



# Juvenile Justice Information System

## Data & Evaluation Reports Detention Admission Reasons and Length of Stay (2008)

JJIS Steering Committee  
JJIS Data & Evaluation Sub-Committee

*JJIS – A Shared Information System*

Oregon Youth Authority  
Oregon Juvenile Department Directors' Association





# Juvenile Justice Information System Vision & Goals

## VISION

To promote public safety and youth accountability, and to offer opportunities for rehabilitation to youth, through the development of a statewide juvenile justice information system that:

- Provides a comprehensive view of information about juvenile offenders across Oregon’s state and county juvenile justice agencies;
- Provides comprehensive support for managing individual juvenile offender cases and tracking juveniles through the juvenile justice process;
- Provides the capacity for and aids in the overall planning, development, and evaluation of programs designed to reduce juvenile crime; and
- Recognizes and supports the common needs of juvenile justice partnership agencies.

**GOALS** To accomplish the vision, JJIS will strive to accomplish the following goals.

Vision Statement	Goals in Support of Vision Statement
Provides a comprehensive view of information about juvenile offenders across Oregon’s state and county juvenile justice agencies.	JJIS will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be a statewide juvenile justice information system that supports a partnership of the OYA, 36 county juvenile departments, and approved external partners;</li> <li>• Be the primary information system used by the OYA and county juvenile departments to manage and report information about juvenile offenders in their agency; and</li> <li>• Support statewide reporting.</li> </ul>
Provides comprehensive support for managing individual juvenile offender cases and tracking juveniles through the justice process.	JJIS will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Support the assessment of risks and needs of juvenile offenders;</li> <li>• Support individual case plans; and</li> <li>• Track juveniles through the entire justice process so that individual status, program involvement, progress, and outcomes can be determined.</li> </ul>
Provides the capacity for and aids in the overall planning, development, and evaluation of programs designed to reduce juvenile crime.	JJIS will provide data and information to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Develop a knowledge base about outcomes relevant to functions and programs of the juvenile justice system;</li> <li>• Evaluate the benefit of programs aimed at reducing juvenile crime.</li> </ul>
Recognizes and supports the common needs of juvenile justice partnership agencies.	JJIS will: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be developed in a cost-efficient and incremental manner;</li> <li>• Be operated in an efficient manner;</li> <li>• Eliminate duplicate data entry within the JJIS partnership agencies;</li> <li>• Develop common data elements while maintaining integrity of information and adhering to existing state justice information system standards;</li> <li>• Provide a statewide standard for entry of information into the system;</li> <li>• Ensure consistent training of JJIS users;</li> <li>• Maintain confidentiality and protection of information contained in JJIS;</li> <li>• Be designed using the cooperative input of the JJIS partnership; and</li> <li>• Be guided by the decisions and policies of the JJIS Steering Committee.</li> </ul>

# JJIS Steering Committee

The JJIS Steering Committee provides oversight to the JJIS project. It meets monthly to review the project and ensure that it is on task to accomplish the vision and goals of JJIS. The Steering Committee prioritizes the development of software features, makes policy decisions, and allocates resources to the project.

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## JJIS Data & Evaluation Subcommittee

-- serving as a standing subcommittee of the JJIS Steering Committee to:

- guide the development of routine publications/statistics; specific research initiatives; design, reporting, and analysis of JJIS data in order to provide quality program and system evaluations and forecasting for system resources and prevention and intervention strategies; and
- function as an analytical Users Group that assesses development, implementation, and interpretation of reports for consistency, accuracy, and appropriateness in the areas of program evaluation, forecasting, policy analysis, impact analysis, and trend analysis.

**Joe Christy**  
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## Introduction

This document contains statewide and county specific reports describing admissions to and releases from juvenile detention facilities. There are three reports for each county and statewide for each year. The reports are:

### **Detention Admissions Reason by Demographics**

- A unique count of admissions to a detention facility during the year, by the reason the youth was admitted to the facility and demographic characteristic (sex, age, and race/ethnicity) of the youth being admitted.

### **Detention Length of Stay by Demographics**

- For each detention release during the year, the length of time spent in the facility (length of stay) by demographic characteristic (sex, age, and race/ethnicity) of the youth. (Note: The associated "admission" may have occurred in a prior reporting year.)

