



Youth Justice Pocket Stats - Comparisons 2018-19 and 2019-20

Measures	2018-19	2019-20	Difference
Profile			
Number of distinct young people with a proven offence	4,646	3,395	decrease of 27 percent
Male offenders with a proven offence	73%	72%	decrease of one percentage point
Proven offences			
Number of proven offences	36,500	30,516	decrease of 16 percent
Proportion of Property offences	61%	62%	increase of one percentage point
Proportion of Violent offences	7%	8%	increase of one percentage point
Proportion of Drug offences	7%	6%	decrease of one percentage point
Proportion of Other offences	25%	24%	decrease of one percentage point
Complexity of young offenders (Census)			
Use of at least one substance	80%	80%	no change
Use of ice/other meth in YJ Custody (YDC & WH)	39%	38%	decrease of one percentage point
Mental health and/or behavioural disorder (diagnosed or suspected)	56%	46%	decrease of 10 percentage points
Disengaged from education, training or employment	53%	55%	increase of two percentage points
Unstable and/or unsuitable accommodation	21%	29%	increase of eight percentage points
Disability (assessed or suspected)	16%	12%	decrease of four percentage points
YJ Custody			
All young people in custody on an average day	252	208	decrease of 17 percent
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander young people in custody on an average day	71%	70%	decrease of one percentage point
All young people in custody on remand on an average day	213	178	decrease of 16 percent
Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander young people on remand on an average day	71%	70%	decrease of one percentage point
Average duration on sentence	60 days	56 days	decrease of 7 percent
Average duration on remand	27 days	30 days	increase of 11 percent
Orders			
Number of distinct young people admitted to a supervised order	2,064	1,571	decrease of 24 percent
Number of supervised orders	4,015	2,994	decrease of 25 percent
Number of distinct young people admitted to community-based orders	1,978	1,478	decrease of 25 percent
Number of community based orders	3,656	2,696	decrease of 26 percent
Number of Restorative Justice referrals received	2,857	3,247	increase of 14 percent

The 2018-19 and 2019-20 figures are based on youth justice corporate datasets and are accurate as at 31 July 2020. This means the 2018-19 figures appearing in last year's Pocket Stats may differ to these 2018-19 figures due to the use of more up-to-date data.