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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- **Number and Rate of Unusual Incidents January - December 2007**

There were 6,003 unusual incidents during January-December 2007. The annual rate of unusual incidents was 94.5 incidents per thousand inmate population (see Table 2, p.6).

- **Rate of Unusual Incidents by Facility Security Level**

The rate of unusual incidents was highest in maximum security facilities with 144.8 incidents per thousand inmate population. Medium security prisons experienced a rate of 57.3; minimum security (including work release facilities), 110.0; minimum security Shock Incarceration facilities, 42.7; and minimum security camps, 37.1 (see Table 3.1, pp. 9-11).

- **Inmate Weapon Use**

Weapons were used by inmates in 26.0% of unusual incidents. Cutting or stabbing weapons were most often used during inmate assault on inmate and self-injury incidents. Use of body, such as fists or kicking, was most often used during inmate assault on staff incidents (see Table 4.2, p. 17).

- **Deaths**

There were 147 NYSDOCS inmate deaths reported in 2007. The total included 18 suicides in NYSDOCS facilities. An additional 128 inmate deaths were due to natural causes (see Table 6, p. 20).

- **Inmate Assault on Staff**

There were 556 inmate assault on staff incidents in 2007. The annualized rate for maximum security prisons was 16.9 incidents per thousand inmate population; the rate for all facilities was 8.8 (see **Table 8.1, pp. 26-28**).

- **Inmate Assault on Inmate**

In 2007 there were 701 inmate assault on inmate incidents. The annualized rate for maximum security prisons was 17.3 incidents per thousand inmate population; the rate for all facilities was 11.0 (see **Table 8.3, pp. 33-35**).

- **Extent of Injury to Staff**

Most unusual incidents were resolved without injuries to staff. Of 19,374 staff members listed in unusual incidents, 96.4% did not incur an injury (see **Table 9.1, p. 40**).

- **Force Used to Resolve Incidents**

Department employees used force in 12.6% of unusual incidents in 2007. Force was used most often in inmate assault on staff incidents (see **Table 10.2, p. 42**).

## **INTRODUCTION**

The Unusual Incident System maintains information on incidents that occur within the New York State Department of Correctional Services (NYSDOCS). Events that disrupt or affect facility operations are considered unusual incidents and are reported by telephone to the DOCS Communication Control Center located in Albany and entered into the computer system via terminals at the correctional facilities.

The reporting system is capable of recording information on more than one type of unusual incident that occurs as part of a series of events. In concert with other information maintained in electronic databases, the Department can examine characteristics of victims and perpetrators involved in assaultive behavior, as well as identify all inmates and staff listed in incidents.

## Section One

### FREQUENCY OF INCIDENTS

A total of 6,003 unusual incidents were reported in 2007. Table 1 shows the type and number of incidents that occurred each month during the year. The number of unusual incidents fluctuates from month to month, and while monthly variations may be important, trend analyses that extend over months may be more meaningful.

The most frequently reported categories of incidents were contraband (N=2,431), inmate assault on inmate (N=701), and inmate assault on staff (N=556). Together, the three categories accounted for 61% of reported incidents. The reader should note that the deaths reported in Table 1 combines 148 inmates (including one inmate death while in New York City Department of Corrections) and 5 staff (see also page 20).

Incident Type	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Accident	30	39	40	28	64	50	64	58	41	38	38	55	545
Assault on Inmate	58	48	42	60	63	58	72	78	59	60	60	43	701
Assault on Staff	34	27	51	52	37	46	51	67	50	49	48	44	556
Assault on Other	3	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	1	9
Contraband	230	173	190	165	206	181	228	248	207	210	175	218	2431
Death	16	14	10	11	17	21	12	14	10	11	10	7	153
Disruptive Behavior	34	23	28	24	39	29	37	24	28	25	30	31	352
Utilities Disruption	2	1	0	3	1	0	2	2	3	1	2	0	17
Employee Misconduct	10	15	12	10	13	11	12	13	13	17	12	10	148
Escape	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Attempted Escape	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Fire	2	2	2	3	1	3	0	4	1	3	3	4	28
Hostage Situation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Inmate Disturbance	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
Mass Demonstration	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Property Destruction	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	2	6
Property Lost/Stolen	11	18	10	10	11	9	6	7	5	4	12	12	115
Self-Injury	11	9	4	7	8	4	8	7	6	6	8	10	88
Sexual Misconduct	3	6	6	3	10	10	11	3	8	7	7	9	83
Suicide Attempt	4	3	2	5	3	4	8	8	4	6	4	6	57
Temporary Release	16	15	15	10	12	14	15	10	11	15	8	16	157
Employee Weapon Use	13	7	16	7	11	17	14	15	14	9	8	17	148
Employee Job Action	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Incidents	41	35	29	27	31	35	39	39	29	30	36	33	404
<b>Total</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>583</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>492</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>462</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>6003</b>

## Section Two

### ANNUALIZED RATE OF UNUSUAL INCIDENTS

The rate of unusual incidents is a ratio of the number of reported incidents to the inmate population. The rate measure used in this report is standardized per 1,000 inmates per year and allows for comparison between facilities and time periods. See Appendix A for an illustration and an explanation of the rate calculation methodology.

Table 2 displays the frequency and rate of unusual incidents by category. In 2007, there were 94.5 incidents per 1,000 inmates. Unusual incident rates for correctional facilities are presented in Section 3; rates of assault on staff by inmates and rates of inmate on inmate assault are presented in Section 8. An additional method to examine unusual incidents is by inmate involvement. In 2007, there were 7,376 inmates listed in UI reports (see Section 5), a rate of 116.1 per 1,000 incarcerated inmates.

Table 2 Unusual Incident Frequency and Annual Rate January - December 2007		
Incident Type	Number of Incidents	Annual Rate
Accident	545	8.6
Assault on Inmate	701	11.0
Assault on Staff	556	8.8
Assault on Other	9	0.1
Contraband	2431	38.3
Death	153	2.4
Disruptive Behavior	352	5.5
Utilities Disruption	17	0.3
Employee Misconduct	148	2.3
Escape	2	0.0
Attempted Escape	1	0.0
Fire	28	0.4
Inmate Disturbance	2	0.0
Property Destruction	6	0.1
Property Lost/Stolen	115	1.8
Self-Injury	88	1.4
Sexual Misconduct	83	1.3
Suicide Attempt	57	0.9
Temporary Release	157	2.5
Employee Weapon Use	148	2.3
Other Incidents	404	6.4
Total	6003	94.5

Average inmate population for 2006 was 63,507. Annual Rate is calculated per 1,000 inmates.

## Section Three

### NUMBER AND RATE OF UNUSUAL INCIDENTS BY FACILITY

The number and rate of unusual incidents are presented in a series of statistical tables on pages 9-14. The number and rate of incidents by correctional facility and security level appear in Table 3.1, pages 9-11; the number of incidents per month by facility and facility security level appear in Table 3.2, pages 12-14.

#### MAXIMUM SECURITY

Maximum security facilities reported 3,758 unusual incidents in 2007, a rate of 144.8 incidents per 1,000 inmates. Prisons that experienced the highest rates include Great Meadow (224.5) and Wende (204.5). Regional Medical Units (RMU), specialized facilities for chronically ill inmates, reported high rates of unusual incidents because of the large number of deaths that occurred among a small inmate population. Bedford Hills Correctional Facility imprisons female inmates and accounted for 111 unusual incidents, a rate of 136.5. Bedford Hills RMU reported two unusual incidents for a rate of 95.2.

#### MEDIUM SECURITY

Medium security prisons reported 1,980 incidents in 2007. While housing 54% of the inmate population, medium security facilities accounted for only 33% of incidents. The rate of incidents (57.3) in medium security facilities was about 61% of the rate for the system overall (94.5). Included in the medium security level are ASACTC facilities (Alcohol and Substance Abuse Correctional Treatment Centers) which provide intensive counseling to inmates with histories of drug and alcohol abuse. A review of Table 3.1 reveals that most ASACTC facilities have a low rate of unusual incidents when compared to other medium security facilities.

Greene (86.1) and Washington (101.0) Correctional Facilities reported a relatively high rate of incidents. This is due in part to the large number and percentage of inmates aged 16-20 housed in these facilities. Historically, younger inmates have higher rates of involvement in unusual incidents. Bayview Correctional Facility, a prison for female inmates with a work release component, reported a rate of 94.5 incidents per 1,000 inmates and included a number of inmate absconders. Fishkill Correctional Facility with a reported rate of 100.9 inmates per 1,000, with a work release component also had a number of inmate absconders in 2007.

## **MINIMUM SECURITY**

The minimum security category includes the following work release facilities: Buffalo, Edgecombe, Fulton, Lincoln, and Rochester. The rate of unusual incidents was 110.0 per thousand inmates in 2007. Beacon incarcerates female inmates.

## **MINIMUM SHOCK INCARCERATION**

Three minimum security Shock Incarceration facilities, commonly referred to as boot camps, reported 22 incidents in 2007, a rate of 42.7 per 1,000 inmates. Summit Shock Incarceration Program reported eight incidents, a rate of 65.6.

## **MINIMUM CAMPS**

Minimum security camps recorded 26 unusual incidents or a rate of 37.1 incidents per 1,000 inmate population. Camp Pharsalia (62.1) recorded the highest rate of unusual incidents and Camp Georgetown (15.9) incidents reported the lowest rate.

## **MISCELLANEOUS**

Twenty-one unusual incidents were reported by Central Office staff. Seventeen accidents, three instances of employee misconduct and one incident of fire were reported.

