

Dallas County Criminal Justice Advisory Board Meeting Agenda

March 15, 2021, 2:30 p.m. Via Microsoft TEAMS Call in number: (469) 208-1731 Conference ID: 573 935 672#

- I. Welcome and Introductions – The Honorable Elba Garcia, Chair, CJAB
- II. Membership & Infrastructure* — Ellyce Lindberg Co-Chair, CJAB
 - Introduction Dallas Police Chief Eddie Garcia
- III. Minutes Review/Approval* — Ellyce Lindberg Co-Chair, CJAB
- IV. **Presentations**
 - Dallas County Public Defender's Office Lynn Pride Richardson
- V. **Committee Project Updates**
 - Criminal Justice Administration & Jail Population Management Committee -Charlene Randolph, LaShonda Jefferson
 - **Fair Defense Committee** Lynn Richardson
 - **Justice of the Peace** Judge Števe Seider
 - Law Enforcement/Jurisprudence Chief Jim Spivey, Ellyce Lindberg
 Pretrial Committee Commissioner Garcia, Jeff Segura

 - **Reentry** Christina Melton Crain
 - **Research Committee** Dr. Jennifer Gonzalez
- VI. **Program Update**
 - **Local Data Advisory Board** Miguel Canales
- VII. **Public Comments**
- VIII. Announcements
- IX. **Next Meeting Schedule**
 - June 14, 2021



Dallas County Criminal Justice Advisory Board General Membership Minutes for Monday, December 14, 2020 Via Microsoft TEAMS

Welcome & Introductions, Commissioner Dr. Garcia, called the meeting to order at 2:30 PM. All in attendance recorded via Microsoft TEAMS.

Membership & Infrastructure:

There were no changes to membership or infrastructure at this time.

Meeting Minutes:

The minutes from the CJAB General Membership meeting held on September 14, 2020, were made a part of the packet. There was a motion made to accept the minutes as printed.

Presentations:

City of Dallas - Overview of R.E.A.L. Change Programs and Office of Integrated Public Safety Solutions - DPD Chief David Pughes

Commissioner Garcia introduced the presenter Dallas Police Deputy Chief David Pughes.

Chief Pughes began by giving an overview of his new role in the Office of Integrated Public Safety Solutions and the projects he will be responsible for working on. In June 2020, the City Manager released One Dallas: R.E.A.L. Change Initiatives. These initiatives included immediate, short-term, and long-term strategies that are responsible, equitable accountable and, legitimate (R.E.A.L.). R.E.A.L. change provides public safety solutions through nontraditional law enforcement intervention. These programs deal with community safety issues holistically and are designed to address systemic societal problems at the root cause. They redirect resources to long-term alternative solutions that will: proactively address issues to increase safety, reduce demand for police service, and build a foundation of trust between historically marginalized communities and law enforcement.

For the year 2021, the following programs have been funded: Expansion of RIGHT Care, Behavioral Health Services, Mobile Crisis Response, Recovery Services Center, Re-entry Programs, Violence Interruption, and Environmental Improvements for Crime Reduction. Chief Pughes then went into detail on what each program is entails. For further details, please referral to PowerPoint presentation in the packet.

Chief Pughes further stated that on April 29, 2020 the City of Dallas opened the Office of Integrated Public Safety Solutions as part of a sustainable and holistic approach to crime reduction. The office utilizes Risk Terrain Modeling (RTM) to identify and map high-risk areas in the city. RTM uses Geographic Information Systems (GIS) techniques to explore the relationship between crime and the spatial features that influence and encourage criminal activity. The RTM Team tracks statistical information in this high-risk area through an automated dashboard that was created by the Intelligence Led Policing Division. For examples of this dashboard and details on RTM please see Power Point presentation in CJAB packet.

The coordination and hard work of multiple city departments in this high-risk focus area are yielding positive results so far. They have received positive recognition from Revitalize South Dallas Coalition. The Malcolm X/Marburg focus area is experiencing a 3% reduction in crime vs 2019. Calls for police are down 6% and there has only been one criminal offense (Burglary of Motor Vehicle) since September 25, 2020. Some of the next steps for success are to continue community engagement, add more interventions to include Blight remediation, and lighting enhancements. Also, crosswalk design and painting, and creation of a monthly dashboard.

Committee Project Updates:

Criminal Justice Administration & Jail Population Management Update:

Miguel Canales gave the update. The Jail Population survey has closed and, CJD is still in the process of analyzing the data received and will start scheduling Stakeholder meetings soon to discuss all feedback. Additionally, the CJD sent out a survey regarding Dallas County Specialty Courts and will provide feedback to the committee after the New Year. The December 11th Jail Population meeting was cancelled, however a packet was created for stakeholders. Excerpts from that packet can be found on pages 37 through 42 of the CJAB packet. The jail population for today is 5,533. The November average jail population was 5,415 and the yearly average is 5,411.

Fair Defense Committee:

Lynn Richardson gave the update. The Adult and Juvenile Criminal Courts continue to operate on a limited basis. Virtual hearing are being held, however no jury trails at this time.

Information Technology Committee:

Melissa Kraft introduced herself as the new Chief Information Officer of Dallas County, and gave a brief background of her experience.

Justice of the Peace:

Judge Steve Seider gave the update. Judge Seider reported that right they are having a lot of success conduction remote hearings at about a 90% participation, however the follow through has not been what they hoped. The follow through is between 5%-10%. They are planning on going back to face to face hearing with smaller dockets. It was reported that there has been an increase in filing of emergency mental illness warrant right now are 3 times higher than they have been in the past. They are expecting an increase in evictions filings if the evictions moratorium expires on January 1st 2021. Lastly, once the new court management system is up and running, it will great help managing these cases.

Law Enforcement/Jurisprudence:

Chief Jim Spivey was not present, and Ellyce Lindberg gave the update. There was no meeting scheduled this past quarter. The DA's Office put out information related to requiring Law Enforcement Agencies to provide lab report before taking THC gummies cases, due to a new law passed last year. The DA's Office is also gearing up to pick their Grand Jury for January 2021.

