

Juvenile Justice Information System

Youth & Referrals (2005)

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: Be a statewide juvenile justice information system that supports a partnership of the OYA, 36 county juvenile departments, and approved external partners; 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 Support statewide reporting.
Provides comprehensive support for managing individual juvenile offender cases and tracking juveniles through the justice process.	 JJIS will: Support the assessment of risks and needs of juvenile offenders; Support individual case plans; and Track juveniles through the entire justice process so that individual status, program involvement, progress, and outcomes can be determined.
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: Develop a knowledge base about outcomes relevant to functions and programs of the juvenile justice system; Evaluate the benefit of programs aimed at reducing juvenile crime.
Recognizes and supports the common needs of juvenile justice partnership agencies.	 JJIS will: Be developed in a cost-efficient and incremental manner; Be operated in an efficient manner; Eliminate duplicate data entry within the JJIS partnership agencies; Develop common data elements while maintaining integrity of information and adhering to existing state justice information system standards; Provide a statewide standard for entry of information into the system; Ensure consistent training of JJIS users; Maintain confidentiality and protection of information contained in JJIS; Be designed using the cooperative input of the JJIS partnership; and Be guided by the decisions and policies of the JJIS Steering Committee.

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.

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.
- 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

<u>Counts</u>: It is possible the total "youth" count for the statewide report is less than the sum of the county youth totals. A youth could have committed an offense in more than one county causing them to show up on each county's report. However at the statewide level the youth will only be counted once for his/her most serious offense.

<u>Categories</u>: 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.

- <u>Dependency Status Offenses</u>: 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
- <u>Referrals Included</u>: 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.
- <u>Race and Ethnicity</u>: The JJIS Steering Committee defined Age and 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.

<u>Comparison to Juvenile Recidivism</u>: "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	T	G	ender		Age	@ Refer	ral	T	I	Race/Eth	nicity		
2005 Youth by Referrals Received		% of Grand Total	Females	Males	Unknown	12 and Younger	13 - 15	16 and Older	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Native American	Other/Unknown	White
Multnomah														
<u>Criminal</u>														
Person														
Assault	581		197	383	1	44	304	233	201	19	75	15	14	257
Homicide Related	19		1	18	0	0	5	14	7	0	6	2	0	4
Sex Offense	100		3	97	0	18	40	42	18	0	16	1	5	60
Person Other	24		5	19	0	0	10	14	6	1	4	0	0	13
Total	724		206	517	1	62	359	303	232	20	101	18	19	334
Property														
Arson	31		3	28	0	5	15	11	1	1	2	0	0	27
Burglary	167		25	142	0	12	94	61	29	7	9	5	4	113
Criminal Mischief	262		41	221	0	16	127	119	48	7	42	3	5	157
Criminal Trespass	81		22	59	0	3	38	40	12	2	6	0	3	58
Robbery	58		10	48	0	3	23	32	35	2	5	2	1	13
Theft	816		369	447	0	39	409	368	251	43	77	12	13	420
Property Other	6		2	4	0	0	1	5	1	0	1	0	0	4
Total	1421		472	949	0	78	707	636	377	62	142	22	26	792
Public Order														
Disorderly Conduct	104		37	67	0	7	51	46	31	3	14	2	1	53
Harassment	102		44	58	0	11	50	41	26	2	8	0	8	58
Weapons	78		6	72	0	4	36	38	23	2	15	2	1	35
Public Order Other	28		6	22	0	0	11	17	19	1	2	0	0	6
Total	312		93	219	0	22	148	142	99	8	39	4	10	152
Substance/Alcohol														
Substance/Alcohol	181		49	132	0	5	57	119	49	6	23	1	2	100
Total	181		49	132	0	5	57	119	49	6	23	1	2	100
Criminal Other														
Criminal Other	123		42	81	0	2	44	77	40	5	9	2	6	61
Total	123				0			77		5				
	123		42	81	U	2	44	- 11	40		9	2	6	61
Total Criminal	2761		862	1898	1	169	1315	1277	797	101	314	47	63	1439
0/0		10.5%	31.2%	68.7	0.0	6.1	47.6	46.3	28.9	3.7	11.4	1.7	2.3	52.1
Alcohol/MIP														
Alcohol/MIP	202		83	119	0	0	47	155	8	5	9	1	6	173
Total	202		83	119	0	0	47	155	8	5	9	1	6	173
Curfew Curfew	20		16	4	0	0	11	9	6	0	0	0	1	13
Total	20		16	4	0	0	11	9	6	0	0	0	1	13
Less Than Ounce														
Less Than Ounce	52		16	36	0	2	21	29	5	2	6	0	2	37
Total	52		16	36	0	2	21	29	5	2	6	0	2	37
Tobacco														
Tobacco	16		3	13	0	0	5	11	5	0	1	0	1	9
Total	16		3	13	0	0	5	11	5	0	1	0	1	9
Non Criminal Other														
Non-Criminal Other Non-Criminal Other	9		6	3	0	2	5	2	1	1	1	0	0	6
Total														
1 Otal	9		6	3	0	2	5	2	1	1	1	0	0	6

