



Illinois Department of Corrections

Adult Individuals in Custody on June 30, 2021

3-Year Recidivism Rates ¹	%
FY16 Exits	41.6%
FY17 Exits	41.3%
FY18 Exits	38.5%

Offense Category	N	%
Homicide	7,933	28.9%
Sexual Assault / Rape	4,310	15.7%
Assault / Battery / Force / Harm	2,963	10.8%
Controlled Substance Violation	2,551	9.3%
Weapons	2,301	8.4%
Armed Robbery	1,761	6.4%
Burglary	713	2.6%
Robbery	613	2.2%
Sex Related Offense	602	2.2%
DUI	586	2.1%
Home / Vehicular Invasion	320	1.2%
Residential Burglary	733	2.7%
Motor Vehicle Theft	296	1.1%
Kidnapping / Restraint / Abduction	286	1.0%
Armed Violence	192	0.7%
Theft	189	0.7%
Sexually Dangerous Persons (SDP)	156	0.6%
Vehicle Code Violation	152	0.6%
Arson	134	0.5%
Retail Theft	133	0.5%
Escape	127	0.5%
Forgery / Deception / Fraud	100	0.4%
Government Offenses	102	0.4%
Cannabis	94	0.3%
Damage to Property	51	0.2%
Disorderly Conduct / Mob Action	12	0.0%
Bail Bond Violation	2	0.0%
Habitual Offender	1	0.0%
Total	27,413	100.0%

FY21 Deaths			
Type of Death	N	Race	N
Natural	149	Black	96
Suicide	3	White	68
Homicide	1	Hispanic	13
Justifiable Homicide	0	Asian	1
Accidental	2	Total	178
Pending	23		
Undetermined	0	Average Age	61 Years
Total	178		

Admission History ³	Court ⁴	New Offense Violation ⁵	Technical Violation ⁶	Total
FY07	25,258	3,742	7,640	36,640
FY08	24,782	3,691	6,510	34,983
FY09	24,139	3,326	9,372	36,837
FY10	22,960	3,179	10,656	36,795
FY11	19,805	1,930	10,155	31,890
FY12	20,577	1,692	8,433	30,702
FY13	22,235	1,819	7,071	31,125
FY14	21,184	1,922	6,942	30,048
FY15	19,445	1,723	7,316	28,484
FY16	17,388	1,783	6,974	26,145
FY17	16,641	1,775	6,905	25,321
FY18	15,495	1,229	6,964	23,688
FY19	14,397	1,285	6,678	22,360
FY20	10,461	905	5,244	16,610
FY21	8,164	316	4,102	12,582

FY21 Admissions by Region ³	Total Admissions	Turn-arounds ⁹
Cook	5,028	707
Collar	1,450	81
Downstate	6,099	68
Out of State	5	0
Total	12,582	856

Race	N	%
Black	14,815	54.0%
White	8,712	31.8%
Hispanic	3,641	13.3%
Asian	101	0.4%
Native American	44	0.2%
Bi-Racial	55	0.2%
Unknown/Missing	45	0.2%
Total	27,413	100.0%

Average Age	40.2 Years
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Sex	N	%
Male	26,757	97.6%
Female	1,256	4.6%

Sentencing County ²	N	%
Cook County	11,871	43.3%
Collar Counties ²	3,053	11.1%
Downstate Counties ²	12,440	45.4%
Out of State	49	0.2%
Total	27,413	100.0%

Offense Class	N	%
Murder (20-60 years)	6,357	23.2%
Class X (6-30 years)	10,019	36.5%
Class 1 (4-15 years)	3,528	12.9%
Class 2 (3-7 years)	4,424	16.1%
Class 3 (2-5 years)	1,728	6.3%
Class 4 (1-3 years)	1,199	4.4%
Contempt of Court	2	0.0%
Sexually Dangerous Persons (SDP)	156	0.6%
Total	27,413	100.0%

Offense Type	N	%
Person	16,670	60.8%
Drug	3,104	11.3%
Property	2,414	8.8%
Sex	5,068	18.5%
Other	157	0.6%
Total	27,413	100.0%

Miscellaneous	N	%
Sex Offender Registrants ⁸	4,672	17.0%
Life Sentences	1,555	5.7%
Sexually Dangerous Persons (SDP)	156	0.6%
Indeterminate Sentences	52	0.2%

Admission Type [*]	N	%
Court ⁴	23,670	86.3%
New Offense Violation ⁵	1,444	5.3%
Technical Violation ⁶	2,140	7.8%
Other ⁷	159	0.6%
Total	27,413	100.0%

Historical Population - End of FY*	
FY	**Population
FY75	7,437
FY76	9,182
FY77	10,650
FY78	10,944
FY79	11,263
FY80	12,102
FY81	13,141
FY82	13,967
FY83	13,735
FY84	16,549
FY85	17,649
FY86	19,184
FY87	19,928
FY88	20,554
FY89	22,576
FY90	27,295
FY91	28,941
FY92	30,432
FY93	33,072
FY94	35,614
FY95	37,790
FY96	38,373
FY97	40,425
FY98	42,140
FY99	44,355
FY00	44,819
FY01	45,629
FY02	43,142
FY03	43,186
FY04	44,379
FY05	44,669
FY06	45,440
FY07	45,565
FY08	45,548
FY09	45,545
FY10	47,504
FY11	48,978
FY12	48,324
***FY13	48,877
FY14	48,921
FY15	47,165
**FY16	44,817
FY17	43,075
FY18	40,872
FY19	39,306
FY20	32,167
FY21	27,413

***The highest population was 49,401 on February 9, 2013.

¹ Recidivism rate indicates the percentage of individuals who return to IDOC within three years after release. The data represent those individuals released from IDOC in FY2016, FY2017, and FY2018.

² Sentencing County: County from which an individual was convicted and sentenced. 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). FY19 Admission History has been updated/corrected and will differ from the older versions of the FY19 Admission History on previous versions of Fact Sheets.

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 offender registrants are defined as individuals required to register as a sex offender for having a sex offense or a murderer/violence against youth offense on the sentencing order; excluding prostitution.

⁹ Turnarounds are individuals that were in reception 48 hours or less before being released to MSR, parole, or other custody.

* 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.