Table 3.1  
Number and Rate of Unusual Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Population 2007	Unusual Incidents	Rate per 1,000 Inmates
<b>Maximum Security</b>			
Attica	2196	283	128.9
Auburn	1766	346	195.9
Bedford Hills	813	111	136.5
Clinton	2860	402	140.6
Coxsackie	976	110	112.7
Downstate	1229	85	69.2
Eastern	1181	103	87.2
Elmira	1828	299	163.6
Five Points	1412	211	149.4
Great Meadow	1657	372	224.5
Green Haven	2151	241	112.0
Shawangunk	544	50	91.9
Sing Sing	1752	277	158.1
Southport	884	101	114.3
Sullivan	775	110	141.9
Upstate	1280	256	200.0
Wende	851	174	204.5
Subtotal	24155	3531	146.2
Cayuga SHU200	178	23	129.2
Collins SHU200	172	15	87.2
Fishkill SHU200	176	14	79.5
Gouverneur SHU200	172	2	11.6
Greene SHU200	180	12	66.7
Lakeview SHU200	183	16	87.4
Marcy SHU200	134	13	97.0
Mid-State SHU200	173	16	92.5
Orleans SHU200	142	8	56.3
Subtotal	1510	119	78.8
Bedford Hills RMU	21	2	95.2
Coxsackie RMU	58	26	448.3
Fishkill RMU	29	18	620.7
Walsh RMU	111	23	207.2
Wende RMU	78	39	500.0
Subtotal	297	108	363.6
<b>Total</b>	<b>25962</b>	<b>3758</b>	<b>144.8</b>

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Table 3.1  
Number and Rate of Unusual Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Population 2007	Unusual Incidents	Rate per 1,000 Inmates
Medium Security			
Adirondack	552	33	59.8
Albion	1108	39	35.2
Altona	474	17	35.9
Arthur Kill	890	73	82.0
Arthur Kill ASACTC	57	0	0.0
Bare Hill	1710	94	55.0
Bayview	201	19	94.5
Butler	205	5	24.4
Cape Vincent	863	50	57.9
Cayuga	864	58	67.1
Chateaugay	211	5	23.7
Collins	940	62	66.0
Fishkill	1496	151	100.9
Franklin	1717	65	37.9
Gouverneur	866	33	38.1
Gowanda	1741	66	37.9
Greene	1615	139	86.1
Groveland	1238	74	59.8
Hale Creek ASACTC	461	11	23.9
Hudson	510	34	66.7
Lakeview Reception-F	3	0	0.0
Lakeview Reception-M	373	14	37.5
Lakeview Shock-F	93	3	32.3
Lakeview Shock-M	494	10	20.2
Livingston	867	44	50.7
Marcy	1104	80	72.5
Mid-Orange	723	39	53.9
Mid-State	1293	115	88.9
Mohawk	1290	70	54.3
Mt. McGregor	534	38	71.2
Ogdensburg	591	10	16.9
Oneida	1178	60	50.9
Orleans	857	66	77.0
Otisville	601	16	26.6
Riverview	868	49	56.5
Taconic	218	14	64.2
Taconic ASACTC	136	0	0.0
Ulster	811	33	40.7
Wallkill	597	24	40.2
Washington	1059	107	101.0
Watertown	639	23	36.0
Woodbourne	791	22	27.8
Wyoming	1581	113	71.5
Wyoming ASACTC	118	2	16.9
Total	34538	1980	57.3

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Table 3.1  
Number and Rate of Unusual Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Population 2007	Unusual Incidents	Rate per 1,000 Inmates
<b>Minimum Security</b>			
Beacon	240	6	25.0
Buffalo	128	24	187.5
Butler Minimum	232	9	38.8
Edgecombe	126	50	396.8
Fulton	74	30	405.4
Lincoln	151	43	284.8
Lyon Mountain	155	6	38.7
Mid-State Minimum	168	0	0.0
Queensboro	412	14	34.0
Rochester	51	12	235.3
Summit	45	2	44.4
Total	1782	196	110.0
<b>Minimum Shock</b>			
Monterey Shock	211	9	42.7
Moriah Shock	182	5	27.5
Summit Shock	122	8	65.6
Total	515	22	42.7
<b>Minimum Camps</b>			
Camp Gabriels	194	9	46.4
Camp Georgetown	189	3	15.9
Camp McGregor	157	4	25.5
Camp Pharsalia	161	10	62.1
Total	701	26	37.1
<b>Other</b>			
Central Office	0	21	0.0
Total	0	21	0.0
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>63507</b>	<b>6003</b>	<b>94.5</b>

Table 3.2  
Number and Rate of Unusual Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
<b>Maximum Security</b>													
Attica	23	26	19	9	19	28	22	41	30	25	18	23	283
Auburn	25	32	28	32	35	35	35	35	21	25	17	26	346
Bedford Hills	4	17	13	7	5	9	14	17	11	4	3	7	111
Clinton	34	25	27	35	35	17	46	34	42	29	39	39	402
Coxsackie	2	10	5	14	9	7	11	8	2	4	24	14	110
Downstate	9	8	10	7	9	5	6	14	7	3	1	6	85
Eastern	7	7	4	1	7	6	14	11	12	10	14	10	103
Elmira	26	23	20	27	31	27	29	19	15	21	29	32	299
Five Points	18	13	20	17	16	26	24	16	18	17	12	14	211
Great Meadow	47	22	15	25	36	19	47	52	39	25	17	28	372
Green Haven	21	12	21	19	22	18	13	20	25	28	16	26	241
Shawangunk	3	2	1	1	5	1	9	5	4	5	5	9	50
Sing Sing	20	20	19	18	14	26	20	30	24	38	21	27	277
Southport	5	3	6	12	16	12	8	13	3	6	9	8	101
Sullivan	13	8	8	4	5	8	11	10	15	12	7	9	110
Upstate	29	18	28	16	21	28	32	10	22	24	10	18	256
Wende	16	14	22	11	14	11	24	20	11	8	11	12	174
Subtotal	302	260	266	255	299	283	365	355	301	284	253	308	3531
<b>SHU200</b>													
Cayuga SHU200	1	1	3	2	2	4	0	2	1	2	1	4	23
Collins SHU200	0	0	1	4	0	1	0	1	3	0	2	3	15
Fishkill SHU200	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	3	0	2	1	14
Gouverneur SHU200	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Greene SHU200	2	0	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	3	2	12
Lakeview SHU200	4	0	0	2	2	0	2	1	0	2	1	2	16
Marcy SHU200	0	0	0	1	8	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	13
Mid-State SHU200	5	2	0	0	0	3	2	0	1	2	1	0	16
Orleans SHU200	0	1	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	8
Subtotal	12	5	8	11	17	11	9	8	8	6	10	14	119
<b>RMU</b>													
Bedford Hills RMU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2
Coxsackie RMU	2	3	1	1	8	3	2	2	0	4	0	0	26
Fishkill RMU	2	0	2	3	0	1	1	3	4	1	0	1	18
Walsh RMU	3	3	3	1	2	0	2	1	3	1	3	1	23
Wende RMU	3	2	5	1	1	6	3	3	1	6	3	5	39
Subtotal	10	8	11	6	11	10	8	10	8	12	7	7	108
Total	324	273	285	272	327	304	382	373	317	302	270	329	3758
Column Percent	62%	63%	62%	64%	62%	62%	66%	62%	64%	61%	58%	64%	63%

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Table 3.2 (continued)  
 Number and Rate of Unusual Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
 January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Medium Security													
Adirondack	4	0	1	1	2	2	4	5	4	1	7	2	33
Albion	3	3	4	1	3	3	2	8	3	3	3	3	39
Altona	4	1	2	1	2	2	1	3	0	0	0	1	17
Arthur Kill	8	5	7	6	6	3	7	7	5	8	5	6	73
Arthur Kill ASACTC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bare Hill	9	4	9	13	9	7	7	4	3	11	8	10	94
Bayview	2	2	1	1	3	0	2	1	1	3	0	3	19
Butler	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	5
Cape Vincent	5	5	8	1	2	3	7	7	3	1	5	3	50
Cayuga	4	7	3	3	3	4	6	6	6	6	4	6	58
Chateaugay	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	5
Collins	4	3	7	4	5	6	6	6	4	4	3	10	62
Fishkill	7	12	12	12	15	14	10	11	8	14	14	22	151
Franklin	5	0	3	4	7	3	6	11	9	6	3	8	65
Gouverneur	10	2	2	0	3	1	4	5	2	2	0	2	33
Gowanda	7	3	7	1	6	7	2	8	5	10	4	6	66
Greene	15	11	12	8	12	7	15	17	11	9	15	7	139
Groveland	11	12	2	3	10	1	6	7	5	4	5	8	74
Hale Creek ASACTC	1	3	0	0	3	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	11
Hudson	2	0	2	4	3	1	4	5	3	7	3	0	34
Lakeview Reception-F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lakeview Reception-M	2	0	0	2	0	0	1	4	1	1	1	2	14
Lakeview Shock-F	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	3
Lakeview Shock-M	0	1	2	1	0	2	1	2	0	1	0	0	10
Livingston	4	3	3	4	3	3	2	4	2	3	6	7	44
Marcy	9	6	8	3	12	3	12	8	3	5	3	8	80
Mid-Orange	1	2	2	5	4	6	3	9	1	2	0	4	39
Mid-State	10	9	6	6	11	14	10	8	12	13	13	3	115
Mohawk	4	13	7	4	8	4	2	3	9	7	6	3	70
Mt. McGregor	0	4	4	1	4	5	7	2	4	0	4	3	38
Ogdensburg	1	1	1	1	0	1	2	1	0	1	1	0	10
Oneida	5	0	2	8	3	6	4	8	5	7	5	7	60
Orleans	7	7	3	6	11	3	6	1	5	4	5	8	66
Otisville	4	0	3	1	0	0	2	2	1	1	0	2	16
Riverview	4	1	5	2	5	2	7	2	6	3	6	6	49
Taconic	1	1	2	0	1	2	1	1	0	2	1	2	14
Taconic ASACTC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ulster	4	0	4	2	2	7	5	2	0	3	3	1	33
Walkkill	2	4	0	1	0	1	1	3	3	4	2	3	24
Washington	4	6	10	11	8	19	6	8	9	5	15	6	107
Watertown	3	1	1	0	5	2	3	3	1	2	1	1	23
Woodbourne	1	1	2	1	1	3	1	3	5	1	1	2	22
Wyoming	6	11	5	13	4	9	13	15	15	8	12	2	113
Wyoming ASACTC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Total	173	144	155	135	177	160	180	204	154	166	164	168	1980
Column Percent	33%	33%	34%	32%	34%	32%	31%	34%	31%	34%	35%	32%	33%

