



JUDICIAL SUMMIT ON MENTAL HEALTH

INTRO TO MENTAL HEALTH & IDD DATA & INFORMATION SHARING FOR COURTS & PRETRIAL AGENCIES

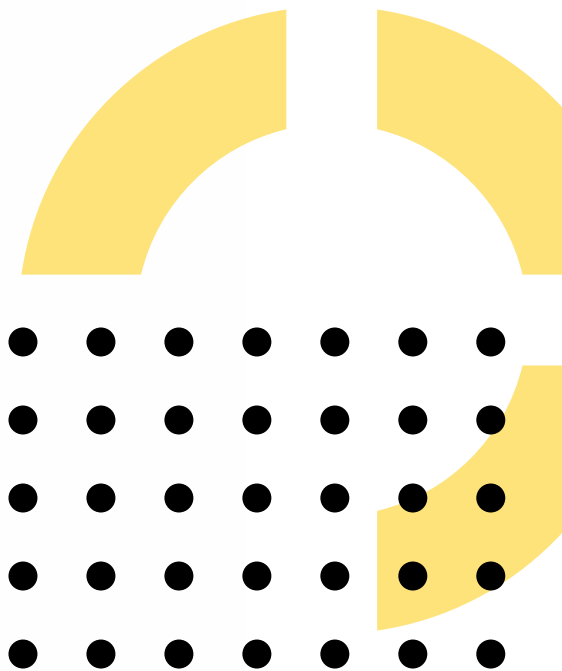


Domingo Corona, Arizona Superior Court in Pima County



Objectives

- **Explore the basics** of pretrial data and outcome measures, along with a systematic approach to data management.
- **Discover tips** for compiling and accessing data, as well as building relationships to enhance data sets.
- **Introduction to pretrial communication strategies**, focusing on engaging stakeholders to promote advancement and secure funding.
- **Cultivate confidence and skills** necessary for leveraging data as a new executive.
- **Discover how to incorporate voluntary support services** to enhance outcomes

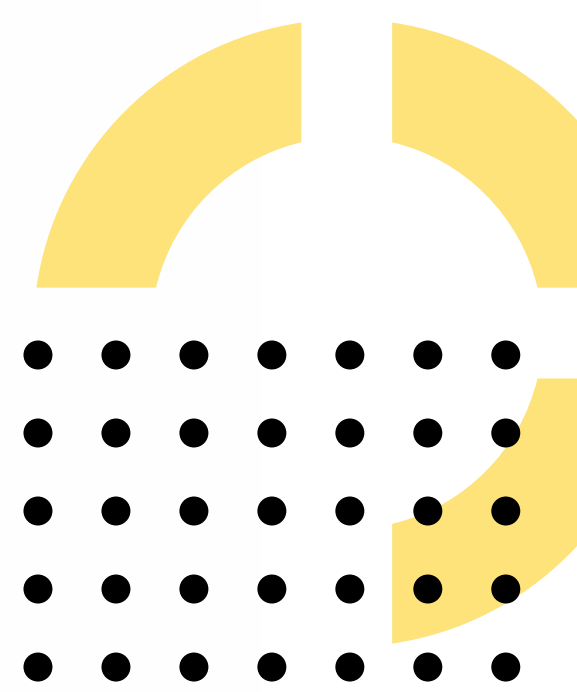


Creating a
Data -Informed
Pretrial System



“Use Data as a Guide. It isn't enough to gather data; the data has to be analyzed, shared, and used to identify the specific improvements needed and to develop an improvement plan. Once improvements are in place, it's important for agencies to continue tracking performance data to ensure the improvements are successful.”

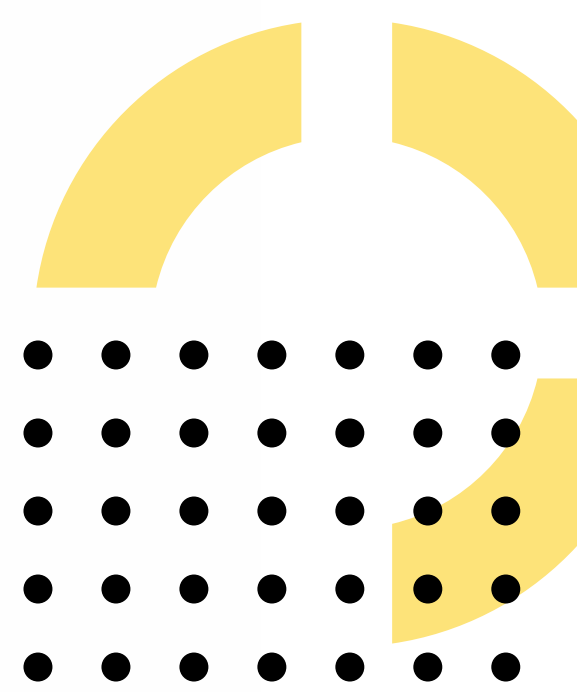
-The Carey Foundation





“A ‘success -based’ pretrial supervision protocol emphasizes successful outcomes as a goal, encourages individualized conditions of supervision, and includes interventions to deal with court nonappearance, reoffending, and noncompliance.”

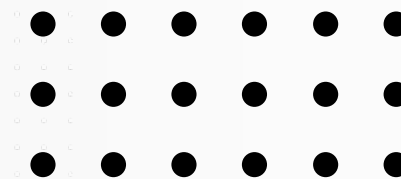
-Promoting Pretrial Success



Importance of Data

ENSURING PROGRAM EFFECTIVENESS & EFFICIENCY

- **Regular Evaluation:** Assess program performance through systematic analysis.
- **Identify Strengths & Areas for Improvement:** Pinpoint areas of success and opportunities for enhancement.
- **Data -Driven Enhancements:** Utilize data insights to implement strategic program modifications.
- **Optimize Outcomes:** ·Refine processes and strategies to achieve optimal program goals.
- **Efficient Resource Allocation:** ·Distribute resources effectively based on data ·-driven priorities.



The Power of Partnerships



Highlight Impact

Showcase how programs have improved public safety and empowered participants through support services, leading to better outcomes



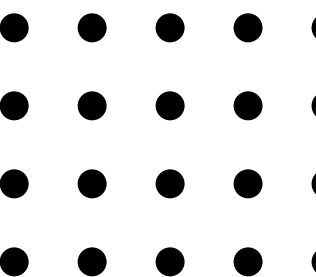
Leverage Data

Utilize data-driven insights to quantify the success rates and societal benefits of Pretrial Services



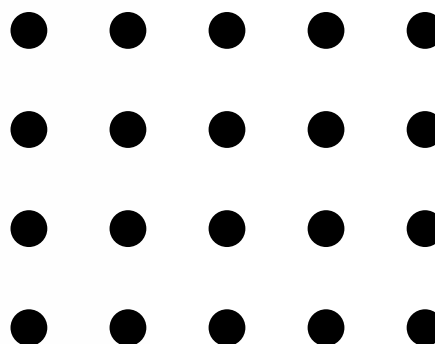
Engage Stakeholders

Foster collaboration with community leaders and policymakers to demonstrate the value and necessity of continued funding and support



How Pretrial Data Benefits Local Agencies

- Monitor program performance and effectiveness
- Measure the effect of policy and population changes
- Prioritize community safety with real-time monitoring
- Analyze community-specific outcomes and compare to local control groups
- Ensure policy and standards match practices
- Support continued funding and staffing requests
- Build stakeholder confidence and engagement to support program advancement and utilization



Roadmap for Data -Driven Pretrial Leadership



Baseline Analysis

- What data do you have?
- Baseline jail analysis
- System mapping and data inventory



Identify Missing Data

- What data is missing?
- Conduct Gap Analysis
- Build partnerships to access missing data



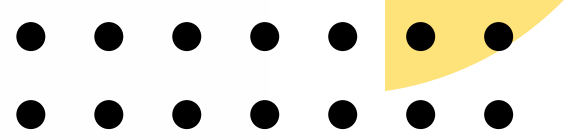
Data Collection & Management

- Efficient collection & maintenance
- Secure case management system
- Statewide integration



Evaluation and Communication

- Regularly review & share data
- Inform program advancement and stakeholder engagement



Types of Pretrial System Data

- **Outcome & Performance Measures:** Appearance, Safety, and Success Rates
 - **Jail Population Data:** Percent of Pretrial Defendants Held, Impact on Capacity, Risk Analysis
 - **Decision -Making Data:** Presumption of Release, i.e., Release Rate, Percentage of Release Decisions and Recommendations that Match Release Protocol
 - **Population & Demographic Data:** Race and Equity Measures, Alleged Offense Types
 - **Administrative Data:** Caseload Ratios, Measures of Program Utilization and Growth
 - **Community Impact & Cost Savings:** Diverted Incarceration Expenses, Intangible Benefits to Participants and the Community
 - **Supportive Services:** Number of Community - Based Referrals, Percentage of Participants Engaging in Voluntary Services and Impact on Success
 - **Feedback:** Client and Stakeholder Feedback
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Performance Measurement



Types of Performance Measures

Output Measures

Quantitative measure of activity or work

Examples: number of arrests resulting in incarceration, number of assessments and releases

Outcome Measures

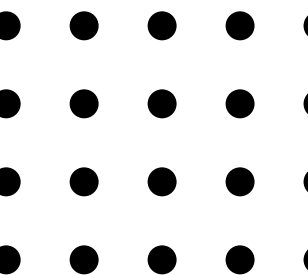
Measure of intended results or outcomes

Example: Reduction in instances of noncompliance or recidivism, Appearance Rate

Efficiency Measures

Effect of system and agency resources on program or goals

Examples: Cost analysis, program utilization, reduction in jail population, caseload ratios



Key Pretrial Measures

▶ Court Appearance Rate

The percentage of released pretrial defendants who attend all scheduled court appearances.

