

Region 1

Regional Director: Jennifer Wimbrow-Jenkins
Counties of: Dorchester, Somerset, Wicomico, and Worcester
1st Judicial Circuit

COMPLAINT SOURCE, FY 2021-2023

Complaint Source	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Adult Court Transfers	1.3%	1.2%	1.0%
Citizen	1.0%	1.9%	1.6%
Police*	94.2%	94.6%	95.8%
Violation of Probation**	3.4%	2.3%	1.6%
Total Complaints	1,077	1,413	1,270

* Includes referrals from School Resource Officers

** Includes only technical violations

CASE FORWARDING DECISIONS AND COURT ACTION FOR FORMALIZED CASES[†], FY 2021-2023

Case Forwarding Decision	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Resolved	65.2%	74.3%	68.4%
Informaled	7.1%	4.7%	9.9%
Authorized Formal Petition	27.7%	21.0%	21.7%
Total Complaints	1,077	1,413	1,270
Court Action for Formalized Cases			
CRIA ¹	0.0%	0.7%	0.7%
Petition Withdrawn, Denied by SAO, Non Est	11.7%	16.2%	9.5%
Stet	10.1%	11.4%	18.2%
Jurisdiction Waived to Adult Ct	1.3%	0.7%	1.8%
Dismissed, Closed, Nolle Pros	27.2%	27.9%	14.5%
Pending Disposition*	6.0%	4.4%	21.8%
Services Not Ordered	4.7%	2.4%	1.8%
Probation	22.5%	20.9%	21.5%
Committed to DJS	14.1%	15.2%	8.0%
Committed to Other Agency	1.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Other**	1.0%	0.3%	2.2%
Total Formal Complaints	298	297	275

[†] Reflects the ultimate disposition at court. ¹ Court Remand for Informal Action

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AVERAGE CASELOAD*, FY 2021-2023

	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Community	142.6	101.3	88.4
Pre-Court	20.4	18.8	34.1
Probation	100.1	66.3	37.5
Aftercare	22.1	16.2	16.8
Committed-Aftercare	11.2	19.3	17.6

* Average daily active cases

U.S. Census and Maryland Department of Planning Estimation Data:

- Between July 2018 and July 2022, the Region 1 population (ages 11-17) decreased 0.1% (from 18,875 to 18,860).

Intake Case Forwarding Decisions (FY 2023):

- 21.7% of complaints were formalized, while 9.9% were informaled.

Intake Trends (FY 2021-2023):

- Total complaints increased 17.9%.
- The percentage of total complaints authorized for formal petition decreased from 27.7% to 21.7%.
- Note: Many 2023 cases are still pending court action, so a disposition trend is not presented.

Detention Risk Assessment Instrument (FY 2023):

- For Pre-Dispositional Detention admissions with a completed DRAI, 21.4% were High risk, 50.0% were Moderate risk, and 28.6% were Low risk.

Time Frames - Averages (FY 2023):

- Time from offense to intake referral date was 29.5 days.
- Time from intake referral date to case forwarding decision was 21.1 days.
- Time from case forwarding decision to sustained adjudication was 100.5 days.

Offense Category for Intake Cases (FY 2022-2023):

- The percentage of Crimes of Violence increased from 5.0% to 6.2%.
- The percentage of Felonies decreased from 7.2% to 6.8%.
- The percentage of Misdemeanors decreased from 73.8% to 71.3%.

Commitments for VOP (FY 2021-2023):

- The percentage of commitments resulting from VOP decreased from 47.6% (20) to 22.7% (5).

INTAKE COMPLAINT DECISION DEMOGRAPHICS, FY 2021-2023

Demographics	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	56.8%	65.5%	66.5%
White	37.6%	28.7%	26.5%
Hispanic/Other	5.6%	5.8%	6.9%
Sex			
Male	70.0%	62.7%	62.6%
Female	30.0%	37.3%	37.4%
Age			
11 and under	2.9%	4.7%	0.8%
12	4.9%	8.6%	1.7%
13	7.0%	11.1%	13.1%
14	14.5%	16.2%	16.1%
15	13.6%	21.3%	19.5%
16	20.9%	19.1%	22.4%
17	33.1%	17.3%	24.3%
18-20	3.1%	1.8%	2.0%
Total Complaints	1,077	1,413	1,270

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OFFENSE TYPE, FY 2023

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	56.9%	62.7%	64.0%
Assault (Felony)	1.3%	0.0%	4.0%
Assault (Misdemeanor)	19.8%	32.8%	12.0%
Carjacking	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Child Abuse	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Deadly Weapon	0.9%	4.5%	0.0%
Handgun Violation	1.3%	6.0%	16.0%
Harassment	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Kidnapping	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Manslaughter	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Murder	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other Person ⁺	30.0%	7.5%	0.0%
Robbery	1.0%	4.5%	12.0%
Sex Offense (Felony)	1.3%	3.0%	20.0%
Sex Offense (Misd.)	0.7%	4.5%	0.0%
Property Offenses	21.7%	16.4%	12.0%
Arson	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Auto Theft/Unauth Use	1.5%	0.0%	4.0%
Burglary/Break (Felony)	1.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Burglary/Break (Misd.)	2.3%	4.5%	0.0%
Malicious Destruction	4.4%	6.0%	0.0%
Other Property ⁺	3.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Theft (Felony)	1.3%	1.5%	4.0%
Theft (Misdemeanor)	7.3%	4.5%	4.0%
Drug-Related Offenses	1.6%	1.5%	8.0%
Narcotics (CDS-Felony)	0.7%	0.0%	8.0%
Narcotics (CDS-Misd.)	1.0%	1.5%	0.0%
Citations	6.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Alcohol Violation	2.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Possession of Marj. <10g	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Traffic Viol. Non-Incarc.	1.3%	0.0%	0.0%
CINS Offenses**	2.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Ordinance Offenses	1.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Uncategorized Offenses	8.1%	19.4%	16.0%
Cons. to Commit Offense	0.8%	6.0%	4.0%
Motor Vehicle/Traffic	2.8%	9.0%	0.0%
Interstate Warrant/Hold	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Unspecified Felony	0.3%	0.0%	4.0%
Unspecified Misdemeanor	4.2%	4.5%	8.0%
Total Offenses	2,550	67	25

