



Assaults and Assault & Battery

The crime of **Assault** can be defined as : A crime that occurs when one person tries to physically harm another in a way that makes the person under attack feel immediately threatened. Actual physical contact is not necessary; threatening gestures that would alarm any reasonable person can constitute an assault. **Battery** is defined as: A crime consisting of physical contact that is intended to harm someone. Example, a fist fight is a common battery. Unintentional harmful contact is not battery.

Crimes included under **Assault and Assault & Battery (A&B)** are: Assault/Simple, Intimidation, Assault with a Knife, Assault with another Dangerous Weapon, Assault on a Police Officer.

* Total number of Assault and Assault & Battery's reported between August 23- November 23, 2007 was **52**

** Time of reported Assault and Assault & Battery's:

745am - 345pm= **16**

345pm - 1145pm= **20**

1145pm - 745am= **16**

● Equals reported location of Assault and A&B