

**Question on Notice
No. 693
Asked on 10 May 2006**

MR ROGERS asked the Minister for Emergency Services (MR PURCELL) -

QUESTION:

With reference to ambulance services in Redcliffe – Will he advise, listed by month and code type, from December 2005 to date (a) the number of call-outs and average response times for each call-out type (recorded separately) and (b) the number of call-outs which have by-passed Redcliffe to Royal Brisbane Hospital due to the Caboolture Hospital Emergency Department closure?

ANSWER:

(a) I refer to the table below:

QAS Redcliffe Station		Priority Code	Dec-05	Jan-06	Feb-06	Mar-06	Apr-06	May-06 MTD as at 14-5-06
% First Unit on Scene Response Times < 10 Mins		1	75.94%	80.95%	74.86%	80.00%	77.99%	79.52%
QAS Redcliffe Station		Priority Code	Dec-05	Jan-06	Feb-06	Mar-06	Apr-06	May-06 MTD as at 14-5-06
Demand Profile	Emergency	1	277	270	220	258	256	104
		2	362	329	312	378	353	165
	Non-Emergency	3	198	215	218	255	188	134
		4	161	169	126	156	126	82
		Total	999	985	876	1047	924	485

(b) The Queensland Ambulance Service is unable to provide these statistics as the current coding on the Ambulance Report Forms only allows for the receiving hospital to be identified.