



**City of Milwaukee
Budget and Management
Intra-Office Memo**

To: Finance and Personnel Committee Members
Mark Nicolini, Budget and Management Director

From: Dennis Yaccarino, Budget and Policy Manager Senior

Date: October 27, 2008

Subject: 2009 Fire Department Budget

The following provides information requested by the Finance and Personnel Committee at the October, 13, 2008 budget hearing on the Fire Department's 2009 proposed budget.

There was a request for addition injury information. Attached is that information.

If you have additional questions, please contact me at extension 8552.

Cc: Marianne Walsh, Fiscal Staff

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EMERGENT INJURIES - FEBRUARY 2008 (REVISED)

# OF INJURY	STF	RIGS	BURNS	FIRE STRAIN	EMS STRAIN	EXPOSURE	MISC	DATE & TIME	Q/OO	COMPANY	REMARKS	ACTIONS TAKEN
36					LT			2/2 @2145	OQ	E26	While lifting BLS kit by strap, employee experienced pain in upper back & rt. shoulder	
37	LT							2/4 @1230	OQ	L15	As employee walked around apparatus to unlock door, he slipped on the ice in street, causing pain in right knee.	
38	X							2/6 @1400	OQ	E35	While walking down street to assist Med 13, employee fell on snow covered street, causing pain to left side of body (primarily left shoulder)	
39					LT			2/6 @1330	OQ	E16	While moving patient from house to sidewalk, the wheel of cot became caught, causing cot & patient to roll to one side. In an attempt to keep patient from falling, strained lower back	
40		LT						2/6 @1200	OQ	E22	During blizzard, employee slipped off the back of apparatus while loading hose. Employee landed on back, wearing SCBA (Injured back, neck, & rt. shoulder)	
41	X							2/7 @1011	OQ	MD3	Walking up snow covered concrete steps, employee fell forward hitting elbow on left arm. (swelling & pain to left elbow/forearm)	
42	X							2/7 @0140	OQ	L09	While climbing stairs to attic, employee slipped & struck rt. knee & lower leg, causing pain to both	
43		X						2/9 @1300	OQ	L01	While taking 14" combination ladder out of compartment, employee experienced pain to right shoulder	
44						LT		2/11 @2030	OQ	MD6	While driving Med 8, employee noticed a couple fighting. Employee wrestled with subject & sustained severe back strain	
45			LT					2/13 @0330	OQ	E26	While fighting fire with attack hose, employee sustained 2nd degree burns to top of rt. ear & wrists as a large amount of steam erupted	
45	LT							2/13 @0330	OQ	L16	Employee slipped & fell on ice while performing 360 for RIT operations	
47				X				2/15 @1255	OQ	E16	Employee twisted his left knee while carrying a 20 ft. roof ladder over a snow bank	
48	X							2/15 @0330	OQ	L01	While raising roof ladder, employee lost control of ladder and fell to ground. (right shoulder pain)	
49	X							2/15 @1250	OQ	L03	While laying out hose line, employee slipped on ice and injured right shoulder	
50					LT			2/16 @1220	OQ	L17	Employee experienced pain to right shoulder, and numbness to arm & finger tip, after removing "blue" first aid bag off of partner's shoulder	
51					LT			2/16 @0800	OQ	E10	Entering doorway of resident's home, with blue med bag on shoulder, employee turned & experienced strain in lower back	
52		X						2/19 @0915	OQ	E04	Employee experienced a "twinge" with pain & weakness in back, down left leg & foot, while driving spare Engine 343. Rig drove over numerous pot holes in street	
53		X						2/19 @0915	OQ	E04	While enroute to auto accident using spare Engine 343, drove over numerous pot holes in road, which caused employee to experience pain in lower back	
54	LT							2/21 @0530	OQ	L11	Employee fell on ice while placing PPV fan at structure fire	
55							X	2/26 @1328	OQ	E12	In an attempt to provide first aid to an intoxicated patient, patient became combative & scratched employee's anterior forearm/bicep area	
56	LT							2/26 @1830	OQ	E38	Employee was carrying EMS bag, slipped on ice, twisting rt. arm & shoulder	
57							X	2/25 @0100	OQ	E37	While on an EMS run, employee was punched with a closed fist in the upper left arm & chest area by a combative patient	

EMERGENT INJURIES - MARCH 2008 (REVISED)											ACTIONS TAKEN	
# OF INJURY	STF	RIGS	BURNS	FIRE STRAIN	EMS STRAIN	EXPOSURE	MISC.	DATE & TIME	IQ/OQ	COMPANY	REMARKS	ACTIONS TAKEN
70						X		3/2 @0300	OQ	L09	While working on patient, employee was exposed to possible Meningitis	
71						X		3/2 @0300	OQ	L09	While working on patient, employee was exposed to possible Meningitis	
72						X		3/2 @0300	OQ	L09	While working on patient, employee was exposed to possible Meningitis	
73						X		3/2 @0300	OQ	L09	While working on patient, employee was exposed to possible Meningitis	
74					X			3/7 @1600	OQ	L15	Bending over & lifting patient onto long board, employee experienced lower back strain	
75		X						3/8 @1630	OQ	L12	Wearing SCBA & stepping down from apparatus, employee twisted & strained back.	
78					X			3/3 @0650	OQ	MD4	Employee twisted left knee while stepping over snow bank at EMS scene	
77	X							3/5 @0330	OQ	MD15	Moving patient to med unit (icy road conditions), employee slipped, causing pain in the middle of his back	
78	X							3/5 @1830	OQ	E37	While carrying blue EMS bag from patient's home, employee slipped on ice and experienced sharp pain underneath left knee cap	
79		X						3/6 @1144	OQ	L09	Employee experienced pain in left shoulder while removing blue EMS bag off of fire apparatus.	
80					X			3/8 @0840	OQ	E02	Employee strained lower back while lifting large patient from long board onto cot	
81		X						3/8 @0833	OQ	E04	Responding to run, driving in spare rig #343, employee experienced pain to lower back	
82		X						3/9 @0600	OQ	MD6	Assisting with care of patient while enroute to hospital, suspension of vehicle felled, causing vehicle to bounce & shake while navigating over ruts & potholes in the road. Employee experienced lower back pain	
83		R						3/9 @0600	OQ	MD6	Enroute to hospital, sitting on captain seat, rig hit pot hole, causing lower back pain	
84	X							3/12 @2200	OQ	L11	Walking to apparatus, employee slipped on ice, twisting and injuring left knee	
85		LT						3/12 @1000	OQ	E01	Lifting blue EMS bag off Engine 1, employee experienced a sharp pain in groin area.	
86					X			3/13 @0820	OQ	E01	Using shoulder strap to carry blue EMS bag, employee experienced pain & stiffness in rt. shoulder & neck area	
87		X						3/9 @1935	OQ	L02	Employee unbuckled seat belt, turned around to grab SCBA face piece, & felt a "snap" in neck area	
89					LT			3/22 @??	OQ	MD15	Moving patient from house and onto cot, cot hit groove in the sidewalk, shifting patient. Preventing patient from falling, employee strained lower back	
89	LT							3/22 @0425	OQ	E13	Employee slipped on icy roadway, striking his back & head, causing pain to back, neck, & head	