Pretrial:

Jeff Segura gave the update. Pretrial Services continues to do well. The intake unit has had staff out on leave due to medical reasons, and therefore having to bring up extra staff to cover those shifts. The other units are doing well. The ELM unit has been hit hard. Now ELM officers are currently taking on 70-80 cases each, while the ideal number of cases they should have is 30-40 each. Currently around 800 defendants in the jail have an ELM hold at this time. These defendants will only be released for ELM supervision once their bonds have been posted. Pretrial Services is conducting a cost benefit analysis and see if they can add more staff to ELM. Once this information is completed, it will be presented to Commissioners Court to review.

Reentry:

Christina Crain was not able to attend, therefore Miguel Canales will be emailing the update to the committee.

Research:

Dr. Jennifer Gonzalez gave the update. Working with Julie Turnbull from the DA's Office on providing a cost benefit analysis for AIM Court. Expect to have results by late spring early summer of 2021. Will be presenting results to committee. A

couple of new projects they are working on. Will be conducting a cost benefit analysis for the Dallas Deflection Center. This will be a multiyear project funded by Bureau of Justice Assistance. Also working with a similar project that will expand medical assistance treatment to help reduce opioid overdose and substance abuse. Lastly, an article was recently published by Dr. Gonzalez's team, and will be sent to Mr. Canales to send to CJAB committee.

Program Update:

Local Data Advisory Board:

Miguel Canales gave the update. Dallas County is currently at 84% for percentage completeness with a goal of 90%. This goal needs to be reached by August 1, 2021. We are looking at re-activating the Local Data Advisory Board on January 2021.

Public Comments:

None

Announcements:

The next CJAB meeting will be held on March 15, 2021, at 2:30pm.

Adjournment:

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting; it was seconded and approved at 3:30PM.

Lynn Pride Richardson Chief Public Defender Dallas County



Education

Bachelor of Arts in Theater Spelman College Atlanta, Georgia

> Juris Doctorate University of Florida College of Law

Professional Memberships

Texas Bar, 1995 Florida Bar, 1987

Professional Organizations

Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association (TCDLA)

National Association of Drug Court Professionals (NADCP)

> National Forum for Black Public Administrators (NFBPA)

Lynn Pride Richardson

- 30 years' experience as a criminal defense lawyer
- 5 years in the private practice of criminal law in the State of Florida
- 23 years' experience in the Dallas County Public Defender's Office (DCPDO), the largest and second oldest Public Defender's Office in the State of Texas
- 8 years' experience as a supervisor responsible for the supervision, training and mentoring of misdemeanor attorneys and 6 years as the First Assistant Chief responsible for the day-to-day operation of the DCPDO
- 10 years as the longest serving Chief Public Defender of the DCPDO appointed by the Dallas County Commissioner's Court
- Actively involved in numerous Dallas County Criminal Justice programs and initiatives including the:
 - o Behavioral Health Leadership Team
 - o Dallas County Mental Health Steering Committee
 - o Jail Population Committee
 - o Dallas County Criminal Justice Advisory Board
 - o Dallas County Bail Reform Team
- Partnered with other criminal justice stakeholders in the creation and operation of numerous Dallas County Specialty/Problem Solving Courts and Re-Entry Programs:
 - o Mental Health Jail Diversion (Felony and Misdemeanor)
 - o Drug Court Diversion
 - o Outpatient Competency Restoration Court
 - o Jail Based Competency Restoration Program
 - o South Dallas Drug Court
 - o Prostitution Diversion Courts (STAR and PRIDE)
 - Second Chance Community Improvement Program (SCCIP)
 - o AIM
 - o Stabilization, Engagement and Transition (SET)

Contact Information:

Dallas County Public Defender's Office 133 N. Riverfront Boulevard LB 2, 9th Floor Dallas, Texas 75207 (214) 653-3554

Programs and Seminars

Texas Criminal Defense Lawyers Association Indigent Defense Seminar (2010–2019)

North Texas Women in Local Government Summit (2018)

The United States Department of State International Visitor Leadership Program (2013–2018)

Volunteers of America/Resolana In-Jail Rehabilitative Mentoring Re-Entry Program (2017–2018)

Dallas Bar Foundation/Southern Methodist University Collins' Clerkship Program (2012–2018)

Consultant and Teacher Prosecutor/Defense Attorney Training for Drug and Specialty Courts (NADCP and NDCI)

National Drug Court Institute Defense Counsel and Prosecutors Comprehensive Training Agenda (2016)

ABA National Task Force on Stand Your Ground Laws

ABA Standing Committee on Legal Aid on Indigent Defendants/Indigent Defense Advisory Group

Criminal Justice Reform Dallas Bar Association

Gideon's Promise Public Defender Training Programs

Awards and Honors

J.L. Turner Legal Association Honors "Criminal Justice Reform: Client Centered Representation in the Criminal Justice System"

