

Thomas J.S. Waxter Children's Center

Superintendent: Lisa Steeple

Rated Capacity: 42 Females

Region V: Southern

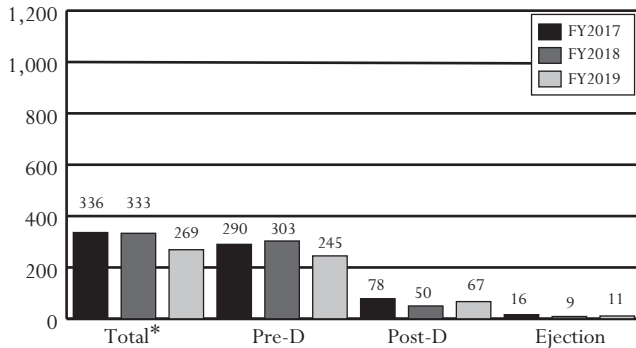
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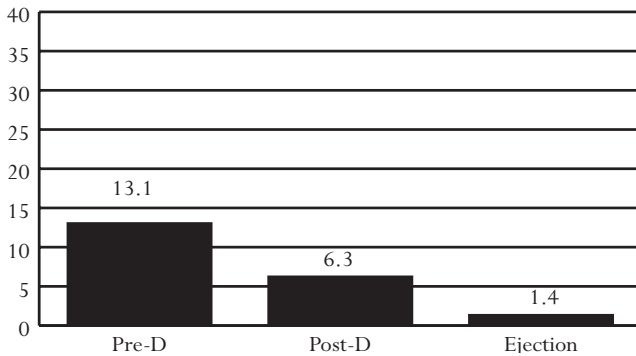
Note: The ejection population represents youth returned to detention following removal from a committed residential program, who have no new offenses requiring court processing, and who need a new committed placement. Data presented here do not include youth charged as adults pending transfer (see pages 116-117).

ADMISSIONS, FY 2017-2019



* Youth can be counted in Pre-D, Post-D, and Ejection; therefore, the sum of the status categories may not equal the total.

ADP BY ADMISSION TYPE, FY 2019



ADMISSION DEMOGRAPHICS, FY 2017-2019

Demographics	FY2017	FY2018	FY2019
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	67.9%	74.2%	70.3%
White	27.4%	18.3%	21.6%
Hispanic/Other	4.8%	7.5%	8.2%
Sex			
Male	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Female	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Age			
11 and under	0.0%	0.3%	0.4%
12	0.6%	0.6%	1.5%
13	3.3%	3.0%	6.3%
14	13.1%	15.3%	11.2%
15	17.0%	23.4%	20.8%
16	29.8%	22.2%	21.6%
17	22.9%	21.6%	27.1%
18-20	13.4%	13.5%	11.2%
Total Admissions	336	333	269

Source of Admissions (FY 2019):

- 96.3% of admissions were from regions within Maryland. Of those from out of state, 5 were from Washington, D.C.; 2 were from Virginia; and 1 each was from Colorado, North Carolina and New York.

Admission Trends:

- Total admissions decreased 19.9% between FY 2017 and FY 2019 and decreased 19.2% between FY 2018 and FY 2019.
- Pre-D admissions decreased 15.5% between FY 2017 and FY 2019 and decreased 19.1% between FY 2018 and FY 2019.
- Post-D admissions decreased 14.1% between FY 2017 and FY 2019 and increased 34.0% between FY 2018 and FY 2019.
- Ejection admissions decreased 31.3% between FY 2017 and FY 2019 and increased 22.2% between FY 2018 and FY 2019.

Detention Risk Assessment Instrument (DRAI):

- Pre-D admissions with a DRAI increased 2.0 percentage points between FY 2017 and FY 2019 and decreased 1.2 percentage points between FY 2018 and FY 2019.

Average Length of Stay (ALOS) in Days:

- For cases involving a transfer from facility to facility, the total ALOS is reflected on the statewide pages. The specific facility's page reflects only the ALOS at that particular facility.
- ALOS for Pre-D increased 15.5% between FY 2017 and FY 2019 and increased 29.9% between FY 2018 and FY 2019.
- Post-D ALOS increased 7.0% between FY 2017 and FY 2019 and increased 48.2% between FY 2018 and FY 2019.
- ALOS for ejections increased 51.6% between FY 2017 and FY 2019 and decreased 15.3% between FY 2018 and FY 2019.

Pre-D Offense Category (Most Serious Offense) Trends FY 2017-2019

- The percentage of Crimes of Violence increased from 19.7% to 23.3%.
- The percentage of Felonies increased from 12.1% to 15.5%.
- The percentage of Misdemeanors decreased from 64.5% to 55.5%.

Average Daily Population (ADP):

- Overall, ADP decreased 4.1% between FY 2016 and FY 2018 and increased 16.2% between FY 2018 and FY 2019.
- Overall, ADP has consistently been below capacity.

