

FORCIBLE RAPE

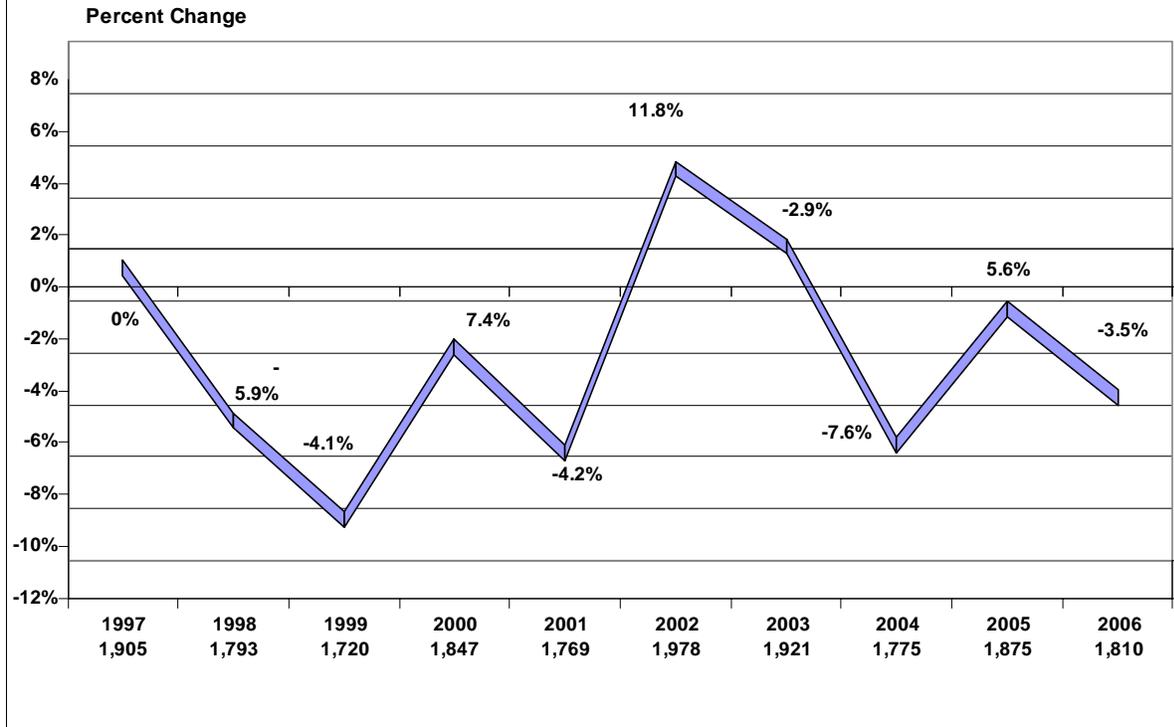
DEFINITION

Forcible Rape, by UCR definition, is the carnal knowledge of a person forcibly or against that person's will, or when a victim is mentally or physically incapable of giving consent. Attempts to commit rape are included in this category. One offense is counted for each victim of rape. Statutory rapes and other types of sexual assaults are not counted as rape under the UCR program.

ROUNDING

Percentages shown in the tables and charts may not add to 100% due to rounding. Rates per 10,000 population and percent changes also have been rounded.

SOUTH CAROLINA FORCIBLE RAPE



2006 SUMMARY

There were 1,810 forcible rapes reported in the 2006 crime index. During this year, rapes decreased 3.5 percent compared to those reported in 2005.