▶ Public Safety Rate

The percentage of released pretrial defendants who are not charged with a new criminal offense that occurred during the pretrial stage.

▶ Return to Incarceration Rate

The percentage of pretrial defendants who subsequently returned to incarceration during the pretrial stage.

▶ Success Rate

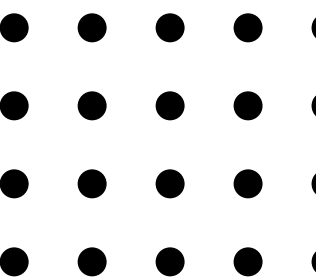
The percentage of released pretrial defendants who attend all scheduled court appearances and are not arrested or charged with a new criminal offense

▶ Pretrial Detainee Length of Stay

The average length of stay in jail for assessed pretrial defendants after initial arrest.

▶ No New Violent Crime Rate

The percentage of pretrial defendants who do not commit a new violent offense while under pretrial supervision.



Decision -Making Measures

▶ Court Decision Concurrence

The percentage of pretrial defendants whose court -ordered release or detention status corresponds with their release protocol.

▶ Recommendation Rate

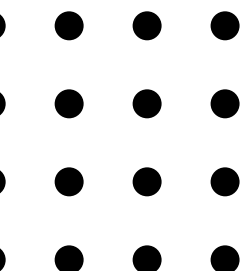
The percentage of a PSA's recommendations that correspond with their assessed risk of pretrial misconduct and release protocol.

▶ Court Order Concurrence

The percentage of pretrial defendants whose court order matches the pretrial release agency's recommendation.

▶ Release Rate

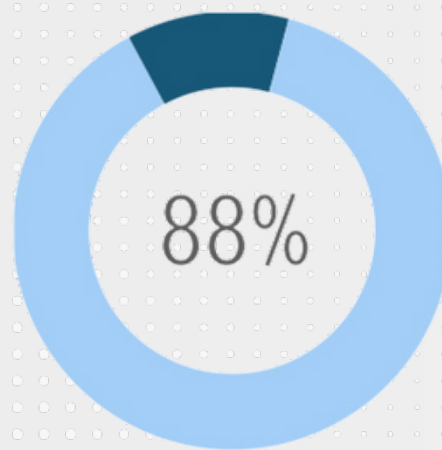
The percentage of assessed pretrial defendants who secure release during the pretrial stage.



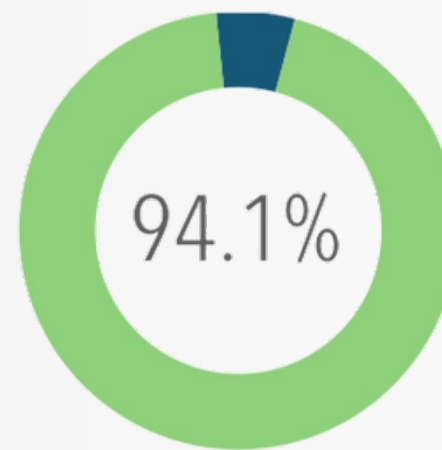
Analyze and Interpret Your Data

- **Identify Trends**
 - Use data analysis tools to find trends and patterns within your collected data, which will help you draw conclusions about your program's effectiveness.
- **Compare Before and After**
 - Use baseline data to show the state before your program and then use outcome data to demonstrate the positive changes and growth

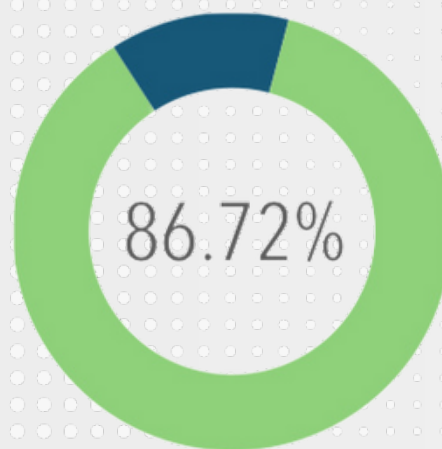




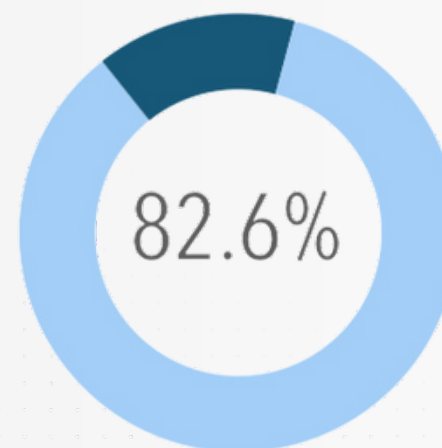
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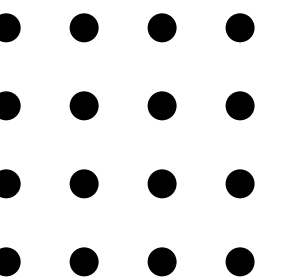
Court Appearance Rate:
The percentage of released pretrial defendants who were assessed and who attend all scheduled pretrial court appearances.



Public Safety Rate:
The percentage of released pretrial defendants who were assessed and who are not charged with a new criminal offense during the pretrial stage.

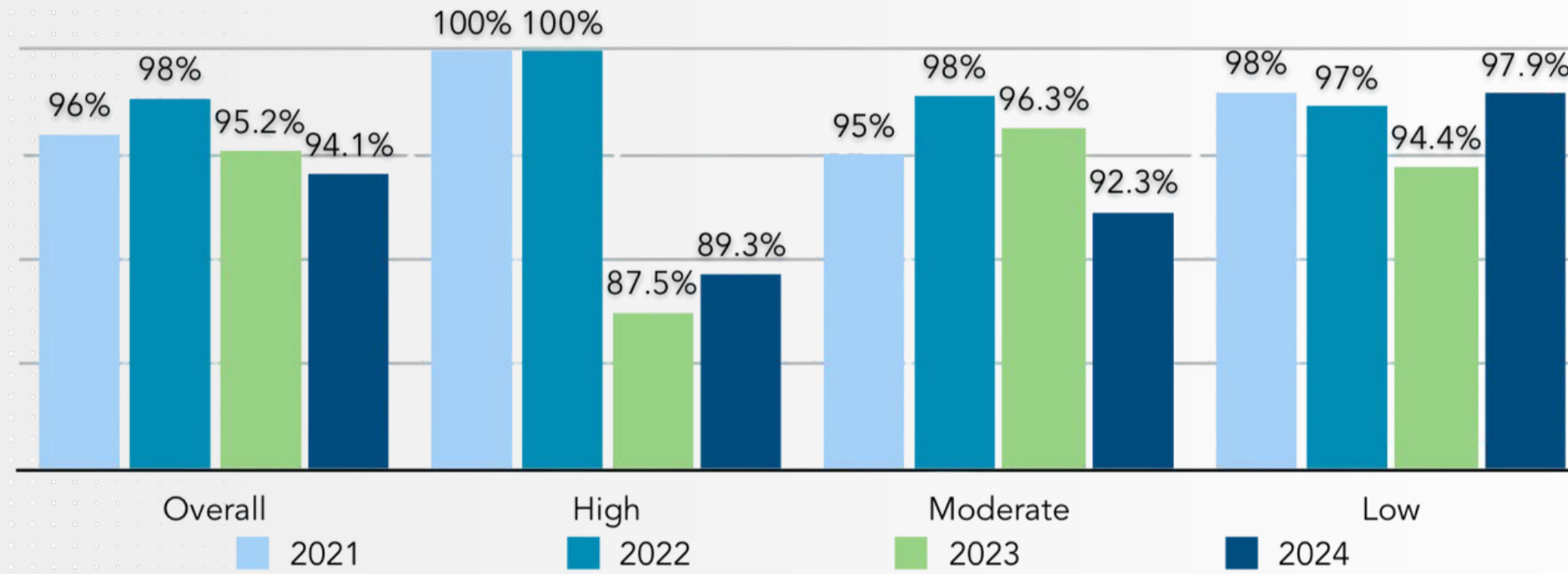


Success Rate:
The percentage of released pretrial defendants who were assessed and who attend all scheduled pretrial court appearances and are not charged with a new criminal offense during the pretrial stage.