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Table 3.2 (continued)  
Number and Rate of Unusual Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
January - December 2006

Correctional Facility	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
<b>Minimum Security</b>													
Beacon	0	0	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	6
Buffalo	3	2	2	0	2	6	1	2	3	1	1	1	24
Butler Minimum	1	1	0	0	3	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	9
Edgecombe	2	2	1	6	3	3	5	6	2	5	6	9	50
Fulton	5	4	2	1	4	1	3	1	3	3	1	2	30
Lincoln	5	5	6	2	2	2	4	3	3	4	5	2	43
Lyon Mountain	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	6
Mid-State Minimum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Queensboro	0	1	1	4	1	1	0	1	1	1	2	1	14
Rochester	1	1	1	0	3	3	0	0	0	2	1	0	12
Summit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2
Total	18	16	14	14	19	17	16	16	14	17	20	15	196
Column Percent	3.5%	3.7%	3.1%	3.3%	3.6%	3.4%	2.7%	2.7%	2.8%	3.4%	4.3%	2.9%	3.3%
<b>Minimum Shock</b>													
Monterey Shock	2	1	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	9
Moriah Shock	0	0	0	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Summit Shock	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	2	2	0	8
Total	2	1	1	1	3	3	3	0	2	3	2	1	22
Column Percent	0.4%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.6%	0.6%	0.5%	0.0%	0.4%	0.6%	0.4%	0.2%	0.4%
<b>Minimum Camps</b>													
Camp Gabriels	1	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	2	9
Camp Georgetown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	3
Camp McGregor	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	4
Camp Pharsalia	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	1	0	2	2	10
Total	1	1	1	1	2	4	1	3	3	2	3	4	26
Column Percent	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%	0.8%	0.2%	0.5%	0.6%	0.4%	0.6%	0.8%	0.4%
<b>Other</b>													
Central Office	1	1	1	2	0	5	1	1	2	3	3	1	21
Total	1	1	1	2	0	5	1	1	2	3	3	1	21
Column Percent	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%	0.5%	0.0%	1.0%	0.2%	0.2%	0.4%	0.6%	0.6%	0.2%	0.3%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>583</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>492</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>462</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>6003</b>
<b>Column Percent</b>	<b>100%</b>												

## Section Four

### INMATE WEAPON USE

Tables 4.1 (p. 16) and 4.2 (p. 17) show the most dangerous weapons used in unusual incidents. The count of weapons includes only the most dangerous weapon used in an incident and is not a count of all weapons in an incident. For example, in an inmate assault on inmate unusual incident, when two inmates with shanks (prison-made knives) attack another inmate who defends himself with a broom handle, a shank would be counted as the most serious weapon used in the assault incident.

In 2007, inmates used weapons in 26.0% of all unusual incidents. Table 4.1 shows that 4.5% of incidents involved the 'other' weapon category and included items such as garrotes, human waste, and unspecified or unknown weapons. A large number of unknown weapons are present in inmate assault on inmate incidents. In the majority of those cases, the weapon was not found by correctional staff but the injuries sustained by inmate victims were consistent with the type of injuries inflicted by cutting/stabbing weapons. The Unusual Incident reporting system categorizes "unknown" weapons as "unrecovered cutting or stabbing weapon" if injuries were consistent with use of those weapons.

Inmate weapon use is concentrated within a few unusual incident categories: inmate assault on inmate, inmate assault on staff, self-injury, and disruptive behavior. Inmate attacks on other inmates usually involved cut/stab weapons (62.1%). In inmate attacks on staff, inmates most often used their body (N=426, 76.6%) to hit, kick, or bite correctional staff (see table 4.2). Use of 'other' weapons in attacks on staff (N=97, 17.4%) included inmates throwing human waste and/or other fluids, such as water, juice or hot coffee, onto correction officers.

Table 4.1  
Use of Weapons by Month of Incident  
January - December 2007

Type of Weapon	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
<b>No Weapon Used</b>													
No Weapon Total	398	337	338	301	394	368	423	425	363	363	326	406	4442
Col. Pct.	76.7%	77.3%	74.0%	70.8%	74.6%	74.6%	72.6%	71.2%	73.8%	73.6%	70.6%	78.4%	74.0%
<b>Use of Body</b>													
Fist, Kick, etc. Total	50	44	67	61	58	55	60	74	61	64	63	53	710
Col. Pct.	9.6%	10.1%	14.7%	14.4%	11.0%	11.2%	10.3%	12.4%	12.4%	13.0%	13.6%	10.2%	11.8%
<b>Cut or Stab Weapon</b>													
Broken Glass	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	6
Eating Utensil	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Knife-Manufactured	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Pen or Pencil	0	1	0	1	5	2	0	0	2	1	0	1	13
Razor Blade	7	8	7	8	8	3	13	9	3	3	4	4	77
Ice Pick Type	0	1	3	1	0	0	5	0	0	0	1	3	14
Shank	3	4	3	5	1	3	3	4	2	1	1	3	33
Can Lid	1	3	0	0	0	4	4	4	1	1	2	4	24
Toothbrush	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	3
Unrc. Cutting Weapon	35	17	13	21	27	22	22	35	33	19	29	21	294
Unrc. Stab. Weapon	5	3	2	2	9	3	8	4	2	10	2	2	52
Total	51	37	28	40	53	38	55	56	45	37	40	39	519
Col. Pct	9.8%	8.5%	6.1%	9.4%	10.0%	7.7%	9.4%	9.4%	9.1%	7.5%	8.7%	7.5%	8.6%
<b>Club</b>													
Weighted Container	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	3	3	2	2	3	16
Other Club	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	6
Wooden Club	0	0	5	1	2	2	2	0	4	1	0	1	18
Kitchen Tray	2	0	1	2	0	0	3	2	0	0	2	1	13
Total	2	1	8	3	2	3	7	7	8	3	4	5	53
Col. Pct.	0.4%	0.2%	1.8%	0.7%	0.4%	0.6%	1.2%	1.2%	1.6%	0.6%	0.9%	1.0%	0.9%
<b>Metal Object</b>													
Chair	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	1	4	1	10
Metal Pipe	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	1	4	1	11
Col. Pct.	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%	0.3%	0.2%	0.0%	0.2%	0.9%	0.2%	0.2%
<b>Other Weapon</b>													
Combustible Material	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	3
Garrote	3	7	4	3	3	8	8	9	2	3	4	3	57
Human Waste	2	0	1	1	4	0	3	0	1	0	2	2	16
Water or Other Fluid	0	3	4	3	5	4	13	9	4	2	5	2	54
Body Fluids	1	1	1	2	2	3	3	2	0	2	3	1	21
Not Specified	5	5	3	7	3	9	5	10	3	7	8	2	67
Other	6	1	3	3	3	5	4	4	5	11	2	3	50
Total	17	17	16	20	20	29	36	34	15	25	25	14	268
Col. Pct.	3.3%	3.9%	3.5%	4.7%	3.8%	5.9%	6.2%	5.7%	3.0%	5.1%	5.4%	2.7%	4.5%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>583</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>492</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>462</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>6003</b>
<b>Percent</b>	<b>100%</b>												

Table 4.2  
Incident Category by Inmate Weapon Use  
January - December 2007

Incident Category	No Weapon Used	Use of Body	Cut/Stab Weapon	Club	Metal Object	Other Weapon	Total
Accident	545	0	0	0	0	0	545
Row Pct.	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Assault on Inmate	15	104	435	41	10	96	701
Row Pct.	2.1%	14.8%	62.1%	5.8%	1.4%	13.7%	100.0%
Assault on Staff	19	426	2	11	1	97	556
Row Pct.	3.4%	76.6%	0.4%	2.0%	0.2%	17.4%	100.0%
Assault on Other	0	8	0	0	0	1	9
Row Pct.	0.0%	88.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	11.1%	100.0%
Contraband	2421	1	9	0	0	0	2431
Row Pct.	99.6%	0.0%	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Death	135	0	1	0	0	17	153
Row Pct.	88.2%	0.0%	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%	11.1%	100.0%
Disruptive Behavior	193	153	2	1	0	3	352
Row Pct.	54.8%	43.5%	0.6%	0.3%	0.0%	0.9%	100.0%
Utilities Disruption	17	0	0	0	0	0	17
Row Pct.	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Employee Misconduct	148	0	0	0	0	0	148
Row Pct.	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Escape	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Row Pct.	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Attempted Escape	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Row Pct.	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Fire	26	0	0	0	0	2	28
Row Pct.	92.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	7.1%	100.0%
Inmate Disturbance	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Row Pct.	7.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	7.1%
Property Destruction	6	0	0	0	0	0	6
Row Pct.	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Property Lost or Stolen	115	0	0	0	0	0	115
Row Pct.	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Self-Injury	13	5	64	0	0	6	88
Row Pct.	14.8%	5.7%	72.7%	0.0%	0.0%	6.8%	100.0%
Sexual Misconduct	78	5	0	0	0	0	83
Row Pct.	94.0%	6.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Suicide Attempt	11	0	6	0	0	40	57
Row Pct.	19.3%	0.0%	10.5%	0.0%	0.0%	70.2%	100.0%
Temporary Release	157	0	0	0	0	0	157
Row Pct.	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Employee Weapon Use	139	8	0	0	0	1	148
Row Pct.	93.9%	5.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%	100.0%
Employee Job Action	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Row Pct.	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other Incidents	399	0	0	0	0	5	404
Row Pct.	98.8%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.2%	100.0%
Grand Total	4442	710	519	53	11	268	6003
Percent	74.0%	11.8%	8.6%	0.9%	0.2%	4.5%	100.0%

