

The Offender Reentry Mapping Initiative

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Reentry Mapping Initiative

- Funders in Criminal Justice
- Allegheny County Department of Human Services
- Corrections Partners
- Criminal Justice Advisory Board



Presentation Outline

- ◆ The Issue
- Maps: one helpful piece of the analysis
- Data to Action



The Issue

- Nationally:
 - 1.5 million in state and federal prison
 - Between 1970 and 2005 increased by 628%.
- State
 - 40% increase in inmates received; 60% increase in population
 - 9th largest; 353/100,000 incarceration rate
- Locally (Allegheny County):
 - 2nd most commitments to state prison
 - 24,000 booking to the jail
- Women:
 - Between 1977 and 2004, PA female prison population grew by 763%
 - Locally, admissions to the Jail have grown 27%, but for female offenders, bookings have grown 44%.
- More in = more out: 95% of all State prisoners will be released from prison at some point
- Over 600,000 offenders were released from State prison last year, a 46% increase over 1990



Key Questions

- 1. Who's returning (demographic, offense, jail/prison stay information)?
- 2. What are the needs of returning offenders (job, education, ID, housing, addiction, mental health treatment, medical insurance)?
- 3. What is DHS's involvement with inmate/family?
- 4. Where do inmates come from and go to?
- 5. Where are inmates' families and children?
- 6. Where are community & government services?



Data

Agency	Data Set
	2002 Releases
Department of Corrections	Serving on 10/1/2004
	2002-2004 Releases
Department of Human Services	Client Data
Department of Flaman Cervices	Treatment Facility Locations
City of Pittsburgh Police	Incident Data by Census Tract
	Homicide & Shooting Data by address
Bureau of Parole & Probation	Released to Parole 2003-2005
Allegheny County Bureau of Corrections	History File and Monthly downloads

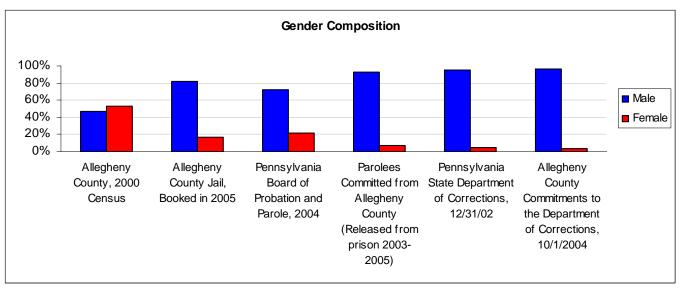


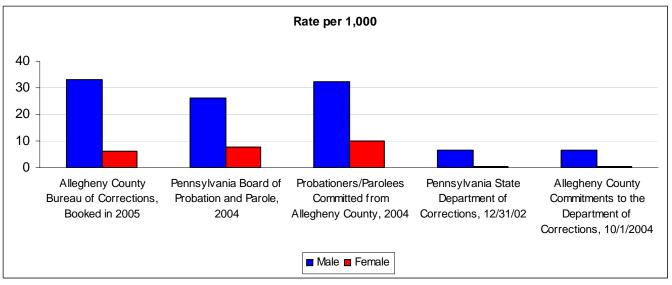
Who's Returning?

	Female			Corrections Population		
	DOC	Parole	Jail	DOC	Parole	Jail
N	174	177	6992	2,950	2,520	38,666
Gender						
Female	100%	100%	100%	6%	7%	18%
Male	0%	0%	0%	94%	93%	82%
Race						
Black	64%	47%	44%	69%	61%	44%
White	34%	51%	54%	30%	37%	51%
Other	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	4%
Age						
under 18	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%
18-24	25%	8%	3%	11%	15%	28%
25-34	29%	42%	32%	37%	39%	28%
35-44	31%/	31%	46%	29%	26%	25%
45-54	11%	16%	14%	18%	15%	13%
55-64	1%	2%	4%	4%	4%	3%
65+	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%



