



Juvenile Justice Information System

Data & Evaluation Reports

Youth & Referrals

Statewide — 2015

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 Steering Committee

Mission ♦ Vision ♦ Goals ♦ Values

JJIS Mission

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

JJIS Vision Statement

Goals in Support of Vision Statement

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides a comprehensive view of information about juvenile offenders across Oregon’s state and county juvenile justice agencies. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sustain JJIS as a statewide juvenile justice information system that supports the partnership of the OYA, the 36 county juvenile departments, and approved external partners; Sustain JJIS as the primary information system used by the OYA and county juvenile departments to manage and report information about juvenile offenders in their agency; and Enhance electronic access to data among users, partners and stakeholders.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides comprehensive support for managing individual juvenile offender cases and tracking juveniles through the justice process. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Support the assessment of risks and needs of juvenile offenders; Support individual case plans; Track juveniles through the entire justice process so that individual status, program involvement, progress, and outcomes can be determined; and Expand provider/partner access to individual youth records.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provides the capacity for and aids in the overall planning, development, and evaluation of programs designed to reduce juvenile crime. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide data and information to evaluate the benefit of programs aimed at reducing juvenile crime; Expand the capacity of JJIS for efficient data collection, analysis, and dissemination; Provide data to researchers and incorporate new research and evidence into policy and practice; and Identify and implement standardized outcome indicators that measure investment return, including recidivism, positive youth outcomes and other appropriate indicators tied to specific criminogenic risk factors.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognizes and supports the common business needs of juvenile justice partnership agencies. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Provide a statewide standard for entry of information into JJIS; Maintain confidentiality and protection of information contained in JJIS; Maintain the energy and enthusiasm of the Steering Committee and the partner agencies needed to keep JJIS vital; Seek opportunities to support business practice changes and respond to emerging business requirements; Cultivate innovative and forward thinking solutions to improve JJIS; Continue to prioritize and manage JJIS resources efficiently; Ensure consistent data integrity; Ensure consistent training of JJIS users; Ensure continuity of knowledge of both OYA and county juvenile department business practices within OYA’s Information System Department to support leadership and data integrity; and Create and implement a JJIS Steering Committee Communication Plan.

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JJIS Partnership Values

Representatives of the OYA, OJDDA, and external partners with an interest in juvenile justice serve on the JJIS Steering Committee and form the JJIS partnership. The JJIS partnership:

- Represents the best interests of Oregon’s juvenile justice system as a whole;
- Is entered into in good faith by all parties with integrity and honesty, and in the spirit of mutual support and collaboration;
- Promotes the ethical use of JJIS information and uses the data with respect, professionalism, and sensitivity toward the partners whose data is represented in the information;
- Adopts and maintains the JJIS Vision and Goals, keeping them current with juvenile justice needs;
- Uses the Vision and Goals as guiding principles for JJIS decision making.



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.

Current Members (March 2016)

- Christina McMahan, Director
Clackamas County Juvenile Department
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JJIS Data and Evaluation Subcommittee

Serving as a standing subcommittee of the JJIS Steering Committee to:

Contribute to local and statewide research initiatives, program and system evaluations, and policy recommendations pertaining to Oregon's juvenile justice system by ensuring consistency, accuracy and appropriateness of the data, guiding the development of routine reports and statistics, and interpreting relevant data analyses.

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Introduction

This document contains statewide and county specific reports describing offenses committed by juveniles and the characteristics of the juveniles committing those offenses in the State of Oregon for each reporting year.

There are two reports for each jurisdiction, "Youth" counts and "Referral" counts. Additionally, there are statewide reports for youth and referrals. The reports count:

- The unique number of "youth" processed by the juvenile justice system in the reporting year. This means no matter how many offenses a youth commits, the youth is only counted once on the youth report. The youth is categorized by the most serious offense the youth committed during the reporting period and reported in the county that received the most serious offense.
- The unique number of "referrals" received by county juvenile departments during the reporting year. A single youth can have more than one referral in a year (i.e., the youth may have several reports by the police). The most serious charge associated with a referral is used to categorize the referral.

The report divides the counts into criminal offenses (felony and misdemeanor), non-criminal offenses (violations), and dependency/status offenses. Each category is further divided into areas of interest. Sub-totals and grand-totals are provided for each category.