### **Detention Length of Stay by Admission Reason**

- For each detention release during the year, the number of days the youth spent in the facility (length of stay) by the reason the youth was admitted to the facility. (Note: The associated "admission" may have occurred in a prior reporting year.)

Each report divides Admission Reasons and Length of Stay into Pre-Adjudicatory, Post Adjudicatory, and Warrant and Other. Percentages, sub-totals and grand-totals are provided for each category.

## Notes about the information

Admissions: An Admission is an entry into a detention facility during the reporting year. It is possible for one youth to have more than one admission in the reporting year.

Length of Stay: Length of Stay is computed by subtracting the admission date from the release date. If a youth is admitted and released on the same day, the Length of Stay is one day. Length of Stay is only computed for youth who have been released from a detention facility. The Admission may have occurred in a prior reporting year.

Comparing the three reports: It is not possible to compare the Admission reports to the Length of Stay reports. Admission reports are based on Admissions during the reporting year. Length of Stay reports are based on Releases during the year. Youth on the Length of Stay reports may have been admitted in a prior reporting year.

Reporting Year: The calendar year is used for the reporting period.

County: Youth are reported in the county that had jurisdiction over the youth at the time the report was produced.

Race and Ethnicity: The JJIS Steering Committee defined Race/Ethnicity reporting categories based on best practices and available data. Race and ethnicity may be as recorded by the juvenile department based on police reports and youths' self-reporting. These reports categorize youth by the race that is recorded in JJIS unless the recorded ethnicity is Hispanic. When the recorded ethnicity is Hispanic, the youth is categorized as

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Hispanic, regardless of recorded race. There are several efforts underway in the state to standardize reporting of race and ethnicity. The categories of Race/Ethnicity used in this report may change in the future when state standards are defined.

Note: Many county juvenile detention facilities operate Detention Based Youth Care Centers within their detention facilities. Admission statistics for Detention Based Youth Care Centers are not included with these reports.

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Admission Reason	Total	%	Sex			Age at Admission				Race/Ethnicity					
			Female	Male	Unknown	12 and Younger	13 - 15	16 - 17	18 and Older	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Native American	Other/Unknown	White
<b>2008 Detention Admission Reasons by Demographics</b>															
<b>Pre Adjudicatory</b>															
Mandatory Minimum Sentence Law Violation	152	2.2%	16	136	0	0	33	119	0	49	6	41	2	3	51
New Law Violation	2267	32.6%	464	1803	0	91	1040	1134	2	182	26	478	67	70	1444
Parole Violation	240	3.5%	48	192	0	1	51	143	45	21	3	38	9	6	163
Probation Violation	3540	50.9%	702	2838	0	60	1490	1873	117	134	34	602	131	150	2489
Runaway from Another State	120	1.7%	72	48	0	0	38	82	0	6	6	6	7	22	73
Temporary Hold for Release Planning (36 Hour)	104	1.5%	28	76	0	7	51	44	2	12	3	19	4	3	63
Traffic Court or Other Blanket Waiver	7	0.1%	0	7	0	0	0	7	0	1	0	1	0	0	5
Violation of Conditional Release	526	7.6%	118	408	0	28	248	240	10	28	4	90	19	22	363
<b>Total Pre Adjudicatory</b>	<b>6956</b>		<b>1448</b>	<b>5508</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>2951</b>	<b>3642</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>433</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>1275</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>276</b>	<b>4651</b>
<b>%</b>			<b>20.8%</b>	<b>79.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>42.4</b>	<b>52.4</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>6.2</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>3.40</b>	<b>4.0</b>	<b>66.9</b>
<b>Pre Adjudicatory % of Grand Total</b>	<b>67.5%</b>														
<b>Post Adjudicatory</b>															
Court Ordered (1-8 Day) Sanction	1439	90.8%	245	1194	0	25	538	769	107	152	19	316	44	34	874
Court Ordered Extended Detention Program	146	9.2%	30	116	0	3	62	81	0	3	2	21	8	11	101
<b>Total Post Adjudicatory</b>	<b>1585</b>		<b>275</b>	<b>1310</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>600</b>	<b>850</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>975</b>
<b>%</b>			<b>17.4%</b>	<b>82.6</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>37.9</b>	<b>53.6</b>	<b>6.8</b>	<b>9.8</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>21.3</b>	<b>3.30</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>61.5</b>
<b>Post Adjudicatory % of Grand Total</b>	<b>15.4%</b>														
<b>Warrant and Other</b>															
Waived	95	5.4%	21	74	0	3	47	40	5	2	0	20	1	4	68
Warrant	1341	75.9%	352	988	1	5	386	798	152	166	20	280	56	23	796
Other	331	18.7%	84	246	1	4	104	213	9	38	2	94	39	32	126
<b>Total Warrant and Other</b>	<b>1767</b>		<b>457</b>	<b>1308</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>537</b>	<b>1051</b>	<b>166</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>394</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>990</b>
<b>%</b>			<b>25.9%</b>	<b>74.0</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>30.4</b>	<b>59.5</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>11.7</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>22.3</b>	<b>5.40</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>56.0</b>
<b>Warrant and Other % of Grand Total</b>	<b>17.1%</b>														
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>10308</b>		<b>2180</b>	<b>8126</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>227</b>	<b>4088</b>	<b>5543</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>794</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>380</b>	<b>6616</b>
<b>%</b>			<b>21.1%</b>	<b>78.8</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>39.7</b>	<b>53.8</b>	<b>4.4</b>	<b>7.7</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>3.7</b>	<b>64.2</b>