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# OF INJURY	STF	RIGS	BURNS	FIRE STRAIN	EMS STRAIN	EXPOSURE	MISC	DATE & TIME	IG/OO	COMPANY	REMARKS
107				LT				3/19 @1100	OQ	L15	Employee was forcing open door using battering ram, when he struck his wrist on door frame, causing pain & swelling to left wrist/hand

MO	7	9	0	4	12	5	1
YTD	29	24	1	11	26	10	6

MO	2	2	0	2	3	0	1
YTD	12	8	1	5	10	0	2

MO	2	3	0	2	3	0	1
YTD	13	9	1	5	10	0	2

X: No lost time & not Recordable

LT: Lost time & Recordable

R: Recordable

Totals: 38

Year-to-Date Totals 107

Totals (Lost Time): 10

Year-to-Date Totals (Lost Time): 38

Totals (Recordable) 11

Year-to-Date (Recordable) 40

EMERGENT INJURIES - MAY 2008 (REVISED)												ACTIONS TAKEN
# OF INJURY	STF	RIGS	BURNS	FIRE STRAIN	EMS STRAIN	EXPOSURE	MISC	DATE & TIME	IQ/OQ	COMPANY	REMARKS	ACTIONS TAKEN
123							X	5/2 @0300	OQ	L09	Upon breaking glass with ax, employee was struck in his left cheek by a falling piece of glass, cutting his cheek	
124					LT			5/2 @ 1014	OQ	E10	Employee was lifting patient onto cot when he experienced a sharp pain in his back	
125		LT						5/2 @1137	OQ	E31	Employee was exiting apparatus, grabbed onto the hand rail & experienced pain in left shoulder as he was stepping down from apparatus	
126		LT						5/2 @1132	OQ	L07	Ladder 7 was traveling down a bumpy road, jarring employee's back, causing pain	
127					LT			5/6 @ 0420	OQ	E09	While lifting patient from floor to wheelchair, employee experienced pain in lower back & neck	
128				X				5/5 @1100	OQ	L12	Employee strained his back while carrying PPV fan back to rig	
129			LT					5/7 @1800	OQ	L12	Wearing full protective gear, employee was venting outside windows when embers fell into hood, burning left side of neck & upper chest region	
130		X						5/7	OQ	E32	Responding to an alarm, seated & belted in apparatus, employee experienced pain to back, knees, neck & rt. hand	
131		X						5/7 @1545	OQ	E29	Employee twisted his left knee while exiting apparatus carrying EMS equipment	
132					LT			5/8 @1000	OQ	E26	Employee was carrying EMS equipment down stairs when he twisted his right knee	
133	LT							5/9 @2150	OQ	E12	Employee was opening the rear door of a residence when he tripped & fell down the stairwell. Employee extended his left arm to brace himself, hitting his left elbow on stairs. Employee experienced pain & numbness in elbow & fingers	
134					LT			5/10 @0531	OQ	MD6	Employee experienced a strain in his lower back as he was lifting patient into med unit	
135							LT	5/10 @0315	OQ	L03	While attempting to place c-collar on patient, employee's tip of left index finger was cut by another employee using a scissors	
136		X						5/8 @0230	OQ	E24	Wearing wet boots, employee stepped into rig & slipped on step. Employee fell; landing on rt. elbow, causing an abrasion to rt. elbow	
137	X							5/13 @??	OQ	L03	Employee was walking down basement stairs, slipped, & twisted left knee.	
138						X		5/14 @1510	OQ	MD6	While providing EMS care to patient, blood was in airway; patient coughed, spraying blood onto employee's face & arms	
139						X		5/14 @1518	OQ	E02	While providing EMS care to patient, blood was in airway; patient coughed, spraying blood onto employee's face	
140						X		5/14 @1510	OQ	MD6	While providing EMS care to patient, blood was in airway; patient coughed, spraying blood onto employee's face & arms	
141					X			5/20 @0019	OQ	E10	While moving patient, employee experienced pain in his neck and back	
142		X						5/19/2008	OQ	E09	Stepping down from fire apparatus, employee slipped on stair, causing his back to strike the metal plating on the corner of apparatus	