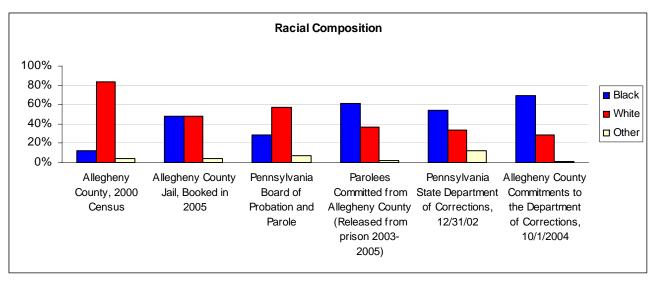
Gender: Looking at Rate

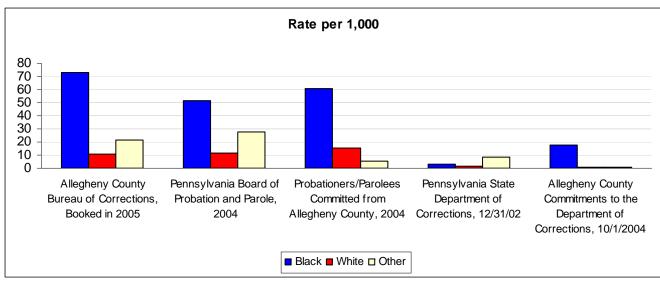






Race: Looking at Rate





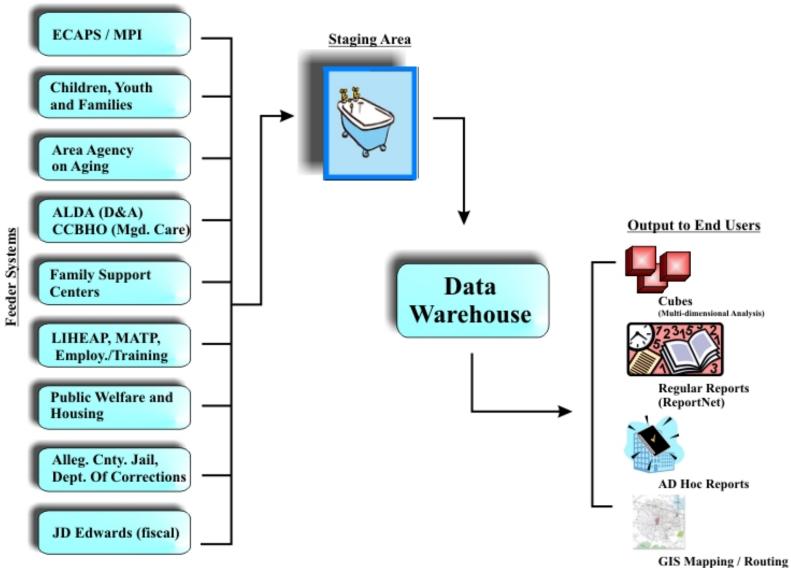


What Are Their Needs?

- Substance Abuse
 - 74% of "soon-to-be-released" prisoners have substance abuse problem
- Mental Illness
 - State prisons: 73% of females and 55% of males;
 - Local jails: 75% of females and 63% of males
- Employment
 - Less than 1/4 employed.
- Education
 - 26% did not finish high school; 3% more than high school.
- Housing
 - 16% of jail inmates were homeless in the year prior to admission.
 - Local: 43 percent were homeless or at risk of being homeless
- Family
 - 1.5 million children with incarcerated parents
 - 2% of all minor children; 7% African American children



Allegheny County DHS Information Systems Structure





Actual Service Use

Connection with Human Services						
	DOC*	Parole	Jail*			
Female	89%	64%	64%			
Male	64%	58%	43%			



Drug & Alcohol and Mental Health Services Most Accessed

Type of Service	DOC	Parole	Jail		
Drug & Alcohol	27%	31%	19%		
Mental Health	42%	35%	21%		
Employment & Training	1%	1%	3%		
Housing & Homelessness	1%	1%	4%		
Housing Authorities	2%	0%	2%		
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Child Welfare	Analysis Being Conducted				



Accessing Services

- Timing: Over 60% access within three months
- Race and Gender:
 - Black DOC clients are statistically less likely to access services from DHS than white offenders.
 - Same true for males.
- Age:
 - Young access drug and alcohol services and older access mental health services
- Mental Health:
 - 42 percent accessing mental health services had no mental health diagnosis.
 - 87 percent of offenders with serious mental health diagnoses received mental health services.
- Drug and Alcohol:
 - 52 percent of offenders accessing drug and alcohol services had a drug screen score of zero
 - 77 percent with a serious drug and alcohol score access drug & alcohol services.
- Type of Release
 - DOC clients who max-out are statistically less likely to access DHS services.
 - Re-parolees (those who have failed on parole at least once) are statistically more likely to access DHS services.



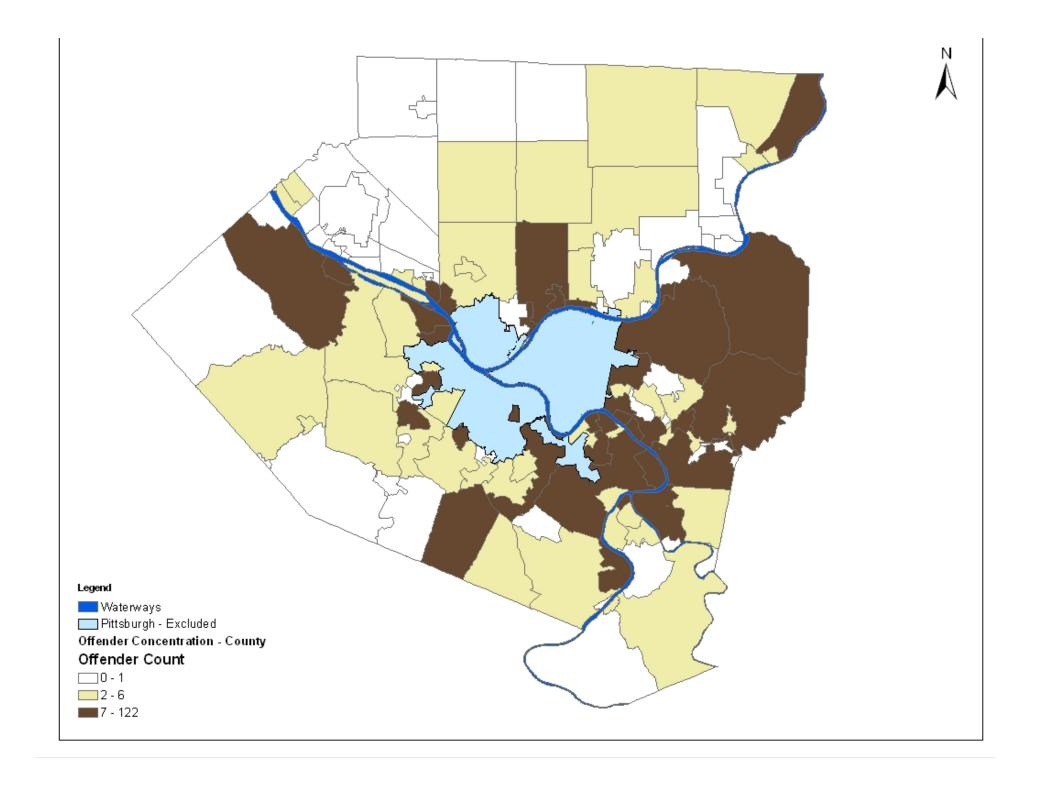
Where Do They Return?

