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# **Evidence, Sexual Assaults, and Case Outcomes: Understanding the Role of Sexual Assault Kits, Non-Forensic Evidence, and Case Characteristics, 2015-2017**

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ICPSR Codebook for Case Data



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*DS 1: Case Data*

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### **Variable Description and Frequencies**

**Note:** Frequencies displayed for the variables are not weighted. They are purely descriptive and may not be representative of the study population. Please review any sampling or weighting information available with the study.

Summary statistics (minimum, maximum, arithmetic mean, median, mode, and standard deviation) may not be available for every variable in the codebook. Conversely, a listing of frequencies in table format may not be present for every variable in the codebook either. However, all variables in the dataset are present and display sufficient information about each variable. These decisions are made intentionally and are at the discretion of the archive producing this codebook.

# Case Data

STUDY\_ID: Study ID

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	-	1	0.4 %
3	-	1	0.4 %
4	-	2	0.8 %
5	-	2	0.8 %
6	-	2	0.8 %
9	-	2	0.8 %
10	-	2	0.8 %
11	-	1	0.4 %
13	-	1	0.4 %
14	-	1	0.4 %
16	-	2	0.8 %
18	-	1	0.4 %
19	-	1	0.4 %
21	-	2	0.8 %
22	-	1	0.4 %
23	-	1	0.4 %
24	-	3	1.2 %
26	-	2	0.8 %
27	-	2	0.8 %
28	-	4	1.5 %
30	-	2	0.8 %
31	-	2	0.8 %
32	-	2	0.8 %
34	-	2	0.8 %
36	-	2	0.8 %
37	-	1	0.4 %
41	-	1	0.4 %
42	-	2	0.8 %
45	-	1	0.4 %
48	-	2	0.8 %
51	-	1	0.4 %
52	-	2	0.8 %
58	-	1	0.4 %
61	-	2	0.8 %
63	-	4	1.5 %

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
64	-	4	1.5 %
68	-	1	0.4 %
69	-	2	0.8 %
72	-	1	0.4 %
74	-	2	0.8 %
75	-	3	1.2 %
77	-	1	0.4 %
78	-	1	0.4 %
81	-	1	0.4 %
82	-	1	0.4 %
85	-	4	1.5 %
86	-	1	0.4 %
87	-	1	0.4 %
92	-	1	0.4 %
94	-	1	0.4 %
	<b>Total</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>100%</b>

Please note that only the first 50 response categories are displayed in the PDF codebook. To view all response categories, please analyze the data file in the statistical package of your choice (SAS, SPSS, Stata, R).

Based upon 259 valid cases out of 259 total cases.

- Mean: 210.20
- Median: 189.00
- Minimum: 1.00
- Maximum: 533.00
- Standard Deviation: 157.85

*Location:* 1-3 (width: 3; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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## SUSPECT\_ID: Suspect ID

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	-	250	96.5 %
2	-	8	3.1 %
3	-	1	0.4 %
	<b>Total</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>100%</b>

Based upon 259 valid cases out of 259 total cases.

- Mean: 1.04
- Median: 1.00
- Mode: 1.00
- Minimum: 1.00

- Maximum: 3.00
- Standard Deviation: 0.21

*Location:* 4-4 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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### CHARGE\_NUM: Charge number

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	-	151	58.3 %
2	-	69	26.6 %
3	-	24	9.3 %
4	-	13	5.0 %
5	-	2	0.8 %
	<b>Total</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>100%</b>

Based upon 259 valid cases out of 259 total cases.

- Mean: 1.63
- Median: 1.00
- Mode: 1.00
- Minimum: 1.00
- Maximum: 5.00
- Standard Deviation: 0.90

*Location:* 5-5 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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### ARREST\_CHARGE\_CAT: Arrest charge category

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	assault	10	3.9 %
2	burglary	3	1.2 %
3	child_endanger	26	10.0 %
4	disorderly_conduct	2	0.8 %
5	excluded_sexual	9	3.5 %
6	harassment	2	0.8 %
7	kidnapping	2	0.8 %
8	larceny	6	2.3 %
9	obstruction	7	2.7 %
10	robbery	2	0.8 %
11	sexual_assault	124	47.9 %
12	sexual_misconduct	66	25.5 %
	<b>Total</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>100%</b>

Based upon 259 valid cases out of 259 total cases.

- Minimum: 1.00
- Maximum: 12.00

*Location:* 6-7 (width: 2; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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### ARREST\_CHARGE\_LEVEL: Arrest charge level

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Felony	158	61.0 %
2	Misdemeanor	99	38.2 %
3	Violation	2	0.8 %
	<b>Total</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>100%</b>

Based upon 259 valid cases out of 259 total cases.

- Minimum: 1.00
- Maximum: 3.00

*Location:* 8-8 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric

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### ARREST\_CHARGE\_SEVERITY: Arrest charge severity

Value	Label	Unweighted Frequency	%
1	Level 1 (most severe)	82	31.7 %
2	Level 2	45	17.4 %
3	Level 3	63	24.3 %
4	Level 4 (least severe)	3	1.2 %
	<b>Missing Data</b>		
.	-	66	25.5 %
	<b>Total</b>	<b>259</b>	<b>100%</b>

Based upon 193 valid cases out of 259 total cases.

- Minimum: 1.00
- Maximum: 4.00

*Location:* 9-9 (width: 1; decimal: 0)

*Variable Type:* numeric