



Quarterly Report

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The Illinois Department of Juvenile Justice has two goals:

- Make Illinois communities safer for all residents.
- Foster better life outcomes for youth in the Department's custody by providing appropriate and effective rehabilitation.

In March 2015, the Department unveiled its comprehensive strategic plan focusing on five core principles:

- Right-Size: Reduce the use of secure custody for low-risk youth
- Rehabilitate: Improve programs to meet the needs of high-risk youth
- Reintegrate: Improve programs to ensure successful reentry
- Respect: Create a safe and respectful environment for youth and staff
- Report: Increase transparency and accountability

This Quarterly Report is part of the Department's commitment to enhance reporting and transparency. This allows the Department to more effectively inform stakeholders and the public about operations and outcomes.

Population Data

Facility	Population	
	Number	Percent
IYC Chicago	26	16.5%
IYC Harrisburg	58	36.7%
IYC Pere Marquette	10	6.3%
IYC St. Charles	43	27.2%
IYC Warrenville	21	13.3%
Total	158	

Aftercare Site	Population	
	Number	Percent
District 1	68	27.2%
District 2	65	26.0%
District 3	42	16.8%
District 4	38	15.2%
Interstate Compact	8	3.2%
Placement Unit	16	6.4%
Apprehension	13	5.2%
Total	250	

Populations for Aftercare are organized based on the district the monitoring Aftercare Specialist reports to. "Interstate Compact" indicates youth from Illinois monitored in other states and youth from other states monitored in Illinois under Interstate Compact agreements. "Placement Unit" indicates youth that are actively in residential placement in the community. "Apprehension" indicates youth that are absent without leave and currently assigned to one of the Department of Corrections' apprehension units.

Data on populations were obtained from Youth 360 for May 31st, 2022.

Demographic Data

Sex	Facilities		Aftercare	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Male	4	2.5%	14	5.6%
Female	152	97.5%	236	94.4%

Age	Facilities		Aftercare	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Average Age	17.4		18.4	
16 & Under	60	38.5%	40	16.0%
17 to 20	95	60.9%	197	78.8%
20.5 to 21	1	0.6%	13	5.2%

Race/Ethnicity	Facilities		Aftercare	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	20	12.8%	50	20.0%
Black	114	73.1%	169	67.6%
Hispanic	12	7.7%	18	7.2%
Asian/ Pacific Islander	0	0.0%	1	0.4%
Multi/Biracial	10	6.4%	12	4.8%

Committing Counties[i]	Facilities		Aftercare	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Cook	30	19.2%	62	24.8%
Collar Counties	7	4.5%	29	11.6%
Metro-East	11	7.1%	16	6.4%
Central	66	42.3%	79	31.6%
Southern	17	10.9%	16	6.4%
Northern	25	16.0%	37	14.8%
Out of State	0	0.0%	11	4.4%

Offense Class	Facilities		Aftercare	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Murder	8	5.1%	3	1.2%
Class X Felony	50	32.1%	62	24.8%
Class 1 Felony	35	22.4%	64	25.6%
Class 2 Felony	33	21.2%	86	34.4%
Class 3 Felony	18	11.5%	14	5.6%
Class 4 Felony	12	7.7%	10	4.0%

Jurisdiction	Facilities		Aftercare	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Juvenile Court Commitments	122	76.9%	249	99.6%
Criminal Court Sentences	36	23.1%	1	0.4%

