



**Division of Student Life**  
UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-MADISON

## Sexual Assault Summary Report

Per UWS Ch. 36.11

### Information:

- On Campus: reflects the buildings and property of the main campus of the university.
- Non-Campus: reflects the building and property owned by the university (including student organizations) that is not considered the main campus (Arboretum, Research Stations, Greek Houses).
- Off Campus: privately owned property.
- Public Property: public property such as streets and sidewalks.
- Alcohol/ Drug use reflects known use by either individual.

### Overall Summary:

# of incidents reported: 214

# of incidents reported to confidential resources: 153

*(Confidential resources only disclose statistical information, not information that could be followed up on for investigative purposes)*

Reflects the number of incidents reported to the university between January 1, 2015 and December 31, 2015. The actual date of the incident is not reflected.

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| # of incidents on campus:   | 22 (15 in University Residence Halls)                      |
| # of incidents non-campus:  | 1  |
| # of incidents off campus:  | 41   |
| # of incidents on public property:                                    | 1  |
| # of incidents at unknown locations:                                  | 149  |
| # of incidents above unfounded after a law enforcement investigation: | 0  |
| <b>Total # of incidents:</b>  | <b>214 (28 reports of sexual assault prior to college)</b> |

**Victim and Assailant are Acquaintances:** 87 of 214 (41%)

**Unknown if Victim and Assailant are Acquaintances:** 107 of 214 (50%)

**Victim and Assailant are Not Acquaintances:** 20 of 214 (9%)

# of 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> degree assaults: 50 of 214 (23%)

# of 4<sup>th</sup> degree assaults: 16 of 214 (7%)

# of unknown degree assaults: 148 of 214 (69%)

# of incidents with known Alcohol/ Drug use: 68 of 214 (32%)

*\*Increased number of incidents at unknown locations reflects a change in the reporting protocol at UHS*

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**Victim and Assailant are Acquaintances: 87 of 214**

# of incidents on campus: 13 (11 in University Residence Halls)  
# of incidents non-campus: 0  
# of incidents off campus: 19  
# of incidents on public property: 0  
# of incidents at unknown locations: 55  
Total # of incidents: 87

# of 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> degree assaults: 38 of 87 (44%)  
# of 4<sup>th</sup> degree assaults: 8 of 87 (9%)  
# of unknown degree assaults: 41 of 87 (47%)

# of incidents with known Alcohol/ Drug use: 40 of 87 (46%)

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**Victim and Assailant are Not Acquaintances: 20 of 214**

# of incidents on campus: 5 (3 in University Residence Halls)  
# of incidents non-campus: 0  
# of incidents off campus: 7  
# of incidents on public property: 1  
# of incidents at unknown locations: 7  
Total # of incidents: 20

# of 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> degree assaults: 3 of 20 (15%)  
# of 4<sup>th</sup> degree assaults: 8 of 20 (40%)  
# of unknown degree assaults: 9 of 20 (45%)

# of incidents with known Alcohol/ Drug use: 11 of 20 (55%)

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**Unknown if Victim and Assailant are Acquaintances: 107 of 214**

# of incidents on campus: 4 (1 in University Residence Halls)  
# of incidents non-campus: 1  
# of incidents off campus: 15  
# of incidents on public property: 0  
# of incidents at unknown locations: 87  
Total # of incidents: 107

# of 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, and 3<sup>rd</sup> degree assaults: 9 of 107 (8%)  
# of 4<sup>th</sup> degree assaults: 0 of 107 (0%)  
# of unknown degree assaults: 98 of 107 (92%)

# of incidents with known Alcohol/ Drug use: 17 of 107 (16%)

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**Analysis:**

- Total Reports = **214**
  - Reports from Confidential Resources (no info. on parties involved) = 153
  - Reports where respondent information was not provided or where respondent was unaffiliated with UW = 41
  - Reports where respondent was identified as a UW student = 20
    - Report in which complainant requested confidentiality = 1
    - Reports unable to be investigated due to insufficient information to proceed = 4
  - Reports resulting in University Investigations = 15
    - Investigation Findings: 6 Responsible, 4 Not Responsible, 5 In Progress
    - Sanctions: University Probation= 1, Suspension= 4, Expulsion= 1
- Disproportionate number of university residential reports may reflect a higher reporting rate among residential students as compared to those residing off campus.
- The high number of incidents where it is unknown if the victim and assailant are acquainted and the degree of assault reflects confidential resources reporting numbers, and the specific information may not be known.