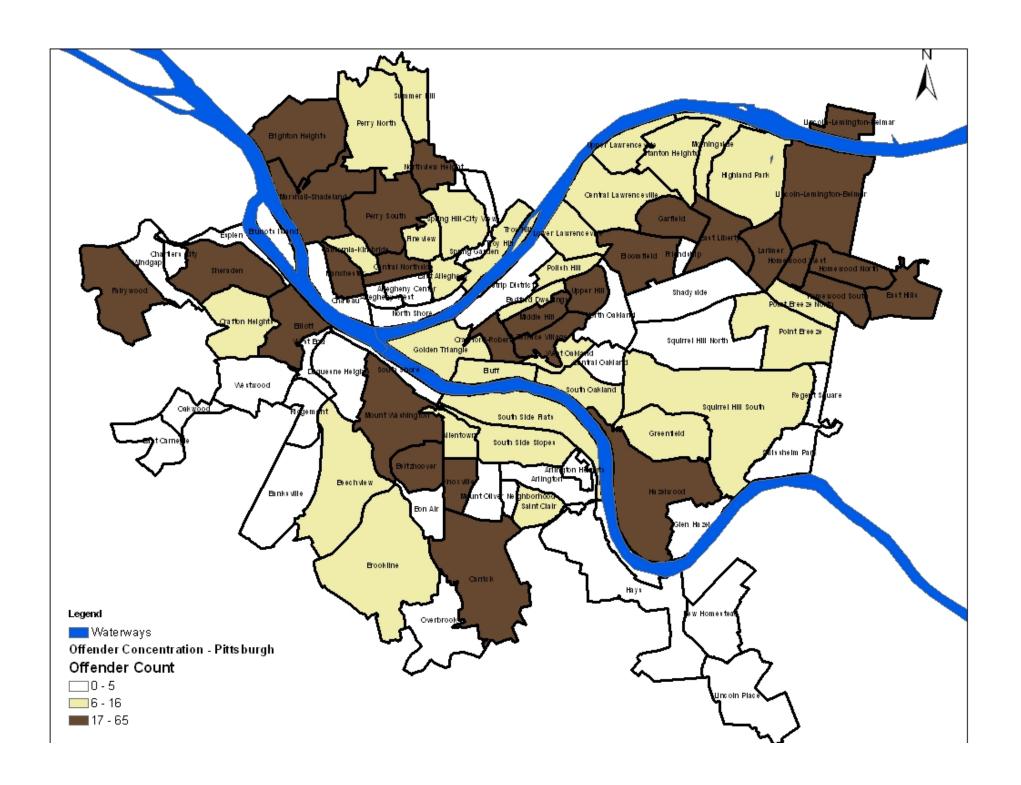
- Nationally: 5 states = 50%
- State: Philadelphia, Dauphin, and Allegheny Co. committed 45% of prisoners.
- ◆ Allegheny County: 57% have last known addresses in the "core city" of Pittsburgh.
 - 25% return to under 4% of all Allegheny County municipalities and neighborhoods.



Geo-coding Results

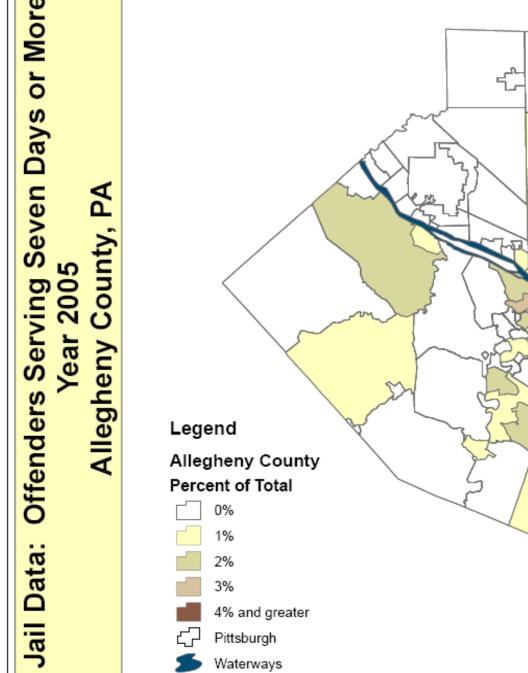
	DOC (address at intake, serving on 9/2004)	Parole (address at release 2003-2005)	Jail (address at intake, 2005)
Number	3,268	2,626	8,926
Deaths	52	-	_
No Address	-	-	3,333
Institutional	1,362	591	800
Outside County	231	231	582
Of those	1,623	2,045	4,211
Match	85%	93%	89%
Unmatched	15%	7%	11%

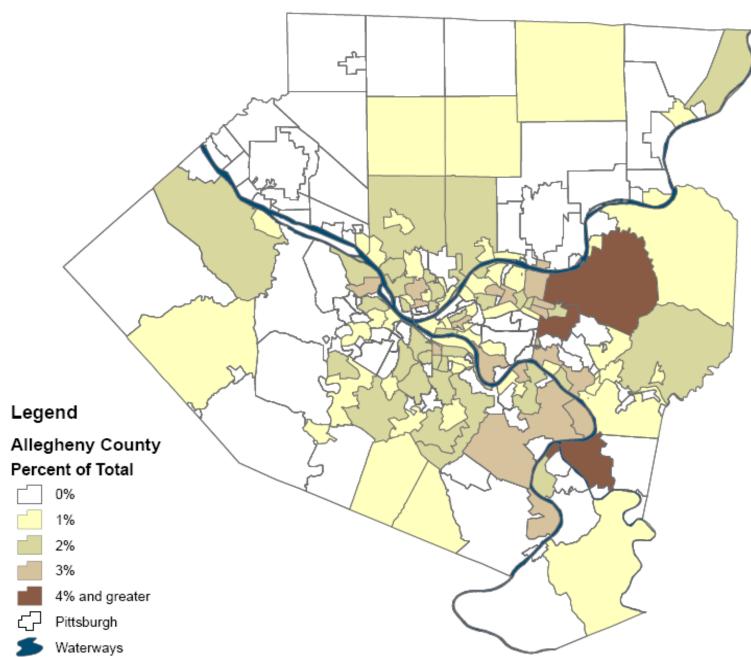




Parole Data 2003 thru 2005 Allegheny County, PA Legend **County Residences Percent of Total** 0% 1% 2% 3% 4% and greater Waterways PittsburghCityNeigh