Each statistic is broken down by sex, age at time of referral, and race/ethnicity of the offender.

Notes about the information

Counts: The "Youth" count is an unduplicated count of youth who had referrals during the year throughout the state. A youth could have committed an offense in more than one county. However, the youth is counted only once on the statewide report for his or her most serious offense and reported in the county that handled that offense.

Categories: These reports categorize offenses according to Oregon Revised Statute (ORS), Criminal Code of Oregon, as defined by the Oregon Legislature. Please note the ORS categories sometimes differ from the Oregon Uniform Crime Reporting (OUCR) categories. Consequently, the categories and counts may differ from OUCR statistics.

Oregon Uniform Crime Reporting categorizes offenses that are neither person nor property as "Behavioral". ORS does not categorize offenses as "Behavioral". However, "Behavioral" offenses can be inferred on these reports. Any offense outside the person or property category is comparable to the OUCR "Behavioral" category.

Local ordinances are not included on the reports.

Inchoate crimes (attempts, solicitations, and conspiracies) are reported in the crime category for the crime with which the inchoate is associated (e.g., Attempted Murder is reported in the Homicide-related offense category). Inchoate crimes that result in a violation classification are reported as non-criminal.

Appendix A of this document contains the specific mappings between the Oregon Revised Statute (ORS) offense numbers and the reporting categories used here.

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- **Dependency Status Offenses:** Most status offenses are included in the Non-Criminal reporting category. However, there are a few offenses generally considered status offenses that are categorized in statute as Dependency. These include Runaway, Beyond Parental Control, and Behavior to Endanger Self or Others. Not all counties enter Dependency Status Offenses.
 - **Referrals Included:** The date the juvenile was referred to the juvenile department (“Referral Date”) was used to select data for inclusion in this report.
 - **County:** The county responsible for handling the youth’s referral was used to select the county to which a youth’s offense was attributed.
 - **Race and Ethnicity:** The JJIS Steering Committee defined Race/Ethnicity reporting categories based on best practices and available data. Race may be 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 Hispanic, regardless of race.

Note, 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.

Comparison to Juvenile Recidivism: “Total Referrals” in this series of reports counts criminal and non-criminal referrals received during the calendar year. “Oregon’s Statewide Report on Juvenile Recidivism” considers criminal referrals and subsequent criminal referrals for a youth. Consequently, the numbers of referrals in the two reports are not comparable.

Appendix B is a chart of the severity scores for each crime category’s class and type.

Crime Group	Total	% of Grand Total	Gender			Age @ Referral			Race/Ethnicity					
			Females	Males	Unknown	12 and Younger	13 - 15	16 and Older	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Native American	Other/Unknown	White
2015 Youth Reported by Date Referral Received														
<u>Criminal</u>														
Person														
Assault	1314		432	881	1	135	604	575	132	28	254	46	69	785
Homicide Related	23		2	21	0	1	5	17	4	0	14	0	0	5
Sex Offense	432		28	401	3	78	210	144	28	3	59	6	44	292
Person Other	100		15	85	0	8	38	54	7	0	19	3	9	62
Total	1869		477	1388	4	222	857	790	171	31	346	55	122	1144
Property														
Arson	139		28	110	1	64	62	13	11	0	19	2	10	97
Burglary	417		46	370	1	50	200	167	35	4	74	11	18	275
Criminal Mischief	638		119	518	1	72	277	289	34	11	104	11	45	433
Criminal Trespass	418		93	324	1	24	204	190	8	4	73	5	27	301
Robbery	98		16	82	0	4	38	56	31	0	25	2	0	40
Theft	2060		945	1114	1	137	926	997	148	27	409	51	136	1289
Property Other	27		5	22	0	0	6	21	0	0	3	0	4	20
Total	3797		1252	2540	5	351	1713	1733	267	46	707	82	240	2455
Public Order														
Disorderly Conduct	388		135	253	0	42	181	165	17	2	97	14	37	221
Harassment	514		180	333	1	62	252	200	29	8	79	22	62	314
Weapons	175		21	154	0	16	75	84	18	5	36	4	11	101
Public Order Other	56		17	39	0	2	17	37	23	0	11	2	2	18
Total	1133		353	779	1	122	525	486	87	15	223	42	112	654
Substance/Alcohol														
Substance/Alcohol	484		166	318	0	19	201	264	19	7	82	16	31	329
Total	484		166	318	0	19	201	264	19	7	82	16	31	329
Criminal Other														
Criminal Other	469		158	311	0	11	143	315	21	8	92	15	38	295
Total	469		158	311	0	11	143	315	21	8	92	15	38	295
<u>Total Criminal</u>														
	7752		2406	5336	10	725	3439	3588	565	107	1450	210	543	4877
%		61.1%	31.0%	68.8	0.1	9.4	44.4	46.3	7.3	1.4	18.7	2.7	7.0	62.9
<u>Non-Criminal</u>														
Substance/Alcohol														
Substance/Alcohol	3		1	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	2
Total	3		1	2	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	2
Alcohol/MIP														
Alcohol/MIP	956		445	508	3	16	263	677	19	7	121	12	91	706
Total	956		445	508	3	16	263	677	19	7	121	12	91	706
Curfew														
Curfew	412		155	257	0	10	166	236	15	13	60	5	19	300
Total	412		155	257	0	10	166	236	15	13	60	5	19	300
Less Than Ounce														
Less Than Ounce	1187		403	780	4	45	539	603	32	15	187	36	82	835
Total	1187		403	780	4	45	539	603	32	15	187	36	82	835
Motor Vehicle														
Motor Vehicle	200		71	129	0	2	35	163	2	2	20	2	22	152
Total	200		71	129	0	2	35	163	2	2	20	2	22	152
Tobacco														

