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Number and rate (per 100,000 juveniles age 10 through upper age of jurisdiction) of juveniles in public and private residential custody facilities

By State, 1997, 1999, 2001, 2003, and 2006^a

State	Juvenile offenders in public and private residential custody facilities									
	1997		1999		2001		2003		2006	
	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate	Number	Rate
United States, total ^b	105,055	356	107,667	356	104,413	336	96,655	307	92,854	295
Alabama	1,686	328	1,590	311	1,617	317	1,794	351	1,752	342
Alaska	351	418	381	431	348	385	336	370	363	430
Arizona	1,869	351	1,902	330	1,884	301	1,890	284	1,737	246
Arkansas	603	192	705	225	651	209	675	217	813	261
California	19,899	524	19,071	483	18,144	437	16,782	392	15,240	351
Colorado	1,656	356	1,788	367	1,773	347	1,776	344	2,034	397
Connecticut	684	260	783	280	630	215	627	210	498	170
Delaware	312	380	348	406	306	352	333	364	303	327
District of Columbia	264	578	258	567	171	369	285	625	339	671
Florida	5,976	386	6,813	417	6,777	388	8,208	452	7,302	397
Georgia	3,621	463	3,729	454	2,943	338	2,451	273	2,631	276
Hawaii	135	100	117	88	102	77	129	97	123	92
Idaho	243	143	360	211	531	310	489	287	522	297
Illinois	3,426	278	3,885	311	3,561	280	2,715	212	2,631	206
Indiana	2,484	356	2,649	376	3,234	450	3,045	415	2,616	364
Iowa	1,065	308	1,017	296	1,104	330	975	299	1,062	323
Kansas	1,242	380	1,254	380	1,116	345	1,071	336	1,053	335
Kentucky	1,080	235	1,188	263	990	221	837	185	1,242	273
Louisiana	2,775	549	2,745	553	2,457	509	1,821	387	1,200	279
Maine	318	219	243	165	228	156	222	153	210	152
Maryland	1,497	263	1,578	263	1,197	191	1,167	181	1,104	174
Massachusetts	1,065	192	1,188	204	1,323	224	1,302	216	1,164	198
Michigan	3,711	369	3,996	391	3,504	335	2,706	257	2,760	268
Minnesota	1,521	259	1,761	294	1,947	326	1,527	259	1,623	280
Mississippi	756	210	783	221	693	199	528	152	444	128
Missouri	1,401	246	1,161	202	1,392	243	1,413	246	1,293	227
Montana	303	265	246	216	267	244	261	245	243	235
Nebraska	741	351	657	312	717	348	672	331	735	368
Nevada	858	462	789	380	900	381	921	362	885	317
New Hampshire	186	155	216	171	204	156	198	150	189	148
New Jersey	2,250	261	2,385	265	2,079	220	1,941	199	1,704	176
New Mexico	777	328	855	361	837	357	606	258	471	204
New York	4,662	309	4,815	310	4,593	288	4,308	272	4,197	270
North Carolina	1,203	198	1,428	224	1,317	192	1,203	169	1,029	144
North Dakota	273	335	234	294	180	243	246	347	240	355
Ohio	4,317	329	4,530	344	4,554	346	4,176	318	4,149	322
Oklahoma	807	193	1,122	271	870	216	1,059	265	924	232
Oregon	1,461	381	1,548	399	1,509	383	1,275	323	1,254	319
Pennsylvania	3,963	296	3,819	281	4,065	297	4,341	317	4,323	321
Rhode Island	426	407	309	281	312	275	342	295	348	308
South Carolina	1,584	403	1,650	414	1,398	341	1,443	346	1,320	317
South Dakota	528	533	603	617	495	523	522	564	597	672
Tennessee	2,118	347	1,533	247	1,656	262	1,434	226	1,419	216
Texas	6,897	315	7,953	353	8,523	365	7,662	318	8,247	335
Utah	768	239	984	309	1,014	323	954	307	864	267
Vermont	48	68	66	92	63	89	51	72	54	81
Virginia	2,880	389	3,084	401	2,811	352	2,376	289	2,310	283
Washington	2,217	332	2,094	304	2,055	294	1,656	236	1,455	206
West Virginia	399	198	387	201	474	254	498	269	579	320
Wisconsin	2,013	357	1,923	339	1,941	347	1,524	274	1,347	251
Wyoming	339	502	309	475	327	532	357	606	315	559
Tribal facilities	NA	NA	174	NA	195	NA	123	NA	132	NA

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 each census was the last Wednesday in October of each year except for 2006 when the reference date was February 22. The facility response rate for the 1997 census was 96%; for the 1999 census it was 100%; for the 2001 census it was 99%; and for the 2003 and 2006 censuses it was 100%. Some data have been revised by the Source and may differ from previous editions of SOURCEBOOK.

^a Detail may not add to total because of rounding.

^b Totals include 3,402 juveniles in 1997, 2,646 juveniles in 1999, 2,436 juveniles in 2001, 1,398 juveniles in 2003, and 1,467 juveniles in 2006 in private facilities for whom the State where the offense was committed was not reported.

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