Chairman Emeritus Award National Association of Blacks in Criminal Justice

First Time Initiatives

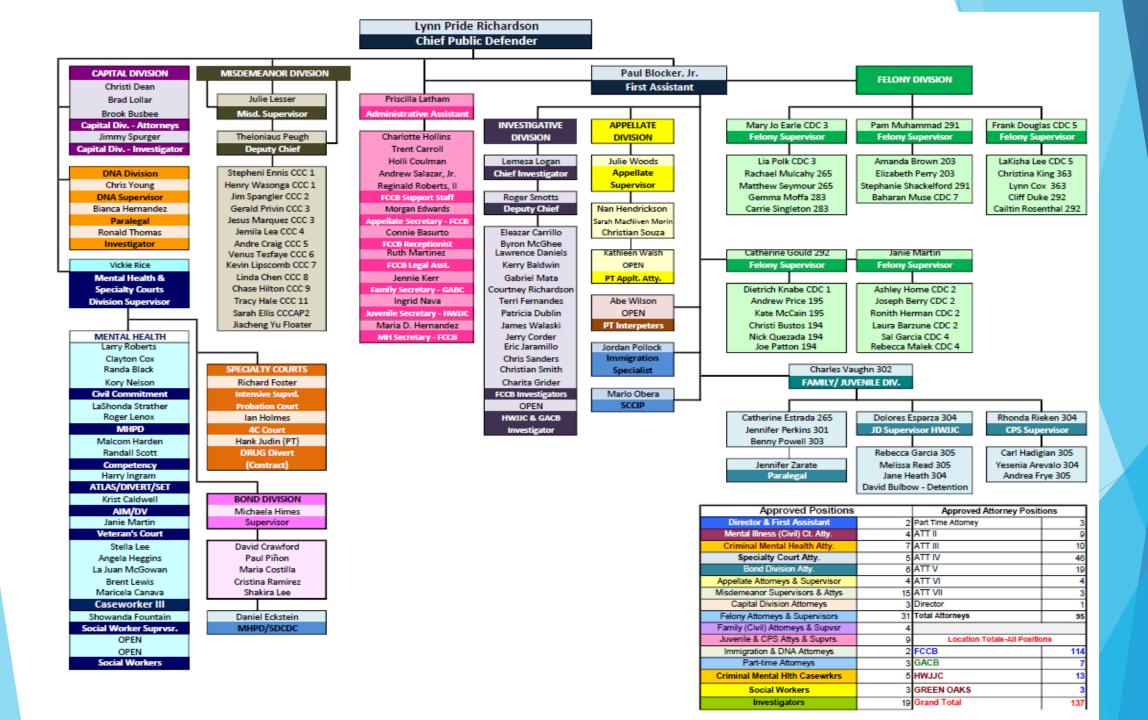
The Dallas County Public Defender's Office handle 51% of all indigent defendants in the Dallas County Courts. That includes adult criminal, juvenile, family, appellate, mental health and capital murder cases. DCPDO made history in 2006 under the leadership of Lynn Pride Richardson by creating the very first Mental Health Division of its kind in the entire State of Texas.

In October of 2014, the DCPDO, under Lynn's leadership and with funding from the Texas Indigent Defense Commission, created the first Immigration/Criminal Defense Lawyer position of its kind in the State of Texas.

Lynn is a proud member of the board of directors of the National Association of Drug Court Professionals (NADCP). One of the highlights of Lynn's career was when she was invited to represent NADCP in Vienna, Austria at the United Nations to advocate on behalf of drug courts. She met with representatives from various countries and drug court advocates from across the globe.

Dallas County Public Defender's Office





Approved Positions		Approved Attorney Positions	
Director & First Assistant	2	Part Time Attorney	3
Mental Illness (Civil) Ct. Atty.	4	ATT II	9
Criminal Mental Health Atty.	7	ATT III	10
Specialty Court Atty.	5	ATT IV	46
Bond Division Atty.	6	ATT V	19
Appellate Attorneys & Supervisor	4	ATT VI	4
Misdemeanor Supervisors & Attys	15	ATT VII	3
Capital Division Attorneys	3	Director	1
Felony Attorneys & Supervisors	31	Total Attorneys	95
Family (Civil) Attorneys & Supvsr	4		
Juvenile & CPS Attys & Supvrs.	9	Location Totals-All Positions	
Immigration & DNA Attorneys	2	FCCB	114
Part-time Attorneys	3	GACB	7
Criminal Mental Hlth Casewrkrs	5	HWJJC	13
Social Workers	3	GREEN OAKS	3
Investigators	19	Grand Total	137

Dallas County Public Defender Offices

Criminal, Appellate, DNA
Immigration and Capital Division
Frank Crowley Courts Building
133 N. Riverfront Blvd., 9th Floor
Dallas, Texas 75207
(214) 653-3550

Family Courts
George Allen Court Building
600 Commerce Street, Room 465G
Dallas, Texas 75202
214-653-6153

Juvenile/CPS Division

Henry Wade Juvenile Justice Center

2600 Lone Star Drive, Suite A-132

Dallas, Texas 75212

214-698-4400

Mental Health Court

Dallas County Mental Health Court

7920 Clodus Fields Drive

Dallas, Texas 75251

972-385-2207

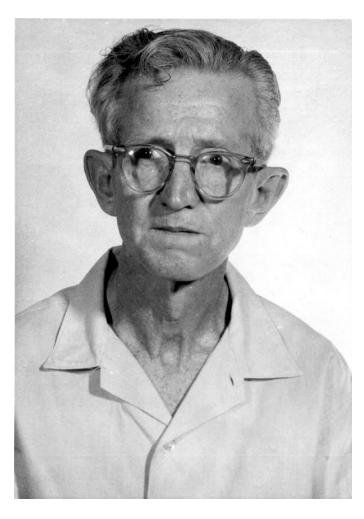
Total number of cases assigned and disposed for FY2020 Felony and Misdemeanor combined

Cases Assigned 317,485

Cases Disposed 305,417



Game Changer



Clarence Earl Gideon

Texas Indigent Defense Commission (TIDC)

In 2001, Texas recognized serious flaws in its indigent defense system. Many of whom could not afford an attorney faced criminal conviction with ineffective representation or no lawyer at all. Lawyers paid with public funds were subject to little oversight.

In response the 77th Legislature passed the **Fair Defense Act**, which provided state funding and set minimum standards for the appointment, performance and payment of lawyers. The legislature also created what is now the Texas Indigent Defense Commission (TIDC) and charged it with funding, overseeing and improving indigent defense.

Since passage of the Fair Defense Act in 2001, Texas has significantly improved access to counsel. Managed defense programs – like **Public Defender** and managed assigned counsel programs – help guarantee quality, efficiency and accountability.

GAME CHANGER

THE POWER OF PUBLIC DEFENSE

CLIENT CENTERED REPRESENTATION MODEL

Transforming Public Defense

80% of people accused of crimes in the United States rely on a public defender to protect their constitutional rights



Traditional Defense Model

The goal of every defense lawyer in any setting is to get the best case disposition for a client.

Holistic client centered defense contrasts with the traditional defense model that emphasizes criminal representation and courtroom advocacy by a single defense lawyer or a team of defense lawyers.

Client centered representation does not eliminate this fundamental and

compelling obligation.



Holistic/Client Centered Defense Model

Holistic defense assembles a team of lawyers by integrating practice areas and encouraging collaboration with professionals in other disciplines.



Holistic/Client Centered Representation Requires Interconnectedness

Interdisciplinary Work Groups

Public defenders and defense counsel work in interdisciplinary teams to address the immediate case and the underlying life circumstances that contribute to client contact with the criminal justice system.