¹ Alleged offenses

² Adjudicated offenses from FY 2023 complaints. Many are still pending court action.

⁺ The most common offenses for Other Person and Other Property are listed in Appendix L.

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OFFENSE CATEGORY, FY 2023

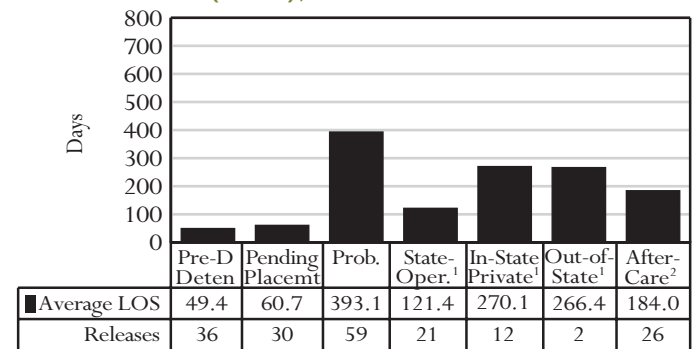
Offense Category* of the Most Serious Offense (VOPs categorized by original offense)	Intake Cases ¹	Probation Dispositions ²	Commitment Dispositions ²
Crime of Violence	6.2%	5.1%	27.3%
Felony	6.8%	10.2%	27.3%
- Person-to-Person	1.5%	3.4%	4.5%
- Property	4.2%	1.7%	9.1%
- Drugs	1.1%	0.0%	9.1%
- Unspecified	0.0%	5.1%	4.5%
Misdemeanor	71.3%	84.7%	45.5%
- Person-to-Person	50.4%	66.1%	27.3%
- Property	17.9%	11.9%	4.5%
- Drugs	1.2%	1.7%	0.0%
- Unspecified	1.8%	5.1%	13.6%
Ordinance Offenses	2.7%	0.0%	0.0%
Citations	8.6%	0.0%	0.0%
CINS	4.5%	N/A	N/A
Interstate Warrant/Hold	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<i>Total Complaints/Dispositions</i>	<i>1,270</i>	<i>59</i>	<i>22</i>
<i>% of Statewide</i>	<i>10.3%</i>	<i>4.9%</i>	<i>6.0%</i>

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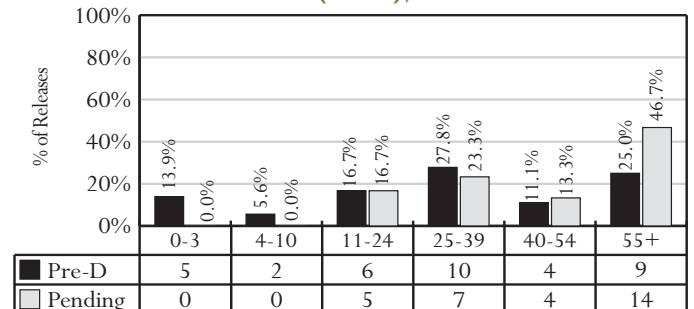
AVERAGE LOS (DAYS), FY 2023 RELEASES



¹ Average LOS for releases from a treatment program

² Average LOS on aftercare following release from a treatment program

YOUTH DETENTION LOS (DAYS), FY 2023 RELEASES*



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Dorchester County

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COMPLAINT SOURCE, FY 2021-2023

Complaint Source	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Adult Court Transfers	2.0%	1.2%	1.0%
Citizen	1.5%	1.2%	2.1%
Police*	93.2%	95.8%	95.3%
Violation of Probation**	3.4%	1.8%	1.6%
Total Complaints	205	337	192

* Includes referrals from School Resource Officers
** Includes only technical violations

CASE FORWARDING DECISIONS AND COURT ACTION FOR FORMAL CASES[†], FY 2021-2023

Case Forwarding Decision	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Resolved	49.3%	66.5%	62.5%
Informaled	13.7%	3.6%	13.0%
Authorized Formal Petition	37.1%	30.0%	24.5%
Total Complaints	205	337	192
Court Action for Formal Cases			
CRIA ¹	0.0%	2.0%	0.0%
Petition Withdrawn, Denied by SAO, Non Est	9.2%	21.8%	4.3%
Stet	2.6%	6.9%	10.6%
Jurisdiction Waived to Adult Ct	5.3%	2.0%	4.3%
Dismissed, Closed, Nolle Pros	28.9%	25.7%	8.5%
Pending Disposition*	5.3%	5.0%	44.7%
Services Not Ordered	1.3%	2.0%	0.0%
Probation	25.0%	15.8%	23.4%
Committed to DJS	17.1%	17.8%	4.3%
Committed to Other Agency	2.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Other**	2.6%	1.0%	0.0%
Total Formal Complaints	76	101	47

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AVERAGE CASELOAD*, FY 2021-2023

	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Community	27.2	20.0	17.8
Pre-Court	6.6	3.9	6.7
Probation	14.8	14.4	6.7
Aftercare	5.9	1.7	4.4
Committed-Aftercare	2.3	6.3	4.4

* Average daily active cases

U.S. Census and Maryland Department of Planning Estimation Data:

- Between July 2018 and July 2022, the Dorchester County population (ages 11-17) increased 1.7% (from 2,612 to 2,656).

