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#### Dear Juvenile Justice Colleague:

I am pleased to present the 2011 juvenile detention statistics, which has been prepared by the Juvenile Justice Commission's Compliance Monitoring Unit. As noted in the attached report, Warren, Passaic, Gloucester, Bergen, Sussex, Monmouth, and Mercer counties have closed their juvenile detention centers since 2008 and are now sending juveniles requiring secure detention to neighboring county detention facilities. Bergen County is currently building a new detention center and plans on opening it during the summer of 2012. In addition, Union County entered into an agreement with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services in July 2009 to house a maximum of 15 federally detained juveniles in the County's juvenile detention center.

In previous years, the detention statistics were presented in two ways due to these transfer/alternate housing arrangements. The first set of statistical tables documented the actual number of admissions and related childcare days for each detention facility. A second set of adjusted tables was provided to depict the figures, had there been no transfer/alternate housing arrangements. For this year and going forward, one set of statistical tables will be presented and will reflect the actual number of juveniles held in each facility. The adjusted tables will no longer be provided, since this information is available in the New Jersey Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiative (JDAI) 2011 Annual Data Report dated February 2012, prepared by the Juvenile Justice Commission and made available to all JDAI stakeholders.

The attached report includes information on admissions, childcare days, average daily population, and average length of stay. Two-year comparisons are provided, as well as five-year statewide comparisons, where appropriate. Also, statistics are provided for county juvenile detention facilities that have juvenile detention commitment programs.

Please note that Cape May, Hunterdon, Salem and Somerset counties also do not operate juvenile detention centers. These counties send juveniles needing secure custody to neighboring county juvenile detention facilities.





In closing, I hope the statistics are helpful to you and thank you for your interest in this matter.

Sincerely,

Gloria R. Hancock, Ed.D. Acting Executive Director



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DATE:

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SUBJECT:

Statistics on Juveniles in Detention Facilities - 2011

Attached are the statistics on juveniles placed in detention facilities in New Jersey during 2011, which has been prepared by the Juvenile Justice Commission's Compliance Monitoring Unit. The data was collected through the completion of forms (Monthly Population Report for Juvenile Detention Facilities) received from each county facility and verified, if necessary.

During the past several years, various counties have engaged in transfer/alternate housing arrangements to meet their juvenile detention needs. For informational purposes, the following summarizes the current status of the closings, consolidations, etc. which have occurred.

- The Warren County Juvenile Detention Center closed on December 31, 2008, and now sends juveniles requiring secure detention to Morris County.
- The Passaic County Juvenile Detention Center closed on April 3, 2009, and now sends juveniles requiring secure detention to Essex County.
- The Gloucester County Juvenile Detention Center closed on June 3, 2009, and now sends juveniles requiring secure detention to Camden County.
- Union County entered into an agreement with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services in July 2009 to house a maximum of 15 federally detained juveniles in the County's juvenile detention center.
- The Sussex County Juvenile Detention Center closed on December 15, 2009, and now sends juveniles requiring secure detention to Morris County.
- The Monmouth County Juvenile Detention Center closed on July 1, 2010, and now sends juveniles requiring secure detention to Middlesex County.
- The Bergen County Juvenile Detention Center closed in June 2011. The County is currently building a new detention center and plans on opening it during the summer of 2012. All juveniles requiring secure detention in Bergen County since the closing have been transferred to the Union County Juvenile Detention Center.



- The Mercer County Juvenile Detention Center closed in June 2011, and now sends juveniles requiring secure detention to Middlesex County.
- Cape May, Hunterdon, Salem and Somerset counties do not operate juvenile detention centers. These counties send juveniles needing secure custody to neighboring county juvenile detention facilities.

In previous years, the detention statistics were presented in two ways due to the transfer/alternate housing arrangements noted above. The first set of statistical tables documented the actual number of admissions and related childcare days for each detention facility. A second set of adjusted tables was provided to depict the figures, had there been no transfer/alternate housing arrangements. For this year and going forward, one set of statistical tables will be presented and will reflect the actual number of juveniles held in each facility. The adjusted tables will no longer be provided, since this information is available in the New Jersey Juvenile Detention Alternatives Initiative (JDAI) 2011 Annual Data Report dated February 2012, prepared by the Juvenile Justice Commission and made available to all JDAI stakeholders.