The centerpiece of a holistic office and the primary way to reinforce interconnectedness of the issues that clients face is through the involvement and interaction of interdisciplinary workgroups which include, but are not limited to, social workers, case managers, mental health and treatment professionals, paralegals, investigators, mitigation specialists, psychologists, psychiatrists, criminal justice advocates, community organizers and organizations, peer support and elected officials.

Holistic/Client Centered Representation Requires Interconnectedness

The utilization of an interdisciplinary team relieves, to a certain extent, the need for lawyers to become or act as social workers or treatment providers of which we have no training or expertise.

It helps to have some understanding of these disciplines but it is more effective to have the ability to collaborate with professionals who are experts in those areas.

Holistic/Client Centered Representation Defense Model

An innovating approach to defending indigent clients can reduce incarceration rates, recidivism and save tax payer dollars without harm to public safety.

The model works not just for the defense attorney's client but for the community they lived in or victimized, their families, the city, the county that the crime was committed in.

- Reduces criminal justice costs
- Reduces or eliminates recidivism
- Provides education and job training
- Reconnects families
- Addresses physical health and mental health needs
- Housing
- Revitalizes communities
- A reduction in crime
- Public safety

Examples of Holistic/Client Centered Defense Models

Bronx Defenders

- Over a ten year study period of holistic representation in the Bronx Defenders office prevented over 1,000,000 days of incarceration
- Holistic defense reduced the likelihood of a prison sentence by 16% and an actual prison length by 24%
- Holistic representation of clients saved tax payers an estimated \$160,000,000 in housing costs alone

Client Centered-Holistic Defense

- Transforming the lives of our clients
- Transforming and supporting families
- ► Transforming communities

Four Pillars of Holistic Defense

- Seamless access to services that meet client's legal and social support needs
- Dynamic interdisciplinary communication and partnerships
- Advocates with an interdisciplinary skill set
- A robust understanding of, and, connection to the community served

Special Programs Mission, Values and Vision Client Centered Legal Representation

CLIENT CENTERED MISSION

To work collaboratively with clients and their families, providing services that will educate, empower, and encourage healthy living.



CLIENT CENTERED VISION

To meet each client's unique mental, physical, social and emotional needs with exceptional service delivery, shifting solutions from the court system to community-based resources.



Specialty Courts and Dockets with Public Defender Involvement

Felony Specialty Programs

SET – Judge Wade – PD Harry Ingram

AIM – Judge Birmingham – PD Krist Caldwell

Felony Domestic Violence Court – Judge Birmingham – PD Krist Caldwell

DDCA (Dual Diagnosis Aftercare) – Judge Bennett – PD Rachel Mulcahy

DIVERT (Diversion and Expedited Rehabilitation and Treatment) – Judge Garza – PD Hank Judin

Felony DWI Court – Judge Holmes – PD Lynn Cox

IIP (Intensive Intervention Program) – Judge White – PDs Christi Bustos, Nicolas Quezada & Joe Patton

SAFPF - 4C – Judge Francis – PD Ian Holmes

STAC (Successful Treatment of Addiction through Collaboration) – Judge Mayes & Judge Harlan – PD Jason Foster

STAR (Strengthening, Transition and Recovery) – Judge Kennedy – PD Nicole Horne

Veterans Treatment Court – Judge Collins – PD Janie Martin

ATLAS (Achieving True Liberty and Success) – Judge Jones – PD Harry Ingram

Felony OCR - Judge Kennedy - PD Malcom Harden & Randall Scott

Felony OCR - Judge Collins - PD Malcom Harden & Randall Scott

Misdemeanor Specialty Programs

PRIDE (Positive Recovery Intensive Divert Experience) Currently Inactive – Judge Hoffman – PD Tracy Hale

OCR (Outpatient Competency Restoration) – Judge Wade – PD Randall Scott

MHJD (Mental Health Jail Diversion) – Judge Wade – PD Harry Ingram

Specialty Courts and Dockets with Public Defender Involvement

Court Specific Specialty Programs

MHPD CD (Mental Health Public Defender Conditional Dismissal) – Judge Wade – PD Roger Lenox & PD LaShonda Taylor STRIDEE (Striving Toward Responsibility, Independence, Decency, Employment and Education) – Judge Hayes – PD Green Yard Program – Judge Green – PD Andre Craig

Intercepted – Judge Kelly – PD Krist Caldwell

CHANGE (Commitment, Healthy Living, Achievement, Nurturing New Behavior, Goals For The Future, Empowered To Go Forward) – Judge King - Venus Tesfaye

FCCB and City of Dallas Collaborative Specialty Programs

SCCIP (Second Chance Community Improvement Program) – Judge Mitchell – First Assistant Paul Blocker SDDC (South Dallas Drug Court) – Judge Williams – PD Lynn Cox

Family Specialty Programs

Legacy Family Court - Judge Callahan - PD Charles Vaughn

Juvenile Specialty Programs

ESTEEM (Experiencing Success Through Empowerment and Mentoring) - Judge Shannon - PD Melissa Read



SCCIP Program
City of Dallas, Mayor and City Council Members

NEWS FROM AROUND THE BAR



UNT LAW SCHOOL OPENS COMMUNITY LEGAL AID CENTERS

The UNT Dallas College of Law announced the creation of two community lawyering centers to provide legal services to underserved areas of Dallas County. Law students will staff the centers alongside supervising attorneys from the Dallas County Dispute Resolution Center. The downtown and South Dallas centers are a partnership between the college, Legal Aid of NorthWest Texas, the Dallas County Public Defender's Office, and Legal Action Works.

From left: Maria Thomas-Jones, Legal Aid of NorthWest Texas; Cheryl B. Wattley, UNT Dallas College of Law; Lynn Pride Richardson, Dallas County Public Defender's Office; and Angela Downes, UNT Dallas College of Law.

