

## DOCR Adult Services Prison Population Information

### Prison Population on December 31, 2023 (Male and Female)

**TOTAL COUNT: 1899**

NDSP 801, HRCC 56, JRCC 475, MRCC 190, DWCR 130, Non Traditional Beds 247

Non-Traditional Bed Breakdown:

Correctional Centers (Jails) 85, Interstate Compact 19, BTC 65, GFC 10, MTPFAR 29, MTPMDN 13

FTPFAF 22, FTPMDN 4

Year	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Admissions - Calendar Year	1527	1530	936	1491	1451	1431
Releases - Calendar Year	1555	1431	1329	1203	1323	1349
<b>Prison Count on December 31</b>	<b>1695</b>	<b>1794</b>	<b>1401</b>	<b>1689</b>	<b>1817</b>	<b>1899</b>

### Prison Count on December 31 (Crime Type)

Offense	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Violent Offenders (Excluding Sexual)	589	648	588	686	743	821
Sex Offenders	301	303	293	307	330	350
Property and Other Public Order Offenders	313	345	202	312	337	318
Drug & Alcohol Offenders	492	498	318	384	407	410
Drug - Deliver, Manufacture or Intent	286	277	208	244	251	252
Drug - Possession Only	176	186	88	122	131	127
Alcohol - DUI, APC	30	35	22	18	25	31

### Prison Count on December 31 (Minimum Mandatory)

Offense	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Child Abuse	0	0	0	0	0	17
DUI/Actual Physical Control	0	0	0	0	0	15
Refusing to Submit to Chemical Testing	0	0	0	0	0	1
Drug Offenses (Not Alcohol)	1	0	0	0	1	19
Reckless Endangerment	1	0	0	0	1	9
Aggravated Assault/Conspiracy	17	20	20	26	31	41
Att Commit Simple Assault-PO/Corr Officer	0	0	0	0	0	1
Burglary With Weapon	4	4	3	4	4	2
Felonious Restraint	0	1	1	0	0	0
Kidnapping	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	17	12	15	17	16	46
Terrorizing	14	19	17	16	16	24
Robbery	16	18	17	18	17	16
Criminal Vehicular Injury	0	0	0	0	0	2
Negligent Homicide/Criminal Vehicular Homicide	3	2	2	2	2	10
Manslaughter	1	2	4	6	6	6
Murder/Attempted Murder/Conspiracy	25	31	29	42	47	40
Offender Registration Violation	0	0	0	0	0	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>252</b>

**13.27% of the prison population on December 31, 2023 had a minimum mandatory sentence.**

### Prison Count on December 31 (85% Truth-In-Sentencing)

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number of Offenders Having 85% TIS (includes Life)	261	241	244	290	293	299
Average Sentence In Years (excludes Life)	12.90	15.85	15.95	16.18	15.69	16.56

### Prison Count on December 31 (Life Sentences)

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Life With Parole	43	42	42	42	43	48
Life Without Parole	41	41	41	46	52	57
<b>Total</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>105</b>

**DOCR Adult Services Prison Population Information (Male and Female)**

**Average Prison Population, Admissions, Releases by Fiscal Year**

	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
Average Daily Population	1760.97	1716.50	1698.82	1453.17	1693.76	1800.87
Admissions	1576	1514	1146	1336	1428	1418
Releases	1681	1444	1540	1085	1312	1316

**Number Of Fiscal Year Admissions by Crime Type**

	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
All Admissions	1576	1514	1146	1336	1428	1418
Violent Offenders (Non-Sexual)	366	358	293	413	421	479
Sex Offenders	76	89	65	85	81	86
Drug & Alcohol Offenders	712	660	483	521	530	509
Property and Other Public Order Offenders	422	407	305	317	396	344

**Average Sentence Imposed By Court (Fiscal Year, Crime Type, In Years, Excludes Life Sentences)**

	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
All Admissions	2.57	2.56	2.89	2.80	2.78	3.16
Violent Offenders (Non-Sexual)	2.91	2.54	3.17	3.03	3.35	3.37
Sex Offenders	5.54	6.10	8.16	5.72	6.62	8.78
Drug & Alcohol Offenders	2.33	2.36	2.45	2.48	2.40	2.62
Property and Other Public Order Offenders	2.15	2.14	2.20	2.25	2.21	2.30

**Number Of Fiscal Year Admissions By Length Of Court Imposed Sentence**

	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
Less Than One Year	43	41	37	26	38	42
One Year to Less Than Five Years	1342	1315	955	1149	1214	1174
Five Years to Less Than Ten years	147	115	103	108	126	138
Ten Years to Less Than Twenty Years	25	28	31	38	24	36
Twenty Years or More	19	15	20	15	26	28

