NORTH DAKOTA

SEXUAL ASSAULT

1,098
PRIMARY
VICTIMS

290 SECONDARY VICTIMS

were served by

20 SEXUAL ASSAULT CRISIS CENTERS throughout North Dakota

At least...



960 of victims were female.



1,045 of the assailants were male.



36 of the assailants were female.

84% of cases were male assailant/ female victim.



11% of cases were male assailant/male victim.

65% of the crimes were reported to law enforcement.



47% of adult victims contacted a sexual assault center about the crime within 2 days of the assault. 19% of adult victims contacted a sexual assault center within 3–30 days after the assault.

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CASE by CASE

At least 73% of the adult assaults were rape, 4% attempted rape, and 23% were sexual contact other than rape or attempted rape.

At least **368** of primary victims were under the age of 18 years old at the time of the assault(s).

In adult cases **9%** of the assailants were strangers. In child cases **4%** of the assailants were strangers.

In at least **41%** of all cases the assailant was a friend/acquaintance/date of the victim.

At least **21%** of all cases were incest or indicated a history of incest. In at least **8%** of adult sexual assault cases reported, the victim also experienced sexual abuse/incest as a child.

At least **38%** of the assaults occurred in the victim's or assailant's home.

advocacy

At least 10,504 services to primary victims were provided by crisis center advocates from January to December 2016.

At least 25% of the victims were referred to sexual assault service providers by themselves, friends or family members.

