

# Counting Clery Crimes

## Four “buckets”

- 1) Criminal Offenses
- 2) Hate Crimes
- 3) VAWA Offenses
- 4) Arrests and Referrals for Disciplinary Action



**\*\*For a single incident, an institution must report a statistic for each applicable bucket!\*\***

### **For example:**

If a student reports that, on the institution’s Clery geography, the student was raped by the student’s domestic partner while the partner was high on illegal drugs, and the partner is arrested for the drug law violation, the institution must report *all of the following statistics*:

- 1 rape incident (“Criminal Offenses” bucket)
- 1 domestic violence incident (“VAWA Offenses” bucket)
- 1 arrest for drug law violation (“Arrests and Referrals” bucket)

### **1) “Criminal Offenses” bucket**

*Incidents of:*

- Criminal homicide
  - Murder/non-negligent manslaughter
  - Manslaughter by negligence
- Sex offenses
  - Rape
  - Fondling
  - Incest
  - Statutory rape
- Robbery
- Aggravated assault
- Burglary
- Motor vehicle theft
- Arson

### **2) “Hate Crimes” bucket**

*Incidents of:*

- Any of the “Criminal Offenses”
- Any of the “VAWA Offenses”
- Larceny, simple assault, vandalism, or intimidation
- Any other crime causing bodily injury

*If motivated by the victim’s actual or perceived:*

- Race
- Religion
- Gender
- Gender identity
- Sexual orientation
- Ethnicity
- National origin
- Disability

### **3) “VAWA Offenses” bucket**

*Incidents of:*

- Dating violence
- Domestic violence
- Stalking

### **4) “Arrests and Referrals” bucket**

*Arrests and referrals for disciplinary action for:*

- Violation of weapon laws
- Violation of drug laws
- Violation of liquor laws

For these scenarios, please discuss the following points:

- Besides investigating any applicable crimes, what would you expect police to do?
- Would you expect to be notified of this incident? If so, when, and by what means?

### **SCENARIO 1**

During a routine review of incident reports and crime trends, CUPD determines that computers have been stolen from unlocked campus offices on five separate occasions in the past month. Each of the five incidents occurred in the same building complex, but police do not have any additional suspect information.

### **SCENARIO 2**

At 2:30am, a CUPD officer observes a disturbance near the Koenig Alumni Center. In the parking lot outside of the building, the officer sees two people squaring off to fight; one of them is brandishing a knife. Officers safely apprehend both individuals, who admit they had been fighting. The individuals are transported to Boulder County Jail.

### **SCENARIO 3**

On Tuesday afternoon, CUPD receives a third-hand report that a student was sexually assaulted somewhere on campus over the weekend. The survivor is unsure whether to speak with police at this time, and there is no information regarding suspects or a more specific location.

### **SCENARIO 4**

In the middle of a dry summer, CUPD and Boulder Fire Rescue receive a report of a small brush fire along Boulder Creek between 17<sup>th</sup> Street and Folsom Street. Because of the unusually dry conditions and unpredictable winds, officials are concerned the fire may grow.