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Forensics 352 – O’Dette Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Period \_\_\_

Part 1: T/F Sexual Predator Quiz

1. Most men who commit sexual offenses do not know their victims.
2. Most sexual assaults are committed by someone of the same race as the victim.
3. Most child sexual abusers use physical force or threat to gain compliance from their victims.
4. Most child sexual abusers find their victims by frequenting such places as schoolyards and playgrounds.
5. Only men commit sexual assault.
6. Child sexual abusers are only attracted to children and are not capable of appropriate sexual relationships.
7. Victims of sexual assault are harmed only when offenders use force.
8. If a child does not tell anyone about the abuse, it is because he or she must have consented to it.
9. It is common for both child and adult victims of sexual assault to wait some time before telling some about the abuse.
10. Sexual gratification is often a primary motivation for a rape offender.
11. Men who rape do so because they cannot find a consenting sexual partner.
12. Victims of sexual assault often share some blame for the assault.
13. If a victim does not say “no” or does not “fight back” it not sexual assault.

Part 2: Go to the Megan’s Law website (<http://www.isp.state.il.us/sor/> )

1. Read/skim quickly through the disclaimer. Write down a couple of interesting parts of the disclaimer. Then click the “I agree” button at the bottom of the page.
2. Click on the top image “Map Your Neighborhood”. Type in your address or that of someone you know and see how many sexual predators live within a certain radius of that address.
	1. How many did you find?
	2. What were the most frightening offenses?
3. Go back to the main page and click on the link on the left hand side “Frequently Asked Questions”
	1. Pick two of the most interesting questions and briefly write the answer.

Part 3: Go to the Pros and Cons website (<https://cbexpress.acf.hhs.gov/index.cfm?event=website.viewArticles&issueid=4&sectionid=3&articleid=72>)

Write down four Pro’s and four Con’s of having a registry for sexual offenders:

Pros Cons