

Homicide by Type of Weapon, 2012

	Type of Weapon	Victims	Percent
Firearms	Firearm	85	12.0
	Handgun	427	60.5
	Other Gun	7	1.0
	Rifle	8	1.1
	Shotgun	12	1.7
Total Firearms		539	76.3
Stabbings		73	10.3
Blunt Instruments		17	2.4
Personal Weapons		20	2.8
Strangulation		6	.8
Fire		4	.6
All Other Weapons	Asphyxiation	11	1.6
	Drowning	1	.1
	Drugs/Narcotics/Sleeping Pills	5	.7
	Other	29	4.1
	Poison	1	.1
Total All Other Weapons		47	6.7
Total		706	100.0