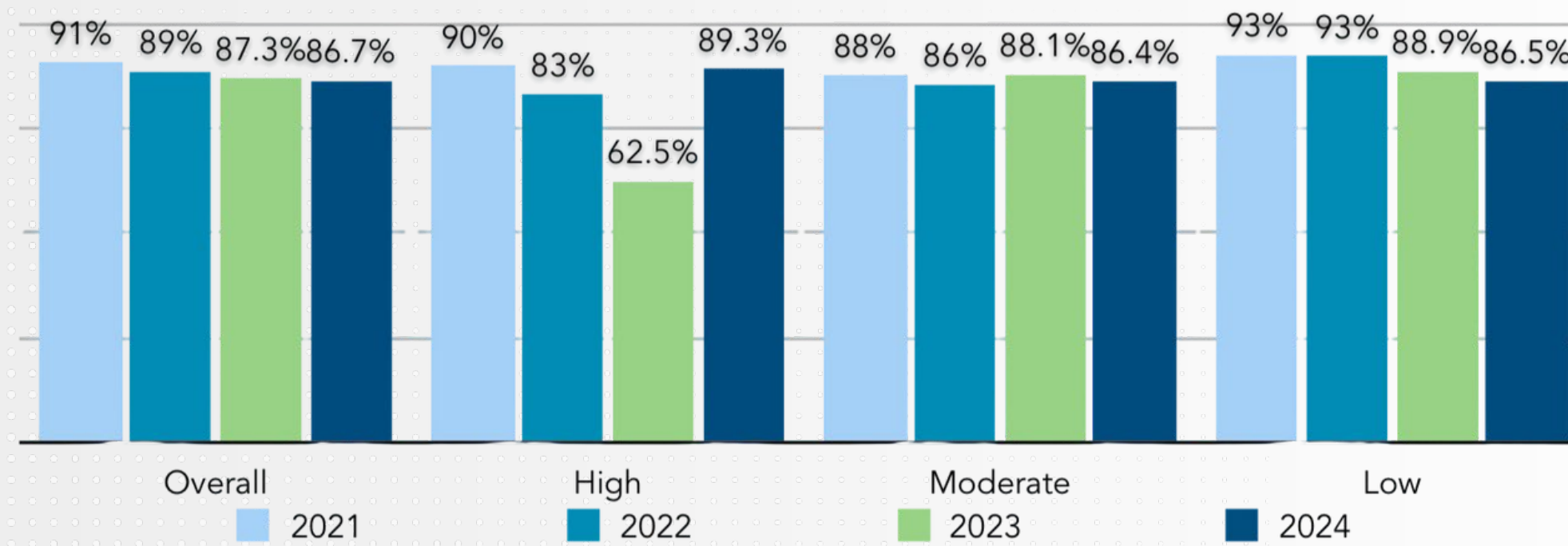


PERFORMANCE MEASURES TRENDS

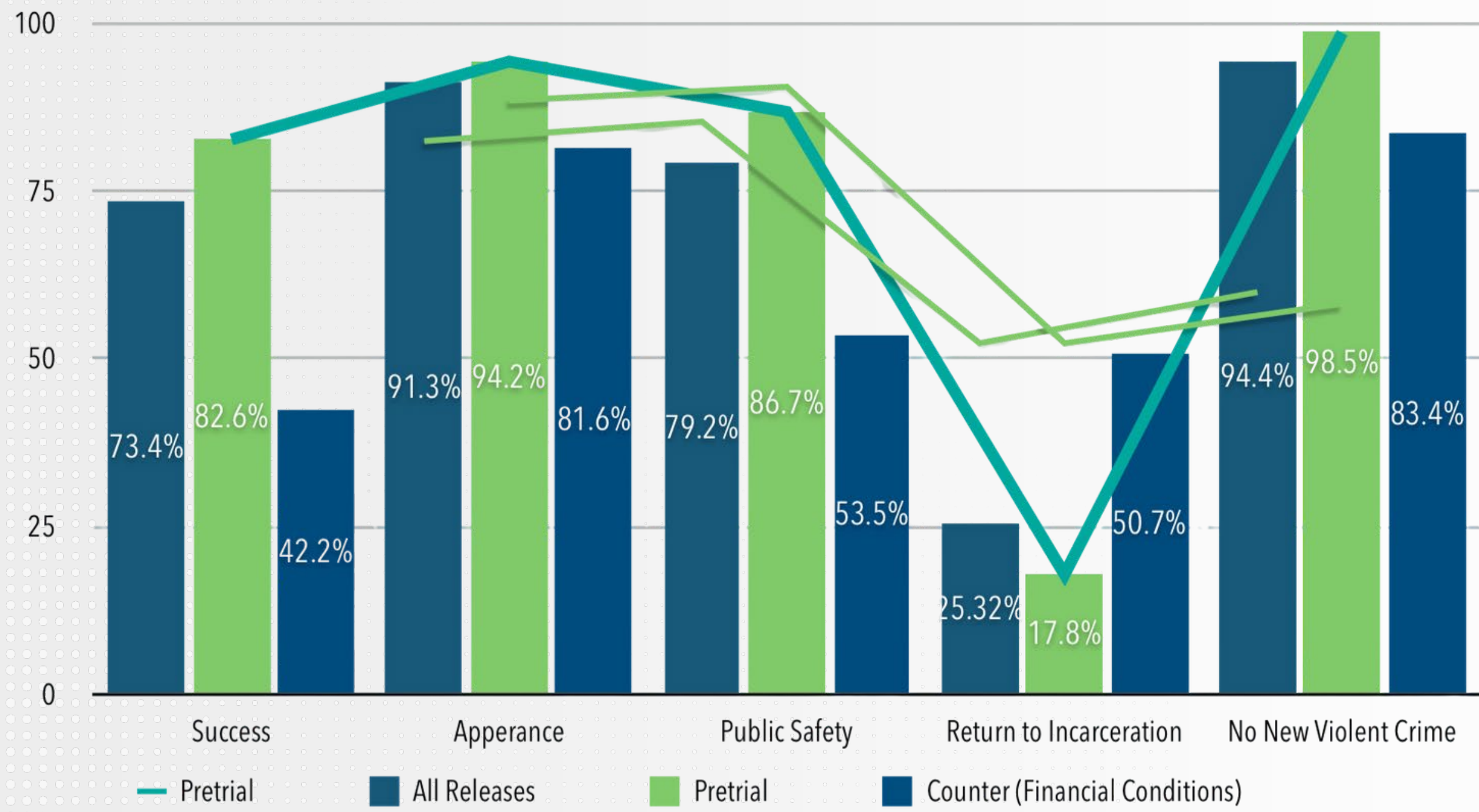
2021-2024 Apperance Rate Trend Analysis



2021-2024 Safety Rate Analysis



PRETRIAL SUPERVISION VS COUNTER POPULATION PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS





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Illustrating Impact

Stakeholder Communication

Data isn't meant to be hidden or not acted upon; effectively communicating data with stakeholders to promote program advancement is the key to the success of any Pretrial Executive.

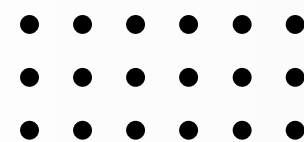
REMINDER!

Good communication skills will foster transparency, trust, and collaboration.



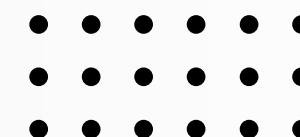
Storytelling with Data

- Structure your communications with a beginning, middle, and end to create an engaging narrative.
- Combine the numerical data with human interest stories and client testimonials to make your impact relatable and memorable.
- Include tangible and intangible benefits of your program to illustrate a more meaningful impact.
- Don't just show numbers; explain what they mean and why they matter to your audience.