Intake Case Forwarding Decisions (FY 2023):

- 24.5% of complaints were formalized, while 13.0% were informaled.

Intake Trends (FY 2021-2023):

- Total complaints decreased 6.3%.
- The percentage of total complaints authorized for formal petition decreased from 37.1% to 24.5%.
- Note: Many 2023 cases are still pending court action, so a disposition trend is not presented.

Detention Risk Assessment Instrument (FY 2023):

- For Pre-Dispositional Detention admissions with a completed DRAI, 16.7% were High risk, 50.0% were Moderate risk, and 33.3% were Low risk.

Time Frames - Averages (FY 2023):

- Time from offense to intake referral date was 15.4 days.
- Time from intake referral date to case forwarding decision was 25.3 days.
- Time from case forwarding decision to sustained adjudication was 153.7 days.

Offense Category for Intake Cases (FY 2022-2023):

- The percentage of Crimes of Violence increased from 4.5% to 7.3%.
- The percentage of Felonies decreased from 14.2% to 11.5%.
- The percentage of Misdemeanors decreased from 72.1% to 70.8%.

Commitments for VOP (FY 2021-2023):

- The percentage of commitments resulting from VOP increased from 53.8% (7) to 100.0% (2).

INTAKE COMPLAINT DECISION DEMOGRAPHICS, FY 2021-2023

Demographics	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	81.5%	80.1%	75.5%
White	16.6%	14.8%	20.8%
Hispanic/Other	2.0%	5.0%	3.6%
Sex			
Male	70.7%	64.1%	63.0%
Female	29.3%	35.9%	37.0%
Age			
11 and under	5.9%	11.0%	1.0%
12	11.2%	15.1%	1.6%
13	10.7%	13.4%	21.9%
14	15.1%	16.6%	18.2%
15	16.6%	21.7%	18.8%
16	19.5%	12.8%	13.5%
17	18.0%	8.3%	25.0%
18-20	2.9%	1.2%	0.0%
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OFFENSE TYPE, FY 2023

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	43.1%	63.6%	0.0%
Assault (Felony)	2.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Assault (Misdemeanor)	18.8%	45.5%	0.0%
Carjacking	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Child Abuse	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Deadly Weapon	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Handgun Violation	1.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Harassment	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Kidnapping	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Manslaughter	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Murder	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other Person ⁺	15.7%	0.0%	0.0%
Robbery	2.0%	18.2%	0.0%
Sex Offense (Felony)	1.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Sex Offense (Misd.)	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Property Offenses	30.8%	0.0%	50.0%
Arson	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Auto Theft/Unauth Use	5.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Burglary/Break (Felony)	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Burglary/Break (Misd.)	2.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Malicious Destruction	7.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Other Property ⁺	2.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Theft (Felony)	2.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Theft (Misdemeanor)	9.2%	0.0%	50.0%
Drug-Related Offenses	2.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Narcotics (CDS-Felony)	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Narcotics (CDS-Misd.)	2.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Citations	6.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Alcohol Violation	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Possession of Marj. <10g	3.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Traffic Viol. Non-Incarc.	2.0%	0.0%	0.0%
CINS Offenses**	5.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Ordinance Offenses	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Uncategorized Offenses	11.5%	36.4%	50.0%
Cons. to Commit Offense	2.5%	27.3%	50.0%
Motor Vehicle/Traffic	2.2%	9.1%	0.0%
Interstate Warrant/Hold	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Unspecified Felony	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Unspecified Misdemeanor	6.7%	0.0%	0.0%
Total Offenses	357	11	2

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OFFENSE CATEGORY, FY 2023

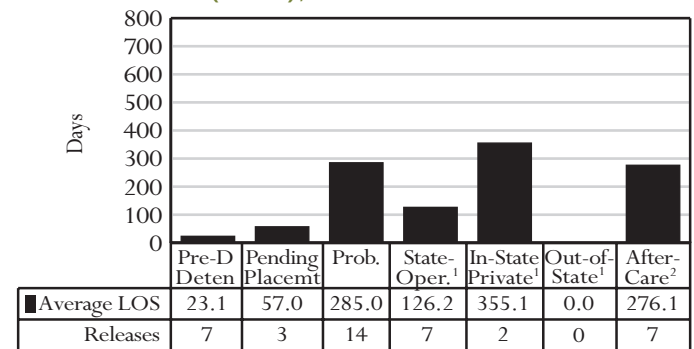
Offense Category* of the Most Serious Offense (VOPs categorized by original offense)	Intake Cases ¹	Probation Dispositions ²	Commitment Dispositions ²
Crime of Violence	7.3%	18.2%	0.0%
Felony	11.5%	18.2%	0.0%
- Person-to-Person	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%
- Property	10.4%	0.0%	0.0%
- Drugs	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%
- Unspecified	0.0%	18.2%	0.0%
Misdemeanor	70.8%	63.6%	100.0%
- Person-to-Person	41.7%	54.5%	0.0%
- Property	22.4%	0.0%	50.0%
- Drugs	4.2%	0.0%	0.0%
- Unspecified	2.6%	9.1%	50.0%
Ordinance Offenses	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Citations	6.2%	0.0%	0.0%
CINS	4.2%	N/A	N/A
Interstate Warrant/Hold	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<i>Total Complaints/Dispositions</i>	<i>192</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>2</i>
<i>% of Statewide</i>	<i>1.5%</i>	<i>0.9%</i>	<i>0.5%</i>

