

# Syracuse

GREATER SYRACUSE ECONOMIC GROWTH COUNCIL RESOURCE CENTER

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### Protective Services

Syracuse ranks as one of the safest communities in America. Law enforcement agencies include the New York State Police, Onondaga County Sheriffs, City of Syracuse and local Town Police Departments. They are all out patrolling, ensuring the safety of Syracuse's streets.



The City of Syracuse also has a paid Fire Department and the surrounding communities have long established fire and rescue departments of their own. Many of them are volunteer fire departments — a further testimony to Syracuse's strong sense of community.

Crime Index (US=100)	New York State	Central New York	Onondaga County
Assault	91	40	49
Burglary	54	55	69
Larceny	68	71	83
Motor Vehicle Theft	57	16	22
Murder	85	30	40
Personal Crime	101	40	53
Property Crime	64	48	59
Rape	62	55	63
Robbery	133	31	48
Total Index	68	38	48

Source: CCIM / Census Data 2004

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