

## LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS ASSAULTED

A total of 840 police officers were assaulted in Kentucky during 1995. The chart below shows the type of activity the officer was engaged in, the type of weapon used in the assault, and the type of officer assignment.

Of the 840 officers assaulted, 233 officers received personal injury. This number represents 28.21% of the total number of officers assaulted. 99.76% of the police assaults were cleared.

TYPE OF ACTIVITY	TOTAL	TYPE OF WEAPON				TYPE OF ASSIGNMENT						
		FIRE-ARM	KNIFE OR OTHER	DANGEROUS WEAPON	HANDS, FISTS, FEET, ETC.	ONE-OFFICER VEHICLE		DETECTIVE OR SPECIAL ASSIGN		OTHER		
			INSTRUMENT			TWO-OFFICER VEHICLE	ALONE	AS-SISTED	ALONE	AS-SISTED	ALONE	AS-SISTED
Responding to "Disturbance" calls (family quarrels, man with gun, etc.)	208	28	8	34	138	20	80	96	5	1	2	4
Burglaries in progress or pursuing burglary suspects	12	0	1	2	9	4	2	5	0	0	1	0
Robberies in progress or pursuing robbery suspects	7	0	0	0	7	1	0	5	0	0	1	0
Attempting other arrests	184	2	2	17	163	19	34	112	4	6	3	6
Civil disorder (riot, mass disobedience)	14	0	0	1	13	2	5	6	0	0	0	1
Handling, transporting, custody of prisoners	91	0	2	7	82	9	30	40	0	2	3	7
Investigating suspicious persons or circumstances	27	5	0	2	20	1	15	10	0	0	1	0
Ambush, no warning	4	3	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mentally deranged	13	1	1	1	10	1	2	9	0	0	1	0
Traffic pursuits and stops	188	10	0	140	38	24	84	67	2	0	11	0
All other	92	4	1	43	44	11	50	16	3	3	7	2
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>840</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>525</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>302</b>	<b>366</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>20</b>