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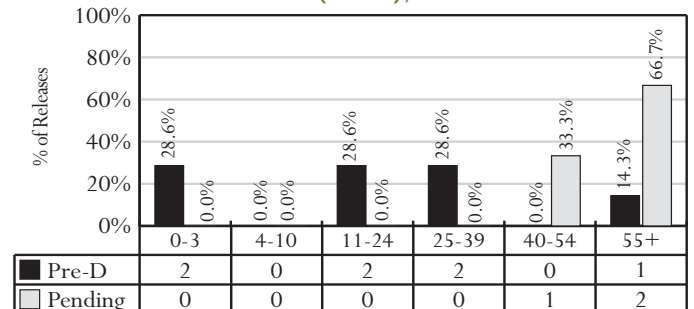
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YOUTH DETENTION LOS (DAYS), FY 2023 RELEASES*



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Somerset County

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COMPLAINT SOURCE, FY 2021-2023

Complaint Source	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Adult Court Transfers	2.5%	1.8%	0.7%
Citizen	3.4%	7.0%	6.5%
Police*	89.0%	90.1%	92.8%
Violation of Probation**	5.1%	1.2%	0.0%
Total Complaints	118	171	138

* Includes referrals from School Resource Officers

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CASE FORWARDING DECISIONS AND COURT ACTION FOR FORMALIZED CASES[†], FY 2021-2023

Case Forwarding Decision	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Resolved	58.5%	80.1%	71.7%
Informaled	5.1%	1.8%	11.6%
Authorized Formal Petition	36.4%	18.1%	16.7%
Total Complaints	118	171	138

Court Action for Formalized Cases

CRIA ¹	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Petition Withdrawn, Denied by SAO, Non Est	34.9%	45.2%	39.1%
Stet	7.0%	0.0%	8.7%
Jurisdiction Waived to Adult Ct	0.0%	0.0%	4.3%
Dismissed, Closed, Nolle Pros	14.0%	19.4%	17.4%
Pending Disposition*	0.0%	3.2%	13.0%
Services Not Ordered	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Probation	25.6%	16.1%	4.3%
Committed to DJS	18.6%	16.1%	4.3%
Committed to Other Agency	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other**	0.0%	0.0%	8.7%
Total Formal Complaints	43	31	23

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AVERAGE CASELOAD*, FY 2021-2023

	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Community	14.2	10.4	8.4
Pre-Court	2.2	1.6	3.7
Probation	9.6	7.0	2.6
Aftercare	2.4	1.8	2.1
Committed-Aftercare	1.9	3.3	4.0

* Average daily active cases

U.S. Census and Maryland Department of Planning Estimation Data:

- Between July 2018 and July 2022, the Somerset County population (ages 11-17) decreased 2.8% (from 2,108 to 2,048).

Intake Case Forwarding Decisions (FY 2023):

- 16.7% of complaints were formalized, while 11.6% were informaled.

Intake Trends (FY 2021-2023):

- Total complaints increased 16.9%.
- The percentage of total complaints authorized for formal petition decreased from 36.4% to 16.7%.
- Note: Many 2023 cases are still pending court action, so a disposition trend is not presented.

Detention Risk Assessment Instrument (FY 2023):

- For Pre-Dispositional Detention admissions with a completed DRAI, 100.0% were Low risk.

Time Frames - Averages (FY 2023):

- Time from offense to intake referral date was 37.4 days.
- Time from intake referral date to case forwarding decision was 22.3 days.
- Time from case forwarding decision to sustained adjudication was 51.3 days.

Offense Category for Intake Cases (FY 2022-2023):

- The percentage of Crimes of Violence decreased from 8.8% to 8.0%.
- The percentage of Felonies decreased from 5.3% to 3.6%.
- The percentage of Misdemeanors decreased from 78.4% to 63.8%.

Commitments for VOP (FY 2021-2023):

- The percentage of commitments resulting from VOP decreased from 75.0% (6) to 0.0% (0).

INTAKE COMPLAINT DECISION DEMOGRAPHICS, FY 2021-2023

Demographics	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	63.6%	73.7%	77.5%
White	33.1%	20.5%	17.4%
Hispanic/Other	3.4%	5.8%	5.1%
Sex			
Male	75.4%	66.7%	60.1%
Female	24.6%	33.3%	39.9%
Age			
11 and under	4.2%	8.2%	2.9%
12	7.6%	9.9%	11.6%
13	2.5%	12.3%	21.0%
14	17.8%	16.4%	23.2%
15	19.5%	18.1%	12.3%
16	13.6%	15.8%	18.1%
17	31.4%	17.0%	8.7%
18-20	3.4%	2.3%	2.2%
Total Complaints	118	171	138

