

RUTHERFORD COUNTY EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE

**RUTHERFORD COUNTY
EMS**

PUBLIC SAFETY REPORT



**OCTOBER 2013
SEPTEMBER 2013 REPORT**

IN-SERVICES AND TRAINING

1. HIPAA Training
2. St. Thomas Rutherford Hosp (STRH) Chest Pain Meeting
3. STRH Chest Pain Committee Meeting
4. Ventilator Transport Training
5. Stroke Committee Meeting
6. Intraosseous Update
7. Mid-TN EMS Directors Assoc. Meeting
8. CPR Training for Donnelly Physical Therapy
9. RCEMS Skills Fair
10. _____
11. _____
12. _____

P.E.D.A.L.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

T.O.P.S.

1. FAST/TOPS Training
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

R.E.A.C.T & OTHER SPECIAL EVENT STAND-BYS

1. Medical Coverage for all High School Football Games
2. Medical Coverage for ROTC Competition at Siegel High School
3. Medical Coverage for MTSU Football Game
4. Medical Coverage for Riverdale High School ROTC Competition
5. Community Relations at Discovery Center
6. Community Relations for Women's Fair at McFadden
7. Community Relations at 9-11 Event at RC SO
8. Community Relations at Northside Baptist Daycare Program
9. Community Relations with WGNS Radio Program
10. Community Relations at Siegel Elementary Fall Festival
11. Community Relations EMS Speech at Oakland Middle School
12. Community Relations at Life Saver Conference
13. Community Relations for County General United Way Kick Off - Visited numerous County Depts. for UW
14. Community Relations for United Way Talent Show
15. _____
16. _____
17. _____
18. _____
19. _____
20. _____
21. _____

S.O.R.T. SPECIAL OPERATIONS RESCUE TEAM

1. D-5 Medical Tracking Training
2. D-5 Swift Water Training
3. Cave Rescue Training
4. Rope Rescue Operations Level Training
5. Rope Rescue Training
6. Swift Water I Training
7. FAST/TOPS Team Training
8. Dive AUGA Mask Training
9. Responded and Assisted on Multiple Motor Vehicle Accidents
10. Search for Person in Water
11. _____
12. _____
13. _____
14. _____
15. _____
16. _____
17. _____
18. _____

Response Time Report

Beginning Date 9/1/2013

Ending Date 09/30/13

Emergency Crews Zone	Average Times		
	Response Time	Time On Scene	Transport Time
BLACKMAN	7.9	14.5	7.7
BURTON	6.5	12.8	6.6
CHRISTIANA	9.5	18.1	14.8
EAGLEVILLE	10.5	17.2	17.1
LAVERGNE	7.6	13.5	10.5
MANCHESTER	9.9	22.1	13.0
MTSU	7.7	10.6	10.3
SALEM	7.3	13.0	7.7
SIEGEL	7.9	13.9	9.6
SMY CNTL	7.8	14.1	9.2
SMY WEST	8.5	15.1	9.2
STONECREST	7.3	12.7	6.0
	7.7	13.4	8.9

Public Safety Report

Beginning Date 9/1/2013

Ending Date 09/30/13

District Calls

1	DOUG SHAFER	83
2	JACK BLACK	52
3	WILL JORDAN	83
4	ROBERT PEAY, JR.	67
5	CAROL COOK	110
6	JOE FRANK JERNIGAN	75
7	GARY L. FARLEY	65
8	TIFFANY JONES	58
9	STEVE SANDLIN	52
10	BRAD TURNER	119
11	RHONDA ALLEN	91
12	ROBERT STEVENS	95
13	JEFF JORDAN	159
14	CHARLIE BAUM	82
15	ADAM COGGIN	66
16	MATTHEW YOUNG	213
17	JEFF PHILLIPS	97
18	ALLEN MCADOO	139
19	JOYCE EALY	150
20	TREY GOOCH	73
21	CHANTHO SOURINHO	242
99	OUT OF COUNTY	1
	Total	2172