## Section Five

### INMATE ROLE IN INCIDENT

Table 5.1 (p. 19) shows the role of inmates according to type of unusual incident. Inmate roles are divided into five categories: perpetrator, participant, suspect, victim, or witness. "Perpetrator" refers to the inmate who is responsible for the unusual incident (i.e., the individual who assaulted another person, started a fire, possessed contraband, or escaped from a facility). The "participant" role describes an inmate who is involved in an unusual incident but in a secondary capacity when compared to the perpetrator. An example would be an inmate who engages in a work stoppage but only after instigation by other inmates. "Suspect" refers to an inmate who is suspected of involvement in an incident but whose role will be determined after additional investigation. "Victim" refers to an inmate who has suffered an injury or loss due to the actions of other inmates, i.e., someone who has been assaulted or suffered smoke inhalation from a fire. The "witness/bystander" role describes an inmate who observed an unusual incident, or may have been present during an unusual incident but was not actively involved in the incident.

A total of 7,376 inmates were involved in unusual incidents in 2007. Specifically, there were 4,945 inmate perpetrators; 132 inmate participants; 1,338 inmate victims; 351 suspects; and 610 witnesses or bystanders. It should be noted that reporting system procedures enable an inmate's involvement to be counted several times depending upon the number of unusual incident reports filed as a result of a series of events. For example, if an inmate uses a knife in an assault of another inmate, the event may be reported in two categories - one for the assault incident, another for the inmate's possession of a weapon (contraband). While both unusual incidents are part of the same situation, the inmate would be listed as a perpetrator twice.

Table 5.2 (p. 19) shows the distribution of inmate roles by month for calendar year 2007.

**Table 5.1**  
**Unusual Incident Type by Inmate Role**  
**January - December 2007**

Inmate Role in Incident												
Incident Type	Perpetrator		Participant		Suspect		Victim		Witness or Bystander		Total	
	Number	Col. Pct.	Number	Col. Pct.	Number	Col. Pct.	Number	Col. Pct.	Number	Col. Pct.	Number	Col. Pct.
Accident	6	0.1%	15	11.4%	0	0.0%	402	30.0%	57	9.3%	480	6.5%
Assault on Inmate	597	12.1%	23	17.4%	49	14.0%	689	51.5%	26	4.3%	1384	18.8%
Assault on Staff	560	11.3%	22	16.7%	6	1.7%	0	0.0%	18	3.0%	606	8.2%
Assault on Other	9	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	9	0.1%
Contraband	2200	44.5%	35	26.5%	238	67.8%	4	0.3%	180	29.5%	2657	36.0%
Death	2	0.0%	2	1.5%	0	0.0%	148	11.1%	17	2.8%	169	2.3%
Disruptive Behavior	783	15.8%	8	6.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	16	2.6%	807	10.9%
Utilities Disruption	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.2%	0	0.0%
Employee Misconduct	0	0.0%	3	2.3%	1	0.3%	1	0.1%	1	0.2%	6	0.1%
Escape	2	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.0%	3	0.0%
Attempted Escape	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.8%	1	0.0%
Fire	8	0.2%	3	2.3%	1	0.3%	9	0.7%	5	0.0%	26	0.4%
Inmate Disturbance	47	1.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.2%	47	0.6%
Property Destruction	5	0.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	5.9%	6	0.1%
Property Lost/Stolen	5	0.1%	0	0.0%	38	10.8%	0	0.0%	36	1.8%	79	1.1%
Self-Injury	86	1.7%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.1%	11	0.5%	99	1.3%
Sexual Misconduct	110	2.2%	0	0.0%	2	0.6%	15	1.1%	3	1.3%	130	1.8%
Suicide Attempt	53	1.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	5	0.4%	8	0.0%	66	0.9%
Temporary Release	156	3.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	0	1.0%	157	2.1%
Employee Weapon Use	217	4.4%	8	6.1%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	6	36.7%	231	3.1%
Other Incidents	98	2.0%	13	9.8%	16	4.6%	62	4.6%	224	36.7%	413	5.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>4945</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>132</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>351</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>1338</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>7376</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Table 5.2**  
**Inmate Role by Month of Incident**  
**January - December 2007**

Inmate Role	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Perpetrator	422	307	368	341	388	415	472	470	570	433	364	395	4945
Col. Pct.	67.4%	61.2%	68.9%	65.2%	61.5%	66.4%	67.3%	67.0%	75.6%	70.0%	64.8%	66.2%	67.0%
Participant	15	17	6	6	7	14	10	12	6	8	15	16	132
Col. Pct.	2.4%	3.4%	1.1%	1.1%	1.1%	2.2%	1.4%	1.7%	0.8%	1.3%	2.7%	2.7%	1.8%
Suspect	31	21	26	26	47	32	19	25	17	15	36	56	351
Col. Pct.	5.0%	4.2%	4.9%	5.0%	7.4%	5.1%	2.7%	3.6%	2.3%	2.4%	6.4%	9.4%	4.8%
Victim	98	99	89	99	135	128	142	147	113	107	98	83	1338
Col. Pct.	15.7%	19.7%	16.7%	18.9%	21.4%	20.5%	20.3%	20.9%	15.0%	17.3%	17.4%	13.9%	18.1%
Bystander	60	58	45	51	54	36	58	48	48	56	49	47	610
Col. Pct.	9.6%	11.6%	8.4%	9.8%	8.6%	5.8%	8.3%	6.8%	6.4%	9.0%	8.7%	7.9%	8.3%
<b>Total</b>	<b>626</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>534</b>	<b>523</b>	<b>631</b>	<b>625</b>	<b>701</b>	<b>702</b>	<b>754</b>	<b>619</b>	<b>562</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>7376</b>
Col. Pct.	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

## Section Six

### INMATE DEATHS

The number and cause of inmate deaths are shown in Table 6. The total differs from other statistical tables in this report because Table 6 reflects only the deaths of inmates who were in the Department's physical custody, transferred to other criminal justice agencies (but still in legal custody of NY DOCS), or given permission to leave DOCS facilities for work release, day reporting, or furlough. The table does not include deaths of correctional staff.

An unusual incident report is made immediately upon discovery of an inmate death, but the reporting officer may not know the cause of death. Further investigation by Health Services' staff and local medical authorities is required to determine the final official cause of death. Table 6 reflects information known at the time this report was written. The reader should note that the deaths reported in Table 6 do not include one inmate who died while in the custody of the New York City Department of Corrections following an arrest while the inmate was in the community on work release. In addition to inmate deaths shown in Table 6, five staff deaths were reported as unusual incidents. None of the staff deaths were due to inmate actions.

Table 6 Inmate Deaths: Month by Cause of Death January - December 2007				
Cause of Death				
Month of Death	Suicide	Natural Causes	Accident	Total
January	1	13	0	14
February	4	10	0	14
March	2	8	0	10
April	1	10	0	11
May	0	17	0	17
June	4	17	0	21
July	1	11	0	12
August	2	11	1	14
September	1	8	0	9
October	0	10	0	10
November	1	8	0	9
December	1	5	0	6
Total	18	128	1	147
Row Pct.	12.2%	87.1%	0.7%	100%

## Section Seven

### LOCATION OF UNUSUAL INCIDENTS

The location of unusual incidents and the incident type are shown in Table 7.1, p. 22. Locations are categorized into eleven primary areas. Most incidents (N=2,236, 37.2%) occurred in housing units which include general confinement housing as well as shower and toilet areas. An additional 537 incidents (8.9%) were reported in the prison yard which is an open area inside the facility perimeter that inmates use for recreation and exercise. Special Housing Units (S.H.U.) house inmates in disciplinary segregation or for protection from other inmates and were the location of 404 incidents (6.7%).

The incident types most often occurring in the housing areas were inmate assault on staff (N=237), contraband (N=1,183), and inmate assault on inmate (N=277). The fewest incidents were reported in visiting rooms (N=125, 2.1%), TV/Day Rooms (N=93, 1.5%), shops and classrooms (N=103, 1.7%), and mess halls (N=104, 1.7%). Table 7.2 presents incident location by month of incident for calendar year 2007.

