

Region I-Baltimore City Summary

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COMPLAINT SOURCE, FY 2018-2020

Complaint Source	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020
Adult Court Transfers	10.0%	8.2%	6.7%
Citizen	6.8%	7.4%	5.0%
Police*	75.4%	78.2%	80.5%
Violation of Probation**	7.8%	6.3%	7.7%
Total Complaints	1,782	1,384	1,012

* Includes referrals from School Police and School Resource Officers

** Includes only technical violations

CASE FORWARDING DECISIONS AND COURT ACTION FOR FORMAL CASES[†], FY 2018-2020

Case Forwarding Decision	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020
Resolved/No Jurisdiction	15.9%	17.7%	13.2%
Informaled	5.9%	8.1%	5.8%
Authorized Formal Petition	78.1%	74.2%	80.9%
Total Complaints	1,782	1,384	1,012

Court Action for Formal Cases

Petition Withdrawn, Denied by SAO, Non Est	8.6%	8.7%	5.4%
Stet	0.4%	0.3%	0.1%
Jurisdiction Waived to Adult Ct	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Dismissed, Closed, Nolle Pros	41.8%	49.4%	40.4%
Pending Disposition*	8.5%	10.8%	28.4%
Services Not Ordered	2.7%	1.9%	1.0%
Probation	19.3%	16.9%	14.4%
Committed to DJS	17.9%	11.7%	9.9%
Committed to Other Agency	0.1%	0.1%	0.0%
Other**	0.7%	0.3%	0.4%
Total Formal Complaints	1,392	1,027	819

[†] Reflects the ultimate disposition at court. See note on page 25.

* Includes Continuance without DJS Supervision, Continued Cases, Waiver from Juvenile to Adult-Denied, Writ Pending, and Pending at the time of final data collection for the DRG

** Includes Commitment Rescinded-Aftercare Supervision, Jurisdiction Transferred, Interstate Courtesy, and Other

AVERAGE CASELOAD*, FY 2018-2020

	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020
Community	695.8	583.8	468.6
Pre-Court	31.5	31.5	19.3
Probation	508.3	393.4	314.7
Aftercare	156.1	158.9	134.6
Committed-Aftercare	97.1	88.2	60.0

* Average daily active cases

- *U.S. Census and Maryland Department of Planning Estimated Data:*
 - Between July 2015 and July 2019, the Baltimore City population (ages 11-17) decreased 4.8% (from 48,267 to 45,965).
 - Intake Case Forwarding Decisions (FY 2020):
 - 80.9% of complaints were formalized, while 5.8% were informaled.
- *Intake Trends (FY 2018-2020):*
 - Total complaints decreased 43.2%.
 - The percentage of total complaints authorized for formal petition increased from 78.1% to 80.9%.
 - *Note: Many 2020 cases are still pending court action, so a disposition trend is not presented.*
- *Detention Risk Assessment Instrument (DRAI) Risk Level (FY 2020):*
 - For Pre-Dispositional Detention admissions with a completed DRAI, 53.8% were High, 27.4% were Moderate, and 18.7% were Low.
- *Time Frames - Averages (FY 2020):*
 - Time from offense to intake referral date was 21.3 days.
 - Time from intake referral date to case forwarding decision was 7.9 days.
 - Time from case forwarding decision to sustained adjudication was 61.2 days.
- *Offense Category for Intake Cases (FY 2019-2020):*
 - The percentage of Crimes of Violence increased from 29.9% to 37.4%.
 - The percentage of Felonies decreased from 27.1% to 25.0%.
 - The percentage of Misdemeanors decreased from 42.1% to 36.6%.
- *Commitments for VOP (FY 2018-2020):*
 - The percentage of commitments resulting from VOP decreased from 18.9% (47) to 16.0% (13).

INTAKE COMPLAINT DECISION DEMOGRAPHICS, FY 2018-2020

Demographics	FY2018	FY2019	FY2020
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	94.1%	94.4%	95.6%
White	4.0%	3.3%	2.4%
Hispanic/Other	2.0%	2.4%	2.1%
Sex			
Male	83.9%	80.5%	83.7%
Female	16.1%	19.5%	16.3%
Age			
11 and under	2.0%	1.9%	2.4%
12	2.0%	4.1%	3.5%
13	5.7%	9.5%	7.0%
14	11.6%	12.6%	14.8%
15	21.5%	22.1%	24.5%
16	25.9%	22.0%	20.8%
17	27.1%	24.1%	23.7%
18-20	4.2%	3.6%	3.3%
Total Complaints	1,782	1,384	1,012

