

**Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago  
Monthly Community Helicopter Usage Report  
September 2015**

Date	Point of Departure	Diagnosis	Patients Transported	Organs Transported	Lurie Children's Transport Team Needed	Flights
Sep-15	Central Dupage	Cardiac Arrest, Cariomyopathy	1	0	Yes	1
	Rockford Memorial	Multiple Trauma, Fall out of window	1	0	No	1
		<b>September Totals</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>
		<b>Transports w/Lurie Children's Transport Team</b>			<b>50%</b>	

Helicopter 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 2015, one helicopter transport required Lurie Children's Transport Team. For this transport, Lurie Children's Transport Team drove to the patient and returned by helicopter.**

**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
<b>2012 Totals</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>33%</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>71%</b>
<b>2013 Totals</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>38%</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>78%</b>
<b>2014 Totals</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>69%</b>
January 2015	3	2	67%	4	50%
February 2015	0	0	-	0	-
March 2015	0	0	-	0	-
April 2015	3	3	100%	6	67%
May 2015	3	2	67%	4	0%
June 2015	5	3	60%	7	71%
July 2015	3	2	66%	5	20%
August 2015	5	3	60%	7	71%
<b>September 2015</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>50%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>50%</b>
<b>2015 Totals</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>51%</b>