Table 7.1  
Unusual Incident Type by Location  
January - December 2007

Location												
Incident Type	Housing Unit	Mess Hall	Yard	TV/Day Room	Special Housing	Hospital M.H.U.	Shop or Class	Gym	Visiting Room	Outside Prison	Other	Total
Accident	81	9	158	15	2	14	27	73	1	52	113	545
Assault on Inmate	277	24	183	23	10	10	21	19	0	1	133	701
Assault on Staff	237	21	5	17	84	47	10	4	9	9	113	556
Assault on Other	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	0	1	9
Contraband	1183	29	144	16	135	83	27	24	58	22	710	2431
Death	20	0	3	0	3	43	1	1	0	79	3	153
Disruptive Behavior	163	9	23	20	69	32	1	5	0	1	29	352
Utilities Disruption	4	2	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	8	17
Employee Misconduct	2	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0	102	39	148
Escape	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	2
Attempted Escape	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Fire	13	4	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	5	28
Inmate Disturbance	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Property Destruction	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	6
Property Lost/Stolen	5	1	2	0	2	16	8	1	0	24	56	115
Self-Injury	70	1	1	0	10	6	0	0	0	0	0	88
Sexual Misconduct	32	0	2	1	1	4	1	4	28	2	8	83
Suicide Attempt	31	0	1	0	21	2	0	0	0	1	1	57
Temporary Release	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	152	5	157
Employee Weapon Use	63	3	9	0	39	6	2	3	3	0	20	148
Employee Job Action	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Incidents	53	1	4	1	23	61	2	1	21	16	221	404
Total	2236	104	537	93	404	332	103	135	125	467	1467	6003
Row Pct.	37.2%	1.7%	8.9%	1.5%	6.7%	5.5%	1.7%	2.2%	2.1%	7.8%	24.4%	100%

Table 7.2  
Unusual Incident Location by Month  
January - December 2007

Incident Location	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
<b>Housing Unit</b>													
Cell	67	55	64	66	65	69	93	72	68	73	50	73	815
Dormitory	61	30	44	45	36	41	51	56	49	45	50	43	551
Gallery	30	18	30	19	26	21	36	32	26	26	11	35	310
Showers	2	7	3	1	5	2	14	9	5	5	3	4	60
Toilet Area	8	3	6	7	10	4	3	10	7	7	7	8	80
Cell Block	24	17	20	25	21	18	21	42	25	37	17	18	285
Double-Cell	12	12	14	8	15	19	15	6	8	3	10	4	126
Slop Sink	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	2	0	9
<b>Total</b>	<b>205</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>171</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>234</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>198</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>185</b>	<b>2236</b>
<b>Column Pct.</b>	<b>39.5%</b>	<b>32.6%</b>	<b>39.8%</b>	<b>40.2%</b>	<b>33.7%</b>	<b>35.3%</b>	<b>40.1%</b>	<b>38.4%</b>	<b>38.2%</b>	<b>40.2%</b>	<b>32.5%</b>	<b>35.7%</b>	<b>37.2%</b>
<b>Mess Hall</b>													
Kitchen	2	4	4	3	5	4	0	4	1	3	6	3	39
Mess Hall / In Line	4	5	4	6	5	7	8	6	3	3	8	6	65
<b>Total</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>104</b>
<b>Column Pct.</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>2.1%</b>	<b>1.8%</b>	<b>2.1%</b>	<b>1.9%</b>	<b>2.2%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>1.7%</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>3.0%</b>	<b>1.7%</b>	<b>1.7%</b>
<b>Yard</b>													
Yard	23	14	26	40	61	64	66	81	66	37	41	17	536
Keyplock Yard	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
<b>Total</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>537</b>
<b>Column Pct.</b>	<b>4.4%</b>	<b>3.2%</b>	<b>5.7%</b>	<b>9.4%</b>	<b>11.6%</b>	<b>13.0%</b>	<b>11.3%</b>	<b>13.6%</b>	<b>13.6%</b>	<b>7.5%</b>	<b>8.9%</b>	<b>3.3%</b>	<b>8.9%</b>
<b>TV Room / Day Area</b>													
TV Room / Day Area	3	13	13	4	12	6	8	5	9	3	12	5	93
<b>Total</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>93</b>
<b>Column Pct.</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>3.0%</b>	<b>2.8%</b>	<b>0.9%</b>	<b>2.3%</b>	<b>1.2%</b>	<b>1.4%</b>	<b>0.8%</b>	<b>1.8%</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>2.6%</b>	<b>1.0%</b>	<b>1.5%</b>
<b>Special Housing</b>													
SHU-Discipline	29	27	23	30	39	34	34	31	33	36	32	34	382
SHU-Invol. Protection	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	5
SHU-Vol. Protection	4	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	10
SHU-Yard	1	1	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	7
<b>Total</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>404</b>
<b>Column Pct.</b>	<b>6.6%</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>5.0%</b>	<b>7.1%</b>	<b>7.8%</b>	<b>7.9%</b>	<b>6.0%</b>	<b>5.7%</b>	<b>6.7%</b>	<b>7.7%</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>6.8%</b>	<b>6.7%</b>
<b>Hospital</b>													
Infirmery / Hospital	33	19	23	13	18	20	21	26	15	21	29	28	266
Mental Health Unit	8	6	6	8	2	7	6	8	4	1	4	6	66
<b>Total</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>332</b>
<b>Column Pct.</b>	<b>7.9%</b>	<b>5.7%</b>	<b>6.3%</b>	<b>4.9%</b>	<b>3.8%</b>	<b>5.5%</b>	<b>4.6%</b>	<b>5.7%</b>	<b>3.9%</b>	<b>4.5%</b>	<b>7.1%</b>	<b>6.6%</b>	<b>5.5%</b>

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Table 7.2 (continued)  
Unusual Incident Location by Month  
January - December 2007

Incident Location	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
<b>Shop or Classroom</b>													
Classroom	3	3	2	4	1	4	12	4	6	5	1	3	48
Farm	0	2	0	0	4	0	4	0	0	0	2	2	14
Shop-Industries	1	1	5	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	3	2	16
Shop-Maintenance	2	1	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	9
Shop-Vocational	3	1	2	0	0	2	2	2	0	1	2	1	16
Total	9	8	10	7	5	7	20	8	6	6	9	8	103
Column Pct.	1.7%	1.8%	2.2%	1.6%	0.9%	1.4%	3.4%	1.3%	1.2%	1.2%	1.9%	1.5%	1.7%
<b>Gymnasium</b>													
Auditorium	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	6
Gymnasium	11	15	17	11	7	7	11	9	7	14	6	14	129
Total	11	15	20	11	7	7	11	9	7	14	6	17	135
Column Pct.	2.1%	3.4%	4.4%	2.6%	1.3%	1.4%	1.9%	1.5%	1.4%	2.8%	1.3%	3.3%	2.2%
<b>Visiting Room</b>													
Visiting Room	6	10	6	8	11	8	15	10	18	11	4	18	125
Total	6	10	6	8	11	8	15	10	18	11	4	18	125
Column Pct.	1.2%	2.3%	1.3%	1.9%	2.1%	1.6%	2.6%	1.7%	3.7%	2.2%	0.9%	3.5%	2.1%
<b>Outside Prison</b>													
In-Transit	0	3	1	2	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	2	13
Outside-Court	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Outside-Hospital	12	8	6	7	11	20	10	10	4	8	3	4	103
Outside-Temp. Rel.	16	15	14	10	12	11	14	11	11	14	10	17	155
Outside-Unspecified	14	18	14	15	16	21	16	21	17	19	10	13	194
Total	42	44	36	34	40	52	42	44	32	41	24	36	467
Column Pct.	8.1%	10.1%	7.9%	8.0%	7.6%	10.5%	7.2%	7.4%	6.5%	8.3%	5.2%	6.9%	7.8%
<b>Other Location</b>													
Admin. Building	38	21	31	20	27	20	6	21	20	19	26	27	276
Corridor	17	22	16	12	19	15	37	33	27	22	20	29	269
Disciplinary Office	3	2	0	1	7	1	0	2	3	5	4	0	28
Front Gate	3	3	1	2	6	2	8	9	6	3	3	6	52
Inmate Reception	4	2	8	5	6	5	7	3	5	2	7	7	61
Lobby	3	1	2	1	6	0	4	0	1	3	1	1	23
Package Room	5	6	7	0	6	1	3	10	2	5	8	9	62
Rear Gate	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	4	9
Stairway	8	4	2	8	3	9	4	4	6	6	4	6	64
Walkway	22	16	10	8	17	11	8	12	14	15	11	14	158
Visitor Process	5	17	2	4	7	10	14	13	4	9	12	5	102
Parking / Perimeter	9	10	4	3	9	5	5	3	1	4	3	16	72
Not Specified	2	3	1	1	2	4	1	2	4	3	5	5	33
Other	20	19	20	24	28	14	20	19	16	21	32	25	258
Total	139	126	104	90	143	98	117	133	109	117	137	154	1467
Column Pct.	26.8%	28.9%	22.8%	21.2%	27.1%	19.9%	20.1%	22.3%	22.2%	23.7%	29.7%	29.7%	24.4%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>519</b>	<b>436</b>	<b>457</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>583</b>	<b>597</b>	<b>492</b>	<b>493</b>	<b>462</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>6003</b>
<b>Column Pct.</b>	<b>100%</b>												

## Section Eight

### INMATE ASSAULT ON STAFF BY FACILITY AND MONTH OF INCIDENT

Table 8.1 (pp. 26-28) displays the number and rate of inmate assault on staff unusual incidents for 2007. The table provides information on the average daily population of each facility during the year, the number of assaults, and the annualized rate of inmate assault on staff incidents per thousand inmates of population. The annualized rate of inmate assault on staff incidents allows for standardized comparisons between security levels and facilities. A complete explanation of rate calculation is presented in Appendix A, page 43.