EMERGENT INJURIES - JUNE 2008 (REVISED)											ACTIONS TAKEN	
# OF INJURY	STF	RIGS	BURNS	FIRE STRAIN	EMS STRAIN	EXPOSURE	MISC	DATE & TIME	IO/OO	COMPANY	REMARKS	ACTIONS TAKEN
153	X							6/3 @1039	OQ	E18	While advancing 1 3/4" line over junk piled on floor, employee tripped over debris due to limited visibility, resulting in pain & stiffness in neck, left shoulder & upper back	
154				X				6/2 @2359	OQ	L17	While performing overhaul operations (pulling ceilings & opening walls), employee experienced pain in rt. knee	
155	X							6/3 @1039	OQ	E18	While advancing hose line, employee missed a step & fell over debris. Employee sustained a cut & bruising to rt. arm	
156	X							6/5 @0918	OQ	L14	While performing ventilation operations, employee fell over debris, causing pain to left shoulder & arm	
157					R			6/6 @2000	OQ	E12	While lifting patient, employee experienced a sharp pain in the back of his head	
158					X			6/6 @1500	OQ	L12	While carrying a very obese patient, employee jammed his thumb against door, resulting in pain & swelling to left thumb & hand	
159					X			6.6 @1140	OQ	E29	While carrying patient on cot, employee hit his left heel, causing severe pain to heel	
160							LT	6/6 @0129	OQ	L14	While performing general overhaul operations & searching 2nd floor of bldg., employee cut his finger & experienced pain in rt. knee	
161			LT					6/7 @0500	OQ	E33	While searching for trapped fire victim, employee sustained burns to his neck	
162				X				6/7 @0434	OQ	E13	While performing overhaul operations (swinging of ax), employee experienced pain to rt. shoulder & upper area of arm	
163	X							6/7 @2000	OQ	E31	Checking extent of flooding, employee slipped from a retaining wall, jamming his left heel on concrete,	
164					LT			6/9 @1910	OQ	E31	While assisting with carrying an obese patient, employee experienced pain in groin/hip area	
165		LT						6/7 @1932	OQ	E24	While stepping out of fire apparatus, employee "jammed" his neck upon landing on ground	
166		X						6/2 @2100	OQ	E36	While closing apparatus door, employee smashed his rt. thumb on door	
167						X		6/13 @1408	OQ	E18	While laying hose to exterior of bldg., employee inhaled smoke and experienced dehydration	
168					X			6/13 @ 1832	OQ	E32	Employee used a clipboard to protect patient from being hit with a beer bottle; clipboard struck employee's head, causing pain to neck & left side of head	
169				LT				6/13 @0230	OQ	E05	Employee was pulling down ceiling with an ax, the handle cupped in his hand, when he experienced pain & tingling in his rt. forearm & hand	

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# OF INJURY	STF	RIGS	BURNS	FIRE STRAIN	EMS STRAIN	EXPOSURE	MISC	DATE & TIME	IO/OO	COMPANY	REMARKS	
189					X			6/28 @1700	OQ	E05	Lifting patient out of front seat of automobile, employee twisted, causing strain to upper back	
190							X	6/28 @1500	OQ	L10	While attempting to hook roof saw onto roof ladder, the saw fell, pinching employee's rt. thumb between saw & wrung of roof ladder (rt. thumb injury)	
191				X				6/28 @ 0530	OQ	L13	Leaning out of a 3rd story window, pulling wood trim off of bldg., employee experienced pain in his left side (rib cage)	
192					X			6/24 @ 2330	OQ	E10	Experienced pain in the small of back while placing 380 lb. patient on cot & into ambulance.	
193						X		6/29 @ 2400	OQ	E22	While assisting with CPR, the bag valve mask became dislodged, & vomit sprayed onto arms & face	
194						X		6/29 @ 2400	OQ	E22	While performing chest compressions on patient, B.V.M. became disconnected from tube, causing frothy sputum to spray onto rt. arm & face	
195				X				6/28 @ 0322	OQ	E30	While performing overhaul operations, employee experienced pain & weakness in rt. elbow	
196				X				6/28 @ 0322	OQ	E30	Experienced pain in lower back while pulling hose into fire building.	
197						X		6/19 @ 1930	OQ	E32	While placing blanket under head of patient, employee was exposed to patient's blood	

MO	5	5	4	11	12	5	3
YTD	41	41	7	28	48	18	14

MO	0	2	4	2	4	0	1
YTD	17	15	7	9	20	0	5

MO	0	2	4	2	5	0	1
YTD	18	16	7	10	22	0	6

Totals: 45
Year-to-Date Totals 197

Totals (Lost Time): 13
Year-to-Date Totals (Lost Time): 73

Totals (Recordable) 14
Year-to-Date (Recordable) 79

X: No lost time & not Recordable
LT: Lost time & Recordable
R: Recordable

EMERGENT INJURIES - JULY 2008											ACTIONS TAKEN
# OF INJURY	STP	RIGS	BURNS	FIRE STRAIN	EMS STRAIN	EXPOSURE	MISC	DATE & TIME	IQ/OQ	COMPANY	REMARKS
221				LT				7/4 @ 2254	OQ	E12	While advancing hose line, object fell from ceiling, striking head. Employee suffered pain to head, neck & arm
222	LT							7/2 @ 0300	OQ	E24	Tripped and fell at fire scene. Awoke the next morning unable to bear weight on left ankle.
223				LT				7/22 @ 2130	OQ	L12	Experienced pain to left side of groin during overhaul operations (hernia)
224	LT							7/7 @ 2030	OQ	MO7	Employee tripped over an uneven curb causing a contusion to rt. knee & strain to left shoulder
225				LT				7/22 @ 2143	OQ	E31	Responding to burning fire, employee stepped into hole, twisting his rt. ankle & jamming left index finger
226		X						7/23 @ 1012	OQ	E07	While carrying D-Unit out of Eng. 7, employee's left elbow struck apparatus frame, causing pain & swelling
227							LT	7/27 @ 0520	OQ	E13	Employee received laceration to the top of his head as another FF released hose line, causing hose to strike employee on his head. Employee had just removed helmet
228				LT				7/11 @ 2000	OQ	L13	Employee sprained rt. ankle as he stepped on debris at fire scene
229				X				7/28 @ 0100	OQ	E30	Experienced pain in right shoulder while pushing on roof with pike pole.
230	X							7/28 @ 0200	OQ	L12	While placing ladder for rescue, occupant grabbed ladder & jumped. Occupant landed on employee's head; employee fell backwards onto SCBA & rolled down a hill. (Pain in neck & back)
231				LT				7/27 @ 0330	OQ	E36	While humping hose up stairs, employee stepped down a stair & twisted his rt. knee
232		LT						7/28 @ 1833	OQ	L10	Exiting fire apparatus, employee twisted left knee
233				LT				7/28 @ 2340	OQ	E26	While washing down fire room, employee twisted left knee when foot became tangled in debris
234	LT							7/21 @ 1048	OQ	E22	While transferring patient from floor to chair, employee slipped on bodily fluids & twisted rt. knee
235					LT			7/31 @ 1715	OQ	E03	While lifting cot with patient upon cot, employee experienced a sharp pain in lower back