Blue on the Block Forum Potter's House





Specialty Court Programs











Civil Commitment







Investigative Division

Chief Lemesa Logan Deputy Chief Roger Smotts

Capital Division



Exoneration Division

Steven Chaney

Mr. Chaney was charged with two counts of Murder in June, 1987. Despite having nine alibi witnesses for his whereabouts on the day of the murders, he was convicted in December, 1987 and received a life sentence. Despite DNA testing in 2008 that excluded him, Mr. Chaney remained in prison. The lynchpin of the State's case against Mr. Chaney was a putative bitemark on one of the victim's arms that a state expert testified was a "one-in-a-million" match to Mr. Chaney. In 2013, we began researching the junk science of bite mark comparisons and, after exhaustive research and subsequent advances in forensic science, we filed a Writ of Habeas Corpus on Mr. Chaney's behalf. After working with the Conviction Integrity Unit for an extended period of time, he was released from custody upon agreed favorable findings from the trial court. In December, 2018, he was declared actually innocent of the murders. (The Dallas County Public Defender's Office, in conjunction with the Innocence Project of New York, filed a complaint on Mr. Chaney's behalf with the Texas Forensic Science Commission regarding the use of bitemark evidence in criminal cases which resulted in a recommendation for a statewide moratorium on the use of this type unreliable and unscientific junk evidence in criminal cases in Texas.) Mr. Chaney served 28 years in prison for the crime he did not commit.



Raymond Jackson



Mr. Jackson was charged with Aggravated Sexual Assault in November, 1983. Despite having numerous alibi witnesses, he was convicted in January, 1984, and sentenced to 99 years in prison and a \$10,000 fine. Our office filed a Motion for Forensic DNA Testing on behalf of Mr. Jackson and in September, 2011, Mr. Jackson was excluded as a possible donor to the unknown male profiles from all evidence in the case and by early 2012, a database search identified a match; the actual perpetrators were serving time in prison for crimes committed after Mr. Jackson was wrongfully convicted. Our Actual Innocence Division filed an 11.07 Writ of Habeas Corpus on Mr. Jackson's behalf and he was declared actually innocent by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals in June, 2012. He had served 28 years in prison for the crime he did not commit.

James Williams

Mr. Williams was charged with Aggravated Sexual Assault in November, 1983. Despite having numerous alibi witnesses, he was convicted in January, 1984, and sentenced to 99 years in prison and a \$10,000 fine. Our office filed a Motion for forensic DNA Testing on behalf of Mr. Williams and in September, 2011, Mr. Williams was excluded as a possible donor to the unknown male profiles from all evidence in the case and by early 2012, a database search identified a match; the actual perpetrators were serving time in prison for crimes committed after Mr. Williams was wrongfully convicted. Our Actual Innocence Division filed an 11 .07 Writ of Habeas Corpus on Mr. Williams' behalf and he was declared actually innocent by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals in June, 2012. He had served 28 years in prison for the crime he did not commit.

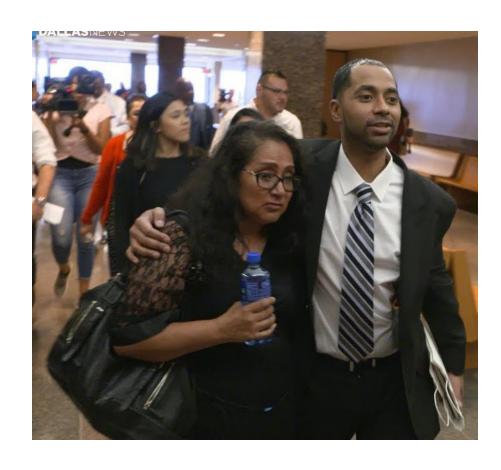


Anthony Massingill

Mr. Massingill was charged with Aggravated Rape and Aggravated Robbery in November, 1979. After being convicted and receiving a life sentence in an unrelated case, Mr. Massingill pled to 10 years in prison on each of these cases. In December 2010, DNA testing excluded Mr. Massingill as a possible donor to the unknown male profile developed from remaining evidence in these cases. Based on the DNA results, the Dallas County Public Defender's office filed an 11.07 Writ of Habeas Corpus on Mr. Massingill's behalf and in September, 2014, Mr. Massingill was declared actually innocent by the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals in the two cases. Additionally, since evidence of the Aggravated Rape and Aggravated Robbery were introduced against Mr. Massingill in his jury trial on the unrelated case, our office filed an 11.07 Writ of Habeas Corpus in that case and the life sentence in that case was set aside. We represented Mr. Massingill in the new punishment hearing in the case, resulting in his release from prison in December, 2014. He had served 35 years.



Quinton Alonzo



Mr. Alonzo was charged with one count of Murder and two counts of Aggravated Assault in June, 2001. Despite multiple witnesses who identified a different individual as the perpetrator, Mr. Alonzo was convicted of all three offenses in February, 2003, and received a life sentence in the Murder case and two fifteen year sentences in the Aggravated Assault cases. In 2015, our office began investigating this case after reading an article in the Dallas Morning News and the associated online comments referencing the impending execution of the actual perpetrator. After conducting an exhaustive investigation, and working with the Conviction Integrity Unit regarding the confession of the actual perpetrator as well as extensive amounts of other corroborating evidence, the Dallas County Public Defender's Office filed an 11.07 Writ of Habeas Corpus on behalf of Mr. Alonzo and he was released from custody in May, 2018. The Texas Court of Criminal Appeals declared Mr. Alonzo actually innocent in October, 2019. Mr. Alonzo served 17 years in prison for crimes he did not commit.

Law Schools

Southern Methodist University, Dedman School of Law

Texas Wesleyan University School of Law

Texas Southern University, Thurgood Marshall School of Law

Baylor University Law School

Texas Tech University School of Law

University of Texas School of Law

University of Houston Law Center

University of Florida Levin College of Law

University of Miami School of Law

St. Mary's School of Law

University of Mississippi School of Law

Boston College Law School

Boston University School of Law

South Texas College of Law

University of Nebraska College of Law

Case Western Reserve University School of Law

Wake Forest University School of Law

University of Oregon School of Law

Concord Law School

Bayreuth University - Germany

Howard University School of Law

Washington University School of Law - St. Louis, Mo.

