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Dear,

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I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 220117.

You requested the following information, please also see our response below:

For each calendar year (and broken down by month) from 1st January 2015 to 31st December 2021 , how many call outs did your specially equipped bariatric ambulance vehicles attend to a patient? (bariatric vehicle attendance)

How many of those call outs were emergency 999 calls?

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Grouping	Cat1 Responses	Cat2 Responses	Cat3 Responses	Cat4 Responses
Nov-17	<10	19	23	<10
Dec-17	<10	20	14	<10
Jan-18	<10	17	11	<10
Feb-18	<10	<10	<10	0
Mar-18	<10	17	14	<10
Apr-18	<10	<10	<10	<10
May-18	<10	13	15	<10
Jun-18	<10	15	<10	<10
Jul-18	<10	17	<10	<10
Aug-18	0	13	<10	0
Sep-18	<10	11	<10	0
Oct-18	<10	20	12	<10
Nov-18	<10	24	<10	0
Dec-18	<10	11	14	0
Jan-19	<10	20	<10	0
Feb-19	<10	16	<10	<10
Mar-19	0	14	<10	<10
Apr-19	<10	19	<10	0
May-19	<10	19	<10	0
Jun-19	<10	17	<10	0
Jul-19	<10	<10	<10	<10
Aug-19	<10	10	<10	<10

Sep-19	<10	10	<10	0
Oct-19	0	<10	<10	0
Nov-19	<10	12	<10	0
Dec-19	<10	16	<10	0
Jan-20	<10	11	<10	0
Feb-20	<10	16	10	<10
Mar-20	<10	<10	<10	0
Apr-20	0	<10	<10	0
May-20	0	<10	<10	0
Jun-20	<10	<10	<10	<10
Jul-20	<10	<10	<10	0
Aug-20	0	<10	<10	<10
Sep-20	<10	<10	<10	0
Oct-20	0	<10	<10	0
Nov-20	0	<10	<10	<10
Dec-20	0	<10	<10	0
Jan-21	<10	12	<10	0
Feb-21	<10	<10	<10	0
Mar-21	0	<10	11	0
Apr-21	0	<10	<10	0
May-21	<10	<10	<10	0
Jun-21	0	<10	<10	0
Jul-21	<10	12	0	0
Aug-21	<10	<10	<10	<10
Sep-21	<10	<10	<10	0
Oct-21	0	<10	<10	<10
Nov-21	0	<10	<10	0
Dec-21	<10	<10	<10	0
Jan-22	0	<10	<10	0

Grouping	Cat1 and 2	Cat3 and 4
2018	207	121
2019	183	80
2020	101	45
2021	101	48

We are unable to provide any data before 2018 as it is not accessible.

Please note that for figures that are less than 10 we are unable to provide the exact number as it may be identifiable to individuals.

I hope you find this information of some assistance.

If for any reason you are dissatisfied with our response, kindly in the first instance contact Caroline Smart, Head of Information Governance via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

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