

Incident: **One** **County of Incident:** Baker **Wildlife Management Unit:**

Property Damage () **Personal Injury (x)** **Fatal ()**

Self Inflicted (x) **Same Party ()**

Date: 07/09/2011

Shooter Information

Age: 17 **Hunter Education:** Yes
Years Hunting Experience: N/A
Game Hunted: Squirrel
Firearm Used: .22 pistol

Victim Information

Age:
Blaze Orange Apparel: No
Distance of Muzzle to Wound: 0-10
Type of Cover: UNK

Summary: Shooter was hunting squirrels when he fell and shot himself in the groin area with a .22 caliber pistol.

Cause: Careless handling of a firearm.

Incident: **Two** **County of Incident:** Umatilla **Wildlife Management Unit:**

Property Damage () **Personal Injury ()** **Fatal ()**

Self Inflicted () **Same Party (x)**

Date: 4/26/2011

Shooter Information

Age: 58 **Hunter Education:**
Years Hunting Experience:
Game Hunted: Turkey
Firearm Used: 12 gauge

Victim Information

Age: 41
Blaze Orange Apparel: No
Distance of Muzzle to Wound: 11-50 yards
Type of Cover: UNK

Summary:

Victim was in the brush calling turkeys, while the shooter saw movement in the brush and shot one round, shooting the victim in the back, neck, and head area with a 12 gauge shotgun.

Cause: Victim mistaken for game.

Incident: **Three** **County of Incident:** Marion **Wildlife Management Unit:** Willamette

Property Damage () **Personal Injury ()** **Fatal (X)**

Self Inflicted () **Same Party ()**

Date: 10/21/2011

Shooter Information

Age: 67 **Hunter Education:** NO
Years Hunting Experience: UNK
Game Hunted: Bear
Firearm Used: .270 Ruger Rifle

Victim Information

Age: 20
Blaze Orange Apparel: NO
Distance of Muzzle to Wound: 101+ yds
Type of Cover: Open

Summary: Victim was wearing dark clothes near a tree line at the edge of a field. The Shooter mistook the victim for a bear and shot the victim at approx 200 yards.

Cause: Victim mistaken for game

Incident: Four **County of Incident: Malheur** **Wildlife Management Unit:**

Property Damage () **Personal Injury ()** **Fatal ()**

Self Inflicted (X) **Same Party ()**

Date: 11/3/2011

Shooter Information

Age: 56 **Hunter Education: UNK**
Years Hunting Experience:
Game Hunted: Birds
Firearm Used: 12 ga Shotgun

Victim Information

Age:
Blaze Orange Apparel:
Distance of Muzzle to Wound: 0-10 yds
Type of Cover:

Summary: Shooter was stepping down an embankment when he slipped and fell, discharging his shotgun into the back of his right calf muscle, point blank.

Cause: Shooter stumbled and fell

Incident: Five **County of Incident: Polk** **Wildlife Management Unit:**

Property Damage () **Personal Injury ()** **Fatal (X)**

Self Inflicted () **Same Party (X)**

Date: 11/12/2011

Shooter Information

Age: 24 **Hunter Education:**
Years Hunting Experience:
Game Hunted: Elk
Firearm Used: 7 mm Ultra Rifle

Victim Information

Age: 32
Blaze Orange Apparel: No
Distance of Muzzle to Wound: 51-100yds
Type of Cover: Dense

Summary: Hunting party was driving a bull elk into heavy vegetation. Shooter lost sight of elk, then saw what he believed to be the back side of the elk and fired his rifle shooting the Victim in the back.

Cause: Victim Mistaken for Game