The highest number of assaults occurred in maximum security facilities which reported 438 incidents or a rate of 16.9 incidents per 1000 inmates of population. Both the number and rate of assaults on staff at maximum security prisons were considerably higher than medium and minimum security facilities. Medium security facilities experienced 110 inmate assault on staff incidents and all types of minimum security facilities reported a total of 8 assault on staff incidents. The annual rate of assault on staff incidents was 3.2 at medium prisons; 2.2 at minimum security facilities, which included work release facilities; and 5.8 at minimum security Shock Incarceration Facilities. There was one inmate assault on staff incident at minimum security camps in 2007.

The total number of assault on staff incidents by facility by month is shown in Table 8.2 (pp. 29-31). Approximately 79% of the total number of assaults occurred in maximum security prisons; medium security facilities experienced 20% and minimum security facilities (including minimum Shock Incarceration facilities and minimum camps) accounted for 1% of the total number of staff assaults.

Table 8.1  
 Inmate Assault on Staff Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
 January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Population 2007	Unusual Incidents	Rate per 1,000 Inmates
<b>Maximum Security</b>			
Attica	2196	39	17.8
Auburn	1766	19	10.8
Bedford Hills	813	21	25.8
Clinton	2860	24	8.4
Coxsackie	976	29	29.7
Downstate	1229	15	12.2
Eastern	1181	3	2.5
Elmira	1828	22	12.0
Five Points	1412	17	12.0
Great Meadow	1657	57	34.4
Green Haven	2151	30	13.9
Shawangunk	544	1	1.8
Sing Sing	1752	33	18.8
Southport	884	30	33.9
Sullivan	775	17	21.9
Upstate	1280	40	31.3
Wende	851	18	21.2
Subtotal	24155	415	17.2
Cayuga SHU200	178	1	5.6
Collins SHU200	172	3	17.4
Fishkill SHU200	176	2	11.4
Gouverneur SHU200	172	1	5.8
Greene SHU200	180	4	22.2
Lakeview SHU200	183	0	0.0
Marcy SHU200	134	1	7.5
Mid-State SHU200	173	3	17.3
Orleans SHU200	142	0	0.0
Subtotal	1510	15	9.9
Bedford Hills RMU	21	0	0.0
Coxsackie RMU	58	0	0.0
Fishkill RMU	29	2	69.0
Walsh RMU	111	2	18.0
Wende RMU	78	4	51.3
Subtotal	297	8	26.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>25962</b>	<b>438</b>	<b>16.9</b>

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Table 8.1 (continued)  
 Inmate Assault on Staff Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
 January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Population 2007	Unusual Incidents	Rate per 1,000 Inmates
<b>Medium Security</b>			
Adirondack	552	4	7.2
Albion	1108	3	2.7
Altona	474	1	2.1
Arthur Kill	890	6	6.7
Arthur Kill ASACTC	57	0	0.0
Bare Hill	1710	1	0.6
Bayview	201	0	0.0
Butler	205	0	0.0
Cape Vincent	863	2	2.3
Cayuga	864	2	2.3
Chateaugay	211	1	4.7
Collins	940	0	0.0
Fishkill	1496	8	5.3
Franklin	1717	5	2.9
Gouverneur	866	1	1.2
Gowanda	1741	6	3.4
Greene	1615	12	7.4
Groveland	1238	1	0.8
Hale Creek ASACTC	461	0	0.0
Hudson	510	1	2.0
Lakeview Reception-F	3	0	0.0
Lakeview Reception-M	373	5	13.4
Lakeview Shock-F	93	1	10.8
Lakeview Shock-M	494	3	6.1
Livingston	867	2	2.3
Marcy	1104	2	1.8
Mid-Orange	723	1	1.4
Mid-State	1293	10	7.7
Mohawk	1290	1	0.8
Mt. McGregor	534	3	5.6
Ogdensburg	591	0	0.0
Oneida	1178	1	0.8
Orleans	857	6	7.0
Otisville	601	0	0.0
Riverview	868	2	2.3
Taconic	218	4	18.3
Taconic ASACTC	136	0	0.0
Ulster	811	4	4.9
Wallkill	597	3	5.0
Washington	1059	7	6.6
Watertown	639	0	0.0
Woodbourne	791	0	0.0
Wyoming	1581	1	0.6
Wyoming ASACTC	118	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>34538</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>3.2</b>

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Table 8.1 (continued)  
 Inmate Assault on Staff Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
 January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Population 2007	Unusual Incidents	Rate per 1,000 Inmates
<b>Minimum Security</b>			
Beacon	240	1	4.2
Buffalo	128	0	0.0
Butler Minimum	232	0	0.0
Edgecombe	126	0	0.0
Fulton	74	0	0.0
Lincoln	151	1	6.6
Lyon Mountain	155	1	6.5
Mid-State Minimum	168	0	0.0
Queensboro	412	1	2.4
Rochester	51	0	0.0
Summit	45	0	0.0
Total	1782	4	2.2
<b>Minimum Shock</b>			
Monterey Shock	211	2	9.5
Moriah Shock	182	1	5.5
Summit Shock	122	0	0.0
Total	515	3	5.8
<b>Minimum Camps</b>			
Camp Gabriels	194	0	0.0
Camp Georgetown	189	1	5.3
Camp McGregor	157	0	0.0
Camp Pharsalia	161	0	0.0
Total	701	1	1.4
<b>Other</b>			
Central Office	0	0	0.0
Total	0	0	0.0
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>63507</b>	<b>556</b>	<b>8.8</b>

Table 8.2  
Inmate Assault on Staff Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Maximum Security													
Attica	2	2	3	4	2	4	2	11	4	2	2	1	39
Auburn	0	0	1	0	3	2	1	4	2	3	2	1	19
Bedford Hills	0	3	2	0	0	4	2	4	2	1	2	1	21
Clinton	0	3	3	1	1	1	2	1	6	2	3	1	24
Coxsackie	0	4	2	2	4	2	2	2	0	1	7	3	29
Downstate	4	0	1	2	0	1	1	2	2	1	0	1	15
Eastern	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3
Elmira	2	1	2	3	3	0	1	2	1	2	2	3	22
Five Points	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	4	1	2	17
Great Meadow	6	3	5	6	3	3	6	3	7	8	3	4	57
Green Haven	2	0	0	2	2	1	2	2	5	5	5	4	30
Shawangunk	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Sing Sing	0	2	4	3	1	4	2	6	1	3	4	3	33
Southport	1	0	0	7	4	5	5	5	0	2	0	1	30
Sullivan	3	1	2	1	0	2	3	1	3	0	0	1	17
Upstate	2	0	3	2	4	4	9	2	3	4	4	3	40
Wende	1	1	5	2	1	0	3	3	0	1	0	1	18
Subtotal	24	20	35	36	29	34	42	53	37	39	36	30	415
Cayuga SHU200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Collins SHU200	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
Fishkill SHU200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
Gouverneur SHU200	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Greene SHU200	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	4
Lakeview SHU200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Marcy SHU200	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Mid-State SHU200	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Orleans SHU200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subtotal	1	0	2	1	1	2	2	0	3	0	2	1	15
Bedford Hills RMU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coxsackie RMU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fishkill RMU	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Walsh RMU	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
Wende RMU	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Subtotal	0	0	3	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	8
Total	25	20	40	39	30	37	44	54	40	39	38	32	438
Column Percent	74%	74%	78%	75%	81%	80%	86%	81%	80%	80%	79%	73%	79%

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Table 8.2 (continued)  
 Inmate Assault on Staff Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
 January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Medium Security													
Adirondack	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4
Albion	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	3
Altona	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Arthur Kill	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	6
Arthur Kill ASACTC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bare Hill	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Bayview	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Butler	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cape Vincent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2
Cayuga	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	2
Chateaugay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Collins	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fishkill	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	8
Franklin	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2	5
Gouverneur	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Gowanda	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	6
Greene	0	4	2	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	1	0	12
Groveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Hale Creek ASACTC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Lakeview Reception-F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lakeview Reception-M	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	1	5
Lakeview Shock-F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Lakeview Shock-M	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
Livingston	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Marcy	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Mid-Orange	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Mid-State	0	0	2	0	0	2	1	1	1	0	2	1	10
Mohawk	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Mt. McGregor	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Ogdensburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oneida	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Orleans	0	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	6
Otisville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Riverview	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Taconic	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	4
Taconic ASACTC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ulster	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	1	0	0	4
Wallkill	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	3
Washington	0	0	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	7
Watertown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Woodbourne	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wyoming	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Wyoming ASACTC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	8	7	11	13	6	8	7	13	8	9	8	12	110
Column Percent	24%	26%	22%	25%	16%	17%	14%	19%	16%	18%	17%	27%	20%

Table 8.2 (continued)  
 Inmate Assault on Staff Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
 January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
<b>Minimum Security</b>													
Beacon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Buffalo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Butler Minimum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Edgecombe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fulton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincoln	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Lyon Mountain	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Mid-State Minimum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Queensboro	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Rochester	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Summit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	4
Column Percent	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.2%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	4.2%	0.0%	0.7%
<b>Minimum Shock</b>													
Monterey Shock	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2
Moriah Shock	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Summit Shock	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	3
Column Percent	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.0%	2.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.5%
<b>Minimum Camps</b>													
Camp Gabriels	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Camp Georgetown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Camp McGregor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Camp Pharsalia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Column Percent	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	2.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.2%
<b>Other</b>													
Central Office	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Column Percent	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>556</b>
<b>Column Percent</b>	<b>100%</b>												

## **INMATE ASSAULT ON INMATE UNUSUAL INCIDENTS**

A review of unusual incidents by security level of facility reveals that maximum security prisons had the highest rate of inmate assault on inmate incidents (17.3) (see Table 8.3). Medium security facilities experienced a rate of 7.2 incidents per 1000 inmate population.