Nashville Calls

BLACKMAN	3
BURTON	1
CHRISTIANA	3
EAGLEVILLE	1
LAVERGNE	5
MANCHESTER	1
MTSU	3
OUT OF COUNTY	0
SALEM	61
SIEGEL	7
SMY CNTL	7
SMY WEST	3
STONECREST	12

Transport Team Calls

GUIDANCE CENTER-CHURCH	0
GUIDANCE CENTER-SMYRNA	0
GUIDANCE CENTER-THOMPSON	0
ST THOMAS RUTHERFORD HOSPITA	4
STONECREST MEDICAL CENTER	3
STRC	9
STRH	25
VA TRIAGE	0

Transport TeamTotal 41

911 Call Reponse 80

Transport Team Grand Total 121

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Public Safety Report

Beginning Date 7/1/2013

Ending Date 09/30/13

District Calls

1	DOUG SHAFER	233
2	JACK BLACK	162
3	WILL JORDAN	281
4	ROBERT PEAY, JR.	218
5	CAROL COOK	365
6	JOE FRANK JERNIGAN	272
7	GARY L. FARLEY	189
8	TIFFANY JONES	212
9	STEVE SANDLIN	180
10	BRAD TURNER	321
11	RHONDA ALLEN	251
12	ROBERT STEVENS	295
13	JEFF JORDAN	392
14	CHARLIE BAUM	244
15	ADAM COGGIN	224
16	MATTHEW YOUNG	599
17	JEFF PHILLIPS	243
18	ALLEN MCADOO	403
19	JOYCE EALY	450
20	TREY GOOCH	226
21	CHANTHO SOURINHO	712
99	OUT OF COUNTY	4
	Total	6476

Nashville Calls

BLACKMAN	8
BURTON	6
CHRISTIANA	7
EAGLEVILLE	2
LAVERGNE	23
MANCHESTER	1
MTSU	11
OUT OF COUNTY	0
SALEM	160
SIEGEL	19
SMY CNTL	19
SMY WEST	24
STONECREST	38

Transport Team Calls

GUIDANCE CENTER-CHURCH	0
GUIDANCE CENTER-SMYRNA	0
GUIDANCE CENTER-THOMPSON	0
ST THOMAS RUTHERFORD HOSPITA	12
STONECREST MEDICAL CENTER	14
STRC	59
STRH	28
VA TRIAGE	2

Transport TeamTotal 135

911 Call Reponse 231

Transport Team Grand Total 366

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Beginning Date 9/1/2013

Ending Date 9/30/2013

	Zone 1	Zone 2	Zone 3	Zone 4	Zone 5	Zone 6	Zone 7	Zone 8	Zone 9	Zone 10	Zone 11	Zone 12	TOTAL
1-Salem	166	28	11	10	4	1	0	0	1	0	1	1	223
2-Burton	18	166	4	48	1	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	247
3-Blackman	33	2	86	0	0	10	2	3	0	0	2	0	138
4-MTSU	5	32	2	210	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	2	257
5-Christiana	26	2	2	1	48	0	0	0	0	1	1	5	86
6-Smyrna West	7	2	4	0	0	60	20	13	3	0	0	0	109
7-Smyrna Central	0	0	1	0	0	4	108	15	5	0	2	0	135
8-Stonecrest	3	0	0	0	0	8	29	104	21	0	1	0	166
9-Lavergne	1	0	1	1	0	1	4	15	117	0	0	0	140
10-Eagleville	8	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	23	0	0	34
11-Siegel	15	23	1	2	0	0	4	1	0	0	118	0	164
12-Manchester	5	13	0	167	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	29	216
Support Truck	43	7	8	16	14	6	17	8	6	1	2	0	128
Transport Team	90	8	5	5	1	1	3	4	1	1	2	0	121
SORT Truck	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Out-of-County													1
Other													7
TOTAL	420	283	126	460	71	91	187	163	154	26	146	37	2172

08/30/13 MVA I-24

Scotty,

Thank you so very much
for all you did for us after
our accident. You made a
terrible thing bearable. May
God bless you and your
partners.

Sincerely,

[REDACTED]

To the E.M.T. crew I
give credit for a job
well done! we were
blessed to have you
at our accident scene and
thank you for your care
and kindness.