Choose the Right Visualizations

- **Graphs and Charts** : Use bar charts, line charts, and other visualizations to present trends and comparisons effectively.
- **Infographics** : Combine visuals, shapes, and minimal text to create easily digestible summaries of your findings.
- **Tables**: Present detailed data in a structured format.
- **Newsletters** : Create one -paggers to make data more digestible and less overwhelming for stakeholders
- **Dashboard**: Provide real -time access to key performance measures



AUGUST 2025 REVIEW

CASS COUNTY COURT & PRETRIAL SERVICES

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"Serving the community by using evidence-based practices and needs-based supervision that prioritizes public safety, maximizes court appearance and reduces recidivism, while protecting the presumption of innocence."

CURRENT OVERVIEW:

In July, Pretrial Services served a total of 150 clients. These clients accounted for 4,680 days or 12.8 years in jail bed stays. To date the department has served 289 clients in 2025, 80% of the 2024 population served. The department continues to project a 20% increase in clients for 2025.

The program currently has 117 active clients, with an July average daily population of 151, a 15% increase. The majority of the current caseload, 60%, involves felony charges. Additionally, the program completed 39 arrestee evaluations and recommendations, including IRAS-PAT assessments, in the last month. There were also 27 new clients added to the program in July. Currently, we have an 88% Release Rate. 25 clients successfully completed the program.

65 clients, 55% of our population, are participating in voluntary individual counseling with our PAK Therapeutic Team. We currently have 3 clients voluntarily participating in inpatient treatment. We have secured 69 clients voluntary beds and admissions into inpatient treatment in 2025 thus far.

JAIL ANALYSIS:

The July Jail Analysis showed that 15% of inmates are classified as Pre-Adjudication. The Cass County Jail population is 167 inmates: 134 Cass County, 22 Howard County, 11 IDOC. Currently, with expansion, the jail is at 54% capacity. It is estimated that without Pretrial Services the jail would be at 92% capacity. The low risk population is currently 4%, a 25% reduction in the past month. 51% of the population are identified as high risk, illustrating the reservation of jail resources for high risk inmates and maximized risk-based release decisions.

COST SAVINGS:

CCCPS has diverted an estimated \$4,680 per day in incarceration expenses, resulting in a reported cost savings of \$162,640 for July. Due to this reservation of jail resources, the CCJ can now house inmates from other facilities, generating an additional \$26,080 in revenue. Approximately 20% of the jail population is eligible to produce billable revenue. Our services continue to demonstrate positive impacts, with an estimated mid-year cost savings of \$1,225,870.00.

POPULATION ANALYSIS:

Monthly Clients Served 13 Month Trend Analysis



Offense Level & Case Type	Total
Misdemeanors	58
Level 6 Felonies	78
High Level Felonies	7
Special Conditions of Bond	10
Probation Violators	47
Weekly Reporting	32%
GPS Monitoring	0
Percent Felonies	60%
Total Active Cases	143

Case Type Analysis



CASS COUNTY LOCAL JRAC:

The next Cass County Local JRAC Meeting will be held on August 19, 2025. We are continuing to review local county budgets and fiscal needs, in addition to expanding the therapeutic continuum of care.

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PERFORMANCE METRICS:

All our performance metrics have remained stable and fall above or within State Standards. Below are our current metrics.



Appearance Rate: percentage of defendants who attended all court hearings during their pretrial period



Safety Rate: the percentage of defendants who were not charged with a new offense during their pretrial period



Success Rate: the percentage of defendants who have not had an FTA, violation or committed a new offense while under supervision



Violation Rate: the percentage of defendants who received a technical violation



No New Violent Crime Rate: the percentage of defendants who were not charged with a new violent offense during their pretrial period



Voluntary Program Participation Rate: the percentage of defendants participating in voluntary programming and services

NOTABLE UPDATES AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

- We are delighted to continue our partnership with Justice System Partners, proudly standing as the only pretrial agency in the country to have implemented the CRMC. Our staff is diligently working towards earning their Justice System Coaching Certifications, and we are excited to announce that our AI Case Management Software will be launching in the coming weeks.

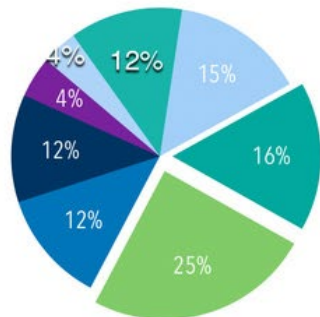
Prepared August 14, 2025, Hillary Hartoin, Director

AUGUST 2025 CASS COUNTY JAIL ANALYSIS

Prepared by Cass County Court & Pretrial Services

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August Population Analysis



- Pre-Adjudication
- Serving Sentence
- Probation/CPCC/PT Violations
- Bond Revocations
- FTA Warrants
- Other
- Housed for Outside County

Currently, the Cass County Jail population is 167 inmates, a 2% increase; 134 Cass County, a 6% increase, 22 Howard County, 11 IDOC. 20% of the jail is non-local housing. The jail is operating at 54% capacity including inmates held for IDOC/Howard. The July average daily population was 167 inmates with a high of 176 and low of 158. 169 inmates, an 26% increase, were booked into the jail in July. This month's jail analysis shows that 15% of inmates are classified as Pre-Adjudication, 25% are Probation/Pretrial/Community Corrections Violations, 16% are serving an Executed Sentence, 12% are being held on FTA Warrants, 12% are held on Bond Revocations, 12%, 22 inmates, are held for other counties, 4% Parole and 4% fall into the other category, which consists of out-of-county, civil warrants, etc.

In July, the jail housed 28 inmates from the Howard County Jail for a total of 652 days at a per diem of \$40 per day for a total month's revenue of \$26,080.

Community Supervision Violators make up the largest sector of the local population, with 44 inmates held on a pending violation or hold, a 26% increase. 20 are held on pending Probation Violations, with 57% having an additional pending cause/new offense. Currently, 15 inmates are being held on pending Community Corrections Violations, 7 Work Release and 9 Home Detention, while 7 inmates are being held on pending Pretrial Release Violations. 34%, 42 inmates, of those held on a pending cause were arrested with an additional new offense or have multiple cases that elevate their risk to public safety and the community. Inmates serving an executed sentence make up the second largest local sector of the population with 29 inmates. 57% of the population classified as pre-adjudication have a warrant/hold that excludes them from pretrial release, without judicial override.

The pre-adjudication population is 15% and those detained have been assessed to be a high risk to public safety. The Pretrial Release Program's current release rate is 87%.

Inmate Population 18 Month Trend Analysis



Know Your Audience

- **Tailor the Message:**
 - Adapt your data, and narrative to suit different audiences, whether they are judges, law enforcement, stakeholders, or the community .
 - Use language and examples that resonate with your audience's experiences and values.
- **Use Simple Language :**
 - Avoid jargon and technical terms when presenting to non -expert audiences.
 - Opt for clear, simple visualizations that are easy to understand at a glance.
- **Demonstrate Relevance:**
 - Show how the impact directly affects them or their concerns.
 - Tailor the presentation to your specific audience by balancing data with engaging storytelling, and ensure your data helps tell a clear story that aligns with their strategic objectives



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COST SAVINGS & COMMUNITY IMPACT ANALYSIS

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While the primary focus of Pretrial Services remains to ensure jail resources are reserved for those who truly pose a risk to public safety or flight, one cannot overlook the local monetary savings incurred and the intangible benefits to participants, such as the ability to return to their families and employment and the opportunity to participate in support services pre-disposition. In addition, the Court Services Department provides further fiscal benefit to the county in the multiple grants awarded for various areas in the Criminal Justice System. The purpose of the Cost Savings and Community Impact Analysis is to illustrate the fiscal savings and community impact of the program by analyzing local diversions, community services provided and additional grant funding awarded.

\$1,721,120
Total Cost Savings in 2024

The costs savings for 2024 is calculated by multiplying the total number of days adult clients were supervised by the daily per diem.

118
Years in Jail Bed Stays Diverted

The agency diverted 118 years in jail bed stays in 2024. Jail Bed Stays Diverted is calculated by dividing the total days supervised by 365 days.

\$524,160
Jail Bed Revenue Generated

Due to the reduction in the jail population caused by the pretrial release program, the Cass County Jail housed 548 inmates from the Wabash, Carroll, and Howard County jails for a total of 13,114 days, generating \$524,160 in revenue that reverted back to the County General Fund in 2024.

\$1,063,230
2025 Mid-Year Cost Savings

\$182,440
2025 Mid-Year Jail Bed Revenue Generated

***Local Cost Savings is calculated by multiplying the Total Days Supervised by the \$40 daily per diem cost to house an inmate in local jail. The Juvenile Detention Cost Savings is calculated using the \$200 daily average rate to house an individual in secure detention facility.