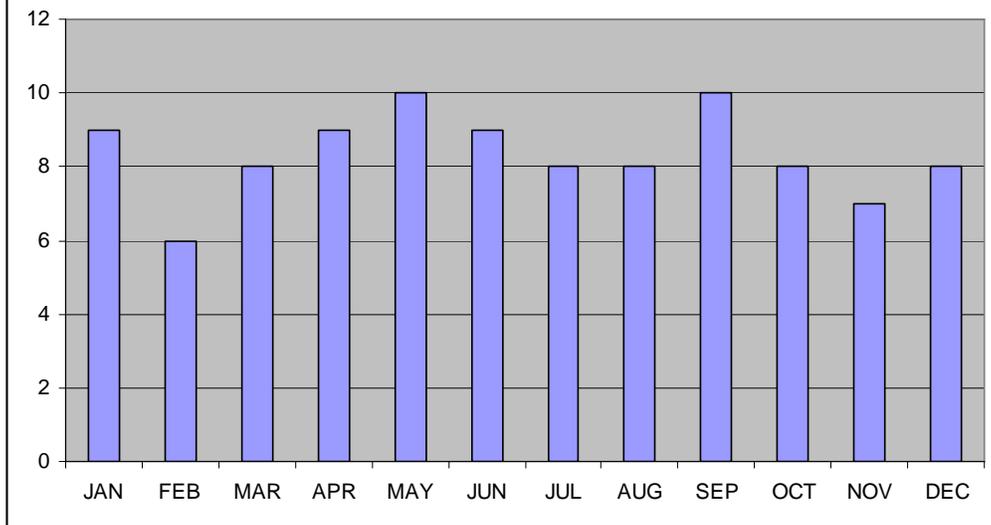
There were 536 rapes cleared by arrest or exceptionally cleared, amounting to a clearance rate of 47 percent statewide.

The number of forcible rapes committed per 10,000 persons was 4.2 statewide.

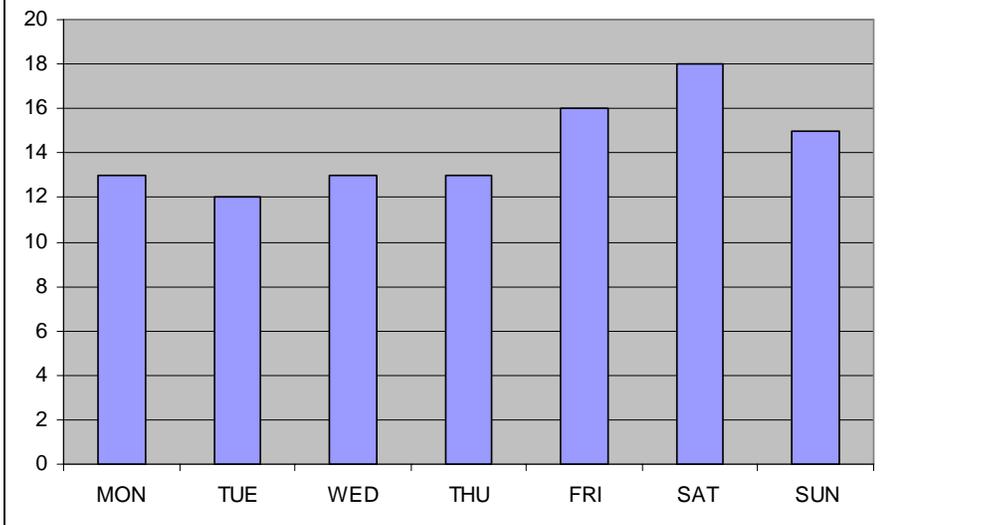
Of all persons arrested for rape, 80.0 percent were 34 years of age or younger. With regard to race, 60.0 percent were white, 38.0 percent were black, and 2.0 percent were other races.

The relationships of victims to offenders within the family represented 16.0 percent of the total, outside the family but known to the victim 58.4 percent, strangers 14.5 percent, and unknown relationships 11.1 percent.

