

MISSION REPORT

NEW ENGLAND & NORTH WEST

October, 2013



PRIMARY / MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS (10)

SECONDARY / INTER HOSPITAL TRANSFERS (5)

SEARCH AND RESCUE (1)

Date	Mission	Type
4/10/2013	A 13 year old female from Timor, south-east of Quirindi, was injured when she was kicked by a horse. The patient suffered from neck and back pain and was transported to John Hunter Hospital.	PMY
5/10/2013	A 43 year old female from Warwick fell off a horse on a property 20km east of Glencoe. The patient was transported to Tamworth Base Hospital suffering from spinal and head injuries. Duty paramedics were working in Manilla so were picked up en route.	PMY
5/10/2013	A 47 year old female from Wee Waa experiencing breathing difficulties was transported from Wee Waa Hospital to Tamworth Base Hospital.	SDY
6/10/2013	A 15 year old boy from Girraween was involved in a single motor vehicle accident at Maules Creek. The patient suffered from pelvic and shoulder injuries and was transported to Tamworth Base Hospital.	PMY
6/10/2013	A 65 year old male experienced disorientation and collapsing while guiding bushwalkers through Guy Fawkes National Park. The bushwalkers set off a distress beacon and the Tamworth-based Rescue Helicopter was tasked to locate the hikers, along with Lismore Rescue Helicopter who were called to provide winch back up. On arrival the Tamworth-based Helicopter was able to land and the man was assessed by paramedics on site. The patient refused transport to hospital but all hikers were transported from the park back to their camping ground.	S&R
8/10/2013	A 69 year old male suffered chest injuries after a fall from a quad bike in the Abington area. The patient was transported to Armidale Hospital.	PMY
13/10/2013	Tasked to a single car rollover south of Moree. A 44 year old male from Moree East was transferred to Moree Hospital via road ambulance then picked up by helicopter and transferred to Tamworth for further treatment.	SDY
16/10/2013	Tasked to a motorcycle accident 10kms south of Narrabri where a 55 year old male had sustained chest and leg injuries. Helicopter diverted to Narrabri Hospital to pick up patient and transfer to him to Tamworth Base Hospital.	PMY
16/10/2013	A 4 year old boy from the Walcha area was transferred to Tamworth Base Hospital following a fall where he incurred a minor head injury.	PMY
17/10/2013	A 74 year old female patient from Inverell was transferred to Tamworth Base Hospital suffering respiratory problems.	SDY
19/10/2013	A 13 year old girl who had fallen from a horse in Glen Innes and suffered loss of consciousness was transported by road ambulance to Armidale then by helicopter to Tamworth Base Hospital.	SDY

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20/10/2013	Transported a 17 year old male to Dubbo Hospital with a fractured right femur suffered during a motocross event at Merotherie.	PMY
24/10/2013	Tasked initially to a quad bike accident in the Bingara area. Diverted en route to Bingara Hospital to pick up a 67 year old male patient who had been charged by a bull. The patient suffered major damage to his chest and lung area. He was transported to Tamworth Base Hospital for further treatment.	PMY
26/10/2013	Tasked to a single car motor vehicle accident south of Inverell. Transported a 21 year old female with a pelvic injury and leg lacerations from Inverell Hospital to Tamworth Base Hospital for further monitoring.	PMY
30/10/2013	Transported a 49 year old female with respiratory complications from Inverell Hospital to Tamworth Base Hospital.	SDY
31/10/2013	A 5 year old boy who had attempted to climb through a vehicle window in the garage at his home in Willow Tree became trapped by the neck resulting in strangulation / hanging. Patient was transported from Quirindi Hospital to John Hunter Hospital.	PMY