

Wisconsin Sexual Assault Statistics

- 34.6% of sexual assaults were reports of forcible rape, forcible sodomy, or assault with an object (2001).
- In 68.1% of the cases, the victim knew the perpetrator (2001).
- More than 25% of victims were under the age of 13 (2001).
- In over 92.8% of the cases, the perpetrator was a white male (2001).

Uniform Crime Data

Number of victims recorded 2005: 1,142

Forcible rape is defined by the FBI as “the carnal knowledge of a female forcibly and against her will. Assaults and attempts to commit rape by force or threat of force are also included; however, statutory rape (without force) and other sex offenses are excluded”. This definition of rape is extremely limited, excluding male victims of sexual assault, incidents where physical force was not used, victims raped by family members, and only counting victims of vaginal/penile penetration.

About the Wisconsin Coalition Against Sexual Assault, Inc.

What the WCASA, Inc. does: Offers support, advocacy, and information to victims of sexual assault and their families; works to ensure that every victim in

Funding

Pass through? Yes

Wisconsin gets the support and care they need. Works to create the social change necessary to ensure a future where no child, woman, or man is ever sexually violated again. WCASA designs curriculum to promote anti-violence and respect in the K-12 school system; promotes public awareness of sexual assault; publishes parents’ guides to help parents talk to their kids about sexual assault; and promotes legislative initiatives designed to improve the legal system to benefit victims of sexual assault and other violent crimes.

Special populations served: People with disabilities, the elderly

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