**2006 RAPE INCIDENTS BY MONTH
PERCENTAGES**



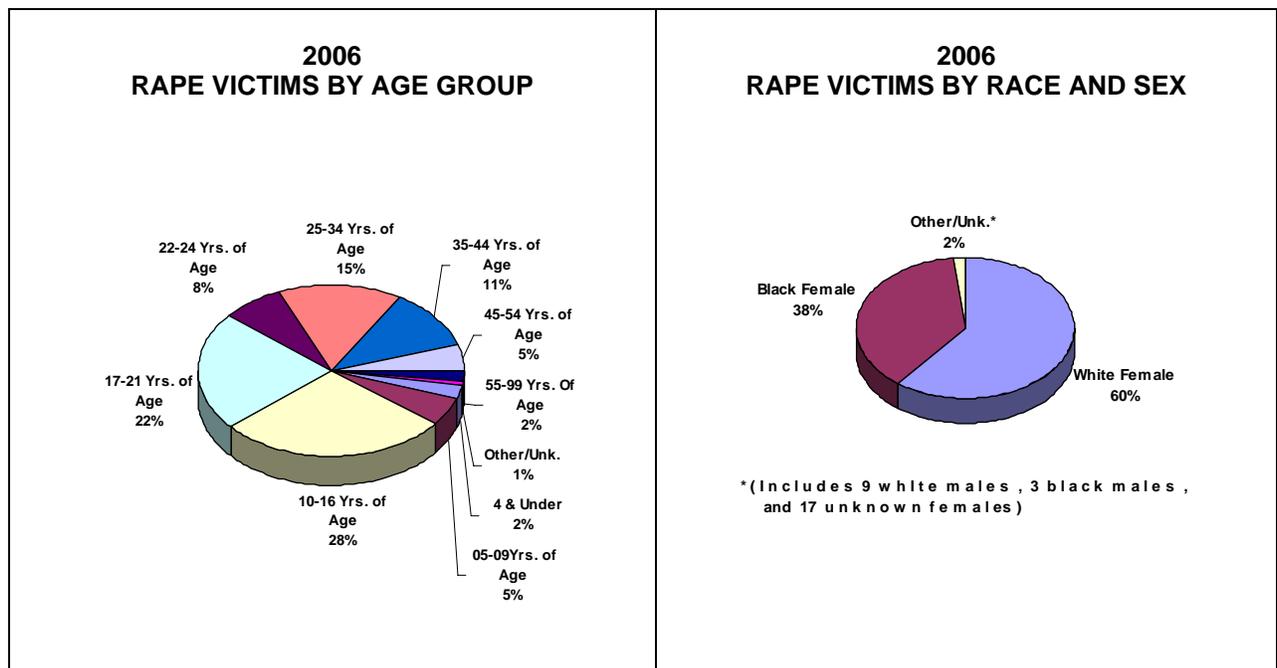
**2006 RAPE INCIDENTS BY DAY OF WEEK
PERCENTAGES**



2006 RAPE VICTIMS BY AGE, SEX, RACE

Age Group	Total	White Female	Black Female	White Male	Black Male	Other/Unknown
Infant	2	1	1	0	0	0
01 – 04	41	33	7	1	0	0
05 – 09	99	40	58	0	0	1
10 – 16	509	277	219	6	2	5
17 – 21	404	246	152	1	1	4
22 – 24	139	98	39	1	0	1
25 – 34	273	184	87	0	0	2
35 – 44	203	142	61	0	0	0
45 – 54	93	52	40	0	0	1
55 – 64	18	12	6	0	0	0
65 – 99	0	9	9	0	0	0
Other/Unknown	13	6	5	0	0	2
State Total	1,813	1,100	684	9	3	17