Crime Group	Total	% of Grand Total	Gender			Age @ Referral			Race/Ethnicity					
			Females	Males	Unknown	12 and Younger	13 - 15	16 and Older	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Native American	Other/Unknown	White
2015 Youth Reported by Date Referral Received														
<u>Non-Criminal</u>														
Tobacco														
Tobacco	208		77	130	1	3	108	97	3	1	9	7	31	157
Total	208		77	130	1	3	108	97	3	1	9	7	31	157
<u>Non-Criminal Other</u>														
Non-Criminal Other	199		86	105	8	29	82	88	1	0	58	6	33	101
Total	199		86	105	8	29	82	88	1	0	58	6	33	101
<u>Total Non-Criminal</u>														
	3165		1238	1911	16	105	1193	1867	72	38	455	68	279	2253
%		25.0%	39.1%	60.4	0.5	3.3	37.7	59.0	2.3	1.2	14.4	2.1	8.8	71.2
<u>Dependency Status Offense</u>														
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Runaway	1706		979	720	7	114	766	826	189	42	317	30	107	1021
Dependency Status Offense	60		20	38	2	21	24	15	1	0	2	0	30	27
Other														
Total	1766		999	758	9	135	790	841	190	42	319	30	137	1048
<u>Total Dependency Status Offense</u>														
	1766		999	758	9	135	790	841	190	42	319	30	137	1048
%		13.9%	56.6%	42.9	0.5	7.6	44.7	47.6	10.8	2.4	18.1	1.7	7.8	59.3
Total Youth														
	12683		4643	8005	35	965	5422	6296	827	187	2224	308	959	8178
			36.6%	63.1	0.3	7.6	42.8	49.6	6.5	1.5	17.5	2.4	7.6	64.5

