



Illinois Department of Corrections

Female Offender Population Data on June 30, 2017

3-Year Recidivism Rates ¹	%
FY12 Exits	28.7%
FY13 Exits	25.6%
FY14 Exits	25.3%

Offense Category	N	%
Controlled Substance Violation	732	28.3%
Homicide	479	18.5%
Assault / Battery / Force / Harm	264	10.2%
Retail Theft	168	6.5%
DUI	140	5.4%
Forgery / Deception / Fraud	110	4.2%
Theft	101	3.9%
Armed Robbery	89	3.4%
Burglary	84	3.2%
Residential Burglary	80	3.1%
Sexual Assault / Rape	52	2.0%
Robbery	51	2.0%
Weapons	34	1.3%
Vehicle Code Violation	32	1.2%
Motor Vehicle Theft	26	1.0%
Arson	24	0.9%
Escape	23	0.9%
Cannabis	21	0.8%
Government Offenses	20	0.8%
Home / Vehicular Invasion	17	0.7%
Kidnapping / Restraint / Abduction	13	0.5%
Sex Related Offense	12	0.5%
Damage to Property	10	0.4%
Disorderly Conduct / Mob Action	4	0.2%
Armed Violence	3	0.1%
Bail Bond Violation	1	0.0%
Sexually Dangerous Persons (SDP)	1	0.0%
Total	2,591	100.0%

Admission History ³	Court ⁴	New Offense Violation ⁵	Technical Violation ⁶	Total
FY04	2,977	364	552	3,893
FY05	3,143	469	538	4,150
FY06	2,963	388	458	3,809
FY07	2,822	322	281	3,425
FY08	2,844	284	263	3,391
FY09	2,461	263	382	3,106
FY10	2,438	201	533	3,172
FY11	1,870	93	478	2,441
FY12	2,032	95	322	2,449
FY13	2,227	114	253	2,594
FY14	2,202	137	270	2,609
FY15	1,952	124	276	2,352
FY16	1,798	105	298	2,201
FY17	1,779	94	254	2,127

Race	N	%
White	1,338	51.6%
Black	995	38.4%
Hispanic	194	7.5%
Asian	21	0.8%
Native American	17	0.7%
Unknown/Missing	26	1.0%
Total	2,591	100.0%

Average Age 37.6 Years

Sentencing County ²	N	%
Cook County	901	34.8%
Collar Counties ²	270	10.4%
Downstate Counties ²	1,419	54.8%
Out of State	1	0.0%
Total	2,591	100.0%

Offense Class	N	%
Murder (20-60 years)	358	13.8%
Class X (6-30 years)	415	16.0%
Class 1 (4-15 years)	389	15.0%
Class 2 (3-7 years)	585	22.6%
Class 3 (2-5 years)	382	14.7%
Class 4 (1-3 years)	461	17.8%
Sexually Dangerous Persons (SDP)	1	0.0%
Total	2,591	100.0%

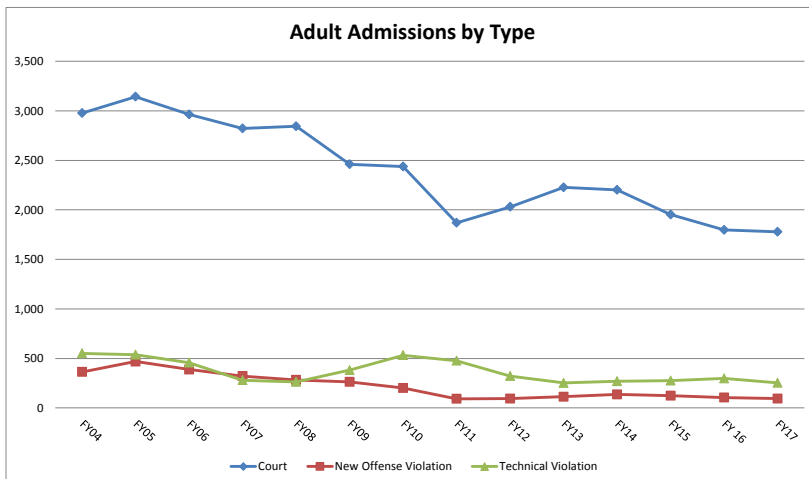
Offense Type	N	%
Person	1,003	38.7%
Drug	862	33.3%
Property	620	23.9%
Sex	65	2.5%
Other	41	1.6%
Total	2,591	100.0%

Miscellaneous	N	%
Sex Offenders ⁸	84	3.2%
Life Sentences	48	1.9%
Sexually Dangerous Persons (SDP)	1	0.0%
Indeterminate Sentences	1	0.0%

Admission Type	N	%
Court ⁴	2,407	92.9%
New Offense Violation ⁵	61	2.4%
Technical Violation ⁶	119	4.6%
Other ⁷	4	0.2%
Total	2,591	100.0%

Historical Population - End of FY*	
FY	**Female Population
FY74	130
FY75	176
FY76	221
FY77	293
FY78	326
FY79	356
FY80	374
FY81	412
FY82	516
FY83	483
FY84	569
FY85	636
FY86	719
FY87	774
FY88	862
FY89	982
FY90	1,191
FY91	1,280
FY92	1,343
FY93	1,576
FY94	1,723
FY95	2,044
FY96	2,218
FY97	2,412
FY98	2,522
FY99	2,760
FY00	2,838
***FY01	2,883
FY02	2,712
FY03	2,582
FY04	2,806
FY05	2,821
FY06	2,770
FY07	2,792
FY08	2,826
FY09	2,612
FY10	2,900
FY11	2,875
FY12	2,834
FY13	2,800
FY14	2,905
FY15	2,730
**FY16	2,664
FY17	2,591

***The highest female inmate population was 2,976 on November 16, 2000.



¹ Recidivism rate indicates the percentage of inmates who return to IDOC within three years after release. The data represent those inmates released from IDOC in FY2012, FY2013, and FY2014.

² Sentencing County: County from which inmate was convicted and sentenced, and where court documents were obtained. It will not always be the county in which the crime occurred. Collar Counties (5): DuPage, Kane, Lake, McHenry and Will. Downstate Counties (96): Illinois counties other than Cook County and collar counties.

³ Admission to IDOC during each fiscal year (July 1 - June 30).

⁴ Court admission is defined as an adult admitted from criminal court who is not on MSR or parole.

⁵ A new offense violation is defined as an adult readmitted from criminal court for a felony committed while on MSR or parole.

⁶ A technical violation is defined as an adult on MSR or parole readmitted because of an MSR or parole rule violation.

⁷ Other is defined as an adult who is admitted to IDOC from another custody or who has been returned to custody without having been sentenced.

⁸ Sex offenders are defined as inmates having registered as a sex offender and murderer against youth or as having a sex offense on the sentencing order; excluding prostitution.

* End of FY population is the population on the last day of the Fiscal Year, June 30th.

** In December, 2015 IDOC initiated a major IT transition, moving from a DOS-based offender tracking system to a modern, web-based tracking system. During the transition, some traditional measures will contain missing values due to a combination of factors, which include quality control issues with data entry and missing data for fields that are no longer required within the system. In addition, basic coding and program logic is still being reviewed and corrected. Moving forward, the Department continues to validate certain data measures and all elements are subject to change as more information becomes available. Contact the Planning & Research Unit with any questions.