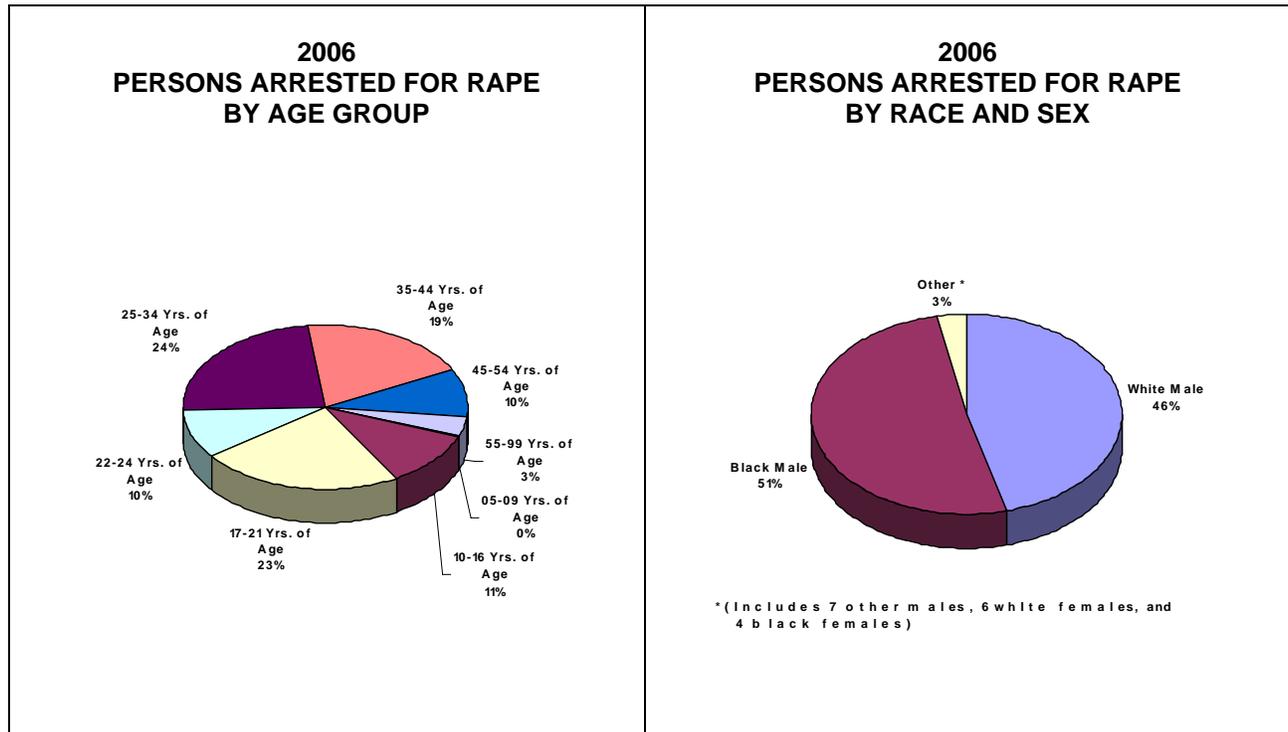
NOTE: The victim counts shown here have not been subjected to the “hierarchy rule” (explained elsewhere); therefore, all victims linked to this offense type are counted.



2006 PERSONS ARRESTED FOR RAPE BY AGE, SEX, RACE

Age Group	Total	White Male	Black Male	Other Male	White Female	Black Female	Other Female
05 – 09	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
10 – 16	59	15	42	0	0	2	0
17 – 21	123	74	49	0	0	0	0
22 – 24	52	28	22	2	0	0	0
25 – 34	127	57	61	3	5	1	0
35 – 44	104	40	63	0	1	0	0
45 – 54	51	21	29	1	0	0	0
55 – 64	14	7	6	1	0	0	0
65 – 99	5	3	2	0	0	0	0
State Total	536	245	274	7	6	4	0

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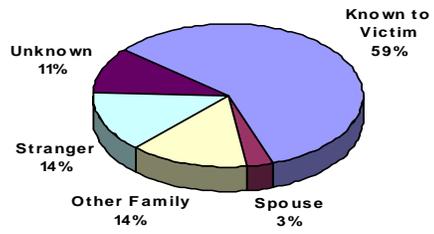
Forty-six percent of persons arrested for rape in 2006 were white males; 51 percent were black males.