MO	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
YTD	49	47	7	44	51	20	17

MO	5	2	0	3	2	1	1
YTD	22	17	7	17	22	1	6

MO	6	2	0	3	2	1	2
YTD	24	18	7	18	24	1	8

Totals: 38
Year-to-Date Totals: 235

Totals (Lost Time): 19
Year-to-Date Totals (Lost Time): 92

Totals (Recordable): 21
Year-to-Date (Recordable): 100

X: No lost time & not Recordable
LT: Lost time & Recordable
R: Recordable

EMERGENT INJURIES - AUGUST 2008												ACTIONS TAKEN
# OF INJURY	STF	RIGS	BURNS	FIRE STRAIN	EMS STRAIN	EXPOSURE	MISC	DATE & TIME	IQ/OQ	COMPANY	REMARKS	
257						X		8/21 @2139	OQ	L13	While treating patient, employee was exposed to MRSA	
258						X		8/21 @2139	OQ	L13	While treating patient, employee was exposed to MRSA	
259						X		8/29 @ 1530	OQ	MD 4	While treating patient, patient splt bloody sputum in employee's eye & mouth	
260		X						8/27 @0830	OQ	L10	Employee was placing ladder on apparatus, middle finger became caught on storage divider, resulting in strain to rt. middle finger	
261				LT				8/28 @0400	OQ	L11	While performing overhaul operations, employee experienced pain in lower back & rt. hand	
262		LT						8/29 @0430	OQ	E31	Employee experienced pain in rt. shoulder after placing a 1 3/4" hose onto fire apparatus	
263	LT							8/29 @1140	OQ	MD 5	While carrying patient out of building, employee stepped off porch & onto EMS bag, tripping & falling onto rt. ankle, causing a fracture	
264		LT						8/31 @1810	OQ	E23	While stepping off Engine 23, employee twisted left ankle	
265					R			8/30 @0800	OQ	E23	Employee strained lower back lifting patient onto cot	

MO	5	5	0	6	5	8	1
YTD	54	52	7	50	56	28	18

MO	2	3	0	3	2	0	1
YTD	24	20	7	19	24	1	7

MO	2	3	0	3	0	1
YTD	26	21	7	21	27	9

Totals: 30
Year-to-Date Totals 265

Totals (Lost Time): 10
Year-to-Date Totals (Lost Time): 102

Totals (Recordable) 12
Year-to-Date (Recordable) 112

X: No lost time & not Recordable

LT: Lost time & Recordable

R: Recordable

EMERGENT INJURIES - SEPTEMBER 2008												ACTIONS TAKEN
# OF INJURY	STF	RIGS	BURNS	FIRE STRAIN	EMS STRAIN	EXPOSURE	MISC	DATE & TIME	IQ/OQ	COMPANY	REMARKS	ACTIONS TAKEN
284		LT						9/15 @ 0620	OQ	MD19	Experienced sharp pain to right knee while stepping out of rig.	
285		LT						9/9 @ 0800	OQ	MD13	Rig was hit by another vehicle enroute to scene, causing pain in lower back	
286	LT							9/10 @ 1441	OQ	E34	Tripped over a stair in full turnout gear and SCBA, causing lower back pain.	
287		LT						9/9 @ 1310	OQ	MD18	Foot slipped while stepping into rig, causing rt. knee to impact step.	
288					LT			9/11 @ 0840	OQ	L14	While carrying patient down stairs in a stair chair, employee missed step and rolled ankle	
289				LT				9/13 @ 0505	OQ	L07	Experienced pain in rt. heel while moving positive pressure ventilation fan	
290				X				9/9 @ 2440	OQ	E08	Experienced rt. shoulder pain while laying out exposure line at a large apartment fire.	
291	X							9/1 @ 0230	OQ	L10	While exiting an attic with hose line, employee slipped in stairway, causing pain in left foot & ankle	
292					LT			9/9 @ 1330	OQ	MD5	Experienced pull/tear in left hamstring while carrying patient down stairs in a wheelchair.	
293						X		9/10 @ 2123	OQ	E30	Received minor abrasions to left upper arm while accessing patient trapped in car after an accident.	
294		X						9/12 @ 1325	OQ	L03	Exiting Ladder 3, employee slipped on step; falling forward, causing left ankle to twist.	
295				X				9/17 @ 1900	OQ	L11	Noticed injury after firefighting activities: forcible entry, ventilation, moving ladders & overhaul. (swelling to rt. forearm/numbness in hand)	
296			X					9/17 @ 1820	OQ	L11	While walking along side of fire building, employee was hit in neck with falling hot glass (1 in. burn)	
297					X			9/18 @ 0610	OQ	MD3	Felt a "pop" in left arm/elbow when holding cot while wheels were being raised.	
298				X				9/18 @ 1607	OQ	E25	Twisted and pulled back while accessing release strap on stuck SCBA.	
299	R							9/20 @ 0100	OQ	E30	"Jammed" left shoulder while bracing to prevent fall after slipping on stairs at a house fire.	
300		X						9/20 @ 1006	OQ	E11	Exiting apparatus, struck left elbow on a mounted handle. (pain & swelling)	
301					X			9/20 @ 2100	OQ	E29	While performing EMS duties at scene of an accident, twisted left ankle and knee on debris in the road	
302					LT			9/13 @1300	OQ	MD6	Walking backwards, employee assisted with carrying patient on cot, injuring rt. knee	
303	X							9/3 @0100	OQ	L12	While climbing stairs of fire bldg., employee tripped on a burnt mattress, causing pain in rt. knee	

NON-EMERGENT INJURIES - JANUARY 2008 (REVISED)