The attached report presents two-year comparisons, as well as five-year statewide comparisons where appropriate. Please note that the statistics in Tables I through VII do not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs. All statistics in Table X and thereafter, include all juveniles admitted to detention, predispositional and commitment program admissions, for the purpose of presenting a true reflection of the number of juveniles in detention facilities.

Tables I and II are provided to delineate all relevant information regarding admissions to juvenile detention facilities in 2011. Also included are the statistics pertaining to childcare days, average daily population, and average length of stay.

Tables III, IV, and V compare the statistics from 2010, with those of 2011. Admissions decreased statewide in 2011 by 16.8 percent, while the average length stay increased from 30.2 to 32.1 days, a 6.3 percent increase. The average daily population in New Jersey's juvenile detention facilities decreased from 461 in 2010, to 400 during 2011.

Tables VI and VII delineate the number and percent of male and female admissions by race. The tables indicate that black and Hispanic juveniles comprised 84.9 percent of all detention admissions statewide in 2011.

Tables VIII and IX are provided to delineate all relevant information regarding admissions to juvenile detention commitment programs. Also included are the statistics pertaining to childcare days, average daily population, and average length of stay. Admissions to detention commitment programs accounted for 6.5 percent of detention admissions in 2011.

Table X provides the average daily population as a percent of approved capacity for each facility, as well as a statewide total. Table X indicates that the statewide percent of approved capacity was 50.1 percent, which was a decrease from the previous year's 54.6.

Tables XI, XII, and XIII compare statewide statistics for the period 2007 to 2011. The tables indicate that in 2011, the figures for admissions to detention and average daily population decreased over the five-year period 49 and 35.6 percent, respectively. The average length of stay increased during this period by 26 percent.

Tables XIV and XV present juvenile detention rates for the period from 2007 to 2011. There are several methods of determining juvenile detention rates, and for this report, we have selected two methods. The first is based on delinquency complaints filed, the second, based on population.

Detention rates based on delinquency complaints filed are calculated by taking the number of juveniles admitted to detention statewide, dividing by the number of delinquency complaints filed in court statewide, and multiplying by 100 for each calendar year 2007-2011. Table XIV provides the figures for detention rates per 100 delinquency complaints filed.

Detention rates based on population are calculated by taking the number of juveniles admitted to detention statewide, dividing by the estimated number of juveniles age 10-17, and multiplying by 1,000. Tables XV provides the figures for statewide population estimates for juveniles age 10-17, admissions to detention statewide, and the detention rates per one thousand juveniles age 10-17.

I would like to thank all the juvenile detention staff for their efforts in providing the data necessary to develop these statistics. Your cooperation is very much appreciated. If there are any questions, please feel free to call me at (609) 341-5056.

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Governor's JJDP Committee

# TABLE I Juveniles in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\* By Facility - Raw Data January through December 2011

County**	P	dmissions		<u>Ch</u> i	ild Care Da	iγs
County**	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
Atlantic	139	18	157	6,240	445	6,685
Bergen***	50	8	58	1,091	35	1,126
Burlington	133	22	155	3,163	541	3,704
Camden	421	56	477	14,823	1,458	16,281
Cumberland	251	47	298	9,901	780	10,681
Essex	1,274	109	1,383	44,082	1,667	45,749
Hudson	459	64	523	13,272	754	14,026
Mercer****	108	17	125	3,380	473	3,853
Middlesex	588	81	669	18,810	1,560	20,370
Morris	163	31	194	4,600	393	4,993
Ocean	104	24	128	4,181	663	4,844
Union	348	37	385	12,540	1,190	13,730
State Total	4,038	514	4,552	136,083	9,959	146,042

<sup>\*</sup>Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Cape May, Gloucester, Hunterdon, Monmouth, Passaic, Salem, Somerset, Sussex, and Warren countles do not operate juvenile detention centers. These countles send juveniles needing secure detention to neighboring county juvenile detention facilities.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>The Bergen County juvenile Detention center closed in June 2011. The County is currently building a new juvenile detention center and plans on opening it during the summer of 2012. All juveniles requiring secure detention in Bergen County after the closing have been transferred to the Union County juvenile detention center. Figures in Table 1 and subsequent tables for Bergen County reflect the number of juveniles held in the Bergen facility up to the date of closure.

