

Thomas J.S. Waxter Children's Center

Superintendent: Lisa Steeple

Rated Capacity: 42 Females

Region V: Southern

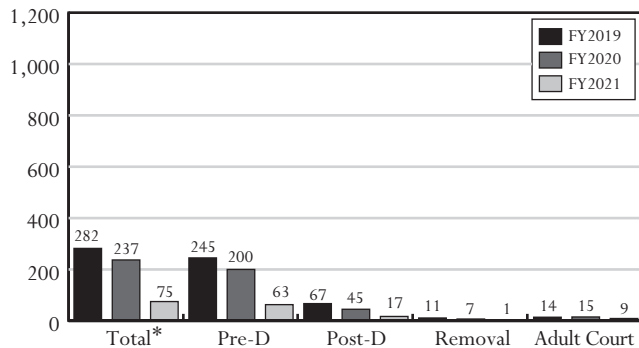
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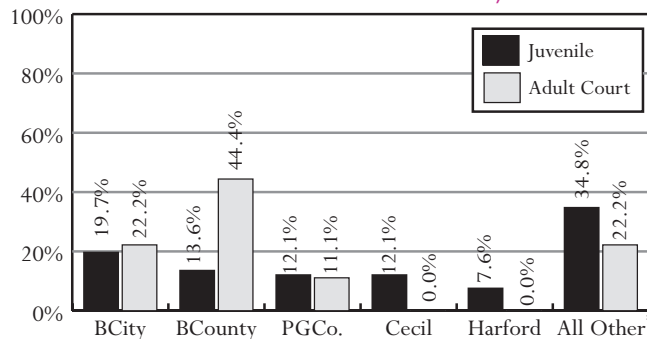
Note: The removal population represents youth returned to detention following removal from a committed treatment program, who have no new offenses requiring court processing, and who need a new committed placement. Data presented include youth charged as adults pending transfer (see pages 130-131 for more detail), except for demographic, offense, and risk level tables/charts.

ADMISSIONS, FY 2019-2021



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

ADMISSIONS BY COUNTY OF RESIDENCE, FY 2021



*Includes out-of-state youth

YOUTH ADMISSION DEMOGRAPHICS, FY 2019-2021

Youth Demographics	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	70.6%	72.6%	72.7%
White	21.2%	20.2%	18.2%
Hispanic/Other	8.2%	7.2%	9.1%
Sex			
Male	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Female	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Age			
11 and under	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%
12	1.5%	1.3%	0.0%
13	6.3%	6.7%	6.1%
14	11.2%	13.5%	18.2%
15	20.8%	22.4%	19.7%
16	21.6%	26.0%	22.7%
17	27.1%	21.1%	27.3%
18-20	11.2%	9.0%	6.1%
Total Admissions from Juv. Court	269	223	66

Source of Admissions (FY 2021):

- 98.7% of admissions were from regions within Maryland. Of those from out of state, 1 was from Kansas.

Admission Trends:

- Total admissions decreased 73.4% between FY 2019 and FY 2021 and decreased 68.4% between FY 2020 and FY 2021.
- Pre-D admissions decreased 74.3% between FY 2019 and FY 2021 and decreased 68.5% between FY 2020 and FY 2021.
- Post-D admissions decreased 74.6% between FY 2019 and FY 2021 and decreased 62.2% between FY 2020 and FY 2021.
- Removal admissions decreased 90.9% between FY 2019 and FY 2021 and decreased 85.7% between FY 2020 and FY 2021.
- Adult Court admissions decreased 35.7% between FY 2019 and FY 2021 and decreased 40.0% between FY 2020 and FY 2021.

Detention Risk Assessment Instrument (DRAI - See Appendix F) FY 2021:

- 87.3% of Pre-D admissions had a completed DRAI.

Average Length of Stay (ALOS) in Days:

- Statewide pages show overall ALOS including transfers between facilities. Facility pages show ALOS only at that particular facility.
- ALOS for Pre-D increased 89.2% between FY 2019 and FY 2021 and increased 107.5% between FY 2020 and FY 2021.
- Post-D ALOS increased 33.4% between FY 2019 and FY 2021 and increased 25.6% between FY 2020 and FY 2021.
- ALOS for Removals increased 184.6% between FY 2019 and FY 2021 and increased 167.5% between FY 2020 and FY 2021.
- ALOS for Adult Court increased 139.6% between FY 2019 and FY 2021 and increased 115.0% between FY 2020 and FY 2021.

Pre-D Offense Category (Most Serious Offense) Trends FY 2019-2021:

- The percentage of Crimes of Violence increased from 23.3% to 30.2%.
- The percentage of Felonies decreased from 15.5% to 11.1%.
- The percentage of Misdemeanors decreased from 55.9% to 41.3%.

Average Daily Population (ADP):

- Overall, ADP decreased 51.4% between FY 2019 and FY 2021 and decreased 46.5% between FY 2020 and FY 2021.
- Overall, ADP has consistently been below capacity.