# OF INJURY	STF	RIGS	EXERCISE	COOKING	STRAINS	CRUSHING/ LACERATIONS	EXPOSURE	TRAINING	MISC	DATE & TIME	Q/O	COMPANY	REMARKS	ACTIONS TAKEN
1		LT								1/3 @2120	IQ	E27	Stepping out of rear cabin door with equipment, employee experienced pain to rt. Knee	
2		X								1/8 @0650	IQ	E24	Exiting fire apparatus, employee's left foot slipped on bunker pants/boots, twisting left ankle/foot; lost balance & fell	
3							X			1/3 @0800	IQ	L14	Performing general house, firefighting, & EMS duties, employee was exposed to employee infected with MRSA	
4							X			1/5 @0800	IQ	E23	Performing general house, firefighting, & EMS duties, employee was exposed to employee infected with MRSA	
5							X			1/3 @0800	IQ	E23	Performing general house, firefighting, & EMS duties, employee was exposed to employee infected with MRSA	
6							X			1/3 @0800	IQ	L14	Performing general house, firefighting, & EMS duties, employee was exposed to employee infected with MRSA	
7							X			1/3 @080	IQ	E23	Performing general house, firefighting, & EMS duties, employee was exposed to employee infected with MRSA	
8									LT	1/15 @0630	IQ	E03	While cleaning kitchen vent hood, cleaning solution splashed into employee's rt. Eye	
9					LT					1/15 @0200	IQ	E37	While assisting in repacking hose, employee bent over to pick up hose and lower back stiffened	
10	R									1/15 @ 1310	IQ	MD15	Walking across parking lot, employee slipped and fell onto back	
11			LT							1/20 @2330	IQ	E03	Employee rolled his left ankle while jogging over to retrieve ball during the game of racquetball	
12		LT								1/14 @0725	IQ	E28	Walking down stairs, carrying bunker pants & bag, employee missed step & fell; injured rt. Knee	
13					X					1/19 @1000	IQ	MD19	Walking across apparatus floor, employee stepped on a reflector. Floor was dirty & covered with salt; strain to rt. Ankle	
14		X								1/27 @0745	IQ	L13	While editing rig, employee turned sharply back to hang face piece, straining his left groin area	
15				X						1/28 @1145	IQ	E04	Washing dishes, employee lacerated his left middle finger	
16						X				1/27 @0410	IQ	Disp.	Standing at supervisor's workstation, metal cover panel fell & struck employee's rt. leg, causing contusion to leg	
17						X				1/27 @0829	IQ	Disp.	Sitting at supervisor's workstation, front cover panel fell on employee's left ankle, bruising the ankle	
18		LT								1/15 @1030	IQ	Shop	Employee climbed out of the engine compartment onto the upper step of the tailboard. When employee pivoted on left foot, his knee "gave out."	
19		LT								1/29 @0755	IQ	MD15	Carrying turnout gear & bedding, employee slipped on ice straining his back in the attempt to prevent fall	
20									R	1/28 @ 0900	IQ	E20	While performing duties throughout his shift, employee experienced chest pain/heart palpitations	

NO	3	4	1	1	2	2	5	0	2
YTD	3	4	1	1	2	2	5	0	2

Totals: 20
Year-to-Date Totals 20

NO	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	1
YTD	2	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	1

Totals (Lost Time): 7
Year-to-Date Totals (Lost Time): 7

NO	3	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
YTD	3	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	2

Totals (Recordable): 9
Year-to-Date (Recordable): 9

X: No lost time & not Recordable
LT: Lost time & Recordable
R: Recordable

NON-EMERGENT INJURIES - MARCH 2008 (REVISED)

# OF INJURY	STF	RIGS	EXERCISE	COOKING	STRAINS	GRUSHING & LACERATIONS	EXPOSURE	TRAINING	MISC	DATE & TIME	I/O	COMPANY	REMARKS	ACTIONS TAKEN
38	LT									3/2 @0645	IQ	E28	Carrying a large plastic bin of uniforms, turnout gear, & equipment, employee tripped on stairs, twisting rt. knee & causing pain to lower back	
39								LT		3/4 @1630	IQ	MD13	While at High Rise training, employee assisted in picking up hose. Employee missed a step & twisted rt. ankle & rt. knee	
40								LT		3/6 @1000	IQ	L16	During the process of making a forcible entry, employee was pulling on a halogen tool & experienced a burning/painful sensation to left inner side of elbow	
41					LT					3/7 @0810	IQ	E29	Employee lifted blue EMS bag, straining lower back (In quarters)	
42		LT								3/8 @1100	IQ	E13	Retrieving equipment from apparatus compartment, employee hit head on ceiling pipe; employee fell backwards and strained upper back	
43					LT					3/8 @1900	IQ	E12	Stepping down stairs in east stairwell, employee turned left ankle, spraining ankle	
44		X								3/8 @1645	IQ	E22	While checking the emergency lights on Eng. 22, employee struck his head on overhead door, lacerating top of head	
45	LT									3/10 @1745	IQ	E11	While taking shower, employee slipped and struck his head on shower shut-off, causing cut on the back of his head	
48					LT					3/11 @1400	IQ	L12	While moving heavy equipment from one apparatus to another, employee experienced pain in back	
47					LT					3/15 @0950	IQ	E07	Throwing a roll of 1 3/4" hose, employee's right ring finger became caught in a loop of hose, twisting finger back, causing swelling & pain	
48								X		3/12 @1500	IQ	E20	Holding halogen tool, which was being struck with flat-end of axe by another FF, FF missed axe & hit employee's rt. hand, which became bruised, swollen, & lacerated	
49								LT		3/10 @1005	IQ	E06	While carrying heavy hose during training, employee gradually felt pain in neck & numbness in rt. arm	
50	LT									3/24 @1100	IQ	E11	Washing E11, floor drains were being flushed & grates were removed. Employee stepped back & accidentally stepped into drain, causing pain in lower back	
51								X		3/18 @ 1300	IQ	E16	While participating in high rise training, employee was moving a manikin when he injured his ankle	
52						LT				3/21 @1343	IQ	E24	Employee was cleaning axes when he lacerated his left index finger on the wire wheel of hand-held grinder	
53								LT		3/24 @1500	IQ	L13	Training in full turnout gear, in smoke from a burn barrel, employee stepped & slipped on hose, causing employee to do the "splits" straining rt. knee	

