

**Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago
Monthly Community Heliport Usage Report
September 2014**

Date	Point of Departure	Diagnosis	Patients Transported	Organs Transported	Lurie Children's Transport Team Needed	Flights
Sep-14	Lake Forest	Hypotension/Fever of unknown origin	1	0	YES	1
	Katherine Shaw Bethea/Dixon, IL	Mastoiditis/Abscess	1	0	NO	1
	Munster Community	Trauma/Subdural Bleeds	1	0	NO	1
	Swedish American/Rockford	Lymphoma	1	0	YES	2
	Vista East	Respiratory Failure/Status Asthmaticus	1	0	NO	1
		September Totals	5	0	2	6
		Transports w/Lurie Children's Transport Team			40%	

Any transport of a patient or organ involves an incoming flight to Lurie Children's with the child or organ on board, and a departing flight from the hospital after the child or organ is delivered. In some cases, it is essential to have Lurie Children's pediatric medical transport team escort the patient from the remote hospital to Lurie Children's. In these cases, the helicopter picks up the medical transport team from Lurie Children's and then flies to the referring hospital to begin care for the child while en route back to Lurie Children's. **During September 2014, two helicopter transports of a patient which landed at Lurie Children's required the Lurie Children's Transport Team. For one of these, the Lurie Children's Transport Team drove to the patient and flew back.**

**Lurie Children's Heliport Usage
Historical Data**

	Total Patient/ Organ Transports	Lurie Children's Transport Team Needed	% of transports w/ transport team	Total Patient Flights	% of Flights Between 8a-9p
2012 Totals	27	9	33%	31	71%
September 2013	4	2	50%	5	60%
October 2013	2	1	50%	2	100%
November 2013	5	3	60%	7	100%
December 2013	0	0	0	0	0%
2013 Totals	40	15	38%	45	78%
January 2014	0	0	0%	0	0%
February 2014	0	0	0%	0	0%
March 2014	0	0	0%	0	0%
April 2014	2	1	50%	3	50%
May 2014	3	2	67%	5	80%
June 2014	2	1	50%	3	100%
July 2014	3	2	50%	4	100%
August 2014	3	2	67%	5	60%
September 2014	5	2	40%	6	33%
2014 Totals	18	10	56%	26	69%