Loyola University School of Law - New Orleans, Louisiana

Indiana University School of Law

University of Kentucky College of Law

Oklahoma City University School of Law

University of Texas School of Law at Austin

Vanderbilt University Law School

University of Michigan School of Law

University of Arkansas School of Law

St. John's University School of Law

Wayne State University School of Law

University of Illinois College of Law

Thomas M. Cooley Law School

Fordham University Law School

American University Washington College of Law

William & Mary School of Law

University of Alabama School of Law-Tuscaloosa

Columbia University School of Law

Tulane Law School

Oklahoma City University School of Law

Creighton University School of Law

University of Oklahoma College of Law

Colleges & Universities

Brown University
University of North Texas
Northwestern University – Evanston, III.
University of Texas at Austin
Texas Christian University
Paul Quinn College
El Centro Community College
Hamilton College
SMU
University of Texas at Arlington

High schools

Yvonne A. Ewell Townview Law Magnet Mansville Summit High School Highland Park High School Hockaday Duncanville High School Ursuline Academy Trinity Christian School James Bowie High School Bishop Dunne Kaplan University
Brown Mackie College
Yale University
El Centro College
Spelman College
Howard University
Emory University
Southern Arkansas University
Hampton University
Prairie View

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Participating Countries

- Afghanistan
- Vietnam
- Iraq
- Uzbekistan
- China
- Kazakhstan
- African Delegation
- North African and Middle East Delegation
- Coalition of Spanish Speaking Countries
- Philippines

People's Republic of China







African Delegation



Coalition of Spanish Speaking Countries



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Dr. Patricia MARQUISAUY

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Director, Civil Association ·'Un Estado de Derecho" (A Rule of Law)

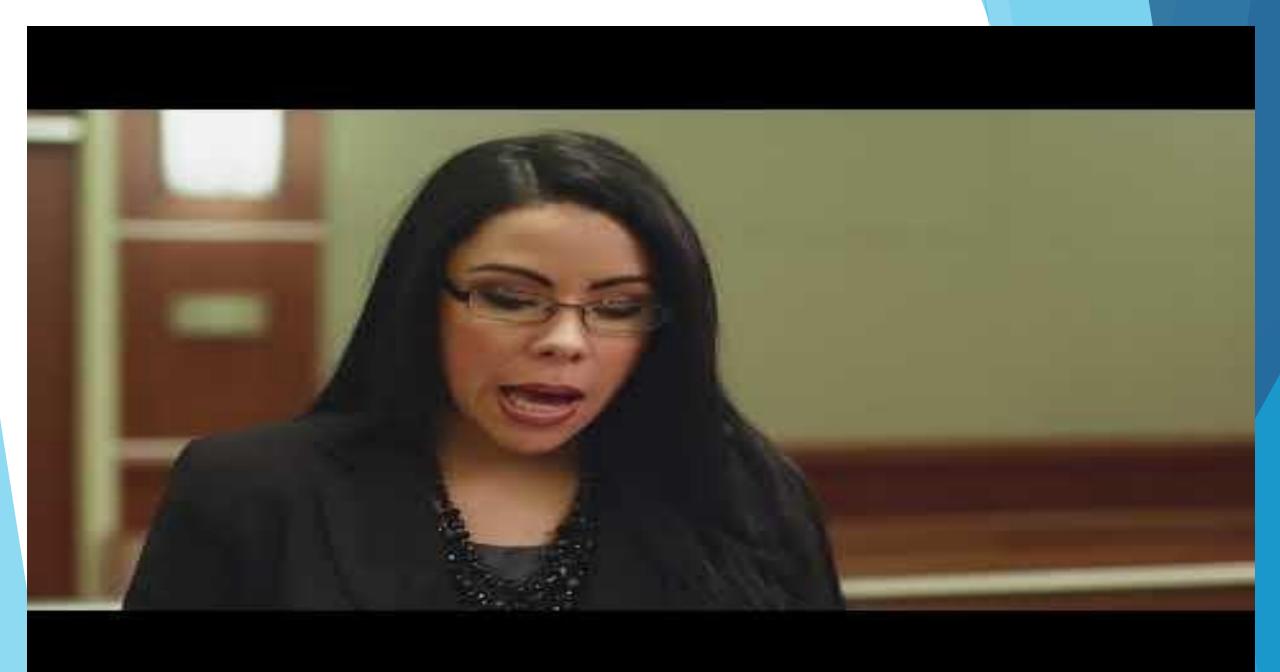
Mr. Gregorio Ernesto RIERA BRITO

Coordinator, Anti-Corruption Legal Assistance Progran1 (ALAC). Transparencia Venezuela



Kahzakhstan

Stories of Success



Detention Early Warning Report (DEWR)-Glossary

The DEWR is a 32 line item report which provides a snapshot of the Dallas County Jail Population, capturing the primary case status/category (also referred to as a "bucket"). The DEWR consists of pre-disposition Felony and Misdemeanor cases, and those adjudicated which are awaiting release or transfer.

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Detention Early Warning Report (DEWR) February 2021