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OFFENSE TYPE, FY 2023

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	48.3%	100.0%	100.0%
Assault (Felony)	2.4%	0.0%	100.0%
Assault (Misdemeanor)	28.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Carjacking	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Child Abuse	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Deadly Weapon	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Handgun Violation	0.9%	100.0%	0.0%
Harassment	1.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Kidnapping	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Manslaughter	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Murder	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other Person ⁺	10.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Robbery	2.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Sex Offense (Felony)	1.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Sex Offense (Misd.)	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Property Offenses	24.6%	0.0%	0.0%
Arson	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Auto Theft/Unauth Use	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Burglary/Break (Felony)	1.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Burglary/Break (Misd.)	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Malicious Destruction	6.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Other Property ⁺	4.7%	0.0%	0.0%
Theft (Felony)	1.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Theft (Misdemeanor)	8.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Drug-Related Offenses	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Narcotics (CDS-Felony)	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Narcotics (CDS-Misd.)	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Citations	3.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Alcohol Violation	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Possession of Marj. <10g	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Traffic Viol. Non-Incarc.	2.4%	0.0%	0.0%
CINS Offenses**	15.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Ordinance Offenses	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Uncategorized Offenses	8.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Cons. to Commit Offense	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Motor Vehicle/Traffic	2.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Interstate Warrant/Hold	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Unspecified Felony	1.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Unspecified Misdemeanor	3.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Total Offenses	211	1	1

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OFFENSE CATEGORY, FY 2023

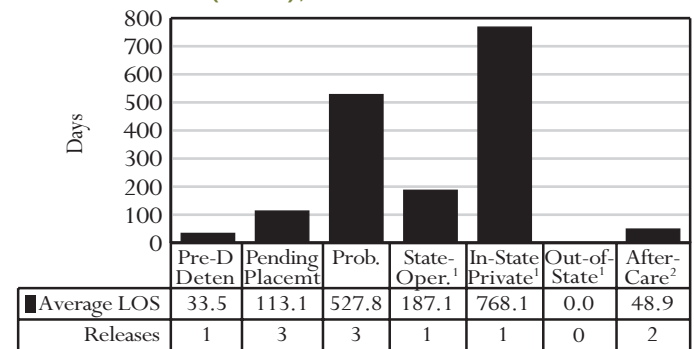
Offense Category* of the Most Serious Offense (VOPs categorized by original offense)	Intake Cases ¹	Probation Dispositions ²	Commitment Dispositions ²
Crime of Violence	8.0%	0.0%	100.0%
Felony	3.6%	0.0%	0.0%
- Person-to-Person	2.2%	0.0%	0.0%
- Property	1.4%	0.0%	0.0%
- Drugs	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
- Unspecified	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Misdemeanor	63.8%	100.0%	0.0%
- Person-to-Person	48.6%	100.0%	0.0%
- Property	14.5%	0.0%	0.0%
- Drugs	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%
- Unspecified	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Ordinance Offenses	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Citations	2.2%	0.0%	0.0%
CINS	22.5%	N/A	N/A
Interstate Warrant/Hold	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<i>Total Complaints/Dispositions</i>	<i>138</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>% of Statewide</i>	<i>1.1%</i>	<i>0.1%</i>	<i>0.3%</i>

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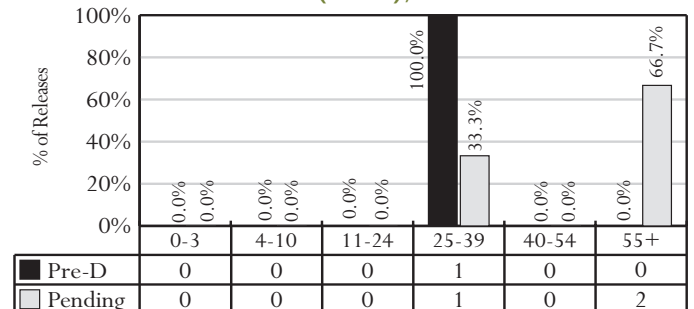
AVERAGE LOS (DAYS), FY 2023 RELEASES



¹ Average LOS for releases from a treatment program

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YOUTH DETENTION LOS (DAYS), FY 2023 RELEASES*



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Wicomico County

201 Baptist St., Room 1134, Suite 21, Salisbury, MD 21801 (ph) 410-713-3800

COMPLAINT SOURCE, FY 2021-2023

Complaint Source	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Adult Court Transfers	2.3%	0.9%	1.4%
Citizen	0.0%	0.4%	0.2%
Police*	91.3%	95.9%	96.4%
Violation of Probation**	6.4%	2.8%	2.1%
Total Complaints	311	540	579

* Includes referrals from School Resource Officers

** Includes only technical violations

CASE FORWARDING DECISIONS AND COURT ACTION FOR FORMALIZED CASES[†], FY 2021-2023

Case Forwarding Decision	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Resolved	63.3%	79.8%	66.7%
Informaled	2.6%	3.0%	10.0%
Authorized Formal Petition	34.1%	17.2%	23.3%
Total Complaints	311	540	579
Court Action for Formalized Cases			
CRIA ¹	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Petition Withdrawn, Denied by SAO, Non Est	8.5%	8.6%	5.9%
Stet	13.2%	22.6%	25.2%
Jurisdiction Waived to Adult Ct	0.0%	0.0%	0.7%
Dismissed, Closed, Nolle Pros	29.2%	26.9%	10.4%
Pending Disposition*	3.8%	3.2%	19.3%
Services Not Ordered	2.8%	0.0%	3.0%
Probation	22.6%	21.5%	23.0%
Committed to DJS	17.0%	17.2%	11.1%
Committed to Other Agency	1.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Other**	0.9%	0.0%	1.5%
Total Formal Complaints	106	93	135

[†] Reflects the ultimate disposition at court. ¹ Court Remand for Informal Action

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AVERAGE CASELOAD*, FY 2021-2023

	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Community	67.2	45.9	41.5
Pre-Court	3.4	2.6	15.5
Probation	54.2	34.7	18.9
Aftercare	9.6	8.6	7.1
Committed-Aftercare	4.9	6.6	7.3

* Average daily active cases

U.S. Census and Maryland Department of Planning Estimation Data:

- Between July 2018 and July 2022, the Wicomico County population (ages 11-17) decreased 2.5% (from 10,550 to 10,291).