<sup>\*\*\*\*</sup>The Mercer County Juvenile detention center closed in June 2011. All juveniles requiring secure detention in Mercer County after the closing were transferred to the Middlesex County juvenile detention center. Figures in Table I and subsequent tables for Mercer County reflect the number of juveniles held in the Mercer facility up to the date of closure.

TABLE II

Juveniles in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\* - Raw Data

January through December

2011

County	A	dmissior	<u>1S</u>		erage Da opulatio			age Leng tay (Day:	
	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>
Atlantic	139	18	157	17.1	1.2	18.3	44.9	24.7	42.6
Bergen	50	8	58	3.0	0.1	3.1	21.8	4.4	19.4
Burlington	133	22	155	8.7	1.5	10.1	23.8	24.6	23.9
Camden	421	56	477	40.6	4.0	44.6	35.2	26.0	34.1
Cumberland	251	47	298	27.1	2.1	29.3	39.4	16.6	35.8
Essex	1,274	109	1,383	120.8	4.6	125.3	34.6	15.3	33.1
Hudson	459	64	523	36.4	2.1	38.4	28.9	11.8	26.8
Mercer	108	17	125	9.3	1.3	10.6	31.3	27.8	30.8
Middlesex	588	81	669	51.5	4.3	55.8	32.0	19.3	30.4
Morris	163	31	194	12.6	1.1	13.7	28.2	12.7	25.7
Ocean	104	24	128	11.5	1.8	13.3	40.2	27.6	37.8
Union	348	37	385	34.4	3.3	37.6	36.0	32.2	35.7
State Total	4,038	514	4,552	372.8	27.3	400.1	33.7	19.4	32.1

<sup>\*</sup> Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

# TABLE III Admission to Juvenile in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\* Reported in Percent Change January through December 2010-2011

County		<u>Male</u>			<u>Femal</u>	<u>e</u>		Total	
<u>County</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	Change	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>Change</u>
Atlantic	200	139	-30.5%	26	18	-30.8%	226	157	-30.5%
Bergen	101	50	-50.5%	10	8	-20.0%	111	58	-47.7%
Burlington	197	133	-32.5%	35	22	-37.1%	232	155	-33.2%
Camden	536	421	-21.5%	97	56	-42.3%	633	477	-24.6%
Cumberland	271	251	-7.4%	60	47	-21.7%	331	298	-10.0%
Essex	1,583	1,274	-19.5%	176	109	-38.1%	1,759	1,383	<b>-2</b> 1.4%
Hudson	421	459	9.0%	57	64	12.3%	478	523	9.4%
Mercer	248	108	-56.5%	56	17	-69.6%	304	125	-58.9%
Middlesex	516	588	14.0%	82	81	-1.2%	598	669	11.9%
Morris	200	163	-18.5%	42	31	-26.2%	242	194	-19.8%
Ocean	119	104	-12.6%	24	24	0.0%	143	128	<del>-</del> 10.5%
Union	354	348	-1.7%	61	37	-39.3%	415	385	-7.2%
State Total	4,746	4,038	-14.9%	726	514	-29.2%	5,472	4,552	-16.8%

<sup>\*</sup> Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

TABLE IV

Average Length of Stay in Juveniles in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*

