



# 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	23	16.9%
IYC Harrisburg	39	28.7%
IYC Pere Marquette	16	11.8%
IYC St. Charles	34	25.0%
IYC Warrenville	24	17.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>136</b>	

Aftercare Site	Population	
	Number	Percent
District 1	108	27.8%
District 2	88	22.7%
District 3	76	19.6%
District 4	43	11.1%
Interstate Compact	35	9.0%
Placement Unit	28	7.2%
Apprehension	10	2.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>388</b>	

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 February 28th, 2021.

**Demographic Data**

Sex	Facilities		Aftercare	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Male	138	94.5%	372	96.1%
Female	8	5.5%	15	3.9%

Age	Facilities		Aftercare	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Average Age	17.5		18.6	
16 & Under	47	32.2%	52	13.6%
17 to 20	96	65.8%	295	77.0%
20.5 to 21	3	2.1%	36	9.4%

Race/Ethnicity	Facilities		Aftercare	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	25	17.1%	79	20.4%
Black	99	67.8%	259	66.9%
Hispanic	14	9.6%	34	8.8%
Native American	0	0.0%	1	0.3%
Asian/ Pacific Islander	0	0.0%	0	0.0%
Multi/Biracial	8	5.5%	14	3.6%

Committing Counties[i]	Facilities		Aftercare	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Cook	25	17.1%	110	28.4%
Collar Counties	10	6.8%	34	8.8%
Metro-East	10	6.8%	17	4.4%
Central	62	42.5%	124	32.0%
Southern	11	7.5%	35	9.0%
Northern	28	19.2%	53	13.7%
Out of State	0	0.0%	14	3.7%

Offense Class	Facilities		Aftercare	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Murder	12	8.2%	1	0.3%
Class X Felony	40	27.4%	81	20.9%
Class 1 Felony	41	28.1%	111	28.7%
Class 2 Felony	33	22.6%	142	36.7%
Class 3 Felony	13	8.9%	20	5.2%
Class 4 Felony	7	4.8%	18	4.7%

Jurisdiction	Facilities		Aftercare	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Juvenile Court Commitments	115	78.8%	386	99.7%
Criminal Court Sentences	31	21.2%	1	0.3%

[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 February 28th, 2021.

**Capacity by Facility**

Facility	Agency Capacity		
	Population	Capacity	Percent Used
IYC Chicago	23	130	17.69%
IYC Harrisburg	39	319	12.23%
IYC Pere Marquette	16	40	40.00%
IYC St. Charles	34	348	9.77%
IYC Warrenville	24	78	30.77%
<b>Total</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>915</b>	<b>14.86%</b>

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

Facility	Single Bunking		
	Population	Capacity	Percent Used
IYC Chicago	23	73	31.51%
IYC Harrisburg	39	276	14.13%
IYC Pere Marquette	16	24	66.67%
IYC St. Charles	34	240	14.17%
IYC Warrenville	24	70	34.29%
<b>Total</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>683</b>	<b>19.91%</b>

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 20% of these beds.

Population data was obtained from Youth 360 for February 28th, 2021.

**Educational and Vocational Enrollment**

<b>School Enrollment</b>	<b>General Education</b>	<b>Special Education</b>	<b>Vocational Education</b>
IYC Chicago	13	8	4
IYC Harrisburg	31	21	5
IYC Pere Marquette	10	4	10
IYC St. Charles	13	8	5
IYC Warrenville	14	4	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>27</b>

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

<b>Vocational Enrollment</b>	<b>Collegiate Culinary Arts</b>	<b>Collegiate Custodial Maintenance</b>	<b>Drafting &amp; Design Technology</b>	<b>Horticulture</b>	<b>Barber College/Salon</b>
IYC Chicago	0	0	0	0	4
IYC Harrisburg	2	2	0	1	0
IYC Pere Marquette	0	0	10	0	0
IYC St. Charles	0	4	0	1	0
IYC Warrenville	0	0	0	0	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>7</b>

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. As of February 28th, the Department averaged 1.2 general education students for each general education teacher and 4.1 special education students for each special education teacher.

Data was obtained from the School District for February 28th, 2021.

### 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	1.9	1.9	3.1
IYC Harrisburg	1.6	1.8	2.9
IYC Pere Marquette	1	1.8	3.1
IYC St. Charles	1.4	1.5	3.3
IYC Warrenville	1.9	1.5	3.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>1.6</b>	<b>1.7</b>	<b>3.1</b>

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 February 2021.



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