What is the difference between quantitative and qualitative data?

	Quantitative	Qualitative
Definition	Numerical, measurable information	Descriptive information
Can it be counted?	✓	✗
Data Type	Numbers and statistics	Words; objects; pictures; symbols
Examples	Number of people served Number of victimizations by type Number of trainings provided Number of times a service is provided	Reasons clients seek services How training effects service providers Barriers to providing or receiving services

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