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2003 Wisconsin Act 223 [2003 Assembly Bill 265]	Definition of "Substantial Bodily Harm"
2003 Acts: www.legis.state.wi.us/2003/data/acts/	Act Memos: www.legis.state.wi.us/lc/act_memo/act_memo.htm

2003 Wisconsin Act 223 adds to the definition of "substantial bodily harm" in the Criminal Code bodily injury that causes a laceration that requires staples or a tissue adhesive or that causes a broken nose.

As amended by the Act, "substantial bodily harm" means bodily injury that causes a laceration that requires stitches, staples, or a tissue adhesive; any fracture of a bone; a broken nose; a burn; a temporary loss of consciousness, sight, or hearing; a concussion; or a loss or fracture of a tooth.

Effective Date: Act 223 becomes effective on April 27, 2004.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents.