

Table 6.9

Number and rate (per 100,000 juveniles age 10 through upper age of jurisdiction) of juveniles in public and private residential custody facilitiesBy State, 1997, 1999, and 2001^a

State	Juvenile offenders in public and private residential custody facilities					
	Oct. 29, 1997		Oct. 27, 1999		Oct. 24, 2001	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
United States, total ^b	105,790	359	108,931	361	104,413	336
Alabama	1,685	329	1,589	313	1,617	317
Alaska	352	430	382	445	349	386
Arizona	1,868	349	1,901	328	1,884	300
Arkansas	603	192	705	225	652	209
California	19,899	529	19,072	490	18,145	436
Colorado	1,748	377	1,979	406	1,772	346
Connecticut	1,326	502	1,466	521	630	210
Delaware	311	377	347	402	305	350
District of Columbia	265	560	259	545	171	368
Florida	5,975	385	6,813	416	6,776	388
Georgia	3,622	464	3,729	455	2,942	338
Hawaii	134	102	118	91	103	78
Idaho	242	143	360	213	530	309
Illinois	3,425	279	3,885	312	3,560	279
Indiana	2,485	354	2,650	373	3,235	450
Iowa	1,064	305	1,017	294	1,105	330
Kansas	1,242	380	1,254	381	1,116	344
Kentucky	1,079	235	1,188	264	990	227
Louisiana	2,776	555	2,745	560	2,456	507
Maine	318	219	242	165	227	158
Maryland	1,498	264	1,579	264	1,198	191
Massachusetts	1,065	191	1,188	202	1,324	223
Michigan	3,710	369	4,324	422	3,504	334
Minnesota	1,522	259	1,760	293	1,946	326
Mississippi	756	210	784	220	693	199
Missouri	1,401	245	1,161	202	1,392	243
Montana	302	265	246	218	266	243
Nebraska	741	351	720	341	718	348
Nevada	857	460	789	378	901	380
New Hampshire	186	153	216	168	203	155
New Jersey	2,251	263	2,386	268	2,079	220
New Mexico	778	329	855	363	837	356
New York	4,661	309	4,813	311	4,593	287
North Carolina	1,204	197	1,429	222	1,318	192
North Dakota	272	331	235	292	180	243
Ohio	4,318	329	4,531	344	4,554	344
Oklahoma	808	193	1,123	270	870	215
Oregon	1,462	382	1,549	400	1,508	382
Pennsylvania	3,962	294	3,819	278	4,066	297
Rhode Island	426	394	310	271	311	276
South Carolina	1,583	405	1,650	416	1,398	350
South Dakota	528	535	603	620	496	523
Tennessee	2,118	346	1,534	247	1,655	261
Texas	6,898	317	7,954	356	8,524	364
Utah	768	239	985	310	1,015	328
Vermont	49	68	67	92	62	87
Virginia	2,879	391	3,085	404	2,811	352
Washington	2,216	333	2,094	306	2,054	293
West Virginia	398	198	388	201	475	254
Wisconsin	2,013	356	1,924	338	1,941	343
Wyoming	340	507	310	481	327	531

Note: These data are from the Census of Juveniles in Residential Placement, conducted biennially by the U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. Public and private facilities, secure and nonsecure, that hold alleged or adjudicated juvenile delinquents or status offenders are asked to provide information on each juvenile in residence on a specified reference date. Facilities are asked to include all juveniles under 21 years of age assigned a bed in the residential facility on the reference date as a result of being charged or court adjudicated for an offense. The reference date for the 1997 census was October 29 and the facility response rate was 96%; for the 1999 census it was October 27 and 100%; and for the 2001 census it was October 24 and 89%.

^aDetail may not add to total because of rounding.

^bTotals include 3,401 juveniles in 1997, 2,645 juveniles in 1999, and 2,435 juveniles in 2001 in private facilities for whom the State where the offense was committed was not reported; and 174 juveniles in 1999 and 194 juveniles in 2001 in tribal facilities.

Source: Melissa Sickmund, T.J. Sladky, and Wei Kang, "Census of Juveniles in Residential Placement Databook" [Online]. Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. Available: <http://www.ojjdp.ncjrs.org/ojstatbb/cjrp/> [May 17, 2004]. Table adapted by SOURCEBOOK staff.