YOUTH ADMISSIONS BY MOST SERIOUS OFFENSE, FY 2021*

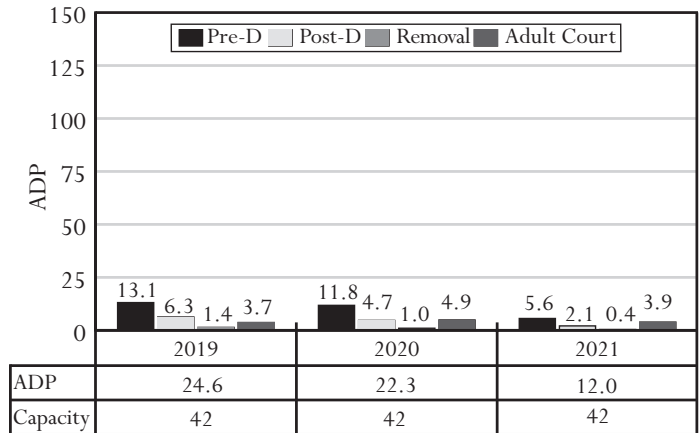
Offense	2019	2020	2021
Arson	1.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Auto Theft/Unauth. Use	4.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Burglary/Break. & Enter	3.2%	5.9%	0.0%
Carjacking	4.8%	5.9%	0.0%
Cons. to Commit Offense	0.0%	11.8%	0.0%
Deadly Weapon	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Disturbing the Peace	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
First Degree Assault	17.5%	5.9%	0.0%
Handgun Violation	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Kidnapping	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Malicious Destruction	4.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Manslaughter	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Motor Vehicle/Traffic	4.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Murder	1.6%	11.8%	0.0%
Narcotics Distribution	3.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Narcotics Possession	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other/Missing ¹	20.6%	17.6%	0.0%
Resisting Arrest	1.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Robbery	1.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Second Degree Assault	19.0%	17.6%	0.0%
Sex Offense	1.6%	5.9%	0.0%
Theft Felony	1.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Theft Misdemeanor	7.9%	17.6%	100.0%
Trespassing	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Unspec. Misdemeanor	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Crime of Violence	30.2%	35.3%	0.0%
Felony	11.1%	23.5%	0.0%
- Person-to-Person	1.6%	5.9%	0.0%
- Property	6.3%	0.0%	0.0%
- Drugs	3.2%	0.0%	0.0%
- Unspecified	0.0%	17.6%	0.0%
Misdemeanor	41.3%	41.2%	100.0%
- Person-to-Person	25.4%	23.5%	0.0%
- Property	15.9%	17.6%	100.0%
- Drugs	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
- Unspecified	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Ordinance Offenses	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Citations	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
CINS	7.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Interstate Warrant	9.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Total Offenses by Placement	63	17	1

* Offense may not be reason for placement. For Pre-D, the offense is alleged, and for both Post-D and Removal it is adjudicated sustained. Data do not include Adult Court.

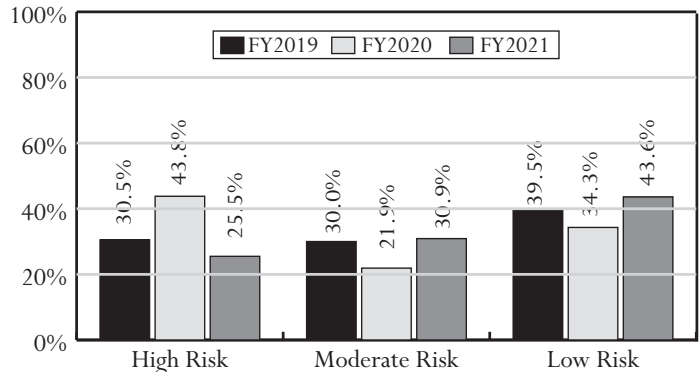
¹ Includes: Affray, Child Abuse, Cruelty to Animals, Escape, False Report, Forgery/Counterfeit, Fraud, Harassment, Reckless Endangerment, Runaway, Stalking, Telephone Misuse, Threat of Mass Violence, Truant, Ungovernable, and Unspecified Felony

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

ADP BY ADMISSION TYPE, FY 2019-2021

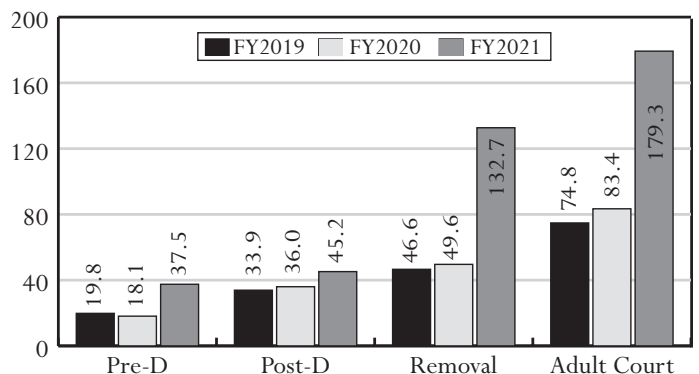


PRE-D PLACEMENTS BY RISK LEVEL FOR YOUTH WITH A COMPLETED DRAI*, FY 2019-2021



*The DRAI is completed at initial placement, and not at subsequent facility admissions/transfers. 87.3% of Pre-D placements had a completed DRAI in FY 2021.

ALOS BY ADMISSION TYPE, FY 2019-2021



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.