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Felony not filed	550	557	539	515	488	496	524	545	543	510	495	486	510	534	548	558	560	568	572	577	598	620	580	548	564	577	551	555	545
Felony pend. Grand Jury	579	538	540	527	500	490	485	485	491	495	487	496	471	470	470	470	469	471	471	471	471	469	473	491	483	450	452	455	486
Felony not incl. SJF	2111	2134	2146	2159	2176	2171	2173	2175	2181	2196	2204	2199	2194	2194	2193	2193	2192	2192	2192	2189	2189	2191	2180	2172	2181	2193	2187	2185	2180
SJF pend dispo	277	289	285	291	304	300	299	299	298	301	306	305	307	308	307	308	309	307	306	306	307	307	306	307	312	313	305	306	303
PV-Felony	345	345	346	347	343	341	344	350	341	343	334	336	331	335	336	338	339	341	342	344	345	350	352	346	347	358	352	361	344
TDC over 10y/appeal	290	297	304	310	308	321	321	321	330	333	345	345	354	354	354	354	354	354	354	355	355	355	360	368	345	316	327	327	336
Bench Warrants	27	29	28	26	26	25	25	25	25	26	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	27	28	28	28	27	28	29	29	30	30	27
TDC<10yr/appeal	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Sentd. SJF	104	101	106	110	109	110	110	110	110	112	113	114	115	115	115	115	116	117	117	118	118	118	96	100	101	101	95	96	109
SJF on appeal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SJF serv in co jail	13	11	11	10	11	13	12	11	13	14	15	14	12	12	12	12	10	8	8	7	7	7	7	8	9	11	12	12	11
Misd. not filed	74	78	62	71	55	65	65	70	69	67	60	65	44	59	66	65	64	62	74	80	88	99	75	67	61	48	39	54	66
Misd. filed pend.	150	152	158	163	160	147	148	152	157	160	159	154	148	145	145	146	146	148	146	143	143	143	126	137	134	138	135	134	147
Misd-PV	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	1	1	1
Serv in jail (Cond of Prob)	13	13	13	14	17	17	16	15	20	21	17	14	12	12	12	11	10	10	10	11	11	10	14	16	15	19	15	16	14
Serving Co time & fines	13	15	14	15	15	15	15	13	13	12	14	15	15	15	14	14	13	11	11	10	10	10	12	15	14	12	12	10	13
Serv fines/CT cost only	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Out of county/state	105	81	86	87	89	93	97	98	84	83	87	88	90	89	90	94	97	93	92	95	101	103	79	80	78	79	87	89	90
Parole Violations	242	239	227	228	226	225	229	234	243	244	250	242	241	241	242	243	243	243	246	248	253	256	255	255	239	236	238	240	241
SAFPF	106	109	111	107	100	107	107	108	113	118	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	121	124	126	129	131	135	135	119
Special Programs	207	211	222	214	221	229	229	230	220	227	231	230	223	223	224	224	225	225	230	231	234	234	234	236	236	225	230	231	226
Other- Incompetent	266	263	263	263	263	263	263	263	262	261	257	259	262	262	262	262	262	262	261	261	260	260	262	266	265	263	265	265	262
US Marshal holds	84	84	80	82	83	90	90	90	89	91	92	92	93	93	93	93	93	93	93	92	93	88	92	87	86	86	86	86	89
Contempt-in Jail	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	1	0	0	1
Contempt-Furlough	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PEACE Bond	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TYC hold	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Immigration hold	1	7	10	5	10	6	2	0	4	0	4	1	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	6	3	3	9	2	3
Class C Misd. only	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Contract inmates	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
US Military hold	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Default	71	59	66	70	79	67	69	42	58	51	66	66	82	65	54	54	55	56	66	72	71	61	62	91	74	69	73	82	66
Jail Population w/ Furlough added	5640	5624	5629	5626	5595	5604	5636	5649	5676	5677	5696	5681	5672	5686	5697	5715	5722	5721	5751	5771	5815	5841	5734	5761	5715	5669	5646	5682	5690
Actual Jail Population	5640	5624	5629	5626	5595	5604	5636	5649	5676	5677	5696	5681	5672	5686	5697	5715	5722	5721	5751	5771	5815		5734	5761	5715	5669	5646	5682	5690
INTAKES		Ι.			L							l .	l .					_				H							44.
RELEASES	123	142	161	155	169	126	126	152	145	155	63	124	110	58	34	36	42	50	75	108	103	95	159	156	157	122	133	111	114
VARIANCE		158	140	190	211	93	87	116	158	133	102	135	70	52	19	27	37	35	63	60	57	167	177	170	183	215	93	74	112
VARIANCE	-14	16	-21	35	42	-33	-39	-36	13	-22	39	11	-40	-6	-15	-9	-5	-15	-12	-48	-46	72	18	14	26	93	-40	-37	-2

Total Releases

3,137

AVG LENGTH OF STAY 49

Total Bookins

3,196

Total Jail Bed Days

159,331

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\$

9,429,209

DEWR BUCKET COMPARISON

DUCKET NAMES	FEB 2020 vs	FEB	FEB	DEC	Jan	Feb	DEC vs
BUCKET NAMES	2021	20	21	20	21	21	JAN
	Variance	=					
Jail Population Avg.	-91	5781	5690	5503	5592	5690	98
SPECIAL FOCUS		$\overline{}$					
Fel.pend excl.SJF	411	1769	2180	2082	2104	2180	76
Incompetent	67	195	262	267	271	262	-9
Sentenced to SJF	43	66	109	112	111	109	-2
Out of Co/State	39	51	90	99	102	90	-12
TRENDING UP							
State Jail Felony Pend.	24	279	303	291	285	303	18
Probation Viol. Felony	22	322	344	342	354	344	-10
TRENDING DOWN							
Felony Not Filed	-339	884	545	506	505	545	40
Special Programs	-101	327	226	196	195	226	31
SAFPF	-86	205	119	139	130	119	-11
Serv as Cond of Prob.	-37	51	14	18	14	14	0
Parole Violator only	-36	277	241	222	229	241	12
Misdemeanors pending	-29	176	147	155	152	147	-5
SJF-Serv Co.Jail (12.44a)	-25	36	11	13	13	11	-2
US Marshall	-22	111	89	95	88	89	1
Class C Misd. only	-17	17	0	0	0	0	0
Felony pend Grand Jury	-17	503	486	460	574	486	-88
Contempt in Jail	-16	17	1	0	0	1	1
Serving County Time	-13	26	13	16	12	13	1
Bench Warrants	-7	34	27	32	30	27	-3
STABLE							
Immigration	-5	8	3	5	7	3	-4
TDC<10yr/appeal	-4	14	10	11	10	10	0
TYC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