Crime Group	Total	% of Grand Total	Gender			Age @ Referral			Race/Ethnicity					
			Females	Males	Unknown	12 and Younger	13 - 15	16 and Older	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Native American	Other/Unknown	White
2015 Referrals Reported by Date Referral Received														
<u>Criminal</u>														
Person														
Assault	1602		506	1095	1	158	763	681	171	29	300	51	78	973
Homicide Related	26		3	23	0	1	5	20	4	0	15	0	0	7
Sex Offense	472		28	441	3	79	230	163	29	3	62	6	49	323
Person Other	109		17	92	0	8	42	59	9	0	23	3	9	65
Total	2209		554	1651	4	246	1040	923	213	32	400	60	136	1368
Property														
Arson	164		28	135	1	74	71	19	13	0	21	3	11	116
Burglary	512		50	461	1	56	250	206	48	4	100	15	24	321
Criminal Mischief	1079		188	890	1	98	527	454	61	14	274	22	58	650
Criminal Trespass	637		132	504	1	29	310	298	25	7	109	15	39	442
Robbery	121		19	102	0	5	48	68	35	0	31	3	1	51
Theft	2797		1160	1636	1	179	1297	1321	224	40	573	75	161	1724
Property Other	30		5	25	0	0	8	22	0	0	4	0	4	22
Total	5340		1582	3753	5	441	2511	2388	406	65	1112	133	298	3326
Public Order														
Disorderly Conduct	544		175	369	0	52	280	212	36	3	147	15	43	300
Harassment	796		278	517	1	92	395	309	56	9	125	29	79	498
Weapons	232		23	209	0	19	101	112	27	7	55	6	13	124
Public Order Other	79		23	56	0	2	30	47	33	0	17	2	2	25
Total	1651		499	1151	1	165	806	680	152	19	344	52	137	947
Substance/Alcohol														
Substance/Alcohol	550		174	376	0	20	222	308	21	7	97	18	33	374
Total	550		174	376	0	20	222	308	21	7	97	18	33	374
Criminal Other														
Criminal Other	627		199	428	0	14	219	394	41	12	121	21	49	383
Total	627		199	428	0	14	219	394	41	12	121	21	49	383
<u>Total Criminal</u>	10377		3008	7359	10	886	4798	4693	833	135	2074	284	653	6398
%		53.7%	29.0%	70.9	0.1	8.5	46.2	45.2	8.0	1.3	20.0	2.7	6.3	61.7
<u>Non-Criminal</u>														
Substance/Alcohol														
Substance/Alcohol	6		2	4	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	1	5
Total	6		2	4	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	1	5
Alcohol/MIP														
Alcohol/MIP	1335		578	754	3	20	400	915	33	9	205	28	121	939
Total	1335		578	754	3	20	400	915	33	9	205	28	121	939
Curfew														
Curfew	596		212	384	0	22	243	331	24	14	90	11	26	431
Total	596		212	384	0	22	243	331	24	14	90	11	26	431
Less Than Ounce														
Less Than Ounce	1709		535	1170	4	59	823	827	47	18	275	53	113	1203
Total	1709		535	1170	4	59	823	827	47	18	275	53	113	1203
Motor Vehicle														
Motor Vehicle	256		92	164	0	5	52	199	3	2	29	2	30	190

Crime Group	Total	% of Grand Total	Gender			Age @ Referral			Race/Ethnicity					
			Females	Males	Unknown	12 and Younger	13 - 15	16 and Older	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Native American	Other/Unknown	White
2015 Referrals Reported by Date Referral Received														
<u>Non-Criminal</u>														
Total	256		92	164	0	5	52	199	3	2	29	2	30	190
Tobacco														
Tobacco	347		117	229	1	6	183	158	6	1	26	11	40	263
Total	347		117	229	1	6	183	158	6	1	26	11	40	263
<u>Non-Criminal Other</u>														
Non-Criminal Other	263		116	139	8	30	123	110	4	0	71	10	38	140
Total	263		116	139	8	30	123	110	4	0	71	10	38	140
<u>Total Non-Criminal</u>														
Total	4512		1652	2844	16	142	1824	2546	117	44	696	115	369	3171
%		23.3%	36.6%	63.0	0.4	3.1	40.4	56.4	2.6	1.0	15.4	2.5	8.2	70.3
<u>Dependency Status Offense</u>														
Dependency Status Offense														
Runaway	4356		2313	2036	7	194	2176	1986	584	73	805	88	184	2622
Dependency Status Offense Other	90		32	56	2	25	41	24	5	0	7	0	35	43
Total	4446		2345	2092	9	219	2217	2010	589	73	812	88	219	2665
<u>Total Dependency Status Offense</u>														
Total	4446		2345	2092	9	219	2217	2010	589	73	812	88	219	2665
%		23.0%	52.7%	47.1	0.2	4.9	49.9	45.2	13.2	1.6	18.3	2.0	4.9	59.9
Totals Referrals														
Total	19335		7005	12295	35	1247	8839	9249	1539	252	3582	487	1241	12234
%			36.2%	63.6	0.2	6.4	45.7	47.8	8.0	1.3	18.5	2.5	6.4	63.3

