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To ask the Minister for Health the number of public ambulances available in the Dublin area in 2018, 2019, 2020 and to date in 2021, in tabular form; and if he will make a statement on the matter. -Mark Ward

Dear Deputy Ward,

The Health Service Executive has been requested to reply directly to you in the context of the above Parliamentary Question, which you submitted to the Minister for Health for response.

The National Ambulance Service (NAS) is the statutory provider of Pre-Hospital Emergency Care and intermediate care provider in the state. In the Dublin metropolitan Pre-Hospital Emergency Care is provided by both the NAS and the Dublin Fire Brigade (DFB).

Attached is a list of resources assigned for duty in the Dublin Area for the years 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021.

It should be noted that all NAS resources are dynamically deployed to calls across the country on a nearest available (to the incident) basis and not on a county boundary basis to respond to incidents as they arise to ensure the nearest available resource responds to emergencies.

I trust that this information is of assistance to you. Should you require any additional information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours Sincerely

Deputy Director,
National Ambulance Service





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2018	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Day							
EA	16	15	16	16	15	14	15
DFB	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Night							
EA	7	7	7	7	8	8	8
DFB	12	12	12	12	12	12	12

2019	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Day							
EA	16	15	16	16	15	14	15
DFB	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Night							
EA	7	7	7	7	8	8	8
DFB	12	12	12	12	12	12	12

2020	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Day							
EA	16	15	16	16	15	14	15
DFB	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Night							
EA	7	7	7	7	8	8	8
DFB	12	12	12	12	12	12	12

2021	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Day							
EA	16	15	16	16	15	14	15
DFB	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Night							
EA	7	7	7	7	8	8	8
DFB	12	12	12	12	12	12	12

In addition to the above the Dublin Area is serviced by NAS Rapid Response Vehicles and the Motor Bike Response Unit.