NON-EMERGENT INJURIES - APRIL 2008 (REVISED)

# OF INJURY	STF	RIGS	EXERCISE	COOKING	STRAINS	CRUSHING & LACERATIONS	EXPOSURE	TRAINING	MISC	DATE & TIME	IQ/OO	COMPANY	REMARKS	ACTIONS TAKEN
56		LT								4/1 @0730	IQ	E32	Checking equipment on rear box of fire apparatus, employee fell stepping off apparatus, landing on tailbone. Employee experienced pain in lower back/tailbone	
57								X		4/1 @1430	IQ	Rescue 3	Participating in <i>swift water rescue</i> training, employee was floating on his back down river, through rough waters, when he ingested an entire mouthful of dirty/contaminated toxic water	
58		X								4/1 @0828	IQ	L06	Donning PPE & responding to an alarm, employee was bending down to pull up bunker pants when door of apparatus swung open, hitting employee behind rt. ear, causing severe pain & swelling	
59								X		4/2 @1500	IQ	E03	While practicing <i>swift water rescue</i> techniques, employee's foot struck a rock, bruising toes on right foot	
60									LT	4/9 @1030	IQ	E37	While picking up trash at engine house, employee was poked in rt. eye by a bush/stick	
62					X					4/4 @0800	IQ	L13	Walking down stairs, employee stepped on stair, twisting his rt. foot, which resulted in pain to the in-step/top of arch of foot	
62	X									4/10 @0810	IQ	E20	Walking into workout room, hallway was dark, employee tripped on a large weight which was used to "prop" open door. Employee attempted to break fall, causing pain in left shoulder	
63	X									4/17 @1100	IQ	SOP	Participating in public education program, wearing full firefighting PPE, employee did not see step, stepped off with rt. foot, which became caught on step; stumbling, employee felt a tearing sensation in rt. knee area	
64								X		4/16 @1430	IQ	E33	Participating in HURT training, operating a Jaws cutter, employee hit left hand against debris, causing pain & swelling to hand	
65		R								4/15 @1315	IQ	E37	Lifting & lowering lead line off of Engine 37, employee experienced pain in his lower back	
66	LT									4/19 @1000	IQ	E28	Walking down stairs, employee slipped & slid down several steps. Employee grabbed onto railing with rt. arm to prevent fall, causing pain to rt. shoulder	
67					R					4/19 @ 2020	IQ	L14	Employee strained lower back while lifting tool box	
68		X								4/20 @0100	IQ	E28	Employee was stepping off rig when he experienced a sudden, sharp pain in lower right area of back	
69					LT					4/16 @0900	IQ	E14	As part of "Spring" firehouse cleaning, employee was lifting and moving a rack of weights, when he experienced pain to lower back, rt. hip & rt. knee	
70					X					4/22 @2015	IQ	E04	Employee was opening a 5-gal. container of AFFF when he experienced pain in his right forearm	
71		X								4/21 @1115	IQ	L07	Driving the rig back from an incident, the apparatus hit a number of pot holes in the road, causing pain & tenderness in employee's back	
72					LT					4/29 @0800	IQ	E16	Employee strained lower back while lifting blue EMS bag from floor	

NON-EMERGENT INJURIES - MAY 2008 (REVISED)													ACTIONS TAKEN	
# OF INJURY	STF	RIGS	EXERCISE	COOKING	STRAINS	CRUSHING & LACERATIONS	EXPOSURE	TRAINING	MISC	DATE & TIME	IQ/OQ	COMPANY	REMARKS	ACTIONS TAKEN
76			LT							5/2 @1500	IQ	E23	Employee was lifting weights when he experienced a sharp pain in the front of his right shoulder	
77		X								5/4 @0800	IQ	L17	Employee was standing in wheel -well step attempting to get mask. Mask became stuck onto holder, employee attempted several times to free mask, causing pain in left shoulder	
78	X									5/4 @1235	IQ	MD18	Employee slipped & fell on a small puddle of water, striking left arm on the back bumper of med unit. Employee bruised left arm and strained his neck & shoulder	
78					X					5/8 @0930	IQ	E14	During "Spring" cleaning, employee was removing office furniture when he experienced pain in lower back	
80					X					5/8 @1130	IQ	E33	As part of Spring cleaning, employee was standing on ladder washing ceiling light fixture; as he reached up & twisted to the right, he experienced pain/stiffness in lower back area	
81									X	5/13 @1800	IQ	E24	After mopping the floor, employee attempted to sit on bench seat of table, bench slipped out and fell onto employee's rt. toe, causing a bruise	
82			LT							5/18 @1500	IQ	E28	Employee was performing physical fitness exercises when he rolled his rt. ankle over depression on apparatus apron (twisted ankle)	
83								X		5/17 @1400	IQ	E18	Employee was exiting trench via ladder, turned to grab equipment & experienced a sharp pain in front of his neck	
84	X									5/21 @1000	IQ	E35	While testing hose, employee's heel of boot became caught between door frame & charged hose, causing employee to trip & fall. Employee injured both wrists and rt. knee	
85		LT								5/28 @1025	IQ	E18	Climbing into rig to retrieve turnout gear, step gave way, causing pain to rt. leg, knee, rt. ankle, foot, & heel	
86							X			5/28 @0800	IQ	E35	Basement of Eng. 35 was submerged in water; mold has resulted. The basement is directly beneath dormitory, resulting in toxic environment, causing a potential to a respiratory disease	
87					X					5/23 @0830	IQ	E22	Employee experienced pain in left forearm & elbow as he was lifting 1 3/4" hose	
88							X			5/29 @0800	IQ	L16	While working at the Quarters of Ladder 16/Engine 35, employee was exposed to mold, located on the north side of the building	
89		LT								5/30 @1545	IQ	E17	Climbing into the cab of Eng. 17, employee pulled himself up & into cab, holding onto side of door, experienced pain in rt. shoulder	
90				LT						5/31 @830	IQ	E38	While moving a pot, which was just taken off stove, employee sustained 2nd degree burns to his middle & ring fingers (left hand)	