Crime Group	Total			ender		Age	@ Refer	ral		I	Race/Eth	nicity		
2005 Youth by Referrals Received		% of Grand Total	Females	Males	Unknown	12 and Younger	13 - 15	16 and Older	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Native American	Other/Unknown	White
Non-Criminal														
Total Non-Criminal	299		124	175	0	4	89	206	25	8	17	1	10	238
9/0		1.1%	41.5%	58.5	0.0	1.3	29.8	68.9	8.4	2.7	5.7	0.3	3.3	79.6
Dependency Status Offense														
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Runaway	353		224	128	1	23	184	146	63	5	50	7	18	210
Dependency Status Offense Other	106		20	86	0	103	3	0	45	1	9	2	7	42
Total	459		244	214	1	126	187	146	108	6	59	9	25	252
Total Dependency Status Offense	459		244	214	1	126	187	146	108	6	59	9	25	252
%		1.7%	53.2%	46.6	0.2	27.5	40.7	31.8	23.5	1.3	12.9	2.0	5.4	54.9
Total Youth	3519		1230	2287		299	1591	1629	930	115	390	57	98	1929
0 / ₀			35.0%	65.0	0.1	8.5	45.2	46.3	26.4	3.3	11.1	1.6	2.8	54.8

Crime Group	Total		(Gender		Ag	e @ Ref	erral		R	Race/Et	hnicity		
2005 Referrals by Referrals Received		% of Grand Total	Females	Males	Unknown	12 and Younger	13 - 15	16 and Older	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Native American	Other/Unknown	White
Multnomah														
<u>Criminal</u>														
Person	7.00		240	521		60	204	200	202	24	00	20	1.6	220
Assault Homicide Related	762		240	521	1	60	394	308	283	24	89	20	16	330
Sex Offense	19		1	18	0	0	5	14	7	0	6	2	0	4
	105		4	101	0	18	45	42	19	1	17	1	5	62
Person Other Total	26		7	19	0	0	11	15	7	1	4	0	0	14
-	912		252	659	1	78	455	379	316	26	116	23	21	410
Property	20		4	24	0	7	17	1.4	2	1	2	0	0	22
Arson	38		4	34	0		17	14	2	1	3	0	0	32
Burglary Criminal Mischief	197		32 57	165	0	13	106	78	40	8	12	6 5	4	127
Criminal Trespass	377		40	320 139	0	25 3	191	161 90	74 61	12	65 13	1	8	213 95
Robbery	179		14		0	5	86	39		6	5	3	1	15
Theft	76			62			32		50					
	1296		515	781	0	60	637	599 10	497	61	108	18	14	598 7
Property Other Total	15 2178		2 664	13 1514	0 0	0	5 1074	991	7 731	0 90	1 207	33	0 30	1087
Public Order	21/6		004	1514	U	113	10/4	991	/31	90	207	33	30	1007
Disorderly Conduct	197		62	135	0	11	104	82	93	5	18	3	1	77
Harassment	197		74	120	0	14	104	76	68	4	12	2	8	100
Weapons	115		7	108	0	6	52	57	41	2	19	3	2	48
Public Order Other	72		10	62	0	0	44	28	54	1	3	0	0	14
Total	578		153	425	0	31	304	243	256	12	52	8	11	239
Substance/Alcohol	376		133	723		31	304	243	230	12		- 0		239
Substance/Alcohol	246		54	192	0	6	74	166	80	7	29	2	4	124
Total	246		54	192	0	6	74	166	80	7	29	2	4	124
Criminal Other	240		34	172	•	•	,-	100	00	,				124
Criminal Other	191		69	122	0	3	64	124	75	10	15	2	6	83
Total	191		69	122	0	3	64	124	75	10	15	2	6	83
Total Criminal														
%	4105	9.9%	1192 29.0%	2912 70.9	1 0.0	231 5.6	1971 48.0	1903 46.4	1458 35.5	145 3.5	419 10.2	68 1.7	72 1.8	1943 47.3
Non-Criminal														
Alcohol/MIP														
Alcohol/MIP	306		105	201	0	1	94	211	35	5	21	4	7	234
Total	306		105	201	0	1	94	211	35	5	21	4	7	234
Curfew														
Curfew	57		25	32	0	1	32	24	28	1	2	1	1	24
Total	57		25	32	0	1	32	24	28	1	2	1	1	24
Less Than Ounce														
Less Than Ounce	91		22	69	0	2	38	51	21	2	6	0	2	60
Total	91		22	69	0	2	38	51	21	2	6	0	2	60
Tobacco														
Tobacco	40		6	34	0	1	16	23	17	0	3	0	1	19
Total	40		6	34	0	1	16	23	17	0	3	0	1	19

