended a two-day policy writing class presented by firefighter turned attorney Curt Varone.

### Target Solutions: Administrative Summary – September 2016

<b>Assignments</b>		
<b>Completions (September 1-30)</b>		
Users with completions:	43	100%
Total completions:	716	
<b>Overdue Assignments (as of September 30)</b>		
Users with assignment(s) that are overdue:	27	63%
Total overdue assignments:	134	
<b>No Assignments (as of September 30)</b>		
Users with no assignments:	2	5%

<b>Users</b>		
<b>Log-ins (September 1-30)</b>		
Users who have logged in:	41	95%
<b>Credentials</b>		
Users with credentials expiring next month (October):	0	0%

### Other Activities

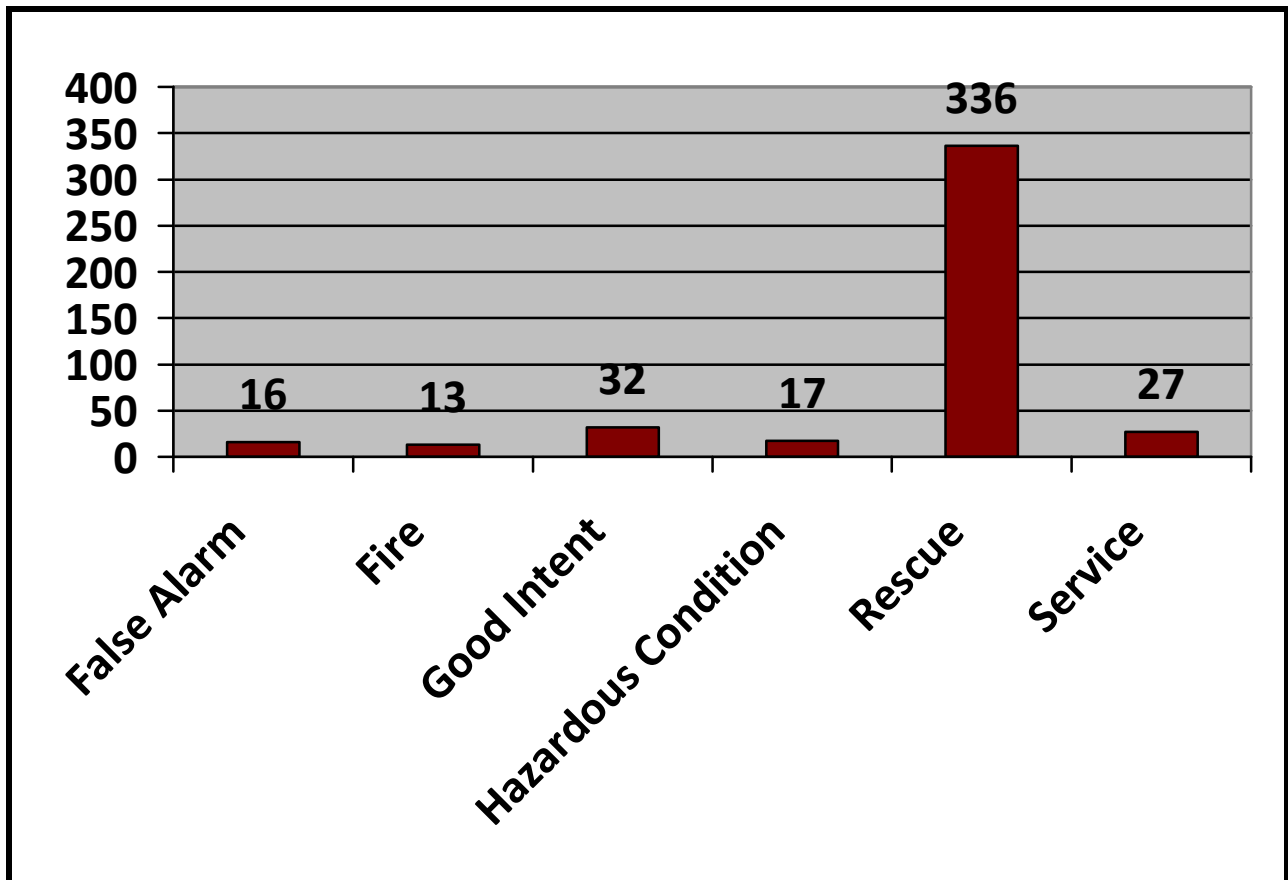
- Crews provided CPR training for EMS students and Danville Care Center staff.
- Crews provided EMS coverage during the Garret's Path event.
- Deputy Chief Ryan served as a promotional exam assessor for the Keokuk and Waterloo Fire Departments.
- Four personnel traveled to Sumner, Iowa to inspect our new ambulance.
- Battalion Chief Bullinger attended the SCC EMS Advisory Board meeting.
- Battalion Chief Workman attended the MABAS Division 62 meeting.
- Shift 1 personnel participated in the South Hill Block Party.
- Chief Trexel and Billing Manager Hunter attended the "Barriers to Health" seminar at GRMC.
- Crews stood by with the airport fire truck (CFR1) during the Stearman Fly-in Breakfast at the Southeast Iowa Regional Airport.
- Deputy Chief Ryan and Chief Trexel attended the Des Moines County Firefighter's Association meeting.
- Deputy Chief Ryan attended the Henderson County EMS Association meeting.
- Chief Trexel attended the Des Moines County EMS Association meeting.
- Crews provided fire education for several classes at the Messiah Lutheran Preschool.