NON-EMERGENT INJURIES - JUNE 2008

# OF INJURY	STP	RIGS	EXERCISE	COOKING	STRAINS	CRUSHING & LACERATIONS	EXPOSURE	TRAINING	MISC	DATE & TIME	IQ/CO	COMPANY	REMARKS	ACTIONS TAKEN
93							X			6/3 @0800	IQ	L16	While working at the Quarters of Ladder 16/Engine 35, employee was exposed to mold, which was located on the north side of the building	
94							X			6/4 @0800	IQ	L18	While working at the Quarters of Ladder 16/Engine 35, employee was exposed to mold, which was located on the north side of the building	
95							X			6/4 @0800	IQ	L16	While working at the Quarters of Ladder 16/Engine 35, employee was exposed to mold, which was located on the north side of the building	
96							X			6/10 @0800	IQ	E35	While working at the Quarters of Ladder 16/Engine 35, employee was exposed to mold, which was located on the north side of the building	
97		X								6/8 @1000	IQ	E06	Removing hose from apparatus, hose became "hung up" as employee was pulling on it. Employee experienced pain to left hand	
98			LT							6/7 @ 1400	IQ	E23	While performing "flye" & "curls" during workout, employee experienced numbness & pain in left hand & wrist, radiating to left elbow	
99						X				6/14 @0840	IQ	L15	While performing routine cleaning of equipment, pike poles were left out from their tubes; employee was walking, looking at floor to avoid tripping over hose, when he walked into the protruding poles. (contusion & small laceration above left eyebrow)	
100				LT						6/16 @1035	IQ	E07	While preparing food, another FF slid table & wood bench seat across floor, causing bench to tip over & strike injured FF's left foot (toe fractured)	
101		LT								6/15 @2005	IQ	L07	Employee was climbing into apparatus cab after incident when he experienced pain in his left ankle (achilles tendon)	
102								LT		6/19 @1030	IQ	E28	While lifting hotel pack at High Rise training, employee experienced pain & stiffness in right shoulder	
103		LT								6/19 @1730	IQ	E18	Employee stepped off fire apparatus after run & felt a sharp & sudden pain in his rt. foot	
104		LT								6/13 @1715	IQ	L18	While removing hose from top the of Eng 37, a coupling caught on apparatus & employee felt a "popping" sensation in rt. shoulder, along with tingling down rt. arm	
105		LT								6/25 @1650	IQ	E09	Employee was stepping onto the back of fire apparatus to load hose when he hit the top of his head on the cross-bar, injuring neck & back	
106			LT							6/28 @1020	IQ	E35	While placing a 175 lb. barbell onto weight rack, employee felt a "pop" in his left shoulder	
107					LT					6/8 @0900	IQ	E08	After testing hose, employee bent down to pick up 3" hose & experienced sudden pain & stiffness in lower back	
108	LT									6/29/2008	IQ	E39	Employee was stepping over charger, cables, extension cord & metal crate that were sitting on floor; causing him to trip, stumble & fell, striking rt. shoulder upon fall	
109		LT								6/30 @0810	IQ	L13	Employee was stepping down from apparatus & lost footing; rt. hand to become caught on handle (pain & swelling to rt. hand & ring finger)	

NON-EMERGENT INJURIES - JULY 2008													ACTIONS TAKEN	
# OF INJURY	STP	RIGS	EXERCISE	COOKING	STRAINS	CRUSHING & LACERATIONS	EXPOSURE	TRAINING	MISC	DATE & TIME	IQ/OQ	COMPANY	REMARKS	ACTIONS TAKEN
114				X						7/5 @ 1745	OQ	E33	While chopping pepper, employee sliced off tip of thumb	
115		LT								7/5 @ 1930	OQ	MD19	Exiting rig, employee missed step, causing pain & swelling to rt. heel	
116					LT					7/3 @ 1150	OQ	E39	Lifting Zoil machine, employee experienced pain in lower back	
117		LT								7/1 @ 1450	OQ	E18	Stepping into rig, employee grabbed onto handle of door & strained lower back	
118					LT					7/1 @ 1115	OQ	L08	Cleaning ladders, employee attempted to remove 20' ladder, which was wedged tightly in ladder slot, & experienced pain in left shoulder	
119	X									7/10 @ 2330	OQ	BN3	Employee slipped on a puddle of water on apparatus floor, causing him to fall; striking hip & shoulder on floor	
120					X					7/11 @ 0805	OQ	L16	Experienced lower back pain while checking equipment & lifting tool box.	
121		X								7/13 @ 1500	OQ	E18	Stepping off rig, employee missed step & sprained left, big toe	
122				LT						7/13 @ 1230	OQ	E26	While cooking, employee backed into open over door, causing burns to right calf.	
123					X					7/13 @ 1400	OQ	E38	While assisting in rolling hose, employee experienced pain in lower back & right abdominal area	
124		LT								7/16 @ 0845	OQ	L11	Employee experienced lower back pain while lifting generator into place on back of rig.	
125								X		7/18 @ 2345	OQ	L01	While walking toward fire boat, employee slipped on ramp & impacted dock with shin, causing cuts & bruises to left shin	
129		LT								7/24 @ 0330	OQ	E04	Placing equipment onto apparatus, employee slipped on step; hitting rt. knee on diamond plate step, causing pain	
127						X				7/24 @ 1303	OQ	E37	While washing dishes, knife slipped, cutting employee's rt. thumb	
128								LT		7/22 @ 1000	OQ	L08	During extrication training, employee sprained rt. shoulder while lifting door from car	
129					LT					7/18 @ 0230	DQ	E09	Experienced pain in rt. leg while performing housework; pain & weakness became worse as day progressed.	
130						X				7/27 @ 1515	OQ	E07	While performing PR assignment, employee was removing adapter from hydrant & punctured rt/middle finger. (1/2" laceration)	