82%
2024 Total Cost Savings Rate

The Cost Savings Rate is the percentage of the Total Cost Savings remaining after subtracting the Annual Operating Cost.

43,028
Days Supervised in 2024

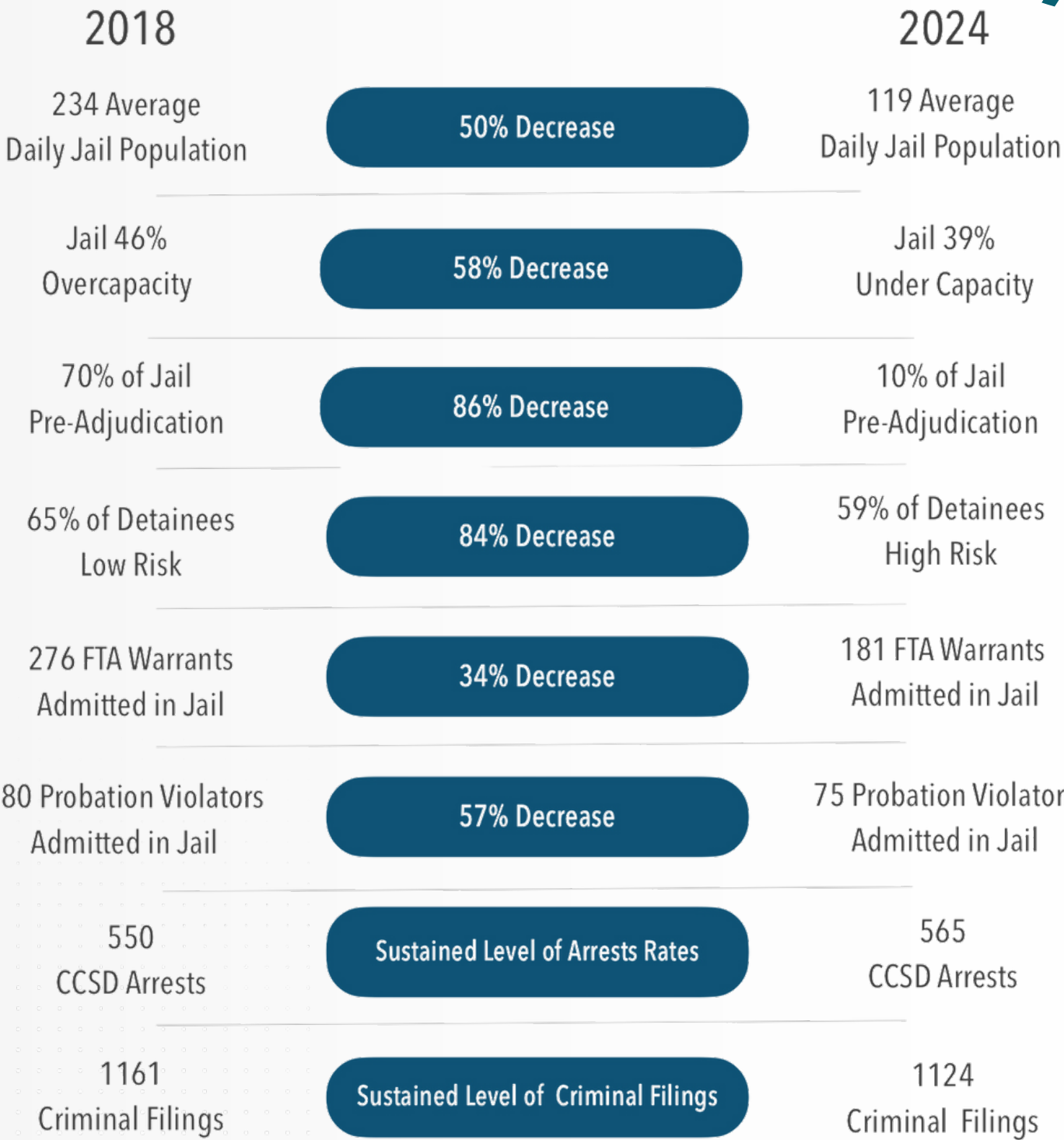
In 2024, the agency supervised 363 individual clients for a total of 43,028 days. The agency saw an 20.1% increase in days supervised in 2024 and 30.6% increase in clients served.

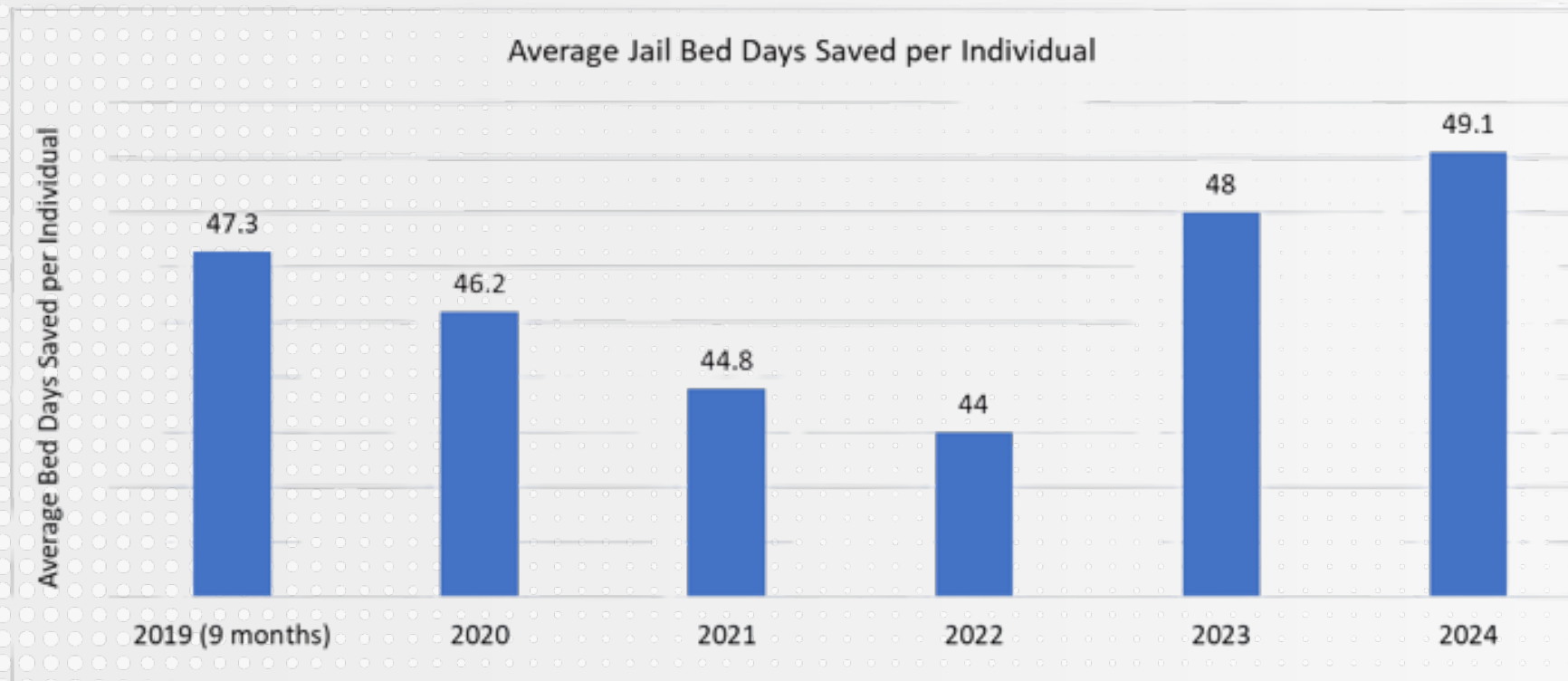
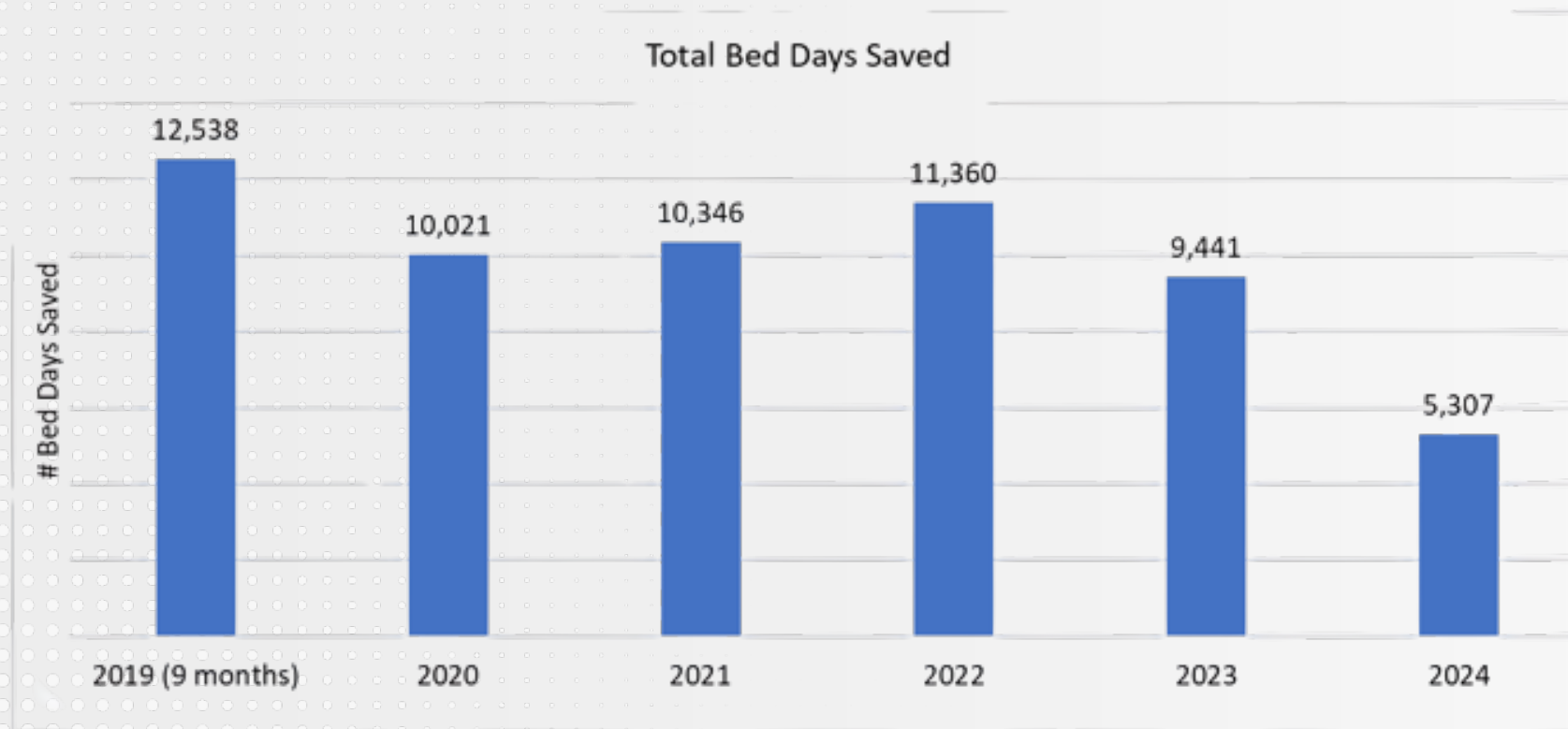
\$1,122,577.00
New Grant Revenue Awarded in 2024