Respectfully Submitted,

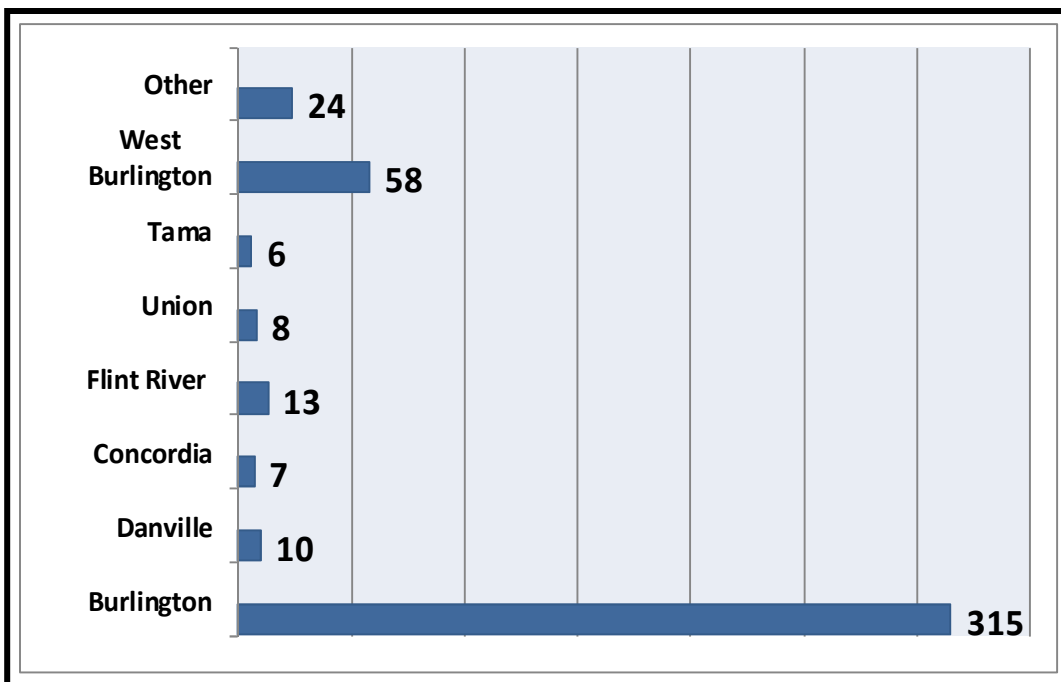
Matt Trexel

Fire Chief

### Incident Type Report September 2016



### Responses By District September 2016



## Patient Age Breakdown

Burlington Fire Dept (IA)

Report Date Range: 09/01/2016 to 09/30/2016

Type	Count	
Pediatric (0 - 13)	15	<a href="#">Details</a>
Adult (14 - 64)	177	<a href="#">Details</a>
Senior (65+)	138	<a href="#">Details</a>

## Treatments By Unit

Burlington Fire Dept (IA)

Report Date Range:09/01/16 to 09/30/16

Treatment	Unit 751	Unit 752	Unit 753	Unit 754	Unit 755
12 Lead EKG	12	2	2		20
Air Adjunct	1				
Bandage	2	1	1		3
Cardioversion / Defibrillation	2				
Clear Airway		1			
Contacted Medical Control	5	3			2
CPAP					1
CPR	1	1			
ECG (4 Lead)	37	4	3	2	55
EtCO2 monitoring	3				1
Intubation	1	1	2		
IO		1	1		
IV	52	3	4	1	89
Medication Administration	33	5	6	1	55
Nebulizer	1				5
Oxygen Adminis	20	2	4		33
Spinal Immobilization	5	3	1		13
Splint	1		1		4
Suction	1		1		2
Thermal Treatments					1

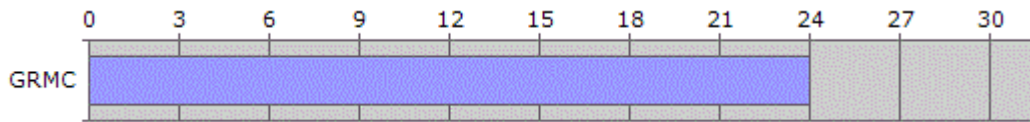
## LIFENET Monthly Transmission Summary

9/1/2016 - 10/1/2016

**Account Name: Burlington Fire Department (Burlington, IA)**

**Total Transmissions in September: 24**

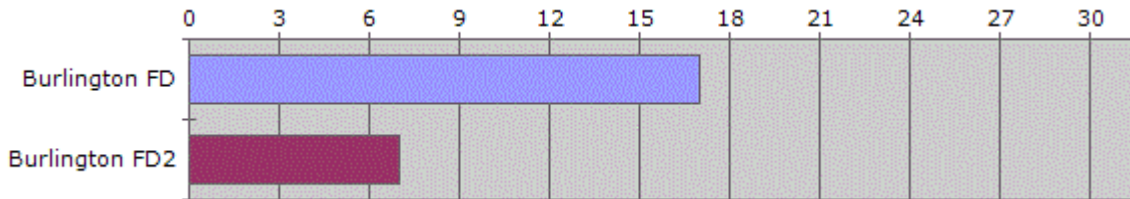
Transmissions to Site: GRMC 24



**Transmissions by Device/Gateway: 24**

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LIFEPAK 15 S/N 42595992 Burlington FD2 7



**13 Month Transmission History:**