[i] Committing Counties: Cook = Cook; Collar Counties = DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry, Will; Metro East Counties = Madison, St. Clair; Central IL Counties = Adams, Bond, Brown, Calhoun, Cass, Champaign, Christian, Clark, Coles, Crawford, Cumberland, Dewitt, Douglas, Edgar, Effingham, Fayette, Ford, Fulton, Greene, Hancock, Henderson, Iroquois, Jasper, Jersey, Knox, Livingston, Logan, McDonough, McLean, Macon, Macoupin, Marshall, Mason, Menard, Montgomery, Morgan, Moultrie, Peoria, Piatt, Pike, Sangamon, Schuyler, Scott, Shelby, Stark, Tazewell, Vermillion, Warren, Woodford; South IL Counties = Alexander, Clay, Clinton, Edwards, Franklin, Gallatin, Hamilton, Hardin, Jackson, Jefferson, Johnson, Lawrence, Marion, Massac, Monroe, Perry, Pope, Pulaski, Randolph, Richland, Saline, Union, Wabash, Washington, Wayne, White, Williamson; North, IL Counties = Boone, Bureau, Carroll, DeKalb, Grundy, Henry, Jo-Daviess, Kankakee, Kendall, LaSalle, Lee, Mercer, Ogle, Putnam, Rock Island, Stephenson, Whiteside, Winnebago

Data on demographics was obtained from Youth 360 for May 31st, 2022.

Capacity by Facility

Facility	Agency Capacity		
	Population	Capacity	Percent Used
IYC Chicago	26	130	20.00%
IYC Harrisburg	58	319	18.18%
IYC Pere Marquette	10	40	25.00%
IYC St. Charles	43	348	12.36%
IYC Warrenville	21	78	26.92%
Total	158	915	17.27%

Capacity is measured as the total number of beds in a facility not located within a secure confinement location. Currently, the Department utilizes approximately a fifth of all beds available.

Facility	Single Bunking		
	Population	Capacity	Percent Used
IYC Chicago	26	73	35.62%
IYC Harrisburg	58	276	21.01%
IYC Pere Marquette	10	24	41.67%
IYC St. Charles	43	240	17.92%
IYC Warrenville	21	70	30.00%
Total	158	683	23.13%

To align with national best practices, the Department focuses on single bunking youth. Single bunk capacity is the number of single beds in a facility not located within a secure confinement location. Currently, the Department uses approximately a quarter of these beds.

Population data was obtained from Youth 360 for May 31st, 2022.

Educational and Vocational Enrollment

School Enrollment	General Education	Special Education	Vocational Education
IYC Chicago	16	9	0
IYC Harrisburg	47	29	12
IYC Pere Marquette	7	5	7
IYC St. Charles	32	16	3
IYC Warrenville	5	3	0
Total	107	62	22

Special education and vocational education students are duplicated in the general education counts.

Vocational Enrollment	Collegiate Culinary Arts	Collegiate Custodial Maintenance	Drafting & Design Technology	Horticulture
IYC Chicago	0	0	0	0
IYC Harrisburg	5	3	0	4
IYC Pere Marquette	0	0	7	0
IYC St. Charles	0	3	0	0
IYC Warrenville	0	0	0	0
Total	5	6	7	4

As a result of the *RJ vs. Mueller* consent decree, the Department must achieve 10 to 1 ratios of students to teachers for general education and 6 to 1 ratios for special education.

Data was obtained from the School District for May 31st, 2022.

Youth to Security Staff Ratios

Security Staffing Ratios	First Shift (6am to 2pm)	Second Shift (2pm to 10pm)	Third Shift (10pm to 6am)
IYC Chicago	2	2.2	3.1
IYC Harrisburg	1.3	2.3	2.9
IYC Pere Marquette	0.9	1.9	2.4
IYC St. Charles	1.6	2.5	3.5
IYC Warrenville	2.2	2.4	2.9
Total	1.6	2.3	3

Federal Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) standards dictate direct care staffing ratios of 8 to 1 staff to youth during waking hours and 16 to 1 staff to youth during non-waking hours. In October 2017, the Federal government provided clarification on the staffing standards, rendering calculation of a staffing ratio no longer meaningful. Instead, the standard is set as the ratio of constant interactions between youth and staff that must be met. Nevertheless, calculated ratios are still provided to give an idea of facility staffing.

Staffing ratios are calculated by taking the average number of security staff reporting for each shift for the month and dividing by the average daily population of youth for the month.

Data for staffing ratios is sourced from the facilities and Youth 360. Data is current for May 2022.

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