2004-2006 RELATIONSHIP OF RAPE VICTIMS TO OFFENDERS

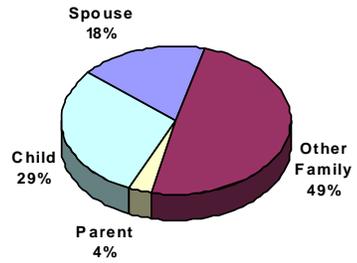
Relationship Of Victim To Offender	Number of Victims 2004	% Distr.	Number of Victims 2005	% Distr.	Number of Victims 2006	% Distr.
Within Family	301	16.9	357	19.0	290	16.0
Spouse	43	2.4	47	2.5	47	2.6
Parent	1	0.1	3	0.2	3	0.2
Child	49	2.8	64	3.4	60	3.3
Sibling	14	0.8	26	1.4	28	1.5
Common-Law Spouse	13	0.7	12	0.6	10	0.6
Grandparent	0	0.0	1	0.1	0	0.0
Grandchild	18	1.0	11	0.6	4	0.2
Stepsibling	2	0.1	9	0.5	4	0.2
Stepparent	8	0.5	13	0.7	6	0.3
Stepchild	37	2.1	38	2.0	30	1.7
In-law	16	0.9	5	0.3	4	0.2
Other Family	100	5.6	128	6.8	94	5.2
Known to Victim	1,047	59.0	1,093	58.2	1,059	58.4
Boy/Girlfriend	121	6.8	151	8.0	149	8.2
Friend	72	4.1	83	4.4	93	5.1
Acquaintance	739	41.6	696	37.0	686	37.8
Homosexual	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Ex-Spouse	11	0.6	13	0.7	9	0.5
Neighbor	21	1.2	23	1.2	22	1.2
Child of BF/GF	10	0.6	11	0.6	11	0.6
Employee	2	0.1	8	0.4	2	0.1
Employer	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Babysittee	1	0.1	3	0.2	3	0.2
Other	70	3.9	105	5.6	84	4.6
Stranger	258	14.5	225	12.0	263	14.5
Unknown	170	9.6	204	10.9	201	11.1
Victim also Offender	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
State Total	1,776	100.0	1,879	100.0	1,813	100.0

NOTE: The victim counts in this table have not been subjected to the "hierarchy rule" (explained elsewhere), therefore, all victims linked to this offense type are counted. For simplicity, only one relationship category has been counted for each victim. (If there was more than one offender related to a victim, only the relationship "closest" to that victim was counted.)

**2004-2006
RAPE BY RELATIONSHIP
(Victim to Offender)**



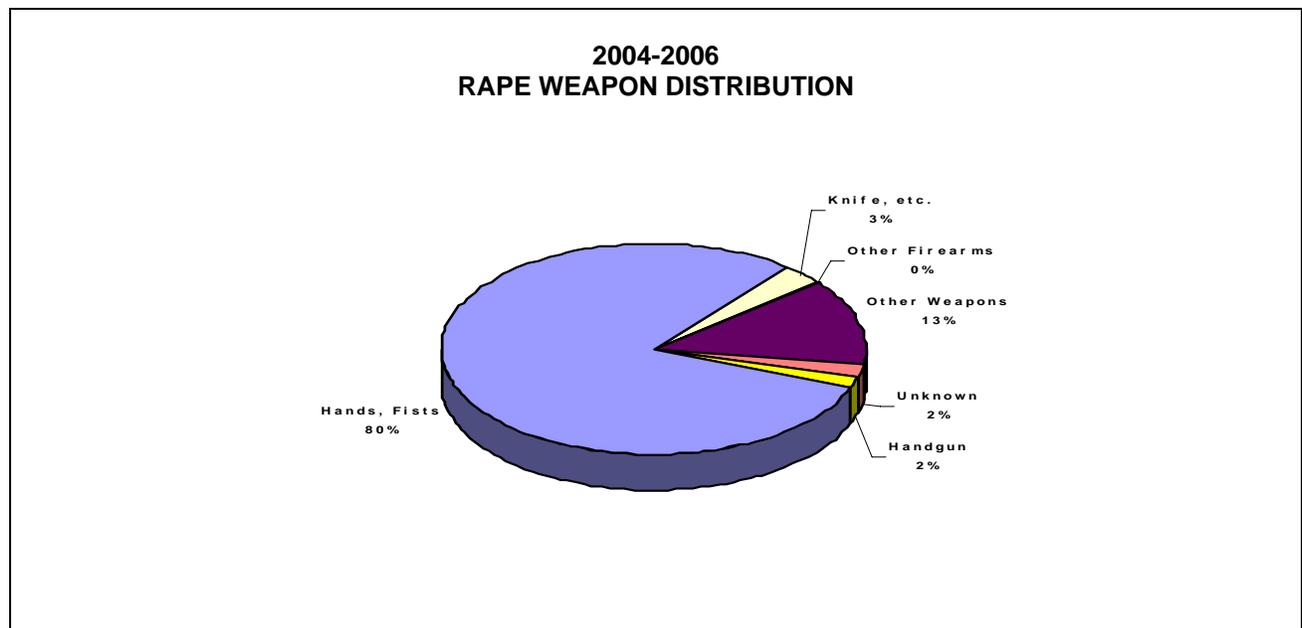
**2004-2006
RAPE WITHIN FAMILY
(Victim to Offender)**