The annualized rate of inmate assault on inmate incidents allows for standardized comparisons between security levels and facilities. For example, the use of an annualized rate allows the reader to observe that Clinton Correctional Facility, a maximum security prison with 77 inmate assault on inmate incidents and an average daily population of 2,860, has a similar assault rate (26.9) as Wende Correctional Facility (25.9) with 22 inmate assault on inmate incidents and a population of 851.

Table 8.3 (pages 33-35) displays the average population of each facility, the total number of inmate assault on inmate incidents, and the annualized rate of incidents per thousand inmates. Table 8.4 (pages 36-38) presents data on the number of inmate assault on inmate incidents in individual facilities by month. For the 2007 time period, 64% (N=449) of inmate assault on inmate incidents occurred at maximum security institutions, 35% (N=247) at medium security prisons, and 1% (N=5) at minimum security facilities.

Table 8.3  
Inmate Assault on Inmate Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Population 2007	Unusual Incidents	Rate per 1,000 Inmates
<b>Maximum Security</b>			
Attica	2196	51	23.2
Auburn	1766	59	33.4
Bedford Hills	813	5	6.2
Clinton	2860	77	26.9
Coxsackie	976	7	7.2
Downstate	1229	6	4.9
Eastern	1181	4	3.4
Elmira	1828	82	44.9
Five Points	1412	18	12.7
Great Meadow	1657	39	23.5
Green Haven	2151	23	10.7
Shawangunk	544	2	3.7
Sing Sing	1752	20	11.4
Southport	884	6	6.8
Sullivan	775	6	7.7
Upstate	1280	5	3.9
Wende	851	22	25.9
Subtotal	24155	432	17.9
Cayuga SHU200	178	1	5.6
Collins SHU200	172	3	17.4
Fishkill SHU200	176	0	0.0
Gouverneur SHU200	172	0	0.0
Greene SHU200	180	1	5.6
Lakeview SHU200	183	5	27.3
Marcy SHU200	134	0	0.0
Mid-State SHU200	173	1	5.8
Orleans SHU200	142	0	0.0
Subtotal	1510	11	7.3
Bedford Hills RMU	21	0	0.0
Coxsackie RMU	58	2	34.5
Fishkill RMU	29	0	0.0
Walsh RMU	111	4	36.0
Wende RMU	78	0	0.0
Subtotal	297	6	20.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>25962</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>17.3</b>

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Table 8.3 (continued)  
 Inmate Assault on Inmate Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
 January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Population 2007	Unusual Incidents	Rate per 1,000 Inmates
<b>Medium Security</b>			
Adirondack	552	1	1.8
Albion	1108	5	4.5
Altona	474	1	2.1
Arthur Kill	890	5	5.6
Arthur Kill ASACTC	57	0	0.0
Bare Hill	1710	16	9.4
Bayview	201	0	0.0
Butler	205	0	0.0
Cape Vincent	863	8	9.3
Cayuga	864	3	3.5
Chateaugay	211	1	4.7
Collins	940	11	11.7
Fishkill	1496	6	4.0
Franklin	1717	7	4.1
Gouverneur	866	1	1.2
Gowanda	1741	7	4.0
Greene	1615	21	13.0
Groveland	1238	7	5.7
Hale Creek ASACTC	461	0	0.0
Hudson	510	4	7.8
Lakeview Reception-F	3	0	0.0
Lakeview Reception-M	373	2	5.4
Lakeview Shock-F	93	0	0.0
Lakeview Shock-M	494	1	2.0
Livingston	867	11	12.7
Marcy	1104	13	11.8
Mid-Orange	723	2	2.8
Mid-State	1293	11	8.5
Mohawk	1290	11	8.5
Mt. McGregor	534	3	5.6
Ogdensburg	591	2	3.4
Oneida	1178	0	0.0
Orleans	857	13	15.2
Otisville	601	1	1.7
Riverview	868	4	4.6
Taconic	218	2	9.2
Taconic ASACTC	136	0	0.0
Ulster	811	2	2.5
Wallkill	597	3	5.0
Washington	1059	20	18.9
Watertown	639	1	1.6
Woodbourne	791	1	1.3
Wyoming	1581	40	25.3
Wyoming ASACTC	118	0	0.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>34538</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>7.2</b>

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Table 8.3 (continued)  
 Inmate Assault on Inmate Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
 January - December 2006

Correctional Facility	Population 2006	Unusual Incidents	Rate per 1,000 Inmates
<b>Minimum Security</b>			
Beacon	240	0	0.0
Buffalo	128	0	0.0
Butler Minimum	232	0	0.0
Edgecombe	126	0	0.0
Fulton	74	0	0.0
Lincoln	151	0	0.0
Lyon Mountain	155	1	6.5
Mid-State Minimum	168	0	0.0
Queensboro	412	1	2.4
Rochester	51	0	0.0
Summit	45	1	22.2
Total	1782	3	1.7
<b>Minimum Shock</b>			
Monterey Shock	211	1	4.7
Moriah Shock	182	0	0.0
Summit Shock	122	0	0.0
Total	515	1	1.9
<b>Minimum Camps</b>			
Camp Gabriels	194	1	5.2
Camp Georgetown	189	0	0.0
Camp McGregor	157	0	0.0
Camp Pharsalia	161	0	0.0
Total	701	1	1.4
<b>Other</b>			
Central Office	0	0	0.0
Total	0	0	0.0
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>63507</b>	<b>701</b>	<b>11.0</b>

Table 8.4  
 Inmate Assault on Inmate Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
 January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
<b>Maximum Security</b>													
Attica	5	4	4	0	3	4	8	8	5	3	5	2	51
Auburn	9	10	4	8	4	5	2	6	1	4	1	5	59
Bedford Hills	0	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Clinton	6	2	4	6	11	3	12	6	8	6	7	6	77
Coxsackie	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	7
Downstate	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	6
Eastern	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	4
Elmira	5	5	2	8	5	9	12	6	3	5	11	11	82
Five Points	0	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	2	2	3	1	18
Great Meadow	3	2	2	3	2	5	9	4	4	2	2	1	39
Green Haven	1	1	3	3	3	0	0	5	3	2	1	1	23
Shawangunk	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
Sing Sing	1	1	3	0	0	2	1	5	2	4	0	1	20
Southport	0	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	6
Sullivan	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	6
Upstate	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	5
Wende	3	1	1	1	3	2	3	3	3	1	1	0	22
Subtotal	37	31	27	35	40	33	52	52	32	30	33	30	432
Cayuga SHU200	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Collins SHU200	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	3
Fishkill SHU200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gouverneur SHU200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Greene SHU200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Lakeview SHU200	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	5
Marcy SHU200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mid-State SHU200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
Orleans SHU200	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subtotal	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	1	1	3	1	11
Bedford Hills RMU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Coxsackie RMU	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Fishkill RMU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Walsh RMU	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	4
Wende RMU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subtotal	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	6
<b>Total</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>449</b>
<b>Column Percent</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>65%</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>59%</b>	<b>75%</b>	<b>67%</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>53%</b>	<b>62%</b>	<b>72%</b>	<b>64%</b>

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Table 8.4 (continued)  
 Inmate Assault on Inmate Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
 January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Medium Security													
Adirondack	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Albion	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	1	5
Altona	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Arthur Kill	0	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	5
Arthur Kill ASACTC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bare Hill	3	1	4	1	1	1	0	1	0	4	0	0	16
Bayview	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Butler	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cape Vincent	2	2	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	8
Cayuga	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	3
Chateaugay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Collins	0	1	2	0	0	0	2	2	2	1	0	1	11
Fishkill	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	6
Franklin	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	1	1	0	7
Gouverneur	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Gowanda	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	1	0	1	0	7
Greene	3	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	2	4	3	0	21
Groveland	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	2	7
Hale Creek ASACTC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hudson	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	4
Lakeview Reception-F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lakeview Reception-M	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
Lakeview Shock-F	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lakeview Shock-M	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Livingston	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	1	3	1	2	11
Marcy	1	2	0	0	2	0	2	1	2	2	0	1	13
Mid-Orange	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2
Mid-State	0	0	0	4	1	1	0	0	1	3	1	0	11
Mohawk	1	1	1	3	0	0	0	1	2	0	2	0	11
Mt. McGregor	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	3
Ogdensburg	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Oneida	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Orleans	0	1	1	0	4	2	2	1	1	1	0	0	13
Otisville	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Riverview	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	4
Taconic	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Taconic ASACTC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ulster	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	2
Walkill	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	3
Washington	2	0	0	4	2	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	20
Watertown	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Woodbourne	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Wyoming	1	2	2	3	3	6	4	5	6	3	5	0	40
Wyoming ASACTC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	18	17	15	22	21	23	18	26	24	28	23	12	247
Column Percent	31%	35%	36%	37%	33%	40%	25%	33%	41%	47%	38%	28%	35%

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Table 8.4 (continued)  
 Inmate Assault on Inmate Incidents by Security Level and Facility  
 January - December 2007

Correctional Facility	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
<b>Minimum Security</b>													
Beacon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Buffalo	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Butler Minimum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Edgecombe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fulton	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lincoln	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lyon Mountain	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Mid-State Minimum	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Queensboro	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Rochester	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Summit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Total	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3
Column Percent	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	3.4%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.4%
<b>Minimum Shock</b>													
Monterey Shock	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Moriah Shock	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Summit Shock	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Column Percent	1.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
<b>Minimum Camps</b>													
Camp Gabriels	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Camp Georgetown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Camp McGregor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Camp Pharsalia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Column Percent	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	1.7%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
<b>Other</b>													
Central Office	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Column Percent	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>701</b>
<b>Column Percent</b>	<b>100%</b>												

## Section Nine

### INJURY TO STAFF

The Unusual Incident reporting system uses a ranking procedure for injuries sustained by staff members and is categorized according to perceived seriousness and/or by degree of treatment. "No injury" indicates that the staff member or medical staff reported that no injury was sustained. "Minor injury" refers to cases where the victim received a comparatively minor injury which may have been treated at the facility or treated at the facility with a recommendation for the staff person to consult their own physician. "Moderate injury" refers to injuries of a more serious nature that generally require treatment at an outside hospital or treatment by own physician. Moderate injuries are not judged to be life threatening. "Serious injury" refers to injury that is considered to be life threatening (or which results in death). These injuries require treatment at an outside hospital.