Seven Days or More Year 2005 Offenders Data:







Cross-Systems: Number

Department of Corrections	3	Parole		Jail - 7 Days or More	
Number of Offenders		Number of Offenders		Number of Offenders	
Community	Count	Community	Count	Community	Count
WILKINSBURG	6%	WILKINSBURG	4%	MCKEESPORT	5%
MCKEESPORT	6%	MCKEESPORT	4%	WILKINSBURG	4%
PENN HILLS	4%	PENN HILLS	3%	PENN HILLS	3%
PERRY SOUTH	2%	MARSHALL-SHADELAND	2%	CLAIRTON	2%
DUQUESNE	2%	DUQUESNE	2%	GARFIELD	2%
LINCOLN-LEMINGTON-BELMAR	2%	MCKEES ROCKS	2%	EAST LIBERTY	2%
HOMEWOOD NORTH	2%	PERRY SOUTH	2%	MCKEES ROCKS	2%
HAZELWOOD	2%	NORTH BRADDOCK	2%	DUQUESNE	2%
MIDDLE HILL	2%	SWISSVALE	2%	HAZELWOOD	2%
CLAIRTON	2%	MOUNT WASHINGTON	2%	HOMEWOOD NORTH	1%
GARFIELD	2%	EAST LIBERTY	2%	CENTRAL NORTHSIDE	1%
NORTH BRADDOCK	2%	HAZELWOOD	2%	HOMEWOOD SOUTH	1%
EAST LIBERTY	2%	HOMEWOOD NORTH	2%	PERRY SOUTH	1%
HOMESTEAD	1%	EAST ALLEGHENY	1%	NORTH BRADDOCK	1%
MANCHESTER	1%	KNOXVILLE	1%	WEST MIFFLIN	1%
HOMEWOOD SOUTH	1%	CLAIRTON	1%	SWISSVALE	1%
BELTZHOOVER	1%	CARRICK	1%	HOMESTEAD	1%
BROOKLINE	1%	GARFIELD	1%	ALLENTOWN	1%
MARSHALL-SHADELAND	1%	SHERADEN	1%	TERRACE VILLAGE	1%
EAST HILLS	1%	HOMESTEAD	1%	LINCOLN-LEMINGTON-BELMAR	1%



Cross Systems: Rate

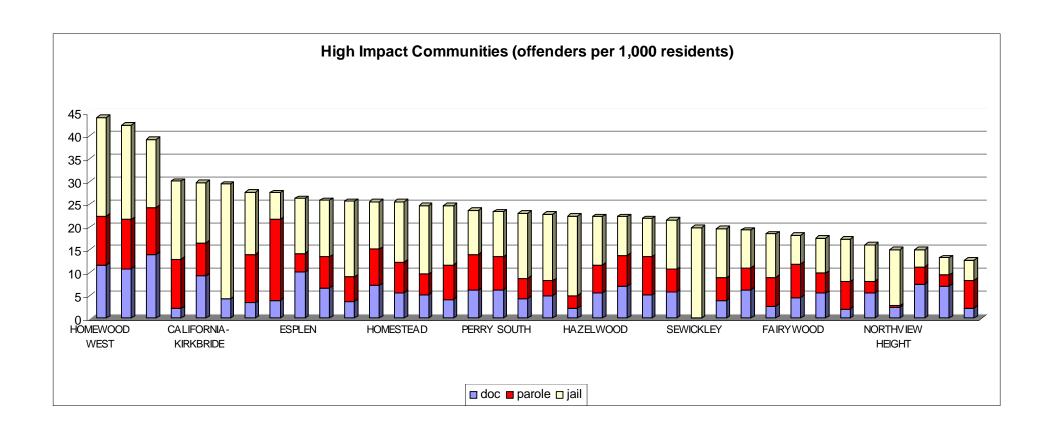
Department of Corrections		Parole		Jail - 7 Days or More	
Rate (per 1,000)		Rate (per 1,000)		Rate (per 1,000)	
Community	Rate	Community	Rate	Community	Rate
MIDDLE HILL	14.0	ALLEGHENY WEST	17.7	ARLINGTON HEIGHTS	25.2
HOMEWOOD WEST	11.7	HOMEWOOD WEST	10.8	HOMEWOOD WEST	21.5
WILKINSBURG	10.9	WILKINSBURG	10.8	WILKINSBURG	20.7
ESPLEN	10.1	WEST END	10.7	SEWICKLEY	19.9
CALIFORNIA-KIRKBRIDE	9.2	EAST ALLEGHENY	10.6	TERRACE VILLAGE	17.5
STRIP DISTRICT	7.5	MIDDLE HILL	10.3	WEST END	17.2
MANCHESTER	7.2	CHARTIERS CITY	8.4	CENTRAL NORTHSIDE	16.6
UPPER HILL	7.1	MANCHESTER	8.0	GARFIELD	15.0
BEDFORD DWELLINGS	7.1	BELTZHOOVER	7.9	MIDDLE HILL	14.9
HOMEWOOD NORTH	6.6	BRADDOCK	7.6	HOMEWOOD SOUTH	14.5
PERRY SOUTH	6.3	FAIRYWOOD	7.3	ALLENTOWN	14.3
WEST OAKLAND	6.2	PERRY SOUTH	7.2	EAST ALLEGHENY	13.7
BELTZHOOVER	6.1	CALIFORNIA-KIRKBRIDE	7.2	CALIFORNIA-KIRKBRIDE	13.4
LARIMER	5.8	HOMEWOOD NORTH	6.9	HOMESTEAD	13.2
HAZELWOOD	5.6	HOMESTEAD	6.7	BRADDOCK	13.0
HOMESTEAD	5.6	UPPER HILL	6.7	HOMEWOOD NORTH	12.4
LINCOLN-LEMINGTON-BELMAR	5.6	KNOXVILLE	6.3	NORTHVIEW HEIGHT	12.3
CRAWFORD-ROBERTS	5.5	MARSHALL-SHADELAND	6.0	ESPLEN	12.1
GARFIELD	5.1	MCKEES ROCKS	6.0	EAST LIBERTY	10.8
CHARTIERS CITY	5.0	HAZELWOOD	6.0	LARIMER	10.8



