

Table 2  
 Event Operational Descriptors - Number of Primary Missions (N=398)

<b>Data Variable Name</b>	<b>Data variable number from data reporting template</b>	<b>Variable</b>	<b>Number of primary missions</b>	<b>Percent of primary missions</b>	<b>Frequency of variable in number of total primary missions</b>
<i>Top 5 primary mission categories</i>	N/A	1. Unconscious/Fainting	92	20%	1 in 5
		2. High-mechanism traffic incident	65	16%	1 in 7
		3. Seizure	47	10%	1 in 10
		4. Cardiac Arrest	46	10%	1 in 10
		5. Overdose	38	8%	1 in 12
<i>Arrival on scene prior to paramedics</i>	N/A	2014	4	9%	1 in 11
		2015	7	12%	1 in 9
		2016	11	17%	1 in 6
		2017	6	9%	1 in 11
		2018	11	20%	1 in 5
		2019	28	30%	1 in 3
		2020	2	11%	1 in 9
		2014-2020 average (N= 398)	69	17%	1 in 6
<i>Mode of transportation to scene</i>	2.6	2014 to 2019 Emergency Response Physicians Personal Vehicle	286	72%	3 in 4
		2019 to 2020 Rapid Response Vehicle (RRV)	112	28%	1 in 4
<i>Mode of patient transport (from scene)</i>	2.7	BCEHS ambulance, physician attending	100	25%	1 in 4
		BCEHS ambulance, Physician following behind in RRV	70	18%	1 in 5
		Helicopter	6	2%	1 in 66

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		p-EMS physician not required for transport	222	56%	1 in 2
<i>Destination of patient transport</i>	2.12	Local hospital	162	41%	1 in 2
		Regional/Provincial trauma center	14	4%	1 in 28
		p-EMS physician not required for transport	222	56%	1 in 2