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OFFENSE TYPE, FY 2020

Offense Type Includes all offenses in complaint(s) (VOPs categorized by original offense)	Intake Charges ¹	Probation Dispositions ²	Commitment Dispositions ²
Person-to-Person	50.0%	28.6%	62.0%
Assault (Felony)	4.1%	0.0%	0.9%
Assault (Misdemeanor)	14.2%	7.8%	6.5%
Carjacking	4.6%	1.3%	13.0%
Child Abuse	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Deadly Weapon	2.0%	1.9%	0.9%
Handgun Violation	3.9%	9.7%	16.7%
Harassment	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Kidnapping	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Manslaughter	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Murder	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Other Person ⁺	3.1%	1.3%	1.9%
Robbery	14.8%	5.2%	19.4%
Sex Offense (Felony)	2.0%	0.0%	2.8%
Sex Offense (Misd.)	0.8%	1.3%	0.0%
Property Offenses	31.5%	28.6%	9.3%
Arson	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Auto Theft/Unauth Use	9.2%	1.3%	0.9%
Burglary/Break (Felony)	2.1%	0.0%	3.7%
Burglary/Break (Misd.)	1.7%	0.6%	0.0%
Malicious Destruction	2.0%	1.3%	0.0%
Other Property ⁺	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Theft (Felony)	4.4%	1.9%	1.9%
Theft (Misdemeanor)	11.6%	23.4%	2.8%
Drug-Related Offenses	8.6%	7.8%	3.7%
Narcotics (CDS-Felony)	5.0%	2.6%	0.9%
Narcotics (CDS-Misd.)	3.6%	5.2%	2.8%
Citations	0.8%	0.6%	0.0%
Alcohol Violation	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Possession of Marj. <10g	0.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Tobacco Violation	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Traffic Viol. Non-Incarc.	0.6%	0.6%	0.0%
Vaporizer Violation	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
CINS Offenses**	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Ordinance Offenses	1.4%	0.6%	0.0%
Uncategorized Offenses	7.7%	33.8%	25.0%
Cons. to Commit Offense	4.2%	30.5%	17.6%
Motor Vehicle/Traffic	1.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Interstate Warrant/Hold	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Unspecified Felony	0.5%	1.9%	5.6%
Unspecified Misdemeanor	1.9%	1.3%	1.9%
Total Offenses	2,130	154	108

¹ Alleged offenses

² Adjudicated offenses from FY2020 complaints. Many are still pending court action.

⁺ The most common offenses for Other Person and Other Property are listed beginning on page 252.

** Includes runaway, truant, and ungovernable

OFFENSE CATEGORY, FY 2020

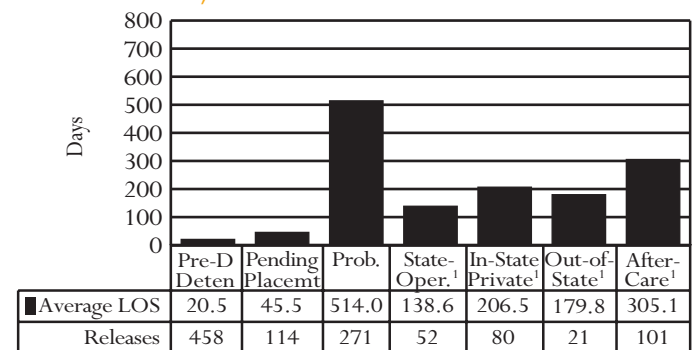
Offense Category* of the Most Serious Offense (VOPs categorized by original offense)	Intake Cases ¹	Probation Dispositions ²	Commitment Dispositions ²
Crime of Violence	37.4%	9.3%	42.0%
Felony	25.0%	34.7%	27.2%
- Person-to-Person	0.8%	1.7%	2.5%
- Property	14.0%	4.2%	2.5%
- Drugs	9.5%	3.4%	1.2%
- Unspecified	0.7%	25.4%	21.0%
Misdemeanor	36.6%	54.2%	30.9%
- Person-to-Person	22.4%	22.9%	23.5%
- Property	10.0%	24.6%	2.5%
- Drugs	2.7%	5.9%	3.7%
- Unspecified	1.5%	0.8%	1.2%
Ordinance Offenses	0.9%	0.8%	0.0%
Citations	0.2%	0.8%	0.0%
CINS	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Interstate Warrant/Hold	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<i>Total Complaints/Placements/Dispositions</i>	<i>1,012</i>	<i>118</i>	<i>81</i>
<i>% of Statewide</i>	<i>6.8%</i>	<i>8.9%</i>	<i>16.0%</i>

* See Appendices K and R for COV and other offense classifications.

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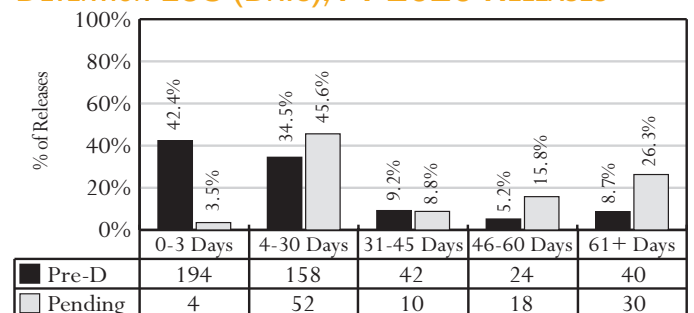
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AVERAGE LOS, FY 2020 RELEASES



¹ ALOS for releases from committed programs

DETENTION LOS (DAYS), FY 2020 RELEASES*



* Selected time intervals are based on statute, code, and policy.

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