Table 9.1 (p. 40) presents information on the number of staff who sustained injuries in unusual incidents. Staff injuries are reported according to the degree of seriousness. The inmate assault on staff category produced the most staff injuries in 2007. Assault on staff incidents resulted in no injuries to 1,736 staff (79.3%), minor injuries to 428 staff (19.6%), and moderate injuries to 25 staff (1.1%). There were no serious staff injuries as a result of inmate assault on staff incidents.

Table 9.2 (p. 40) presents information on staff injuries sustained each month. In 2007, 3.6% of staff involved in unusual incidents incurred an injury of some degree.

**Table 9.1**  
**Unusual Incident Type by Degree of Staff Injury**  
**January - December 2007**

Incident Type	Degree of Injury									
	No Injury		Minor		Moderate		Serious		Total	
	Number	Row Pct.	Number	Row Pct.	Number	Row Pct.	Number	Row Pct.	Number	Row Pct.
Accident	1541	94.6%	12	0.7%	70	4.3%	6	0.4%	1629	100.0%
Assault on Inmate	1926	99.0%	19	1.0%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	1946	100.0%
Assault on Staff	1736	79.3%	428	19.6%	25	1.1%	0	0.0%	2189	100.0%
Assault on Other	34	97.1%	1	2.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	35	100.0%
Contraband	6925	99.7%	20	0.3%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	6946	100.0%
Death	1090	99.9%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	1091	100.0%
Disruptive Behavior	1661	96.3%	56	3.2%	7	0.4%	0	0.0%	1724	100.0%
Utilities Disruption	57	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	57	100.0%
Employee Misconduct	471	99.4%	2	0.4%	1	0.2%	0	0.0%	474	100.0%
Escape	10	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	10	100.0%
Attempted Escape	3	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	100.0%
Fire	128	97.0%	4	3.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	132	100.0%
Inmate Disturbance	10	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	10	100.0%
Property Destruction	22	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	22	100.0%
Property Lost/Stolen	400	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	400	100.0%
Self-Injury	255	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	255	100.0%
Sexual Misconduct	289	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	289	100.0%
Suicide Attempt	232	98.3%	2	0.8%	2	0.8%	0	0.0%	236	100.0%
Employee Weapon Use	51	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	51	100.0%
Employee Job Action	413	97.4%	11	2.6%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	424	100.0%
Other Incidents	1431	98.6%	14	1.0%	4	0.3%	2	0.1%	1451	100.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>18685</b>	<b>96.4%</b>	<b>569</b>	<b>2.9%</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>0.6%</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>19374</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

**Table 9.2**  
**Staff Injury by Month of Incident**  
**January - December 2007**

Degree of Injury	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
No Injury	1633	1406	1312	1358	1637	1586	1808	1827	1488	1480	1449	1701	18685
Col. Pct.	97.5%	97.3%	95.5%	96.1%	97.2%	96.2%	96.4%	95.7%	96.2%	96.5%	95.8%	96.6%	96.4%
Minor	33	30	53	50	37	54	50	72	54	38	53	45	569
Col. Pct.	2.0%	2.1%	3.9%	3.5%	2.2%	3.3%	2.7%	3.8%	3.5%	2.5%	3.5%	2.6%	2.9%
Moderate	7	8	8	5	10	7	17	10	4	14	10	11	111
Col. Pct.	0.4%	0.6%	0.6%	0.4%	0.6%	0.4%	0.9%	0.5%	0.3%	0.9%	0.7%	0.6%	0.6%
Serious	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	3	9
Col. Pct.	0.1%	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.1%	0.0%	0.2%	0.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1675</b>	<b>1445</b>	<b>1374</b>	<b>1413</b>	<b>1684</b>	<b>1648</b>	<b>1875</b>	<b>1909</b>	<b>1546</b>	<b>1533</b>	<b>1512</b>	<b>1760</b>	<b>19374</b>
Col. Pct.	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%

## **Section Ten**

### **USE OF FORCE BY MONTH OF INCIDENT**

During 2007, 12.6% of unusual incidents entailed staff use of force to resolve the incident. The term 'use of force' describes the type of force used by correctional staff and is divided into seven categories.

A review by month shows a consistent pattern of between 84% and 89% of unusual incidents were resolved without staff use of force (see Table 10.1). An additional 7% to 12% of incidents involved use of body holds or handcuffs to restrain inmates. Table 10.1 (p.42) shows the most serious type of staff force utilized in each unusual incident. An examination reveals that the use of baton occurred in 1.2% of unusual incidents.

### **STAFF USE OF FORCE BY INCIDENT TYPE**

Table 10.2 (p.42) presents information on the type of force used during specific types of unusual incidents. Staff use of force was concentrated in the unusual incident categories of inmate assault on inmate, inmate assault on staff, contraband, and disruptive behavior.

Table 10.1  
Staff Use of Force by Month  
January - December 2007

Type of Force	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
No Force Used Col. Pct.	464 89.4%	388 89.0%	394 86.2%	360 84.7%	473 89.6%	431 87.4%	521 89.4%	515 86.3%	420 85.4%	434 88.0%	393 85.1%	455 87.8%	5248 87.4%
Body Hold Col. Pct.	31 6.0%	32 7.3%	35 7.7%	40 9.4%	25 4.7%	30 6.1%	34 5.8%	50 8.4%	43 8.7%	36 7.3%	38 8.2%	28 5.4%	422 7.0%
Handcuff Col. Pct.	9 1.7%	7 1.6%	9 2.0%	14 3.3%	17 3.2%	13 2.6%	7 1.2%	12 2.0%	11 2.2%	12 2.4%	20 4.3%	16 3.1%	147 2.4%
Shield Col. Pct.	2 0.4%	2 0.5%	2 0.4%	2 0.5%	2 0.4%	3 0.6%	6 1.0%	4 0.7%	3 0.6%	2 0.4%	3 0.6%	2 0.4%	33 0.5%
Baton Col. Pct.	2 0.4%	3 0.7%	12 2.6%	2 0.5%	6 1.1%	8 1.6%	4 0.7%	10 1.7%	5 1.0%	5 1.0%	4 0.9%	12 2.3%	73 1.2%
Chemical Agent Col. Pct.	9 1.7%	4 0.9%	4 0.9%	6 1.4%	5 0.9%	8 1.6%	9 1.5%	5 0.8%	9 1.8%	3 0.6%	4 0.9%	5 1.0%	71 1.2%
Firearm Col. Pct.	1 0.2%	0 0.0%	1 0.0%										
Other Col. Pct.	1 0.2%	0 0.0%	1 0.2%	1 0.2%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	2 0.3%	1 0.2%	1 0.2%	1 0.2%	0 0.0%	0 0.0%	8 0.1%
Total Col. Pct.	519 100%	436 100%	457 100%	425 100%	528 100%	493 100%	583 100%	597 100%	492 100%	493 100%	462 100%	518 100%	6003 100%

Table 10.2  
Unusual Incident Category by Staff Use of Force  
January - December 2006

Incident Category	Type of Force								Total
	No Force Used	Body Hold	Handcuff	Shield	Baton	Chemical Agent	Firearm	Other	
Accident	544	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	545
Assault on Inmate	646	38	6	0	11	0	0	0	701
Assault on Staff	165	250	104	0	35	0	0	2	556
Assault on Other	7	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Contraband	2372	39	17	1	2	0	0	0	2431
Death	153	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	153
Disruptive Behavior	159	74	15	31	9	62	0	2	352
Utilities Disruption	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	17
Employee Misconduct	148	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	148
Escape	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Attempted Escape	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Fire	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	28
Hostage Situation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Inmate Disturbance	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Mass Demonstration	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Property Destruction	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
Property Lost/Stolen	115	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	115
Self-Injury	85	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	88
Sexual Misconduct	83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	83
Suicide Attempt	52	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	57
Temporary Release	157	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	157
Employee Weapon Use	124	0	0	0	16	8	0	0	148
Employee Job Action	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Incidents	383	13	3	0	0	0	1	4	404
Total Row Pct.	5248 87.4%	422 7.0%	147 2.4%	33 0.5%	73 1.2%	71 1.2%	1 0.0%	8 0.1%	6003 100%

## **APPENDIX A**

### **RATE CALCULATION METHOD**

Annualized rates are calculated as the number of unusual incidents per 1,000 inmate population per year. For example, the 6,003 incidents which were reported during January-December 2007 are divided by the average population (N=63,507), and multiplied by 1,000 to yield 94.5 incidents per thousand inmates. The same method is used to calculate the rate of unusual incidents at particular correctional facilities (the population base is the average population at the facility; see Table 3.1) and to calculate the rate of specific types of unusual incidents (where the numerator is the total incidents in each incident category and the population base is either the average of the total population or the average of the population of a facility).

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