Cross Systems: Density

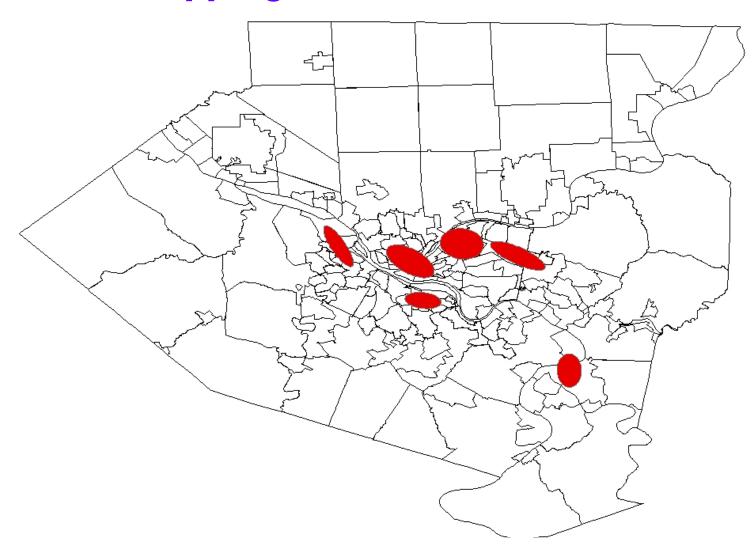
Department of Corrections		Parole		Jail - 7 Days or More	
Density (per square mile)		Density (per square mile)		Density (per square mile)	
Community		Community		Community	
MIDDLE HILL	97	EAST ALLEGHENY	117	CENTRAL NORTHSIDE	204
BEDFORD DWELLINGS	83	KNOXVILLE	93	GARFIELD	178
HOMEWOOD NORTH	70	ALLEGHENY WEST	75	ALLENTOWN	159
HOMEWOOD WEST	68	HOMEWOOD NORTH	72	EAST ALLEGHENY	150
MANCHESTER	64	MANCHESTER	71	KNOXVILLE	140
WEST OAKLAND	64	MIDDLE HILL	71	HOMEWOOD SOUTH	136
GARFIELD	61	MOUNT OLIVER BORO	68	TERRACE VILLAGE	135
CRAWFORD-ROBERTS	60	CENTRAL NORTHSIDE	65	HOMEWOOD NORTH	130
UPPER HILL	52	FRIENDSHIP	64	EAST LIBERTY	128
ALLENTOWN	48	HOMEWOOD WEST	63	HOMEWOOD WEST	126
EAST LIBERTY	47	EAST LIBERTY	59	MIDDLE HILL	103
CENTRAL NORTHSIDE	46	GARFIELD	54	NORTHVIEW HEIGHT	100
HOMEWOOD SOUTH	46	BELTZHOOVER	52	BLUFF	97
CALIFORNIA-KIRKBRIDE	41	WEST OAKLAND	50	MANCHESTER	93
BELTZHOOVER	40	UPPER HILL	48	WEST OAKLAND	86
KNOXVILLE	40	ALLENTOWN	48	MOUNT OLIVER BORO	85
EAST ALLEGHENY	38	CRAWFORD-ROBERTS	48	CRAWFORD-ROBERTS	84
BLUFF	36	UPPER LAWRENCEVILLE	41	UPPER LAWRENCEVILLE	76
PERRY SOUTH	36	PERRY SOUTH	41	HOMESTEAD	72
WILKINSBURG	36	MARSHALL-SHADELAND	41	WILKINSBURG	68