2004-2006 RAPE INCIDENT WEAPON DISTRIBUTION

Weapons	2004 Incidents	% Distr.	2005 Incidents	% Distr.	2006 Incidents	% Distr.
Handgun	27	1.6	36	2.0	39	2.2
Rifle	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.1
Shotgun	1	0.1	3	0.2	1	0.1
Other Firearm	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.1
Firearm Unknown Type	8	0.5	4	0.2	6	0.3
Firearm Total	36	2.1	43	2.4	48	2.7
Knife/Cutting Instrument	39	2.3	46	2.5	58	3.3
Blunt Object	5	0.3	9	0.5	9	0.5
Knife/ Blunt Object Total	44	2.6	55	3.0	67	3.8
Fire/Incendiary Device	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Explosives	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Fire/Explosive Total	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Motor Vehicle	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Drugs/Narcotics	4	0.2	7	0.4	12	0.7
Poison	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Other	21	1.2	9	0.5	24	1.3
Strangulation	1	0.1	1	0.1	1	0.1
Other Dangerous Weapons	26	1.5	17	0.9	37	2.1
Hands, Feet	1,432	83.1	1,442	79.0	1,368	76.9
Drowning	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Pushed	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Hands, Etc. Total	1,432	83.1	1,442	79.0	1,368	76.9
Unknown	27	1.6	41	2.2	38	2.1
None	158	9.2	227	12.4	221	12.4
State Total	1,723	100.0	1,825	100.0	1,779	100.0

NOTE: The incident counts in this table have not been subjected to the "hierarchy rule" (explained elsewhere), therefore, all incidents in this category are counted. For simplicity, only one weapon type has been counted for each incident. (If there was more than one weapon type used in an incident, only the primary weapon - as listed in order in this table - was counted.)



2004-2006 RAPE INCIDENTS BY PREMISE

Premise	2004 Incidents	% Distr.	2005 Incidents	% Distr.	2006 Incidents	% Distr.
Air/Bus/Train Terminal	1	0.1	5	0.3	4	0.2
Bank/Savings and Loan	0	0.0	1	0.1	1	0.1
Bar/Nightclub	15	0.9	18	1.0	25	1.4
Church/Synagogue	9	0.5	2	0.1	0	0.0
Commercial/ Office Building	17	1.0	13	0.7	10	0.6
Construction Site	2	0.1	1	0.1	6	0.3
Convenience Store	2	0.1	3	0.2	1	0.1
Department/Discount Store	2	0.1	2	0.1	1	0.1
Drugstore/Doctor/Hospital	8	0.5	9	0.5	11	0.6
Field/Woods	81	4.7	77	4.2	71	4.0
Government/Public Building	5	0.3	5	0.3	2	0.1
Grocery/Supermarket	1	0.1	1	0.1	1	0.1
Highway/Road	126	7.3	121	6.6	100	5.6
Hotel/Motel	77	4.5	98	5.4	113	6.4
Jail/Prison	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Lake/Waterway	6	0.3	6	0.3	7	0.4
Liquor Store	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
Parking Lot/Garage	18	1.0	35	1.9	37	2.1
Rental Storage Facility	1	0.1	1	0.1	2	0.1
Residence/Home	1,114	64.7	1,204	66.0	1,148	64.5
Restaurant	4	0.2	4	0.2	6	0.3
School K-12	33	1.9	27	1.5	27	1.5
Service/Gas Station	0	0.0	1	0.1	1	0.1
Specialty Store	3	0.2	1	0.1	4	0.2
Other/Unknown	46	2.7	37	2.0	54	3.0
Colleges	14	0.8	8	0.4	9	0.5
Shopping Mall	0	0.0	1	0.1	1	0.1
Apartment/Condo	138	8.0	144	7.9	136	7.6
Highway Rest Areas	0	0.0	0	0.0	1	0.1
Court/Courthouse	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0.0
State Total	1,723	100.0	1,825	100.0	1,779	100.0

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**2004-2006
RAPE INCIDENTS BY PREMISE**

