**12.03C ASSAULT OR BATTERY — INTENT**

A person acts intentionally if the person intends to cause harmful or offensive contact. Intent to cause physical injury is not required.

**Use Note**

Use with either Instruction 12.01 or 12.02.

**Comment**

Instruction 12.03C is based on *Lowdermilk v. Lowdermilk,* 825 P.2d 874, 879 (Alaska 1992).