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## Dear LifeFlight Friend,

As Christmas parties get into full swing and decorations begin to line the streets our aeromedical crews are gearing up for their busiest time of the year.

Last year, there were 490 missions performed across Queensland over the break.

From motor vehicle accidents to animal attacks our aeromedical crews sacrifice their festive season to ensure yours is a safe one.

I want to personally thank you for your support this year, it's because of your generosity that we're flying. On behalf of everyone here at LifeFlight, Merry and Christmas and a Happy New Year.



**ASH VAN DE VELDE - CEO**

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## November mission stats



426

People Saved



23

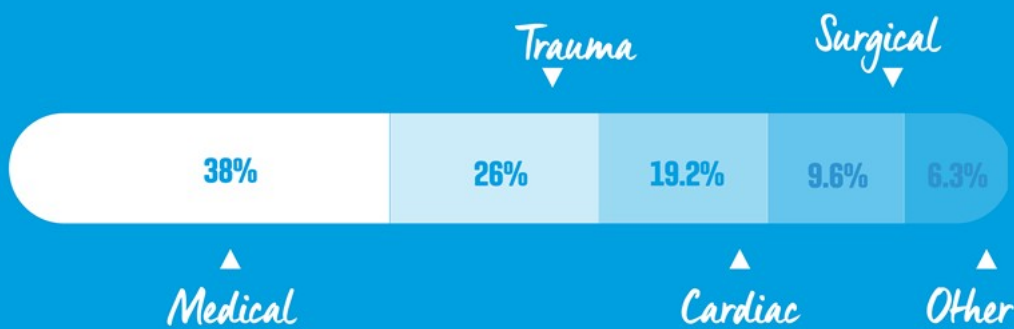
Jet Missions



7

Countries Reached

## Missions by type



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