

### **HOW CAN LEADERS MAKE**

# SAFER HEALTHCARE ENVIRONMENTS

#### FOR EMPLOYEES?

Over the years, we have seen increases in crime, security incidents, and workplace violence across numerous industries. The alarming growth in healthcare workplace violence figures has driven industry leaders to take steps to protect employees from becoming victims of violent acts at work.

Let's take a look at several relevant highlights from the recently-released 2020 IAHSS Crime Survey.



#### **RE-EXAMINING THE 2020 HEALTHCARE CRIME SURVEY**

#### Workplace violence directed at employees is increasing.

Rates of workplace violence per 100 employees:



1.5

Assault Rates

0.5

**U.5**Aggravated Assault Rates



**1.2** Assault Rates

0.2

Aggravated Assault Rates



Workplace violence directed at employees continues to dominate other types of incidents.



**78**9

Of all aggravated assaults were directed at employees by patients or visitors



85%

Of all assaults in U.S. hospitals were directed at employees

A small number of hospitals are leveraging walk-through metal detector systems.



Of hospital participants use walk-through metal detectors 24/7 to screen visitors and patients as they entered the premises



Source: IAHSS Foundation's 2020 Healthco

Few hospitals reported positive impacts of 24/7 use of walk-through metal detectors on crime, security incidents, and workplace violence.



16 hospital participants reported a **positive impact** 



theft and the removal of weapons and weaponizable items from patients and visitors



impact

3 hospitals reported no

## How can the surge in workplace violence be addressed?

Healthcare providers can seize the opportunity to empower employees with safety tools and training. Healthcare leaders should consider better options for reporting and de-escalating incidents.

## Providers need to enable situational awareness Healthcare leaders need to equip their organizations with the best tools to provide the safest

environment for patients, visitors, healthcare professionals, and other staff.

Omnigo Software delivers innovative solutions that enable you to better protect your people,

safeguard your brand, and secure your property and assets.

# Omnigo Software to ensure safer facilities.

More than 400 hospitals and health systems use



## Fully document workplace violence events by easily

**Violence Reporting** 

detailing the type of violence, people involved, use of weapons, any sustained injuries, and actions taken.

**ABOUT OMNIGO** 



## Management System Improve the safety

of your facility with

an end-to-end visitor management system, which has the ability to scale from one to hundreds of workstations across multiple properties, locally or globally.

Let Omnigo improve your workplace violence prevention efforts by simplifying visitor management and incident reporting for your organization.



## Ensure high risk areas are routinely checked by

officers and automatically notify management when required tasks are not completed.

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