

Crime in Delaware Quick Facts *Robbery - 2019*

The Federal Bureau of Investigation defines Robbery as:

"The taking, or attempting to take, anything of value under confrontational circumstances from the control, custody, or care of another person by force or threat of force or violence and/or by putting the victim in fear of immediate harm".

FACTS:

- For the 1st time since 2010, Firearm dropped to the #2 weapon in 2019 Robberies
- Firearm use in Robberies has decreased with offenses, while firearm use in Assaults has been steady or risen with offenses
- Robbery offenses resulted in \$495,471 in automobiles stolen, along with \$242,544 in currency and \$102,880 in cellular devices.







More Information:

Delaware Statistical Analysis Center, Crime in Delaware reports 2010-2019

Federal Bureau of Investigations, National Incident Based Reporting System

Other reports can be found here: <u>www.sac.delaware.gov/sac-</u> <u>publications/</u>

