

## **Question on Notice**

**No. 941**

**Asked on 1 September 2022**

**MS R BATES** ASKED THE MINISTER FOR HEALTH AND AMBULANCE SERVICES (HON Y D'ATH)—

### **QUESTION**

With reference to answer to Question on Notice No. 402 of 2022 and the Queensland Ambulance Service ability to respond to triple zero calls—

Will the Minister advise the five longest pending cases (in hours) for each calendar month from April to June 2022 (reported separately by Local Ambulance Service Network)?

### **ANSWER**

I have been advised that in 2021, the Queensland Ambulance Service (QAS) revisited its operating structure of the organisation and on 1 July 2021, the QAS transitioned from Local Ambulance Service Networks to Regions.

The attached table represents the five longest pending cases (in hours) for each calendar month from April 2022 to June 2022, reported by Region and aligns with QAS's current operating structure.

**Top 5 Pending Cases (in hours) by Region and Calendar Month for the period April 2022 to June 2022**

	Apr-22	May-22	Jun-22
<b>Central</b>			
1	8.5	11.5	7.6
2	7.9	6.9	7.6
3	7.6	6.2	6.7
4	6.6	6.2	6.6
5	6.5	5.8	5.4
<b>Darling Downs And South West</b>			
1	9.3	17.5	14.3
2	8.2	15.7	9.6
3	7.1	12.7	7.9
4	6.1	11.2	7.8
5	5.8	9.1	7.7
<b>Far Northern</b>			
1	10.9	8.0	8.8
2	7.9	7.9	7.7
3	7.8	7.9	7.7
4	7.7	7.8	7.4
5	7.6	7.7	7.1
<b>Gold Coast</b>			
1	13.2	9.7	11.4
2	10.9	9.2	10.5
3	10.4	9.0	10.1
4	10.1	8.5	8.5
5	9.8	8.3	8.3
<b>Metro North</b>			
1	19.3	19.1	24.8
2	16.1	15.1	13.2
3	14.9	15.1	12.6
4	14.1	13.8	10.7
5	13.7	12.2	10.2
<b>Metro South</b>			
1	17.2	18.3	23.6
2	16.8	15.3	17.4
3	14.9	14.8	15.1
4	13.6	14.0	14.9
5	13.3	13.1	14.5
<b>Northern</b>			
1	4.6	7.6	5.1
2	4.5	7.1	5.0
3	4.0	7.0	4.6
4	3.6	6.2	4.5
5	3.5	6.2	4.3
<b>Sunshine Coast And Wide Bay</b>			
1	21.5	17.2	68.4
2	14.3	16.5	48.8
3	14.1	14.7	28.2
4	13.5	11.9	23.7
5	13.0	11.7	21.2

Source: QAS ESCAD Data Warehouse as at 8/9/2022

Note: Data is for Code 1 and 2 incidents only