Admission Reason	Total	%	Length of Stay		Sex			Age at Admission				Race/Ethnicity							
			Total Admits	% of Admits	Days of Custody	Average LOS	Female	Male	Unknown	12 and Younger	13 - 15	16 - 17	18 and Older	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Native American	Other/Unknown	White
<b>2008 Detention Length of Stay by Demographics</b>																			
<b>Pre Adjudicatory</b>																			
1 - 3 Days	3263	46.8%	5723	1.8	816	2447	0	107	1389	1698	69	173	44	546	121	147	2232		
4 - 8 Days	1825	26.2%	10543	5.8	318	1507	0	39	781	932	73	102	19	326	54	79	1245		
9 - 30 Days	1454	20.9%	22683	15.6	261	1193	0	32	612	781	29	107	19	319	53	35	921		
31 - 59 Days	291	4.2%	11791	40.5	38	253	0	9	120	160	2	21	1	66	10	12	181		
60 - 89 Days	66	0.9%	4841	73.3	11	55	0	2	30	34	0	7	0	9	2	1	47		
90+ Days	67	1.0%	10235	152.8	6	61	0	2	36	29	0	17	1	16	1	0	32		
<b>Total Pre Adjudicatory</b>	<b>6966</b>		<b>65816</b>	<b>9.4</b>	<b>1450</b>	<b>5516</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>191</b>	<b>2968</b>	<b>3634</b>	<b>173</b>	<b>427</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>1282</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>4658</b>		
<b>%</b>					<b>20.8%</b>	<b>79.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>42.6</b>	<b>52.2</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>6.1</b>	<b>1.2</b>	<b>18.4</b>	<b>3.50</b>	<b>3.9</b>	<b>66.9</b>		
<b>Pre Adjudicatory % of Grand Total</b>		<b>67.5%</b>																	
<b>Post Adjudicatory</b>																			
1 - 3 Days	888	55.8%	1787	2.0	138	750	0	15	337	476	60	87	11	201	25	14	550		
4 - 8 Days	469	29.5%	2680	5.7	97	372	0	9	180	237	43	57	7	93	11	14	287		
9 - 30 Days	211	13.3%	4551	21.6	35	176	0	3	87	118	3	9	4	40	15	15	128		
31 - 59 Days	17	1.1%	697	41.0	2	15	0	1	4	11	1	1	0	4	1	1	10		
60 - 89 Days	7	0.4%	479	68.4	1	6	0	0	2	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	6		
<b>Total Post Adjudicatory</b>	<b>1592</b>		<b>10194</b>	<b>6.4</b>	<b>273</b>	<b>1319</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>610</b>	<b>847</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>154</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>981</b>		
<b>%</b>					<b>17.1%</b>	<b>82.9</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>1.8</b>	<b>38.3</b>	<b>53.2</b>	<b>6.7</b>	<b>9.7</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>21.3</b>	<b>3.30</b>	<b>2.8</b>	<b>61.6</b>		
<b>Post Adjudicatory % of Grand Total</b>		<b>15.4%</b>																	
<b>Warrant and Other</b>																			
1 - 3 Days	734	41.6%	1209	1.6	201	532	1	5	214	429	85	89	11	150	33	15	436		
4 - 8 Days	376	21.3%	2223	5.9	93	282	1	4	118	218	36	46	1	69	22	17	221		
9 - 30 Days	503	28.5%	8267	16.4	116	387	0	2	156	306	39	57	9	122	28	17	270		
31 - 59 Days	124	7.0%	5016	40.5	35	89	0	0	41	80	3	9	3	37	13	8	54		
60 - 89 Days	19	1.1%	1389	73.1	2	17	0	1	7	11	0	3	0	7	1	1	7		
90+ Days	9	0.5%	1189	132.1	1	8	0	0	3	6	0	2	0	3	0	0	4		
<b>Total Warrant and Other</b>	<b>1765</b>		<b>19293</b>	<b>10.9</b>	<b>448</b>	<b>1315</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>539</b>	<b>1050</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>206</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>97</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>992</b>		
<b>%</b>					<b>25.4%</b>	<b>74.5</b>	<b>0.1</b>	<b>0.7</b>	<b>30.5</b>	<b>59.5</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>11.7</b>	<b>1.4</b>	<b>22.0</b>	<b>5.50</b>	<b>3.3</b>	<b>56.2</b>		
<b>Warrant and Other % of Grand Total</b>		<b>17.1%</b>																	
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>10323</b>		<b>95303</b>	<b>9.2</b>	<b>2171</b>	<b>8150</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>231</b>	<b>4117</b>	<b>5531</b>	<b>443</b>	<b>787</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>390</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>6631</b>		
<b>%</b>					<b>21.0%</b>	<b>78.9</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>2.2</b>	<b>39.9</b>	<b>53.6</b>	<b>4.3</b>	<b>7.6</b>	<b>1.3</b>	<b>19.5</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>3.6</b>	<b>64.2</b>		

