



## **UNC CFAR Social and Behavioral Science Research Core Database**

**INSTRUMENT TITLE:** CTS: Conflict Tactics Scale

**SOURCE ARTICLE:** Heckert, A., & Gondolf, E. (2000) Assessing Assault Self-Reports by Batterer Program Participants and Their Partners. *Journal of Family Violence*. 15(2): 181-197

**POPULATION:** heterosexuals, men, African American, Latino

**RESPONSE OPTIONS:** YES or NO to whether or not a physical aggression occurred

**SCORING:** YES = 1 and NO = 0. Summation of the participant's responses gives results for "Minor assault" and "Severe assault"

**SURVEY ITEMS:**

- 1) Push, shove, grab
- 2) Slap
- 3) Hit with a fist, bit, kick
- 4) Hit with something
- 5) Attempt to hit with something
- 6) Choke or burn
- 7) Threatened with a knife or gun
- 8) Used a knife or gun
- 9) Forced sex against will

**RELIABILITY INFORMATION:** Not available

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**VALIDITY INFORMATION:** Concurrent and Criterion Validity is reported

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