Court Services generated over \$1,122,577.00 in new funding in 2024. Court Services has written and been awarded over \$6.6 million in new grant funding/revenue for the County in the past six years

26,560
2025 Mid-Year Days Supervised

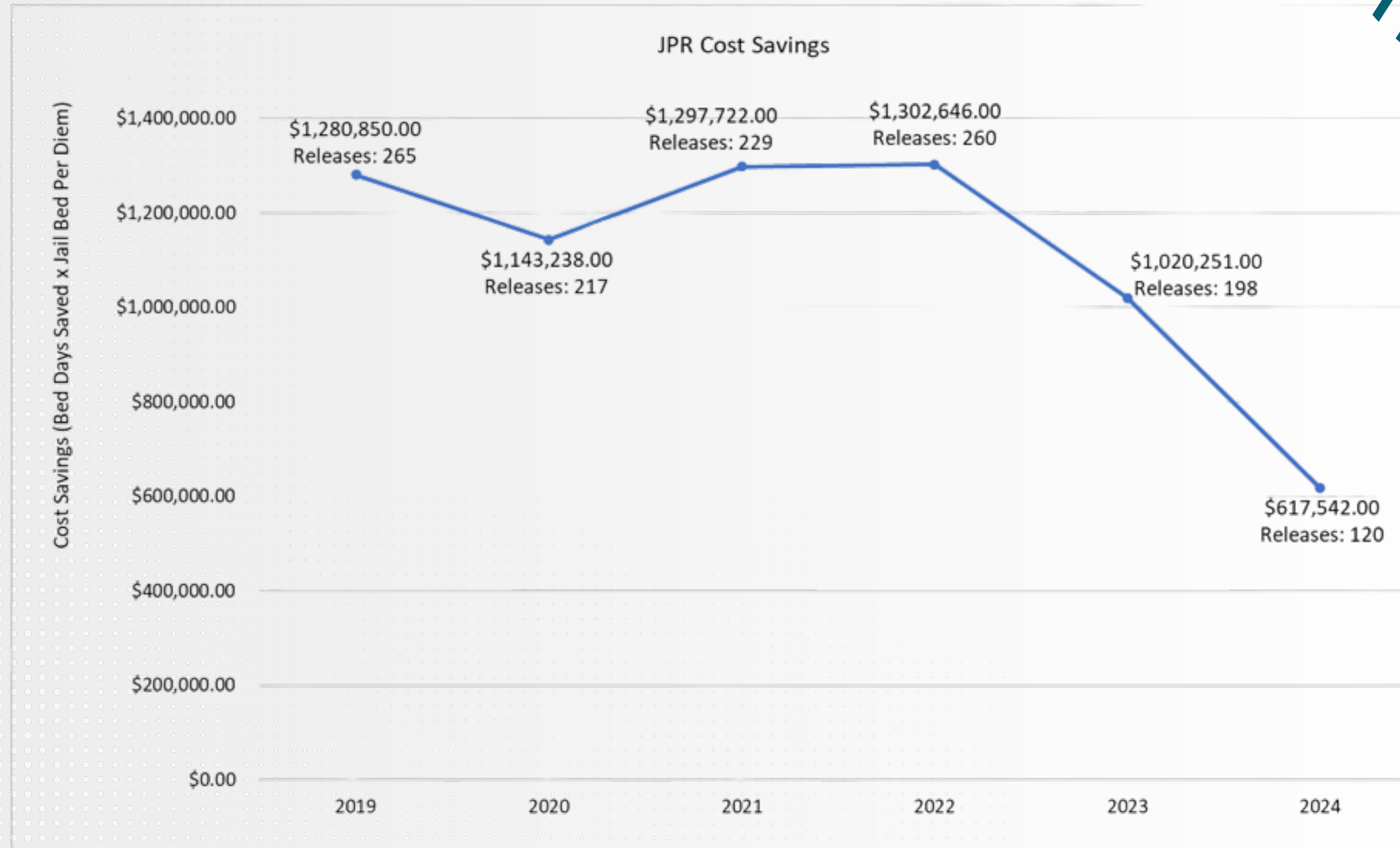
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2025 Mid-Year Jail Bed Stays Diverted