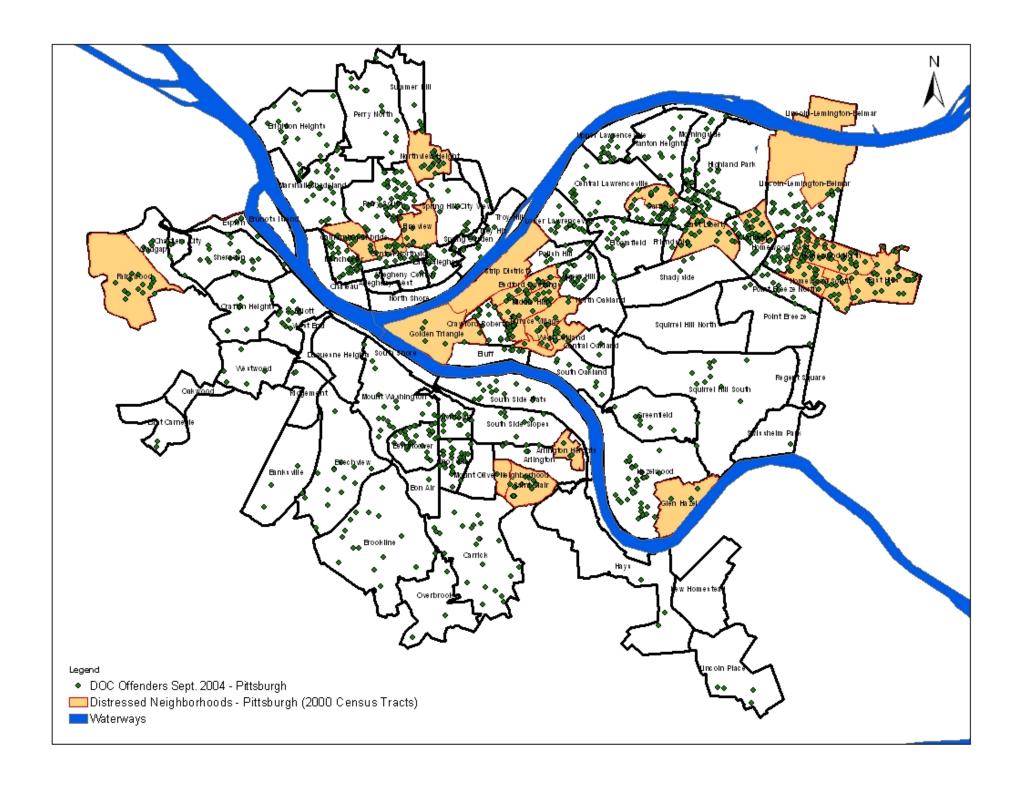
Offenders per 1,000 persons





Other Ways of Thinking About Location: Cluster Mapping

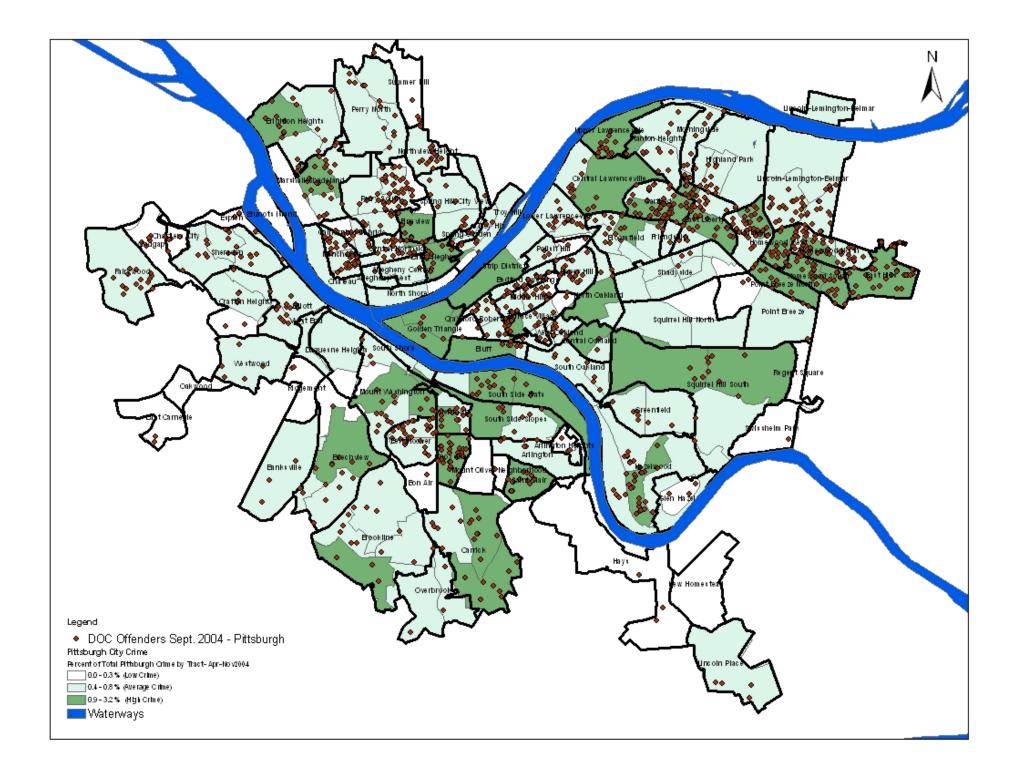






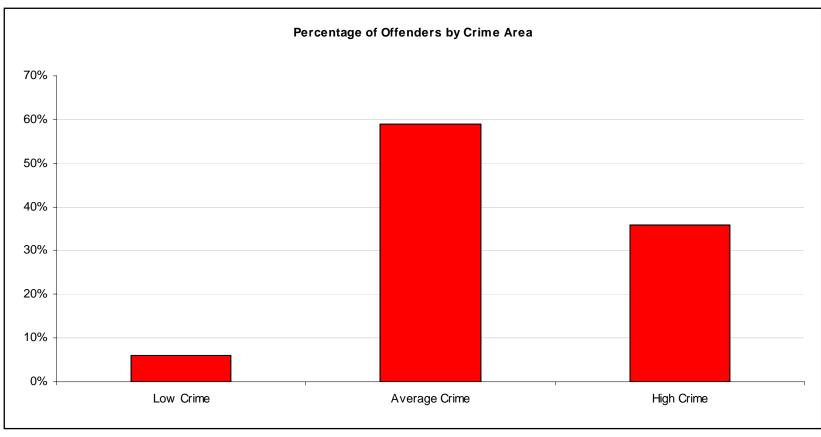
Offenders Come From Disadvantaged Communities