ADMISSIONS BY MOST SERIOUS OFFENSE, FY 2019*

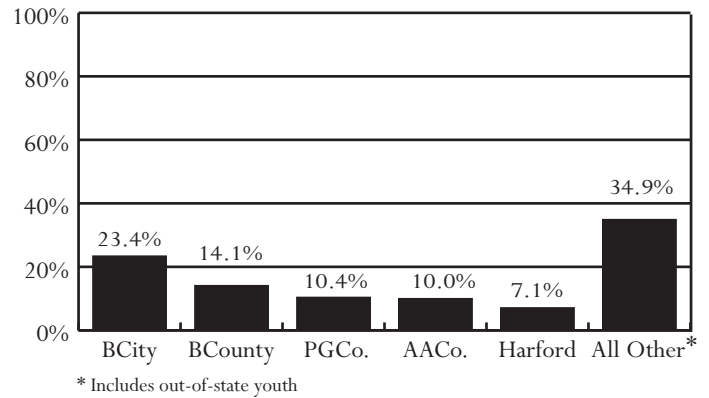
Most Serious Offense	Pre-D	Post-D	Ejection
Offense Type			
Arson	1.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Auto Theft/Unauth. Use	6.1%	7.5%	0.0%
Burglary/Break. & Enter	6.5%	1.5%	9.1%
Carjacking	4.5%	4.5%	0.0%
Cons. to Commit Offense	0.4%	3.0%	0.0%
Deadly Weapon	1.6%	1.5%	0.0%
Disturbing the Peace	3.7%	11.9%	27.3%
First Degree Assault	7.8%	4.5%	0.0%
Handgun Violation	1.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Kidnapping	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Malicious Destruction	4.5%	1.5%	0.0%
Manslaughter	0.0%	1.5%	0.0%
Motor Vehicle/Traffic	0.4%	3.0%	0.0%
Murder	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Narcotics Distribution	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Narcotics Possession	1.6%	3.0%	9.1%
Other / Missing ¹	6.9%	3.0%	0.0%
Resisting Arrest	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Robbery	6.1%	3.0%	0.0%
Second Degree Assault	31.8%	20.9%	54.5%
Sex Offense	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Theft Felony	4.1%	3.0%	0.0%
Theft Misdemeanor	5.3%	17.9%	0.0%
Trespassing	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Unspec. Misdemeanor	0.8%	9.0%	0.0%
Offense Category ²			
Crime of Violence	23.3%	14.9%	9.1%
Felony	15.5%	16.4%	0.0%
- Person-to-Person	2.0%	1.5%	0.0%
- Property	10.2%	10.4%	0.0%
- Drugs	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%
- Unspecified	0.4%	4.5%	0.0%
Misdemeanor	55.5%	68.7%	90.9%
- Person-to-Person	38.8%	37.3%	81.8%
- Property	14.7%	19.4%	0.0%
- Drugs	1.2%	3.0%	9.1%
- Unspecified	0.8%	9.0%	0.0%
Ordinance Offenses	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Citations	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%
CINS	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%
<i>Interstate Warrant</i>	<i>4.5%</i>	<i>0.0%</i>	<i>0.0%</i>
<i>Total Offenses by Placement</i>	<i>245</i>	<i>67</i>	<i>11</i>

* Offense may not be reason for placement. For Pre-D it is alleged, and for both Post-D and Ejection it is adjudicated sustained.

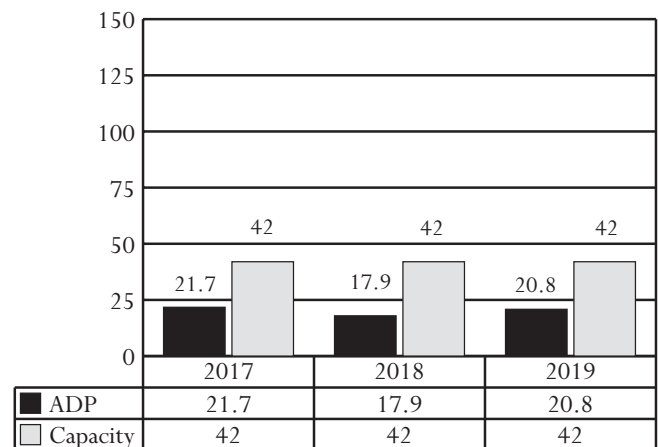
¹ Includes: Affray, Alcohol Bev. Violation, BB Gun/Pellet Gun, Child Abuse, Destructive Devices, Escape, False Alarm, False Report, Forgery, Fraud, Gambling, Judicial Process, Reckless Endangerment, Retaliating Against a Victim/Witness, Rioting, Runaway, Telephone Misuse, Threat of Mass Violence, Tobacco Violation, Truant, Ungovernable, Unspecified Felony, and Violation of Local Ordinance

² See Appendices K and R for COV and other offense classifications.

ADMISSIONS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, FY 2019



AVERAGE DAILY POPULATION VS CAPACITY, FY 2017-2019



PLACEMENTS, DRAI, RELEASES, AND ALOS, FY 2017-2019*

Year	Placement	Admissions	Admissions	Releases	ALOS
		With DRAI	No DRAI		
FY 2019	Pre-D	81.6%	18.4%	261	19.8
	Post-D	N/A	N/A	66	33.9
	Ejection	N/A	N/A	12	46.6
FY 2018	Pre-D	82.8%	17.2%	291	15.3
	Post-D	N/A	N/A	51	22.9
	Ejection	N/A	N/A	10	55.0
FY 2017	Pre-D	79.7%	20.3%	293	17.2
	Post-D	N/A	N/A	82	31.6
	Ejection	N/A	N/A	15	30.8

* Youth can be counted in both Pre-D and Post-D.

ASSIST is a live database; therefore, updates made subsequent to these data being run will not be included. Percentages may not add to 100% due to rounding. Data may not be comparable to previous Data Resource Guides due to methodology changes. VOPs are categorized by the original offense. All data represent only youth under juvenile court jurisdiction.