Intake Case Forwarding Decisions (FY 2023):

- 23.3% of complaints were formalized, while 10.0% were informaled.

Intake Trends (FY 2021-2023):

- Total complaints increased 86.2%.
- The percentage of total complaints authorized for formal petition decreased from 34.1% to 23.3%.
- Note: Many 2023 cases are still pending court action, so a disposition trend is not presented.

Detention Risk Assessment Instrument (FY 2023):

- For Pre-Dispositional Detention admissions with a completed DRAI, 27.8% were High risk, 44.4% were Moderate risk, and 27.8% were Low risk.

Time Frames - Averages (FY 2023):

- Time from offense to intake referral date was 34.6 days.
- Time from intake referral date to case forwarding decision was 18.9 days.
- Time from case forwarding decision to sustained adjudication was 77.8 days.

Offense Category for Intake Cases (FY 2022-2023):

- The percentage of Crimes of Violence increased from 5.9% to 7.8%.
- The percentage of Felonies increased from 5.7% to 6.0%.
- The percentage of Misdemeanors decreased from 82.6% to 80.1%.

Commitments for VOP (FY 2021-2023):

- The percentage of commitments resulting from VOP decreased from 27.8% (5) to 20.0% (3).

INTAKE COMPLAINT DECISION DEMOGRAPHICS, FY 2021-2023

Demographics	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	68.2%	74.1%	75.6%
White	26.7%	18.1%	15.9%
Hispanic/Other	5.1%	7.8%	8.5%
Sex			
Male	64.0%	59.3%	55.8%
Female	36.0%	40.7%	44.2%
Age			
11 and under	3.5%	2.0%	0.2%
12	4.8%	8.0%	0.3%
13	12.5%	12.0%	14.7%
14	25.4%	20.4%	18.7%
15	14.1%	25.7%	23.5%
16	15.4%	20.6%	24.2%
17	21.2%	10.0%	16.6%
18-20	2.9%	1.3%	1.9%
Total Complaints	311	540	579

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OFFENSE TYPE, FY 2023

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	69.5%	52.9%	66.7%
Assault (Felony)	1.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Assault (Misdemeanor)	22.7%	35.3%	16.7%
Carjacking	0.1%	0.0%	0.0%
Child Abuse	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Deadly Weapon	1.0%	2.9%	0.0%
Handgun Violation	1.4%	0.0%	22.2%
Harassment	0.4%	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 ⁺	40.2%	11.8%	0.0%
Robbery	0.6%	0.0%	5.6%
Sex Offense (Felony)	1.4%	2.9%	22.2%
Sex Offense (Misd.)	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Property Offenses	18.1%	20.6%	5.6%
Arson	0.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Auto Theft/Unauth Use	0.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Burglary/Break (Felony)	1.7%	0.0%	0.0%
Burglary/Break (Misd.)	2.3%	5.9%	0.0%
Malicious Destruction	3.4%	8.8%	0.0%
Other Property ⁺	2.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Theft (Felony)	0.8%	2.9%	5.6%
Theft (Misdemeanor)	6.0%	2.9%	0.0%
Drug-Related Offenses	1.4%	2.9%	11.1%
Narcotics (CDS-Felony)	0.8%	0.0%	11.1%
Narcotics (CDS-Misd.)	0.6%	2.9%	0.0%
Citations	3.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Alcohol Violation	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Possession of Marj. <10g	1.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Traffic Viol. Non-Incarc.	0.6%	0.0%	0.0%
CINS Offenses**	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%
Ordinance Offenses	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Uncategorized Offenses	7.1%	23.5%	16.7%
Cons. to Commit Offense	0.6%	2.9%	0.0%
Motor Vehicle/Traffic	2.2%	11.8%	0.0%
Interstate Warrant/Hold	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Unspecified Felony	0.4%	0.0%	5.6%
Unspecified Misdemeanor	3.8%	8.8%	11.1%
Total Offenses	1,385	34	18

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OFFENSE CATEGORY, FY 2023

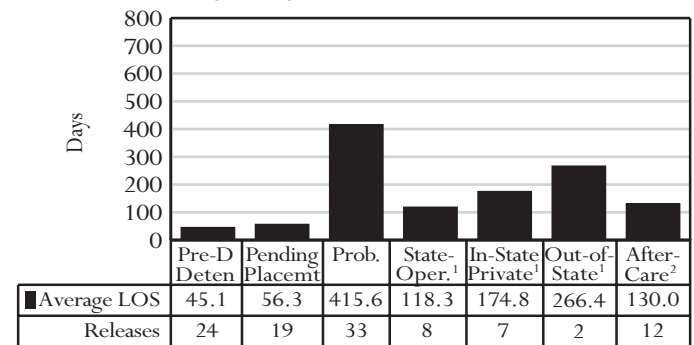
Offense Category* of the Most Serious Offense (VOPs categorized by original offense)	Intake Cases ¹	Probation Dispositions ²	Commitment Dispositions ²
Crime of Violence	7.8%	0.0%	20.0%
Felony	6.0%	9.7%	26.7%
- Person-to-Person	1.7%	3.2%	0.0%
- Property	2.9%	3.2%	6.7%
- Drugs	1.4%	0.0%	13.3%
- Unspecified	0.0%	3.2%	6.7%
Misdemeanor	80.1%	90.3%	53.3%
- Person-to-Person	62.5%	64.5%	40.0%
- Property	15.4%	16.1%	0.0%
- Drugs	0.3%	3.2%	0.0%
- Unspecified	1.9%	6.5%	13.3%
Ordinance Offenses	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Citations	4.8%	0.0%	0.0%
CINS	1.2%	N/A	N/A
Interstate Warrant/Hold	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<i>Total Complaints/Dispositions</i>	<i>579</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>15</i>
<i>% of Statewide</i>	<i>4.7%</i>	<i>2.6%</i>	<i>4.1%</i>

