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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 220501.

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

- **Call volume that the Gatwick solo response vehicle which is based at Gatwick to cover 999 calls solely for the airport responded to in 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021**
- **Time to took to backup the Gatwick solo response vehicle which is based at Gatwick to cover 999 calls solely for the airport with a DCA in 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021**
- **How many patients the Gatwick solo response vehicle which is based at Gatwick to cover 999 calls solely for the airport discharged on scene, conveyed or referred to alternative treatment.**

Year	Month	Gatsolncs	MeanBackUpTime	BackUpIncs	CountS&C	CountS&T
2016	January	69	00:36:07	19	17	52
2016	February	116	00:28:17	45	38	78
2016	March	147	00:31:44	52	43	104
2016	April	168	00:30:10	69	56	112
2016	May	81	00:26:46	38	36	45
2016	June	Less than 10	00:36:36	Less than 10	Less than 10	Less than 10
2016	July	34	00:17:31	11	8	26
2016	August	164	00:30:42	50	47	117
2016	September	159	00:25:42	64	53	106
2016	October	127	00:26:38	51	49	78
2016	November	136	00:29:16	46	41	95
2016	December	167	00:30:16	62	56	111
2017	January	141	00:24:51	67	53	88
2017	February	113	00:29:15	40	33	80
2017	March	147	00:29:43	56	51	96
2017	April	99	00:27:25	35	31	68
2017	May	168	00:26:25	77	60	108
2017	June	168	00:24:36	64	55	113

2017	July	147	00:27:41	62	56	91
2017	August	140	00:25:21	51	47	93
2017	September	133	00:33:03	57	51	82
2017	October	97	00:31:58	39	38	59
2017	November	88	00:36:33	27	24	64
2017	December	125	00:35:57	45	38	87
2018	January	103	00:30:32	44	38	65
2018	February	109	00:31:32	46	33	76
2018	March	126	00:35:18	52	48	78
2018	April	129	00:30:14	48	40	89
2018	May	117	00:28:19	50	42	75
2018	June	140	00:30:12	65	54	86
2018	July	140	00:27:55	64	52	88
2018	August	134	00:30:08	62	49	85
2018	September	134	00:29:41	60	51	83
2018	October	104	00:34:27	42	37	67
2018	November	88	00:26:52	35	31	57
2018	December	103	00:32:12	41	36	67
2019	January	113	00:29:47	53	47	66
2019	February	49	00:24:55	22	16	33
2019	March	56	00:29:06	28	20	36
2019	April	110	00:28:30	53	45	65
2019	May	126	00:28:08	63	55	71
2019	June	59	00:31:19	26	24	35
2019	July	128	00:27:41	63	51	77
2019	August	111	00:25:14	52	45	66
2019	September	126	00:26:52	55	41	85
2019	October	122	00:31:40	54	47	75
2019	November	93	00:27:42	41	34	59
2019	December	103	00:33:26	47	38	65
2020	January	85	00:27:06	37	32	53
2020	February	95	00:28:20	48	44	51
2020	March	62	00:28:43	32	25	37
2020	September	Less than 10	00:25:27	Less than 10	Less than 10	Less than 10
2020	November	Less than 10	N/A	0	0	Less than 10
2021	April	Less than 10	N/A	Less than 10	0	Less than 10
2021	May	Less than 10	00:00:23	Less than 10	Less than 10	0
2021	June	Less than 10	N/A	Less than 10	Less than 10	Less than 10
2021	August	Less than 10	N/A	0	0	Less than 10

2021	November	Less than 10	00:07:20	Less than 10	Less than 10	0
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- Incidents attended by callsign 'GATSO' and incident location contains 'Gatwick'
- MeanBackUPTime = Mean difference from GATSO arrival time and next resource arrival time.
- BackUpIncs = Number of incidents where a resource arrived after GATSO.
- Date range = 01/01/16 - 31/12/21

- **Charges to Gatwick Airport for 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 in respect to the Gatwick solo response vehicle which is based at Gatwick to cover 999 calls solely for the airport**

• Year	Charge (to nearest £1)
2015/16	£105,228
2016/17	£105,228
2017/18	£120,309
2018/19	£125,572
2019/20	£135,855
2020/21*	£0

* Note: due to the covid pandemic and the impact on reduced capacity at Gatwick Airport the on-site response vehicle was removed by mutual arrangement and any airport response was met by our local response vehicles as and when required. 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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