

# Quarterly Report October 2020

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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		Popul	ation
		Number	Percent
	IYC Chicago	13	9.9%
	IYC Harrisburg	43	32.8%
	IYC Pere Marquette	10	7.6%
	IYC St. Charles	38	29.0%
	IYC Warrenville	27	20.6%
Total		131	

Aftercare Site	Population	
Altercare site	Number	Percent
District 1	161	33.3%
District 2	100	20.7%
District 3 District 4	87	18.0%
	50	10.3%
Interstate Compact	39	8.1%
Placement Unit	36	7.4%
Apprehension	11	2.3%
Total	484	

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 August 31st, 2020.

#### **Demographic Data**

Sex	Facilities		Aftercare	
Sex	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Male	123	93.9%	458	95.0%
Female	8	6.1%	24	5.0%

1 50	Facilities		Aftercare	
Age	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Average Age	17.7		18.4	
16 & Under	38	29.0%	75	15.7%
17 to 20	91	69.5%	374	78.4%
20.5 to 21	2	1.5%	28	5.9%

Dago/Ethnigity	Facilities		Aftercare	
Race/Ethnicity	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
White	26	19.8%	84	17.4%
Black	89	67.9%	333	69.1%
Hispanic	12	9.2%	40	8.3%
American Indian	0	0.0%	1	0.2%
Asian	0	0.0%	1	0.2%
Multiracial	4	3.1%	23	4.7%

	Facilities		After	care
Committing Counties[i]	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Cook	23	17.6%	149	30.9%
Collar Counties	10	7.6%	43	8.9%
Metro-East	7	5.3%	16	3.3%
Central	52	39.7%	147	30.5%
Southern	13	9.9%	41	8.5%
Northern	26	19.8%	77	16.0%
Out of State	0	0.0%	9	1.9%

Offense Class	Facilities		Aftercare	
Offense Class	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Murder	9	6.9%	3	0.6%
Class X Felony	38	29.0%	97	20.1%
Class 1 Felony	37	28.2%	133	27.6%
Class 2 Felony	30	22.9%	196	40.7%
Class 3 Felony	12	9.2%	19	3.9%
Class 4 Felony	5	3.8%	23	4.8%

Jurisdiction	Facilities		Aftercare	
Jurisdiction	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Juvenile Court Commitments	101	77.1%	471	98.7%
Criminal Court Sentences	30	22.9%	6	1.3%

[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 August 31st, 2020.

Facility	Agency Capacity				
raciiity	Population	Capacity	Percent Used		
IYC Chicago	13	130	10.00%		
IYC Harrisburg	43	319	13.48%		
IYC Pere Marquette	10	40	25.00%		
IYC St. Charles	38	348	10.92%		
IYC Warrenville	27	78	34.62%		
Total	131	915	14.32%		

# **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 less than a quarter of all beds available.

Facility		Single Bunking			
racinty	Population	Capacity	Percent Used		
IYC Chicag	o 13	73	17.81%		
IYC Harrisbur	g 43	276	15.58%		
IYC Pere Marquett	e 10	24	41.67%		
IYC St. Charle	s 38	240	15.83%		
IYC Warrenvill	e 27	70	38.57%		
Total	131	683	19.18%		

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 August 31st, 2020.

### **Educational and Vocational Enrollment**

School Enrollment	General	Special	Vocational
School Ellionment	Education	Education	Education
IYC Chicago	5	3	4
IYC Harrisburg	31	26	8
IYC Pere Marquette	6	3	3
IYC St. Charles	13	4	2
IYC Warrenville	16	7	0
Total	71	43	17

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

Vocational Enrollment	Collegiate Culinary Arts	Collegiate Custodial Maintenance	Drafting & Design Technology	Barber College
IYC Chicago	0	0	0	4
IYC Harrisburg	3	5	0	0
IYC Pere Marquette	0	0	3	0
IYC St. Charles	0	2	0	0
IYC Warrenville	0	0	0	0
Total	3	7	3	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. As of August 31st, the Department averaged 1.0 general education students for each general education teacher and 3.9 special education students for each special education teacher.

Data was obtained from the School District for August 31st, 2020.

Converter Staffing Dation	First Shift	Second Shift	Third Shift
Security Staffing Ratios	(6am to 2pm)	(2pm to 10pm)	(10pm to 6am)
IYC Chicago	0.9	1	1.8
IYC Harrisburg	1.2	1.3	2.7
IYC Pere Marquette	0.8	1	1.7
IYC St. Charles	0.9	1.1	2.1
IYC Warrenville	2	1.9	3.1
Total	1.5	1.7	3.2

# 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 August 2020

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