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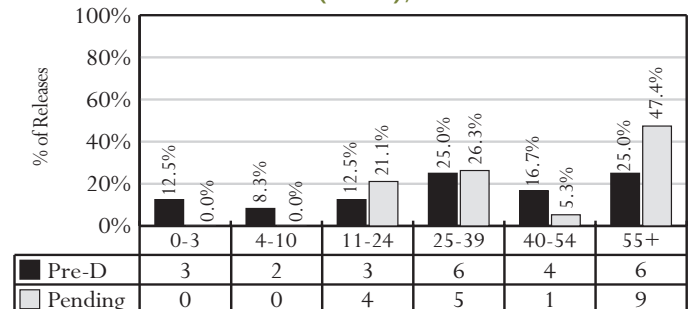
AVERAGE LOS (DAYS), FY 2023 RELEASES



¹ Average LOS for releases from a treatment program

² Average LOS on aftercare following release from a treatment program

YOUTH DETENTION LOS (DAYS), FY 2023 RELEASES*



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Worcester County

203 River St., Snow Hill, MD 21863 (ph) 410-632-0206

COMPLAINT SOURCE, FY 2021-2023

Complaint Source	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Adult Court Transfers	0.0%	1.4%	0.6%
Citizen	0.9%	2.5%	1.7%
Police*	98.2%	93.7%	96.4%
Violation of Probation**	0.9%	2.5%	1.4%
Total Complaints	443	365	361

* Includes referrals from School Resource Officers

** Includes only technical violations

CASE FORWARDING DECISIONS AND COURT ACTION FOR FORMALIZED CASES[†], FY 2021-2023

Case Forwarding Decision	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Resolved	75.6%	70.7%	73.1%
Informed	7.9%	9.6%	7.5%
Authorized Formal Petition	16.5%	19.7%	19.4%
Total Complaints	443	365	361
Court Action for Formalized Cases			
CRIA ¹	0.0%	0.0%	2.9%
Petition Withdrawn, Denied by SAO, Non Est	5.5%	5.6%	10.0%
Stet	15.1%	8.3%	12.9%
Jurisdiction Waived to Adult Ct	0.0%	0.0%	1.4%
Dismissed, Closed, Nolle Pros	30.1%	36.1%	25.7%
Pending Disposition*	13.7%	5.6%	14.3%
Services Not Ordered	13.7%	6.9%	1.4%
Probation	17.8%	29.2%	22.9%
Committed to DJS	4.1%	8.3%	5.7%
Committed to Other Agency	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other**	0.0%	0.0%	2.9%
Total Formal Complaints	73	72	70

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AVERAGE CASELOAD*, FY 2021-2023

	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Community	34	25.1	20.8
Pre-Court	8.2	10.7	8.3
Probation	21.6	10.2	9.3
Aftercare	4.2	4.1	3.2
Committed-Aftercare	2.1	3.1	1.9

* Average daily active cases

• U.S. Census and Maryland Department of Planning Estimation Data:

- Between July 2018 and July 2022, the Worcester County population (ages 11-17) increased 7.2% (from 3,605 to 3,865).

• Intake Case Forwarding Decisions (FY 2023):

- 19.4% of complaints were formalized, while 7.5% were informalized.

• Intake Trends (FY 2021-2023):

- Total complaints decreased 18.5%.
- The percentage of total complaints authorized for formal petition increased from 16.5% to 19.4%.
- Note: Many 2023 cases are still pending court action, so a disposition trend is not presented.

• Detention Risk Assessment Instrument (FY 2023):

- For Pre-Dispositional Detention admissions with a completed DRAI, 100.0% were Moderate risk.

• Time Frames - Averages (FY 2023):

- Time from offense to intake referral date was 25.9 days.
- Time from intake referral date to case forwarding decision was 22.1 days.
- Time from case forwarding decision to sustained adjudication was 118.1 days.

• Offense Category for Intake Cases (FY 2022-2023):

- The percentage of Crimes of Violence increased from 2.2% to 2.5%.
- The percentage of Felonies increased from 3.8% to 6.6%.
- The percentage of Misdemeanors decreased from 60.3% to 60.1%.

• Commitments for VOP (FY 2021-2023):

- The percentage of commitments resulting from VOP decreased from 66.7% (2) to 0.0% (0).