[REDACTED]

Thank you and everyone
who helped us. Thank you
for calling to check on us.
God Bless you all.

[REDACTED]

...again and again.

Scotty Blackburn
Marshall Jones
Bob Dellinger
Durb Hollis
Justin Harris

Chris Tanner
Bill Moyers

It was much appreciated.

Thank you so much
for all your help
in my time of need
I just knew you two
were angels.

Love

Betty & Rodney
Jones
607 Belaire Dr

Smyma Tenn 37147

2013

Ginny King

From: Ginny King
Sent: Tuesday, September 17, 2013 10:59 AM
To: Marshall Jones; Bob Dellinger III; Durb Hollis; Justin Harris; Scotty Blackburn
Cc: EMS Administration
Subject: Greatly Appreciated!
Attachments: Blackburn. MarshallJ. Dellinger. Hollis. HarrisJ.pdf

We received the attached thank-you card from 3 people involved in a motor vehicle crash on 08/30/13. Only one person was transported but the care and assistance you provided to all of them, made quite an impression. You continued to follow-up and check on these folks and even helped them get a rental car!

Just goes to show you that a good paramedic does a lot more than just treat the sick and injured – they keep going that extra mile. Paramedic's like you, make us all proud to be a part of Rutherford County EMS!

*Ginny L. King, EMT-IV
Admin. Supervisor
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(615)907-3163
ginny.king@rutherfordcountyttn.gov*

To: Joe Haffner, Director of Personnel, RCEMS
Cc: Keith Powell, Supervisor, RCEMS

From: Corporal Luke Naylor, Smyrna Police Department

Re: Letter of Appreciation – Tony Peden and Justin Jernigan

Date: September 25, 2013

*****FIRST PARAGRAPH REMOVED DUE TO HIPAA RESTRICTIONS*****

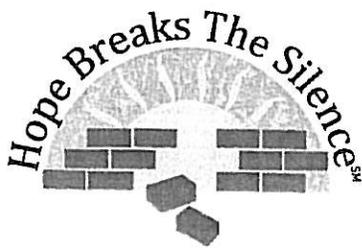
The sheer number of people at this point created a very chaotic scene. Numerous people were shouting about what needed to be done, while no one was clearly taking charge of the situation. From a law enforcement perspective, our role is to step back and allow medical staff to work. Tensions were rising between the nursing students/instructor, citizens, and ER staff. Fortunately, two of your employees, Tony Peden and Justin Jernigan, soon arrived. These two immediately jumped into action and took control of the patient's care. The other medical staff quickly ceded command to them, restoring some sense of order. While onlookers were berating them, they calmly and professionally directed ER staff to continue CPR, administered medications, and quickly got the patient ready and loaded for transport into the hospital.

I have been called to numerous chaotic and hostile emergency situations throughout my 9 years of law enforcement. The law enforcement and medical nature of these calls are often intertwined. Such calls always test the patience and professionalism of those tasked with maintaining order and providing critical medical care. This incident in particular, however, stands out because of the impressive manner in which Tony and Justin handled themselves, and the scene as a whole, while providing emergency care to their patient. There is no amount of training that can adequately prepare someone for these situations. However, Tony Peden and Justin Jernigan exemplified the calm and professionalism that I hope to see in my own officers.

I have had the privilege of working with many of your employees over the years, including Tony and Justin. Without a doubt, there are not two other medics I would rather see responding to an emergency involving myself, my officers, or my own family. Therefore, I submit to you this Letter of Appreciation for Tony Peden and Justin Jernigan in recognition of their exemplary service and representation of the Rutherford County Emergency Medical Service.