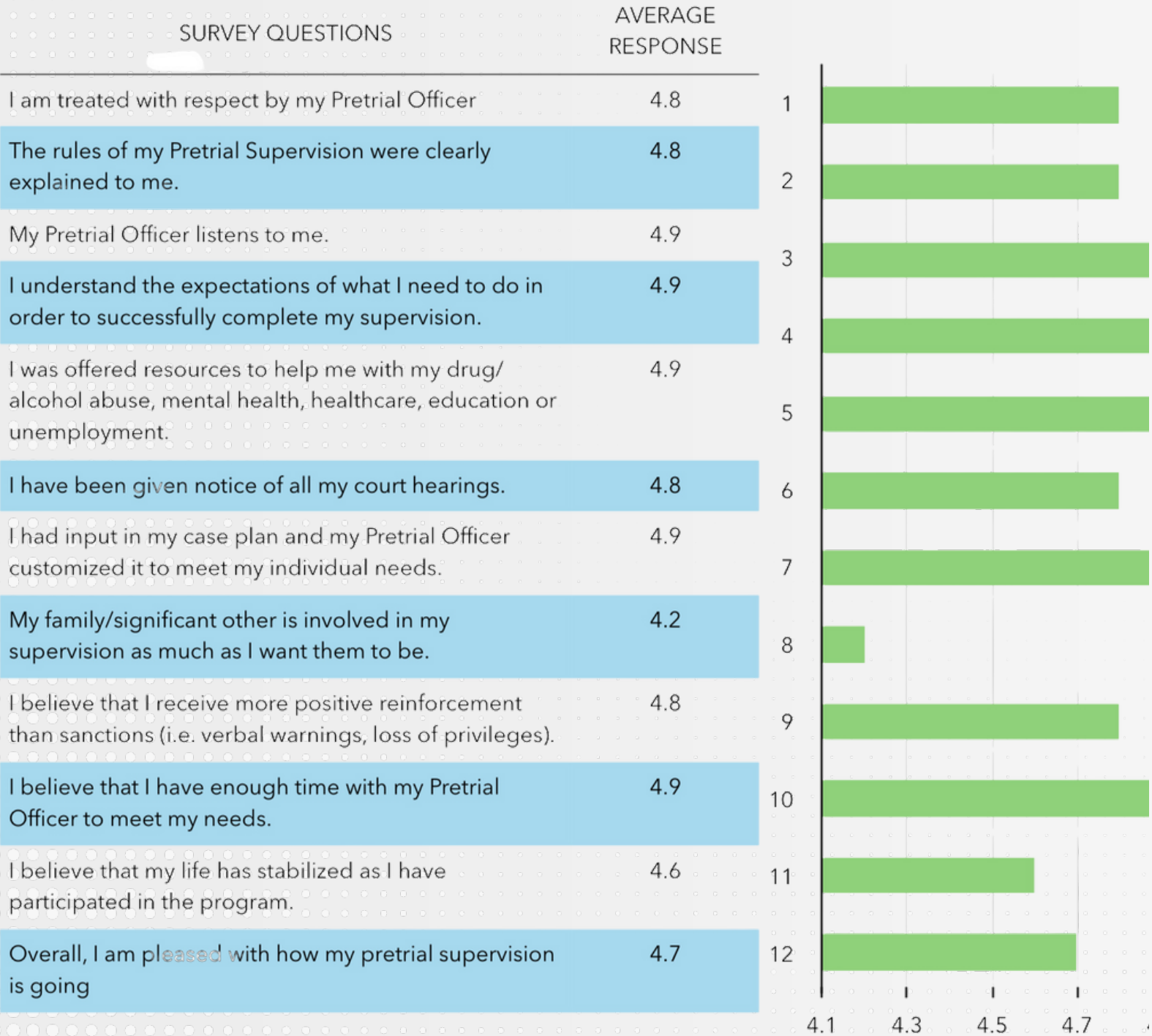
- # Total bed days saved to date: 59,045
Average bed days saved per year to date: 9,840

- # Average bed days saved per individual per year to date: 46.7



JPR cost savings over six years: \$6,662,249

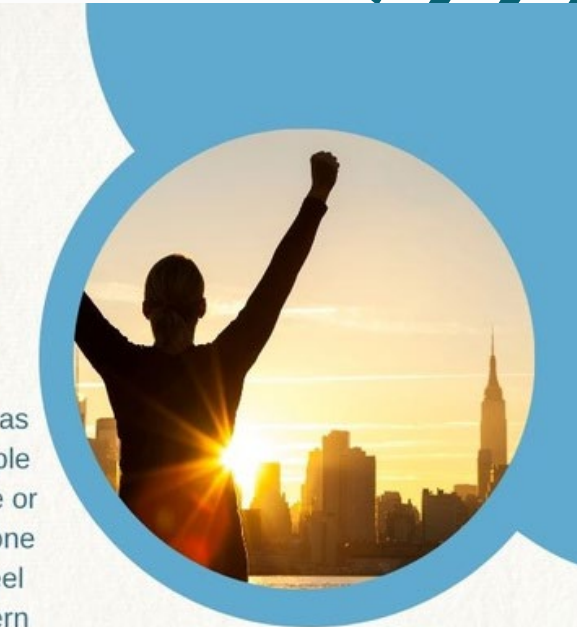
CLIENT SATISFACTION SURVEY RESULTS



SCALE: (5) Strongly Agree, (4) Agree, (3) Neither Agree or Disagree, (2) Disagree, (1) Strongly Disagree

CLIENT TESTIMONIALS

"The best program I have been part of that has been offered by the state. With the best people running it. I couldn't ask for them to show me or do any more for me than what they do. It is one time the state has had someone make me feel that they have act out of true care and concern and not just acted cause it was there job and or it was standard protocol . All you ever want is to be treated fairly and with some respect and this program gives you both. "



YOU CAN BE SUCCESSFUL

"This is the first time I've been treated with respect, not punished for my addiction. I actually feel I can be honest without fear. What a chance to do better."

"They helped me start a new chapter in my life in the most positive way."



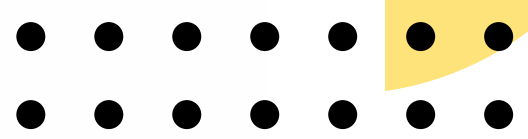
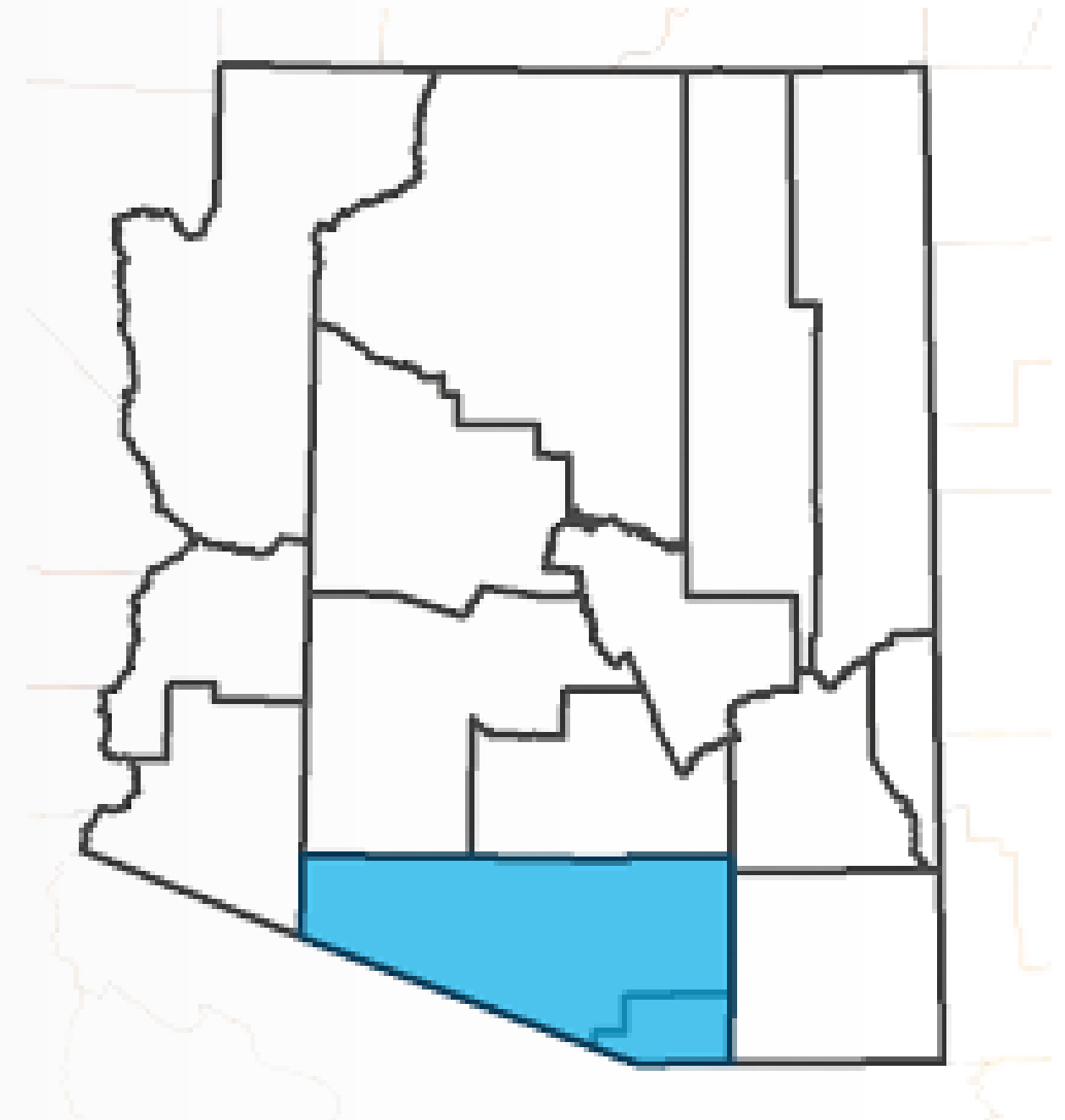


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Supportive Services

Pima County, Arizona

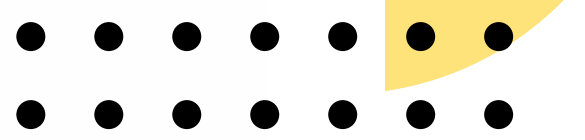
- 1.063 million (2023)
- Pretrial Services: A distinct division of the Superior Court
- initial Appearance Unit
- Universal Screening:
 - Pre-booking function
 - PSA Court Tool
 - Supplemental BH/SA screening
 - Release Conditions Matrix (APPR)
- Supervision Unit: Guided by the RCM
- Daily caseload: Ranged from 1,300 to 2,000 over the past few years
- Before incorporating supportive services: Standard community supervision relied on drug testing, offered limited referrals, and experienced a higher technical violation rate.