Appendix A Statewide Reporting of Youth, Referrals

Reporting Category	Description	Reporting Rule		
Race/Ethnicity	The description of the youth's race or ethnicity	If a youth has an ethnicity of Hispanic, he/she will be counted as Hispanic regardless of race. If a youth does not have an ethnicity of Hispanic, he/she will be counted in the appropriate race.		
Criminal/ Non-Criminal	Each ORS # Type is evaluated to determine if it is a Criminal Offense, Non-Criminal Offense or Dependency.	Reporting Category	Type Code	
		Criminal	Life, Felony, or Misdemeanor	
		Non-Criminal	Violation or Infraction	
		Dependency	Dependency	
Criminal Offense Crime Group Category	Person Crimes	Reporting Category	ORS Numbers	
		Assault	Between 163160 and 163213	
		Homicide Related	Between 163005 and 163150	
		Sex Offense	Between 163305 and 163500	
		Person-Other	If the ORS # does not meet one of the above criteria, but falls between 163000 and 163999	
	Property Crimes	Arson	Between 164305 and 164340	
		Burglary	Between 164205 and 164235	
		Criminal Mischief	Between 164345 and 164377	
		Criminal Trespass	Between 164243 and 164272	
		Robbery	Between 164395 and 164770	
		Theft	Between 164015 and 164140	
		Property-Other	If the ORS # does not meet one of the above criteria, but falls between 164000 and 164999	
	Public Order Crimes	Disorderly Conduct	166025 and 166045	
		Harassment	166065	
		Weapons	Between 166180 and 166710	
		Public Order-Other	If the ORS # does not meet the above criteria, but falls between 166000 and 166999	
	Controlled Substance/Alcohol Crimes	Control Substance/Alcohol	Between 471105 and 475999 or Between 167203 and 167300	
	Criminal Other	Criminal-Other	If the ORS # does not meet any of the above crime group criteria, but it is still a criminal offense.	
	Non-Criminal Offense Crime Group Category	Alcohol /MIP	ORS #'s 4714301, 4714302, 4714303	
		Curfew	ORS #'s 419680, 419C680, 419710, 419720	
		Less Than Ounce	ORS # 4759924F, 4759924F-ATT, 4759924F-CON, 475992B-ATT	
		Motor Vehicle	Between 801010 and 826041	
		Tobacco	Between 167400 and 167401	
		Non-Criminal-Other	If the ORS # does not meet the above non-criminal crime group criteria, but it is still a non-criminal offense.	
	Non-Criminal Dependency-Status Offenses	Runaway	ORS #'s 419B100F, 419C156, 419476F	
		Dependency-Status Other	ORS #'s 419B100A or 419B100B	
	Most Serious Offense	When a referral has multiple allegations, the most serious allegation is identified to determine the Offense Crime Group reporting category.	The most serious offense is determined by the ORS severity. If there is more than one crime with the same severity, the first offense with the highest severity is the offense that is selected.	

Appendix B JJIS Severity Scores

(adopted, Oregon Juvenile Department Directors' Association, May 18, 2000)

Crime Category	Class & Type	Severity Score
Person	Murder*	19
Person	A Felony	18
Person	B Felony	17
Person	C Felony	16
Person	U Felony	15
Property Other Criminal (Behavioral)	A Felony	14
Property Other Criminal (Behavioral)	B Felony	13
Property Other Criminal (Behavioral)	C Felony	12
Property Other Criminal (Behavioral)	U Felony	11
Person	A Misdemeanor	10
Person	B Misdemeanor	9
Person	C Misdemeanor	8
Person	U Misdemeanor	7
Property Other Criminal (currently named Behavioral)	A Misdemeanor	6
Property Other Criminal (currently named Behavioral)	B Misdemeanor	5
Property Other Criminal (currently named Behavioral)	C Misdemeanor	4
Property Other Criminal (currently named Behavioral)	U Misdemeanor	3
Non Criminal	Violation	2
	Status Offense	1

* Aggravated Murder, Murder, Murder by Abuse, Murder in the Course of a Crime, Murder Intentional, Criminal Homicide, and Treason have the Type of Murder (instead of Felony), in order to obtain the highest severity score.

** Inchoates:
 Attempts and Solicitations = 1 Class lower
 Conspiracies = Same Class and Type