Crime Group	Total			Gender		Ag	e @ Refe	erral		R	ace/Etl	nnicity		
2005 Referrals by Referrals Received		% of Grand Total	Females	Males	Unknown	12 and Younger	13 - 15	16 and Older	African American	Asian	Hispanic	Native American	Other/Unknown	White
Non-Criminal														
Non-Criminal Other														
Non-Criminal Other	14		6	8	0	3	9	2	1	1	6	0	0	6
Total	14		6	8	0	3	9	2	1	1	6	0	0	6
Total Non-Criminal	508		164	344	0	8	189	311	102	9	38	5	11	343
%		1.2%	32.3%	67.7	0.0	1.6	37.2	61.2	20.1	1.8	7.5	1.0	2.2	67.5
Dependency Status Offense														
Dependency Status Offense														
Runaway	922		496	425	1	54	499	369	241	10	80	18	29	544
Dependency Status Offense Other	120		25	95	0	116	4	0	53	1	11	2	7	46
Total	1042		521	520	1	170	503	369	294	11	91	20	36	590
Total Dependency Status	1042		521	520	1	170	503	369	294	11	91	20	36	590
Offense % ———————————————————————————————————		2.5%	50.0%	49.9	0.1	16.3	48.3	35.4	28.2	1.1	8.7	1.9	3.5	56.6
Total Referrals for Multnomah	5655		1877	3776	2	409	2663	2583	1854	165	548	93	119	2876
%			33.2%	66.8	0.0	7.2	47.1	45.7	32.8	2.9	9.7	1.6	2.1	50.9
Unduplicated Count of Youth	3567													

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 Hisparegardless of race. If a youth does not have an ethnicity of Hispanic, he/she will be counted in the appropriate race.					
	Each ORS # Type is	Reporting Category	Type Code				
Criminal/	evaluated to determine if	Criminal	Life, Felony, or Misdemeanor				
Non-Criminal	it is a Criminal Offense, Non-Criminal Offense or	Non-Criminal	Violation or Infraction				
	Dependency.	Dependency	Dependency				
		Reporting Category	ORS Numbers				
		Assault	Between 163160 and 163213				
	Person Crimes	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				
		Arson	Between 164305 and 164340				
		Burglary	Between 164205 and 164235				
		Criminal Mischief	Between 164345 and 164377				
		Criminal Trespass	Between 164243 and 164272				
	Property Crimes	Robbery	Between 164395 and 164770				
		Theft	Between 164015 and 164140				
		Bases and a Other	If the ORS # does not meet one of the above				
		Property-Other	criteria, but falls between 164000 and 164999				
		Disorderly Conduct	166025 and 166045				
		Harassment	166065				
Criminal		Weapons	Between 166180 and 166710				
Offense Crime Group		Public Order-Other	If the ORS # does not meet the above criteria, but falls between 166000 and 166999				
Category	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.				
		Alcohol /MIP	ORS #'s 4714301, 4714302, 4714303				
		Curfew	ORS #'s 419680, 419C680, 419710, 419720				
	Non-Criminal Offense	Less Than Ounce	ORS # 4759924F, 4759924F-ATT, 4759924F- CON, 475992B-ATT				
	Crime Group Category	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	Runaway	ORS #'s 419B100F, 419C156, 419476F				
	Dependency-Status Offenses	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					

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 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