MO	1	5	0	2	5	2	0	2	0
YTD	17	26	7	7	27	10	12	18	6

MO	0	1	0	3	15	2	0	9	2
YTD	8	15	6	3	15	2	0	9	2

MO	0	1	0	2	16	3	0	9	3
YTD	9	16	6	4	16	3	0	9	3

Totals: 17
Year-to-Date Totals: 130

Totals (Lost Time): 9
Year-to-Date Totals (Lost Time): 60

Totals (Recordable): 9
Year-to-Date (Recordable): 66

NON-EMERGENT INJURIES - AUGUST 2008

NO. OF INJURY	STP	RIGS	EXERCISE	COOKING	STRAINS	CRUSHING & LACERATIONS	EXPOSURE	TRAINING	MISC	DATE & TIME	IQ/OO	COMPANY	REMARKS	ACTIONS TAKEN
131	LT									8/1 @0910	IQ	E03	Walking up stairs, employee "pushed" off with left foot & experienced a "pop" in foot & fell down. (Partial Achilles Rupture)	
132		X								8/2 @1030	IQ	L14	While lifting generator off apparatus, employee experienced pain in lower back/numbness & tingling in rt. foot	
133			LT							8/3 @ 1920	IQ	L03	While playing basketball, employee made a quick move to retrieve a loose ball, & strained left calf	
134					LT					8/1 @0846	IQ	E20	Employee was lifting double doughnut, doughnut became stuck, & employee experienced pain in lower back	
135					LT					8/4 @1345	IQ	L02	Employee experienced pain in lower back while lifting gear to the top of locker	
136					X					8/6 @2245	IQ	E33	While donning firefighting pants/boots, employee twisted his right knee	
137			LT							8/9 @1515	IQ	E28	Employee experienced pain in left calf area while running	
138		X								8/6 @2100	IQ	L07	Switching to spare apparatus, employee was re-packing hose and experienced pain in lower back	
139					LT					8/11 @1030	IQ	E26	Employee experienced a sharp pain in left /mid portion of back, which radiated down left leg, while carrying a full bag of oil-dry	
140					X					8/11 @1500	IQ	E24	Employee experienced pain in right shoulder while pulling & re-packing hose	
141			LT							8/13 @1630	IQ	E17	While employee was performing crunches, another employee was punching "Speed Bag." Speed bag pole became unattached, hitting employee doing the crunches in the fio (laceration)	
142		LT								8/15 @1008	IQ	E28	As employee was stepping off Eng. 28, rt. foot landed in pot hole, which was in front of E. 28's Quarters, causing pain in rt. ankle	
143		LT								8/15 @0628	IQ	MD6	Prior to leaving quarters to respond to an alarm, the exhaust hose sprung back, striking employee above left eyebrow, causing laceration	
144			LT							8/18 @2000	IQ	L03	While performing physical fitness training, employee jammed left finger	
145		LT								8/19 @0830	IQ	E27	While climbing into the driver's seat of fire apparatus, employee experienced severe pain in left knee	
146		X								8/21 @1100	IQ	E23	Employee experienced pain in rt. shoulder while loading & unloading hose on fire apparatus	
147			X							8/19 @1415	IQ	E18	While performing physical activity, employee sustained an avulsion to the bottom of rt. foot due to striking foreign object	
148					X					8/24 @1557	IQ	L10	Employee experienced pain in lower back while bending down to don bunker pants	

NON-EMERGENT INJURIES - SEPTEMBER 2008													ACTIONS TAKEN	
# OF INJURY	STP	RIGS	EXERCISE	COOKING	STRAINS	CRUSHING & LACERATIONS	EXPOSURE	TRAINING	MISC	DATE & TIME	IQ/OQ	COMPANY	REMARKS	ACTIONS TAKEN
150		LT								9/4 @ 1600	IQ	E12	While assisting with the switching over of spare truck 24, employee experienced pain in shoulder while taking chimney chain out of sand box (under the aerial)	
151	LT									9/12 @ 1235	IQ	E01	Lost balance while walking down back stairs; experienced sharp pain in right knee.	
152					LT					9/10 @ 1030	IQ	L17	Stepped in dip in asphalt in grocery store parking lot, and rolled right ankle.	
153						X				9/14 @ 0200	IQ	E39	Waking to respond to a run, employee cut nose as he struck black equipment box	
154					X					9/12 @ 0900	IQ	E22	Walking through parking lot, employee struck right knee on an unseen trailer hitch ball.	
155					X					9/12 @ 1600	IQ	E17	Experienced sudden knee pain while pushing lawn mower on hill at southern side of engine house.	
158	LT									9/17 @ 1545	IQ	E20	Carrying bottles, employee tripped on crack in pavement, while walking towards vehicle; broke nose & sprained both wrists	
157		LT								9/21 @ 1820	IQ	E28	Climbing out of apparatus, employee stepped down & experienced pain in rt. elbow	
158	X									9/2 @ 0940	IQ	E02	While cleaning floor, employee moved basketball hoop, hoop tipped over & struck employee, knocking him to the floor (abrasions to neck, back, elbow, & hand)	
159		X								9/23 @ 0900	IQ	BN3	Lifting SCBA out of vehicle, employee experienced pain in the back of rt. hand & rt. shoulder	
160						X				9/28 @ 1415	IQ	E09	While cutting trees with pruning shears, employee's left forearm was cut by the tree branches	
161								LT		9/17 @ 1030	IQ	SHOP	While performing maintenance work, using a step ladder, employee scraped rt. shin on ladder rung	

MO	3	3	0	0	3	2	0	0	1
YTD	21	35	12	8	36	12	12	18	7

Totals: 12
Year-to-Date Totals: 161

MO	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
YTD	11	20	10	4	19	2	0	9	3

Totals (Lost Time): 6
Year-to-Date Totals (Lost Time): 78

MO	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
YTD	12	21	10	5	20	3	0	9	4

Totals (Recordable): 6
Year-to-Date (Recordable): 84

X: No lost time & not Recordable
LT: Lost time & Recordable
R: Recordable