Admission Reason	Total	%	Length of Stay					
			1 - 3 Days	4 - 8 Days	9 - 30 Days	31 - 59 Days	60 - 89 Days	90 + Days
<b>2008 Detention Length of Stay by Admission Reason</b>								
<b>Pre Adjudicatory</b>								
Mandatory Minimum Sentence Law Violation	156	2.2%	44	10	27	24	10	41
New Law Violation	2271	32.6%	1110	431	556	123	29	22
Parole Violation	241	3.5%	133	88	20	0	0	0
Probation Violation	3544	50.9%	1580	1117	697	123	23	4
Runaway from Another State	120	1.7%	91	22	7	0	0	0
Temporary Hold for Release Planning (36 Hour)	105	1.5%	96	3	5	1	0	0
Traffic Court or Other Blanket Waiver	7	0.1%	5	1	1	0	0	0
Violation of Conditional Release	522	7.5%	204	153	141	20	4	0
<b>Total Pre Adjudicatory</b>	<b>6966</b>		<b>3263</b>	<b>1825</b>	<b>1454</b>	<b>291</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>67</b>
<b>%</b>			<b>46.8%</b>	<b>26.2</b>	<b>20.9</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>1.0</b>
<b>Pre Adjudicatory % of Grand Total</b>	<b>67.5%</b>							
<b>Post Adjudicatory</b>								
Court Ordered (1-8 Day) Sanction	1447	90.9%	881	456	91	14	5	0
Court Ordered Extended Detention Program	145	9.1%	7	13	120	3	2	0
<b>Total Post Adjudicatory</b>	<b>1592</b>		<b>888</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>%</b>			<b>55.8%</b>	<b>29.5</b>	<b>13.3</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>0.4</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<b>Post Adjudicatory % of Grand Total</b>	<b>15.4%</b>							
<b>Warrant and Other</b>								
Waived	95	5.4%	61	34	0	0	0	0
Warrant	1346	76.3%	514	288	435	90	13	6
Other	324	18.4%	159	54	68	34	6	3
<b>Total Warrant and Other</b>	<b>1765</b>		<b>734</b>	<b>376</b>	<b>503</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>%</b>			<b>41.6%</b>	<b>21.3</b>	<b>28.5</b>	<b>7.0</b>	<b>1.1</b>	<b>0.5</b>
<b>Warrant and Other % of Grand Total</b>	<b>17.1%</b>							
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>10323</b>		<b>4885</b>	<b>2670</b>	<b>2168</b>	<b>432</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>76</b>
<b>%</b>			<b>47.3%</b>	<b>25.9</b>	<b>21.0</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>0.9</b>	<b>0.7</b>