

# Quarterly Report January 2022

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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**

	Population
Facility	Number Percent
IYC Chicag	ngo #DIV/0!
IYC Harrisbu	urg #DIV/0!
IYC Pere Marquet	tte #DIV/0!
IYC St. Charle	les #DIV/0!
IYC Warrenvil	ille #DIV/0!
Total	

Aftercare Site	Popu	lation	
Altercare Site	Number	Percent	
District 1		#DIV/0!	
District 2		#DIV/0!	
District 3		#DIV/0!	
District 4		#DIV/0!	
Interstate Compact		#DIV/0!	
Placement Unit		#DIV/0!	
Apprehension		#DIV/0!	
Total			

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 November 30th, 2021.

#### **Demographic Data**

Sex	Facilities		Aftercare	
Sex	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Male				
Female				

1.00	Facil	ities	After	care
Age	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Average Age				
16 & Under				
17 to 20				
20.5 to 21				

Dago/Ethnigity	Facilities		Aftercare	
Race/Ethnicity	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	17	15.2%	62	17.7%
Black	80	71.4%	235	67.1%
Hispanic	10	8.9%	32	9.1%
Native American	0	0.0%	1	0.3%
Asian/ Pacific Islander	0	0.0%	1	0.3%
Multi/Biracial	5	4.5%	19	5.4%

	Facilities		After	care
Committing Counties[i]	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Cook				
Collar Counties				
Metro-East				
Central				
Southern				
Northern				
Out of State				

Offense Class	Facilities		Aftercare	
Offense Class	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Murder				
Class X Felony				
Class 1 Felony				
Class 2 Felony				
Class 3 Felony				
Class 4 Felony				

Jurisdiction	Facilities		Aftercare	
Jurisdiction	Number Percent		Number	Percent
Juvenile Court Commitments				
Criminal Court Sentences				

[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 November 30th, 2021.

Facility	Agency Capacity			
raciiity	Population	Capacity	Percent Used	
IYC Chicago		130	0.00%	
IYC Harrisburg		319	0.00%	
IYC Pere Marquette		40	0.00%	
IYC St. Charles		348	0.00%	
IYC Warrenville		78	0.00%	
Total		915	0.00%	

## **Capacity by Facility**

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

Facility		Single Bunking				Single Bunking		
гасшту	Population	Capacity	Percent Used					
IYC Chicago		73	0.00%					
IYC Harrisburg	5	276	0.00%					
IYC Pere Marquette		24	0.00%					
IYC St. Charles	5	240	0.00%					
IYC Warrenville		70	0.00%					
Total		683	0.00%					

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 16% of these beds.

Population data was obtained from Youth 360 for November 30th, 2021.

### **Educational and Vocational Enrollment**

School Enrollment	General	Special	Vocational
School Enronment	Education	Education	Education
IYC Chicago			
IYC Harrisburg			
IYC Pere Marquette			
IYC St. Charles			
IYC Warrenville			
Total			

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	Construction Occupations	Barber College/Salon
IYC Chicago						
IYC Harrisburg						
IYC Pere Marquette						
IYC St. Charles						
IYC Warrenville						
Total						

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 August 31st, the Department averaged 1.2 general education students for each general education teacher and 3.4 special education students for each special education teacher.

Data was obtained from the School District for November 30th, 2021.

Security Staffing Dation	First Shift	Second Shift	Third Shift	
Security Staffing Ratios	(6am to 2pm)	(2pm to 10pm)	(10pm to 6am)	
IYC Chicago	2.5	0.1	5	
IYC Harrisburg	2.2	2.4	4.9	
IYC Pere Marquette	1.4	2.5	3.4	
IYC St. Charles	2.7	2.5	5.1	
IYC Warrenville	1.6	1.6	2.6	
Total	2.1	2.5	4.4	

## Youth to Security Staff Ratios

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 November 2021.

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