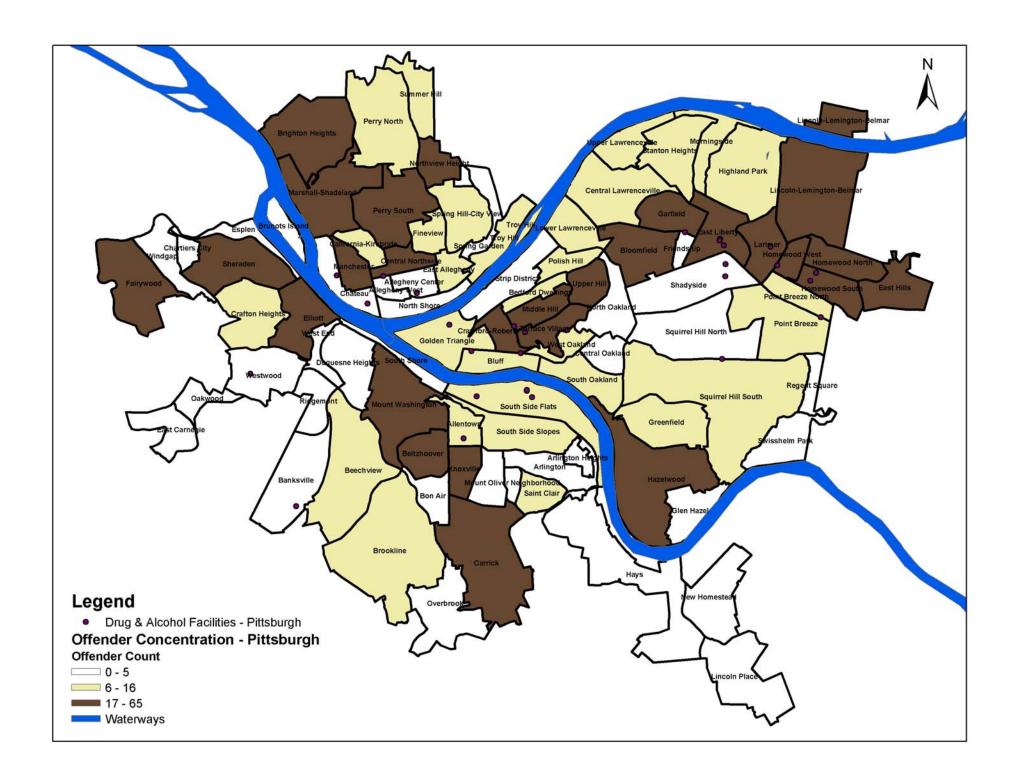
	# of	% of		
	communities	communities	# of	% of
Average Per	in income	in income	Returning	Returning
Capita Income	level	level	Offenders	Offenders
<185% of				
poverty	8	4%	83	4%
186% - 300%	25	12%	631	29%
301%-400%	52	24%	800	36%
401% to \$25,000	76	35%	567	26%
>\$25,000	54	25%	125	6%





Offenders Come From Average & High Crime Communities







Services Appear to be Where they Need to Be

	Drug Alco Treatr	hol	Employment & Training Centers			ıl Health vices
Low Concentration of Offenders	9	17%	13	10%	52	17%
Average Concentration of Offenders	13	25%	62	46%	109	36%
High Concentration of Offenders	31	58%	60	44%	141	47%



Well- and Under-Served Communities

Average across neighborhoods: 72% served

Well Served & "Relevant" 85% - 92% Served

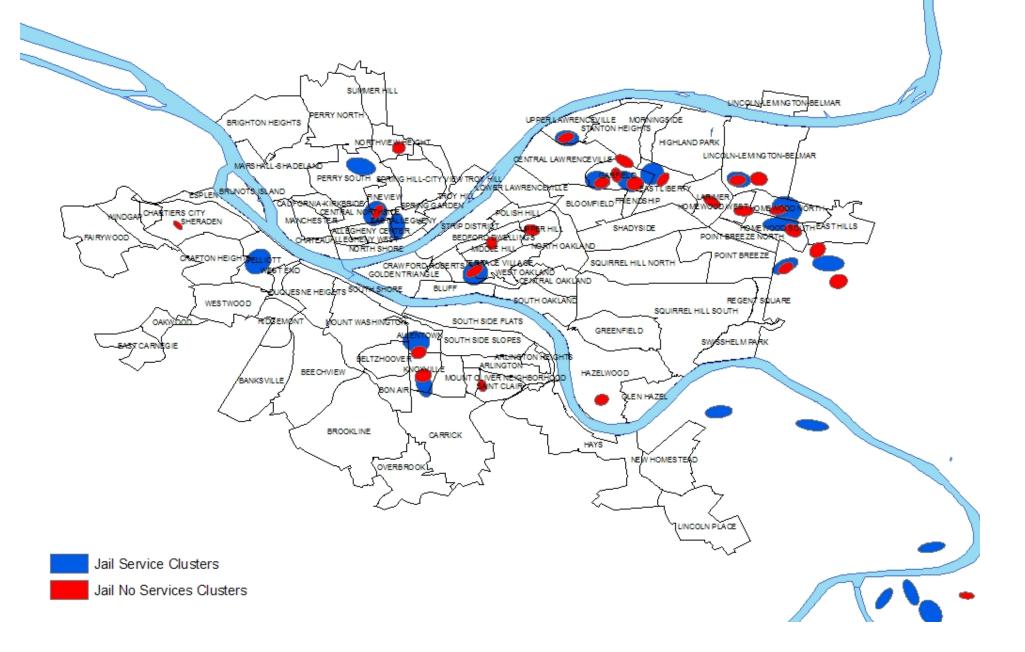
- Mount Washington
- Homewood West
- California-Kirkbride
- Eilliott
- Highland Park
- Homestead
- East Liberty
- Brookline