Respectfully,

Cpl. Luke Naylor
Smyrna Police Department
400 East Enon Springs Rd
Smyrna, TN 37167
luke.naylor@townofsmyrna.org
615-459-6644 ext. 7467



**~SILENCING THE SILENT EPIDEMIC~
SUICIDE PREVENTION
AND THE
AFRICAN AMERICAN FAITH COMMUNITIES CONFERENCE**

August 23, 2013

Advisory Committee

Rhonda Alley
Rev. George T. Brooks, Sr.
Rev. James Butler, Jr.
Rev. Freddie Carpenter
Emily Dykes
Edwina Chappell, Ph.D.
Rev. Janie Dandridge
Gwen Hamer
Jenny Howard-Brown
Rev. Odie Lawrence
Rena Lawrence
James Martin
Rev. Greg McKnight
Rev. Tolbert Randolph
Scott Ridgway
Kim Rush
Rev. Richard W. Sibert
Angie Thompson
Lucy Utt
Pat Wade
Lesia Walker
Rev. Virginia Yeargins

Nicole Reed, CCEMT-P
Rutherford County Emergency Medical Services
606 East Burton Street
Murfreesboro, TN 37130

Dear Ms. Reed:

On behalf of the Rutherford County Suicide Prevention and the African American Faith Communities Conference Planning Committee, we want to extend a heart-felt thank you for your commitment to making the Suicide Prevention and the African American Faith Communities Conference so successful. Thank you for serving on the conference planning committee, and being one of our speakers at this conference on April 20, 2013. We truly appreciate you for arranging your busy schedule to participate in this conference.

There were over 150 people who attended the conference. Committee members are still receiving rave reviews about the success of the conference and more faith community leaders have expressed interest in wanting to be involved in this initiative in the Rutherford County area. It is our continued hope that participants who attended this training will now be able to recognize the signs and symptoms of depression and suicidal behaviors in individuals they associate with and will be able to better connect individuals to mental health resources.

Thank you again for your interest, commitment, cooperation, participation, resourcefulness, and for your willingness to help Murfreesboro and its surrounding cities move forward with our suicide prevention initiatives, particularly, in the African American faith communities. We look forward to our continued work together on suicide prevention.

Sincerely,

Kim Rush

Kim Rush, EdS, LPC-MHSP, Vice President of Operations
Volunteer Behavioral Health
Acting Director of the Guidance Center in Rutherford County
Conference Co-chair

Gwendolyn Hamer

Gwendolyn Hamer, MA, CPC
Director of Education and Development
Tennessee Department of Mental Health and Substance Abuse
Services
Conference Co-chair

Angie Thompson

Angie Thompson, MPS
Director
Behavioral Health Services
Metro Public Health Department
Conference Co-chair

SEPTEMBER 2013 VACATION DENIALS

A SHIFT:

Matt Wiley x 24

Mandy Meacham x 12

Brent Carter x 12

George Chew x 12

Janna Chew x 12

Matt Wiley x 12

TOTAL A SHIFT HRS: 84 HRS

B SHIFT:

Jonathan Renberg x 24

Bill Moyers x 24

Kenny Moffitt x 24

Leslie Cook x 24

TOTAL B SHIFT HRS: 96 HRS

C SHIFT:

Monica Fann x 24

Zach Nichols x 24

Joanna Velasquez x 24

Darryl White x 24

Joanna Velasquez x 24

Darryl White x 24

Joanna Velasquez x 24

Tiffany White x 24

Darryl White x 24

Justin Jernigan x 24

Joanna Velasquez x 24

Monica Fann x 24

Tiffany White x 24

Alice Lane x 12

Darryl White x 24

Joanna Velasquez x 12

Tiffany White x 24

Beau Williams x 24

Keith Coggin x 24

Joanna Velasquez x 12

JD Sloan x 24

Monica Fann x 24

Robert Gingrow x 24

JD Sloan x 24

Monica Fann x 24

Zach Nichols x 24

Keith Coggin x 24

Zach Nichols x 24

TOTAL C SHIFT HRS: 636 HRS

TOTAL VACATION HOURS DENIED FOR SEPTEMBER 2013: 816 HRS.

LEAVE HOURS TAKEN 09/01/13 THRU 09/30/13

PERSONNEL ON 911 TRUCKS

FMLA Sick Hours	381
FMLA Vac. Hours	0
Sick Hours	645
Vacation Hours	1843.4
ESTIMATED COST:	\$ 52,398.75