

Hudson EMS – By the Numbers

Response Time: Time of Call to First Vehicle out the door of the Station

Hudson EMS – 2025 Average – 0700-1900 = 64 seconds

(NFPA 1710 standard is 60 seconds)

Hudson EMS – 2025 Average – 1900-0700 = 93 seconds

(Generally accepted standard is 90 - 120 seconds)

Total calls for Service: 2023 = 2052 2024 = 2525 2025 = 2615

Hudson EMS Personnel:

1-Chief, 1-Medical Director, 1- Assistant Chief, 4- Captains, 2- Lieutenants, 1-Chief Engineer, 31- Paramedics, 10-EMT's, 7-EMS Instructors

Fulltime - 3.5 (40 hours per week)

Part-Time Medics – 30 (24 hours per week minimum)

Volunteers - EMT's - 10, Medic -1 (12 hours per week minimum)

Other Hudson EMS/Fire Related Certifications:

22 – Nationally Registered Paramedics, 10 – Nationally Registered EMT's, 36 – ACLS certified Paramedics, 19 PALS certified Paramedics, 3 – PEPP certified Paramedics, 12 – AHA/BLS HeartSaver Instructors, 6 – ACLS Instructors, 1 – PALS Instructor, 2 – Ohio EMS Instructors, 2 – VFIS Instructors, 2 – SWAT Medics, 1 – TECC Instructor, 2 – ITLS Certified, 1 – Cardiac Care Nurse, 2 – Members currently enrolled in Medical School, 3 – Ohio Fire Safety Inspectors, 2 – Technical Rescue Technicians, 11 – FT Fire Medics elsewhere, 6 – Ohio Firefighter II, 2 – Ohio Fire Instructors, 2 – Fire Investigators

National Incident Management System (NIMS) Certified: 45 – NIMS 100, 35 – NIMS 200, 8 – NIMS 300, 7– NIMS 400, 35 – NIMS 700, 45 – NIMS 800

EMS Personnel Information

Resigned/Retired in the last 3 years:

- EMTs - 12, Medics - 19

Hired in the last 3 years:

- EMTs - 8, Medics - 17

Currently in the hiring process

- EMTs - 3, Medics - 6

Hudson EMS members that are Ohio certified for Fire / Cross trained

- EMT's - 5 (4 are working for Hudson Fire)
- Medics - 15 (1 is working for Hudson Fire)

EMT's must hold a minimum of a State of Ohio EMT certification and have 60-hours of CE's every 36-months including: 8-Pediatric, 4-Geriatric, 1-Dementia and 8-hours of Trauma continuing education training. (We do not have any Advanced EMT's on EMS or Fire) It typically takes 4-months to complete all of the training to become an EMT.

Paramedics must hold the minimum of a State of Ohio Paramedic certification and have 75-hours of CE's every 3 years including: 12-Pediatric, 4-Geriatric, 6-Cardiac (ACLS), 1-Dementia and 8-hours of Trauma continuing education training. In our area of the country, it typically takes 12 months to complete all of the training to become a Paramedic

Hudson Fire – By the Numbers

Response Time: Time of Call to First Vehicle out the door of the Station

Hudson Fire – 7/7/25 to Present, Average for Code Red Emergency Calls

When we are staffed – 0700-1900 = 1 minute 58 seconds

(NFPA 1710 standard is 1 minute 20 seconds)

When we are not staffed – 1900-0700 = 6 minutes 50 seconds

Total calls for Service: 2023 = 708 2024 = 710 2025 = 590

Hudson Fire Personnel:

1-Chief, 2- Assistant Chiefs, 2- Captains, 7- Lieutenants, 33 - Firefighters

Fulltime Firefighters - 5.5 (40 hours per week)

Part-time Firefighters - 39 (34 of them work (1) 12 hr. on station Duty Shift per week

(4 of them work as full-time employees of the City - (Police, Engineering, Electric, Parks)

Other Fire/EMS Related Certifications:

17 – Ohio FFI, 20 – Ohio FFII, 14 – Ohio Fire Inspector, 13 – Ohio Fire Instructor, 17 – Ohio EMT, 6 – Ohio Paramedic, 10 – HazMat Technicians, 8 – Rope Technicians, 4 – Rope Operations, 1 – Confined Space Technician, 1 – Swift Water Technician, 1 – Trench Rescue Technician, 1 – Structural Collapse Technician, 1 – Rail Car Technician, 8 – SCTROT HazMat, 1 – WMD Technician, 1 – Federation of Fire Chaplains, 1 – Registered Nurse

National Incident Management System (NIMS) Certified: 44 – NIMS 100, 19 – NIMS 200, 6 – NIMS 300, 6 – NIMS 400, 44 – NIMS 700, 10 – NIMS 800

FIRE Personnel Information

Resigned/Retired in the last 3 years:

- Resignations - 5
- Retirement after 40 years in 2025 - 1

Hired in the last 3 years:

- Part-time Firefighters - 9

Firefighters currently in the hiring process

- Part-time Firefighters with anticipated swearing in April of 2026 – 12
- All 12 new Part-time Firefighters are required to be Ohio FFII Trained
- HFD does not require an EMT or Paramedic certification to be hired
- HFD offers to pay to send Firefighters to EMT or Paramedic school
- All of our direct neighboring cities are combined Fire/EMS and require a Paramedic certification to be hired on the Fire Department

Fire members that are Ohio certified - EMS - Cross trained:

- EMT's working for Hudson EMS - 4, EMT's not working for Hudson EMS - 4
- Paramedic working for Hudson EMS - 1, Paramedics not working for Hudson EMS - 6

Ohio Firefighters must hold the minimum of a State of Ohio Firefighter I certification and have 36 hours of CE's every 3 years (12-hours per year average) as approved by the Chief.

Hudson Firefighter Training Hours x Last 3 Years

(2023) – 2566 Total training hours x 37 firefighters = 69 hours per year per FF average

(2024) – 2342 Total training hours x 34 firefighters = 69 hours per year per FF average

(2025) – 4239 Total training hours x 43 firefighters = 99 hours per year per FF average

From 1/1/23 to 12/31/25 the average number of CE training hours per year per firefighter at Hudson Fire Department was 80-hours per year. With a total of 9147 hours of training.