DEWR BUCKET MONTHLY AVERAGES

	Feb	Feb	Jan	Feb	2021
Felony not filed	19 335	20 884	21 505	21 545	Avg 525
Felony pend GJ	696	503	574	486	530
Fel.pend excl.SJF	1583	1769	2104	2180	2142
State Jail Fel only	229	279	285	303	294
PV-Felony	273	322	354	344	349
TDC over 10yrs	309	251	258	336	297
Bench Warrants	46	34	30	27	29
TDC <10y/appeal	16	14	10	10	10
Sentenced SJF	38	66	111	109	110
Sentd SJF/appeal	0	1	0	0	0
SJF-Serv Co Jail	63	36	13	11	12
Misdmnr not filed	116	92	77	66	72
Misdmnr filed- pend	139	176	152	147	150
PV-Misdmnr	0	0	2	1	2
Serv as Con of Prob.	50	51	14	14	14
Serv Co time/ fines	48	26	12	13	13
Serv fines/ fees only	0	1	0	0	0
Out of Co/State	73	51	102	90	96
Parole Vio.	267	277	229	241	235
SAFPF	208	205	130	119	125
Sp.Prgrms	163	327	195	226	211
Incompetent	154	195	271	262	267
US Marshall	47	111	88	89	89
Cntmpt-in Jail	21	17	0	1	1
Furlough	0	1	0	0	0
PEACE Bond	0	0	0	0	0
TYC hold	0	0	0	0	0
Immigration hold	7	8	7	3	5
Class C only	18	17	0	0	0
Contract	0	0		0	
			0		0
US Military	0	0	0	0	0
Default	51	68	70	66	68
Furlough added	4946	5782	5593	5690	5642
Jail Population Actual	4946	5781	5592	5690	5641

INTAKES	182	165	124	114	119
RELEASES	183	158	119	112	116
VARIANCE	1	-7	-5	-2	-4

DALLAS COUNTY PRETRIAL RELEASE SERVICES MONTHLY REPORT General Pretrial and Alcohol Monitoring Unit (AMU)

	FEB 20	JAN 21	FEB 21	MAR 21	APR 21	MAY 21	JUNE 21	JULY 21	AUG 21	SEP 21	OCT 21	NOV 21	DEC 21	<i>2021</i> AVG
AVG BOOKINS per day	165	124	114											119
Interviews	50													29
Cr. History	242													109
Bonds written	16	5	13											9
AVG BONDS per day	0.7	0.26	0.7											0
Bonds (collected)	13	2	5											4
Bonds (waived)	3	3	8											6
Bonds TOTAL	16	5	13											9
FEES (collected)	\$663	\$105	\$140											\$123
FEES (waived)	\$160	\$60	\$390											\$225
FEES TOTAL	\$823	\$165	\$530											\$348

Dallas County Pretrial Services

Alcohol Monitoring Unit February 2021 Statistical Summary Report

	Total Supervised	Count of Pending	Total New	Number of	Number of	Count of Violations	Count of	# of Verified	Count of Supervised	Supervison
Month/Year	Cases Start	Bond	Cases			Submitted to		Installations	Cases (End of	Fees
	Of Month	Orders	Activated		ul Closeouts		Completed	Completed	Month)	Collected
Feb-19	1302	333	151	121	4	262	143	105	1328	\$ 12,393.50
Feb-20	1300	364	124	111	5	209	118	124	1308	\$ 11,647.00
Jan-2021	1437	326	78	53	17	391	77	78	1445	\$ 12,280.00
Feb-2021	1445	277	56	65	11	304	51	52	1425	\$ 10,273.00
Re-Arrest	1									

Dallas County Pre Trial Services Alternative Sentencing Program (ASP) and Bond/Electronic Monitoring Program Statistical Summary Report

February 2021

CASELOAD INFORMATION

Beginning Client Count Total Clients That Started The Program Total Cases Closed

Closed Successfully Closed Unsuccessfully

Total Clients at End of Month

02-21	02-21	02-21	02-21
ASP	Bond	Ch. Sup	TOTAL
11	754	0	765
14	113	0	127
18	84	0	102
17	46	0	63
1	38	0	39
7	783	0	790

ASP	Bond	Ch. Sup	Total 9-01-09 -
TOTAL	TOTAL	TOTAL	02-28-21
3	3	9(5/13)	15
2,191	4,607	89	6,887
2,187	3,827	98	6,112
2,150	2,277	74	4,501
37	1,550	24	1,611

DALLAS COUNTY FUNDS SAVED

ELM Days Served/Jail Bed Days Saved Cost of Jail Bed Per Day TOTAL JAIL BED EXPENSES SAVED

02-21							
21,404							
\$	59.18						
\$1,266	,688.72						

Total 09-01-09 - 02-28-21
623,736
SEE ADDENDUM
\$37,690,360.25

JAIL BED COST SAVINGS ADDENDUM

Time Period	Cost per Day	Days	Total Cost Saved
9/09	\$55.60	393	\$ 21,850.80
10/09 to 9/10	\$48.49	7,589	\$ 367,990.61
10/10 to 09/11	\$57.49	16,277	\$ 934,212.50
10/11 to 09/12	\$53.13	23,536	\$ 1,250,467.68
10/12 to 09/13	\$56.29	30,368	\$ 1,709,414.72
10/13 to 9/14	\$62.46	41,130	\$ 2,568,979.80
10/14 to 9/15	\$63.11	40,706	\$ 2,568,955.66
10/15 to 9/16	\$69.38	40,517	\$ 2,811,069.46
10/16 to 9/17	\$71.08	44,636	\$ 3,209,845.88
10/17 to 9/18	\$55.36	56,163	\$ 3,108,408.64
10/18 to 9/19	\$59.99	71,963	\$ 4,317,060.37
10/19 to 9/20	\$59.18	146,998	\$ 8,699,341.41
10/20 to 02/21	\$59.18	103,460	\$ 6,122,762.72
TOTAL	-	623,736	\$37,690,360.25



TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

CRIME RECORDS SERVICE

County Combined Completeness Percentage for DALLAS County as of 03/08/2021

	Adult					Juvenile				
Reported Year	Total Charges Reported	Charges Disposed by Prosecutors	Charges Disposed by Courts	Total Disposed	Completeness Percentage	reported	Charges Disposed by Prosecutors	Charges Disposed by Courts	Total Disposed	Completeness Percentage
2015	56,955	2,165	52,049	54,214	95%	3,721	690	2,920	3,610	97%
2016	58,099	2,892	52,152	55,044	94%	3,170	571	2,389	2,960	93%
2017	59,356	2,985	51,859	54,844	92%	3,305	560	2,505	3,065	92%
2018	61,093	5,156	46,790	51,946	85%	3,135	609	2,325	2,934	93%
2019	60,424	8,393	29,079	37,472	62%	3,238	858	1,944	2,802	86%
Total	295,927	21,591	231,929	253,520	85%	16,569	3,288	12,083	15,371	92%