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**DOCR Adult Services Prison Population Information**

**Prison Population on December 31, 2023 (Female Only)**

**TOTAL COUNT: 243**

NDSP 0, HRCC 56, JRCC 0, MRCC 0, DWCR 130, Non Traditional Beds 57

Non-Traditional Bed Breakdown:

Correctional Centers (Jails) 9, BTC 22, FTPFAR 22, FTPMDN 4

Year	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Admissions - Calendar Year	296	310	198	286	302	301
Releases - Calendar Year	299	297	245	248	269	291
<b>Prison Count on December 31</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>209</b>	<b>162</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>243</b>

**Prison Count on December 31 (Crime Type)**

Offense	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Violent Offenders (Excluding Sexual)	59	63	57	83	90	110
Sex Offenders	5	6	7	5	4	4
Property and Other Public Order Offenders	34	43	28	47	53	46
Drug & Alcohol Offenders	98	97	70	65	86	83
Drug - Deliver, Manufacture or Intent	49	46	43	36	41	48
Drug - Possession Only	47	48	24	26	41	31
Alcohol - DUI, APC	2	3	3	3	4	4

**Prison Count on December 31 (Minimum Mandatory)**

Offense	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Child Abuse	0	0	0	0	0	8
DUI/Actual Physical Control	0	0	0	0	0	0
Refusing to Submit to Chemical Testing	0	0	0	0	0	0
Drug Offenses (Not Alcohol)	1	0	0	0	1	1
Reckless Endangerment	1	1	0	1	2	1
Aggravated Assault/Conspiracy	2	1	1	6	6	8
Att Commit Simple Assault-PO/Corr Officer	0	0	0	0	0	0
Burglary With Weapon	0	0	0	0	0	0
Felonious Restraint	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kidnapping	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	0	0	0	0	0	2
Terrorizing	0	0	1	1	0	1
Robbery	0	0	0	0	1	1
Criminal Vehicular Injury	0	0	0	0	0	0
Negligent Homicide/Criminal Vehicular Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	1
Manslaughter	0	1	1	3	3	2
Murder/Attempted Murder/Conspiracy	0	1	1	2	2	3
Offender Registration Violation	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>28</b>

**11.5% of the female prison population on December 31, 2023 had a minimum mandatory sentence.**

**Prison Count on December 31 (85% Truth-In-Sentencing)**

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number of Offenders Having 85% TIS (includes Life)	17	13	13	15	27	22
Average Sentence In Years (excludes Life)	11.75	15.46	14.35	16.77	11.31	15.13

**Prison Count on December 31 (Life Sentences)**

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Life With Parole	1	1	1	1	2	4
Life Without Parole	3	2	2	2	2	2
<b>Total</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>

**DOCR Prisons Adult Services Prison Population Information (Female Only)**

**Average Prison Population, Admissions, Releases by Fiscal Year**

	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
Average Daily Population	205.14	207.28	196.60	160.05	199.74	223.55
Admissions	300	301	236	259	291	294
Releases	309	279	339	198	266	278

**Number Of Fiscal Year Admissions by Crime Type**

	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
All Females	300	301	236	259	291	294
Violent Offenders (Non-Sexual)	65	62	54	66	89	87
Sex Offenders	1	2	0	2	0	3
Drug & Alcohol Offenders	169	173	130	136	133	136
Property and Other Public Order Offenders	65	64	52	55	69	68

**Average Sentence Imposed By Court (Fiscal Year, Crime Type, In Years, Excludes Life Sentences)**

	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
All Females	2.57	2.01	2.18	2.21	2.25	2.42
Violent Offenders (Non-Sexual)	2.54	1.93	2.50	2.73	2.66	2.20
Sex Offenders	8.00	6.50	0	3.25	0	9.83
Drug & Alcohol Offenders	2.07	1.98	2.16	1.95	2.08	2.48
Property and Other Public Order Offenders	1.87	2.01	1.92	2.20	2.03	2.27

**Number Of Fiscal Year Admissions By Length Of Court Imposed Sentence**

	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
Less Than One Year	11	12	7	4	12	10
One Year to Less Than Five Years	271	280	214	243	260	254
Five Years to Less Than Ten years	13	6	11	8	15	24
Ten Years to Less Than Twenty Years	2	2	3	4	2	4
Twenty Years or More	3	1	1	0	2	2

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**DOCR Adult Services Prison Population Information**