County Transition Center

- Focus on Misdemeanor Charges
- Transition Center Handoff
- Feedback from Justice System and Community Partners
 - Create opportunities to connect individuals released from custody to essential services (treatment, housing, etc.)





County Transition Center

Transition Center Role

- Not a treatment intervention; rather, it serves as a conduit to resources
- Provides information and enhances access to services and opportunities aimed at breaking the cycle of incarceration

Data Collection

- Gather data to identify the most effective interventions

Success Measurement

- Evaluate success through reductions in re-arrest rates and increases in court appearances
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Jail Population Review Committee & STEPs Diversion

New Model for Supervision and Team Decision -Making

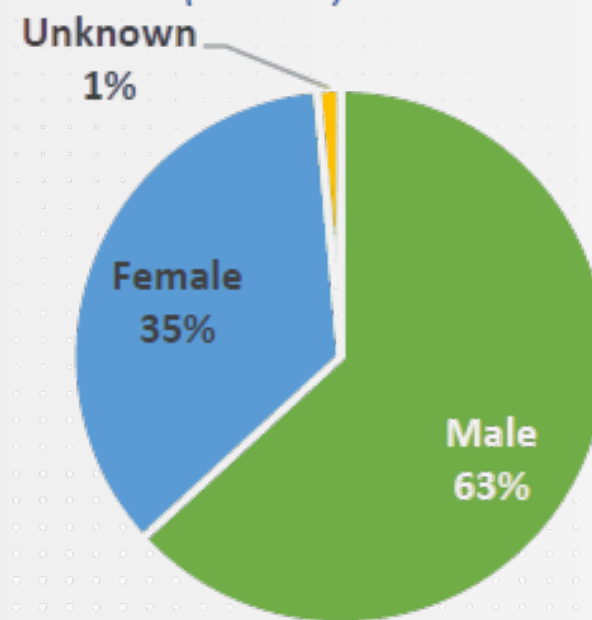
- **Cooperative Stakeholder Teams** : This includes roles such as Prosecutor, Defense, Pretrial Services, Probation, Community Members, Peer Support Specialists, and the County Justice Services Team.
- **Pretrial Team** : Comprising the Pretrial Supportive Services Specialist, Pretrial Services Officer, Student Intern, and a Peer Navigator (funded through an external organization).
- **Key Component** : There are no treatment conditions included in the Conditions of Release.
 - **Referrals, Assessments, and Treatment** : These are monitored by Pretrial Services, with success measured by court appearances and maintaining a record free of arrests (JPR caseload).

Figure 22: Discharge by Percent (N=282)



Figure 23: Gender by Discharge Type (N=282)

Successful Graduates
(n=144)



Unsuccessful Discharges
(n=138)

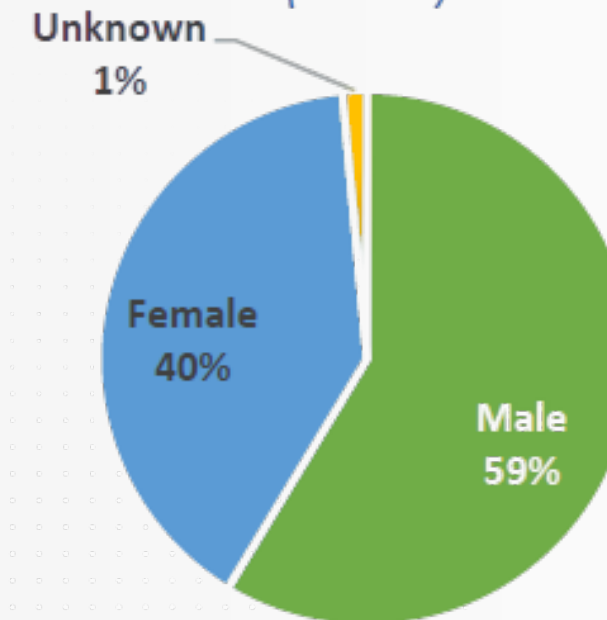
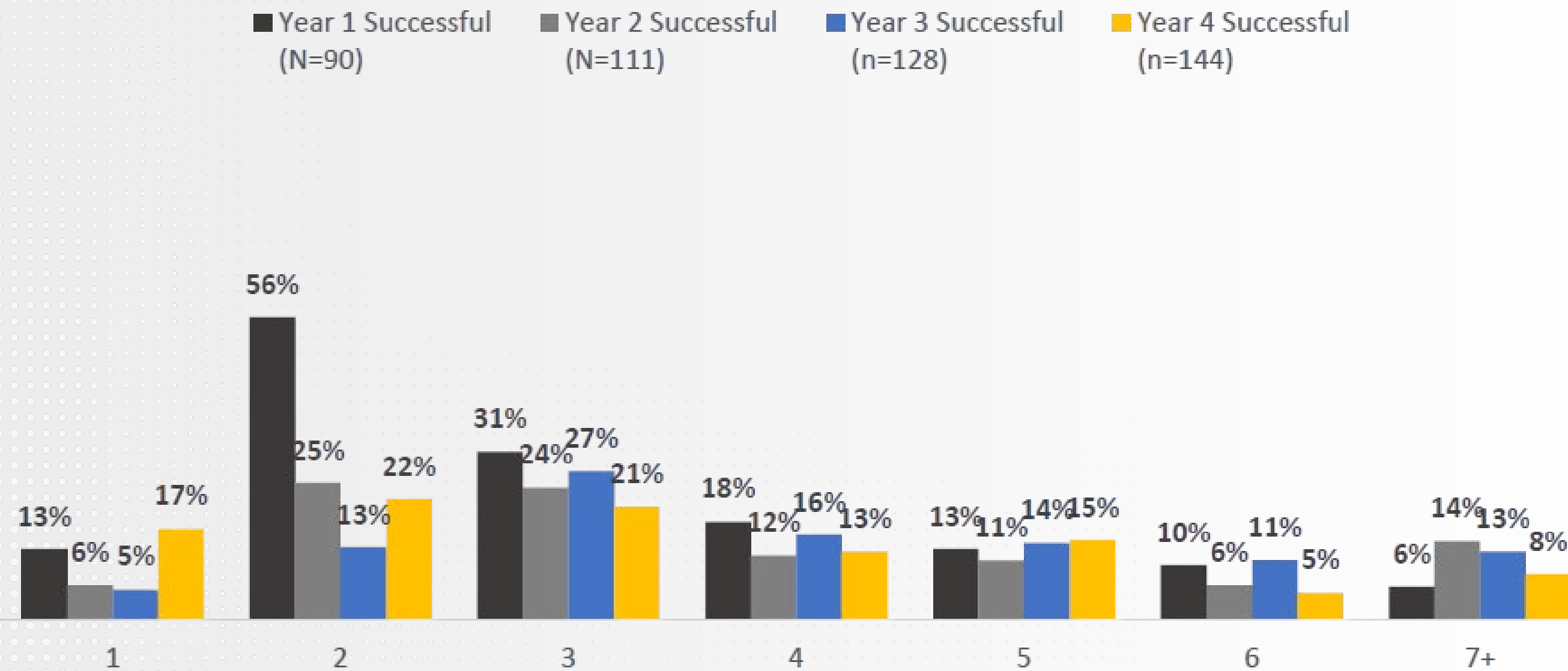


Figure D: Distribution of Months to Discharge for Successful Graduates by Year



Conclusion

- Data is not just for collection —it's a tool for action
- Ongoing analysis and sharing drive real improvements
- Together, we can build a fairer, safer, and more effective pretrial system

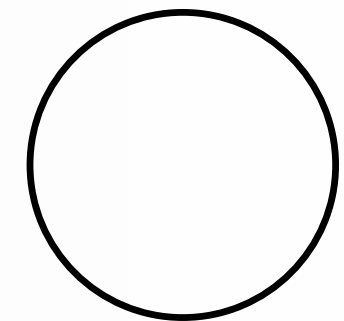


Start Small

Begin with the data you currently have, keeping it simple. Gradually expanding your reporting over time.

Utilize Data

Have a strategy for your data! Be intentional in using your data to improve your program.





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