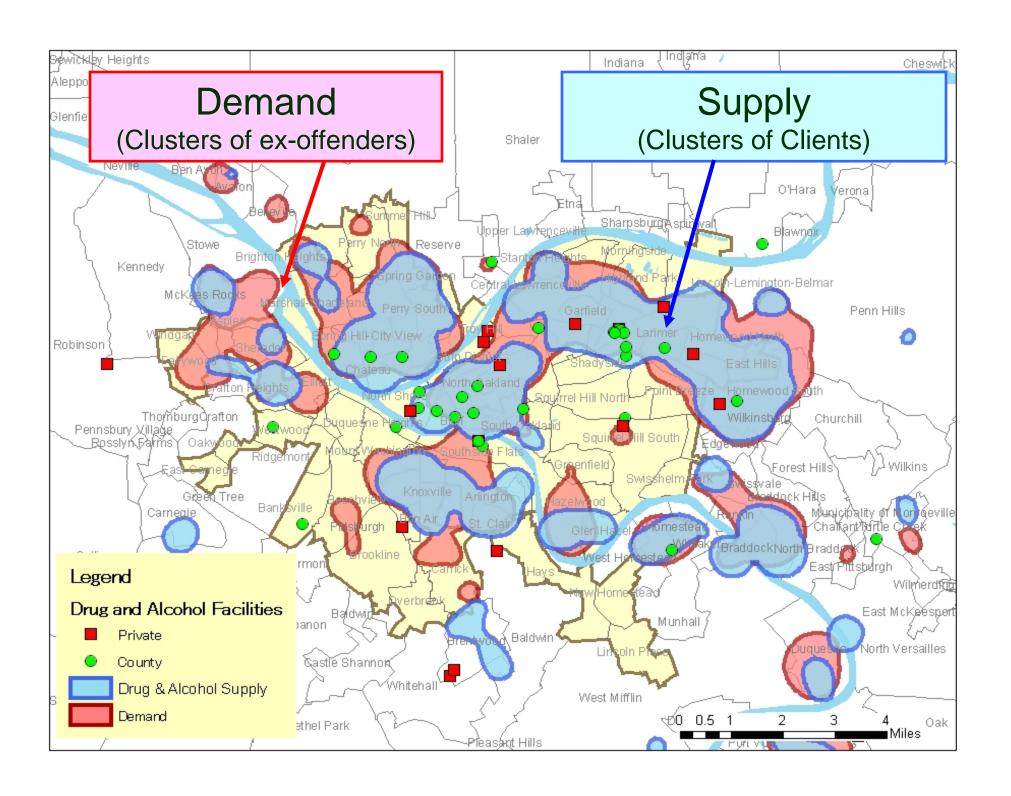
Under-Served & "Relevant" 56% - 69% Un-served

- Hazelwood
- North Braddock
- Larimer
- Penn Hills
- Upper Lawrenceville
- Monroeville
- Scott
- Beltzhoover
- Garfield
- Shaler
- Marshall-Shadeland
- Homewood North
- Middle Hill
- Central Northside



Clusters of Jail Offenders by Services



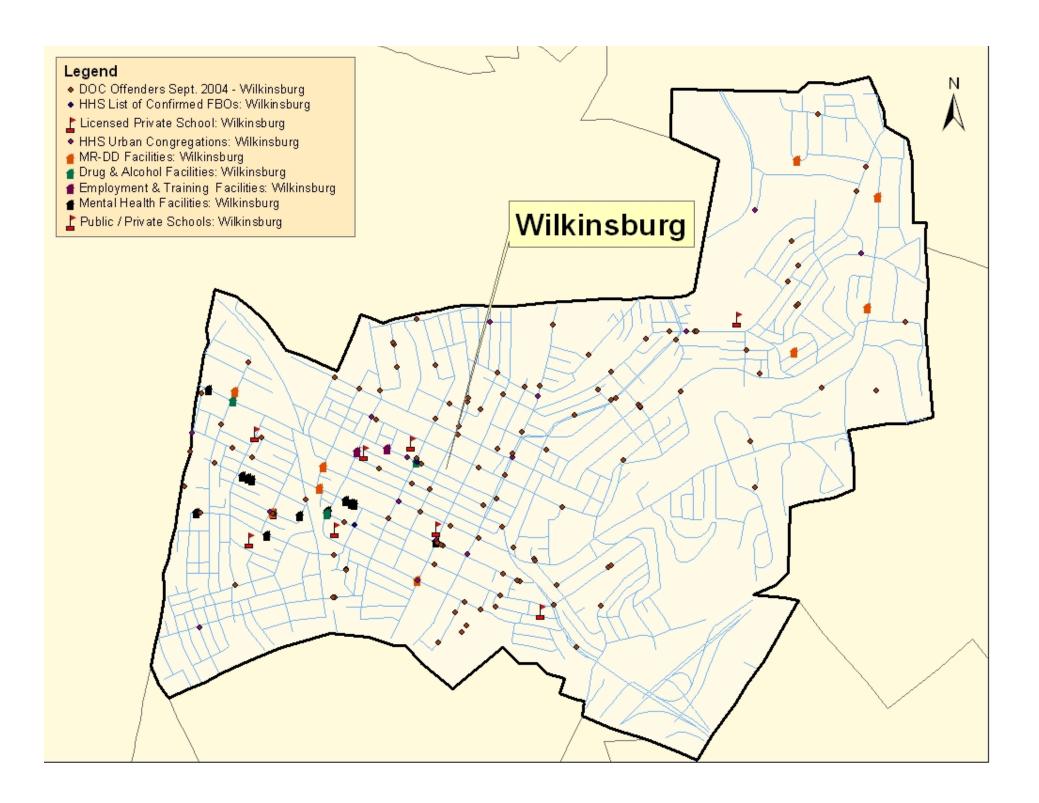




Are Addresses Reliable?

- Valid addresses for both DOC and Parole reviewed
 N=511
 - 4% (20 of 511) returned to the same address
 - 25% (126 of 511) returned to the same neighborhood
- Evaluation of the Jail Collaborative, Hide Yamatani, University of Pittsburgh
 - Addresses (neighborhood) before release and addresses 30 days after release N=322
 - 66% (213 of 322) returned to a different neighborhood

	DOC/Parole	Jail
Low to High	17.8%	2.8%
Low to Low	47.9%	74.8%
High to High	14.7%	11.2%
High to Low	19.6%	11.2%





Summary

- Mapping can help inform problem
- Key is using it to change policy/practice