**Prison Population on December 31, 2023 (Male Only)**

**TOTAL COUNT: 1656**

NDSP 801, JRCC 475, MRCC 190, Non Traditional Beds 190

Non-Traditional Bed Breakdown:

Correctional Centers (Jails) 76, Interstate Compact 19, BTC 43, GFC 10, MTPFAR 29, MTPMDN 13

Year	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Admissions - Calendar Year	1231	1220	738	1205	1149	1130
Releases - Calendar Year	1256	1134	1084	955	1054	1058
<b>Prison Count on December 31</b>	<b>1499</b>	<b>1585</b>	<b>1239</b>	<b>1489</b>	<b>1584</b>	<b>1656</b>

**Prison Count on December 31 (Crime Type)**

Offense	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Violent Offenders (Excluding Sexual)	530	585	531	603	653	711
Sex Offenders	296	297	286	302	326	346
Property and Other Public Order Offenders	279	302	174	265	284	272
Drug & Alcohol Offenders	394	401	248	319	321	327
Drug - Deliver, Manufacture or Intent	237	231	165	208	210	204
Drug - Possession Only	129	138	64	96	90	96
Alcohol - DUI, APC	28	32	19	15	21	27

**Prison Count on December 31 (Minimum Mandatory)**

Offense	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Child Abuse	0	0	0	0	0	9
DUI/Actual Physical Control	0	0	0	0	0	15
Refusing to Submit to Chemical Testing	0	0	0	0	0	1
Drug Offenses (Not Alcohol)	14	7	6	10	13	18
Reckless Endangerment	2	5	6	7	5	8
Aggravated Assault/Conspiracy	15	19	19	20	25	33
Att Commit Simple Assault-PO/Corr Officer	0	0	0	0	0	1
Burglary With Weapon	4	4	3	4	4	2
Felonious Restraint	0	1	1	0	0	0
Kidnapping	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sex Offenses	17	12	15	17	16	44
Terrorizing	14	19	16	15	16	23
Robbery	16	18	17	18	16	15
Criminal Vehicular Injury	0	0	0	0	0	2
Negligent Homicide/Criminal Vehicular Homicide	3	2	2	2	2	9
Manslaughter	1	1	3	3	3	4
Murder/Attempted Murder/Conspiracy	25	30	28	40	45	37
Offender Registration Violation	0	0	0	0	0	3
<b>Total</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>145</b>	<b>224</b>

**13.53% of the male prison population on December 31, 2023 had a minimum mandatory sentence.**

**Prison Count on December 31 (85% Truth-In-Sentencing)**

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Number of Offenders Having 85% TIS (includes Life)	244	228	231	275	266	277
Average Sentence In Years (excludes Life)	12.98	15.87	16.05	16.14	16.20	16.68

**Prison Count on December 31 (Life Sentences)**

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Life With Parole	42	41	41	41	41	44
Life Without Parole	38	39	39	44	50	55
<b>Total</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>91</b>	<b>99</b>

**DOCR Adult Services Prison Population Information (Male Only)**

**Average Prison Population, Admissions, Releases by Fiscal Year**

	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
Average Daily Population	1555.83	1509.22	1502.22	1293.12	1494.02	1577.32
Admissions	1276	1213	910	1077	1137	1124
Releases	1372	1165	1201	887	1046	1038

**Number Of Fiscal Year Admissions by Crime Type**

	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
All Males	1276	1213	910	1077	1137	1124
Violent Offenders (Non-Sexual)	301	296	239	347	332	392
Sex Offenders	75	87	65	83	81	83
Drug & Alcohol Offenders	543	487	353	385	397	373
Property and Other Public Order Offenders	357	343	253	262	327	276

**Average Sentence Imposed By Court (Fiscal Year, Crime Type, In Years, Excludes Life Sentences)**

	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
All Males	2.52	2.70	2.95	2.94	2.91	3.36
Violent Offenders (Non-Sexual)	2.99	2.66	3.33	3.08	3.54	3.62
Sex Offenders	5.51	6.09	8.16	5.78	6.62	8.75
Drug & Alcohol Offenders	2.41	2.50	2.54	2.67	2.51	2.67
Property and Other Public Order Offenders	2.20	2.17	2.26	2.26	2.24	2.31

**Number Of Fiscal Year Admissions By Length Of Court Imposed Sentence**

	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023
Less Than One Year	32	29	30	22	26	32
One Year to Less Than Five Years	1071	1035	741	906	954	920
Five Years to Less Than Ten Years	134	109	92	100	111	114
Ten Years to Less Than Twenty Years	23	26	28	34	22	32
Twenty Years or More	16	14	19	15	24	26

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