INTAKE COMPLAINT DECISION DEMOGRAPHICS, FY 2021-2023

Demographics	FY2021	FY2022	FY2023
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	35.7%	35.6%	42.9%
White	56.2%	60.8%	50.1%
Hispanic/Other	8.1%	3.6%	6.9%
Sex			
Male	72.5%	64.7%	74.2%
Female	27.5%	35.3%	25.8%
Age			
11 and under	0.7%	1.1%	0.8%
12	1.4%	2.7%	0.0%
13	2.5%	7.1%	3.0%
14	5.6%	9.6%	8.3%
15	10.4%	15.9%	16.3%
16	27.3%	24.4%	26.0%
17	49.0%	36.4%	42.1%
18-20	3.2%	2.7%	3.3%
Total Complaints	443	365	361

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OFFENSE TYPE, FY 2023

Offense Type <small>Includes all offenses in complaint(s) (VOPs categorized by original offense)</small>	Intake Charges ¹	Probation Dispositions ²	Commitment Dispositions ²
Person-to-Person	38.9%	76.2%	75.0%
Assault (Felony)	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Assault (Misdemeanor)	10.6%	23.8%	0.0%
Carjacking	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Child Abuse	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Deadly Weapon	1.0%	9.5%	0.0%
Handgun Violation	1.0%	14.3%	0.0%
Harassment	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Kidnapping	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Manslaughter	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Murder	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Other Person ⁺	21.8%	4.8%	0.0%
Robbery	0.8%	4.8%	50.0%
Sex Offense (Felony)	1.2%	4.8%	25.0%
Sex Offense (Misd.)	1.3%	14.3%	0.0%
Property Offenses	23.6%	19.0%	25.0%
Arson	0.7%	0.0%	0.0%
Auto Theft/Unauth Use	0.7%	0.0%	25.0%
Burglary/Break (Felony)	0.5%	0.0%	0.0%
Burglary/Break (Misd.)	2.5%	4.8%	0.0%
Malicious Destruction	4.4%	4.8%	0.0%
Other Property ⁺	4.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Theft (Felony)	1.7%	0.0%	0.0%
Theft (Misdemeanor)	8.9%	9.5%	0.0%
Drug-Related Offenses	2.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Narcotics (CDS-Felony)	0.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Narcotics (CDS-Misd.)	1.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Citations	16.8%	0.0%	0.0%
Alcohol Violation	9.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Possession of Marj. <10g	5.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Traffic Viol. Non-Incarc.	2.3%	0.0%	0.0%
CINS Offenses**	2.2%	0.0%	0.0%
Ordinance Offenses	8.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Uncategorized Offenses	8.5%	4.8%	0.0%
Cons. to Commit Offense	0.3%	0.0%	0.0%
Motor Vehicle/Traffic	4.5%	4.8%	0.0%
Interstate Warrant/Hold	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Unspecified Felony	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Unspecified Misdemeanor	3.7%	0.0%	0.0%
Total Offenses	597	21	4

¹ Alleged offenses

² Adjudicated offenses from FY 2023 complaints. Many are still pending court action.

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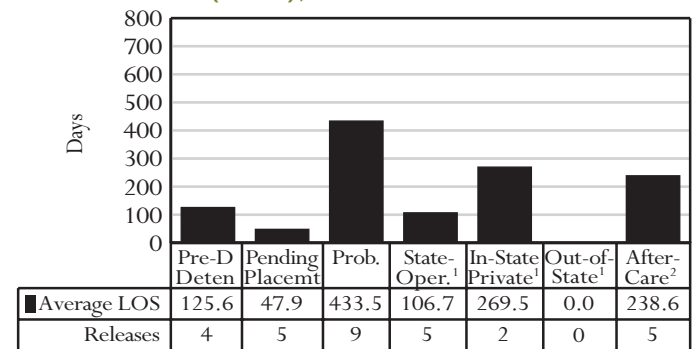
Offense Category* <small>of the Most Serious Offense (VOPs categorized by original offense)</small>	Intake Cases ¹	Probation Dispositions ²	Commitment Dispositions ²
Crime of Violence	2.5%	6.2%	50.0%
Felony	6.6%	6.2%	50.0%
- Person-to-Person	1.4%	6.2%	25.0%
- Property	3.9%	0.0%	25.0%
- Drugs	1.4%	0.0%	0.0%
- Unspecified	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
Misdemeanor	60.1%	87.5%	0.0%
- Person-to-Person	36.3%	75.0%	0.0%
- Property	20.8%	12.5%	0.0%
- Drugs	1.1%	0.0%	0.0%
- Unspecified	1.9%	0.0%	0.0%
Ordinance Offenses	9.4%	0.0%	0.0%
Citations	18.3%	0.0%	0.0%
CINS	3.0%	N/A	N/A
Interstate Warrant/Hold	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%
<i>Total Complaints/Dispositions</i>	<i>361</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>4</i>
<i>% of Statewide</i>	<i>2.9%</i>	<i>1.3%</i>	<i>1.1%</i>

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

¹ Alleged offenses

² Adjudicated offenses from FY 2023 complaints. Many are still pending court action.

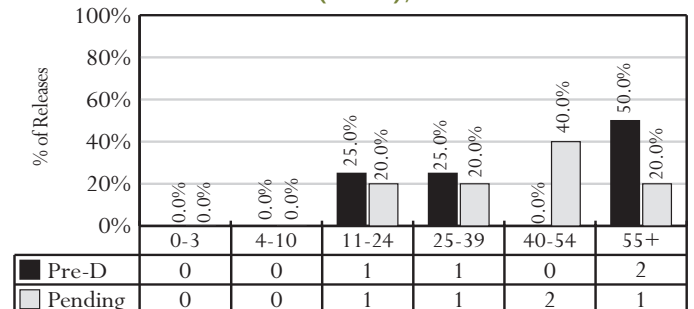
AVERAGE LOS (DAYS), FY 2023 RELEASES



¹ Average LOS for releases from a treatment program

² Average LOS on aftercare following release from a treatment program

YOUTH DETENTION LOS (DAYS), FY 2023 RELEASES*



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

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