Reported in Percent Change

January through December

2010-2011

0		<u>Male</u>			<u>Female</u>			<u>Total</u>	
<u>County</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>Change</u>
Atlantic	31.4	44.9	43.0%	31.7	24.7	-22.1%	31.4	42.6	35.7%
Bergen	28.3	21.8	-23.0%	2.8	4.4	57.1%	26.0	19.4	-25.4%
Burlington	26.0	23.8	-8.5%	24.3	24.6	1.2%	25.7	23.9	-7.0%
Camden	28.2	35.2	24.8%	27.7	26.0	-6.1%	28.1	34.1	21.4%
Cumberland	38.1	39.5	3.7%	20.8	16.6	-20.2%	34.9	35.8	2.6%
Essex	30.6	34.6	13.1%	18.4	15.3	-16.8%	29.4	33.1	12.6%
Hudson	32.0	28.9	-9.7%	15.4	11.8	-23.4%	30.0	26.8	-10.7%
Mercer	33.5	31.3	-6.6%	14.8	27.8	87.8%	30.1	30.8	2.3%
Middlesex	35.4	32.0	-9.6%	17.3	19.3	11.6%	32.9	30.4	-7.6%
Morris	24.8	28.2	13.7%	14.5	12.7	-12.4%	23.0	25.7	11.7%
Ocean	33.8	40.2	18.9%	22.2	27.6	24.3%	31.9	37.8	18.5%
Union	37.5	36.0	-4.0%	9.6	32.2	235.4%	33.4	35.7	6.8%
State Total	31.9	33.7	5.6%	19.1	19.4	1.6%	30.2	32.1	6.3%

<sup>\*</sup> Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

TABLE V

Average Daily Population in Juvenile in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*

Reported in Percent Change

January through December

Two Year Comparison

2010 - 2011

C		Male			Female	<u>9</u>		<u>Total</u>	
County	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	<u>Change</u>
Atlantic	17.2	17.1	-0.6%	2.3	1.2	-47.8%	19.4	18.3	-5.6%
Bergen	7.8	3.0	-61.5%	0.1	0.1	0.0%	7.9	3.1	-60.8%
Burlington	14.0	8.7	-37.9%	2,3	1.5	-34.8%	16.4	10.1	-38.4%
Camden	41.4	40.6	-1.9%	7.4	4.0	-45.9%	48.8	44.6	-8.6%
Cumberland	28.3	27.1	-4.2%	3.4	2.1	-38.2%	31.7	29.3	-7.6%
Essex	132.9	120.8	-9.1%	8.9	4.6	-48.3%	141.7	125.3	-11.6%
Hudson	36.9	36.4	-1.4%	2.4	2.1	-12.5%	39.3	38.4	-2.3%
Mercer	22.8	9.3	-59.2%	2.3	1.3	-43.5%	25.0	10.6	-57.6%
Middlesex	50.0	51.5	3.0%	3.9	4.3	10.3%	53.9	55.8	3.5%
Morris	13.6	12.6	-7.3%	1.7	1.1	-35.3%	15.2	13.7	-9.9%
Ocean	11.0	11.5	4.5%	1.5	1.8	20.0%	12.5	13.3	6.4%
Union	36.3	34.4	-5.2%	1.6	3.3	106.3%	37.9	37.6	-0.8%
State Total	412.2	422.1	2.4%	40.6	27.3	-32.8%	460.8	400.1	-13.2%

<sup>\*</sup> Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

TABLE VI
Juveniles in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*
Number and Percent of MALE Admissions by Race
January through December

2011

0	Wh	ite	Bla	ck	Hisp	anic	<u>Oth</u>	<u>er</u>	Total
<u>County</u>	Total		Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	I Viai
Atlantic	11	7.9%	99	71.2%	27	19.4%	2	1.4%	139
Bergen	9	18.0%	26	52.0%	13	26.0%	2	4.0%	50
Burlington	26	19.5%	92	69.2%	12	9.0%	3	2.3%	133
Camden	87	20.7%	247	58.7%	84	20.0%	3	0.7%	421
Cumberland	34	13.5%	167	66.5%	49	19.5%	1	0.4%	251
Essex	35	2.7%	960	75.4%	275	21.6%	4	0.3%	1,274
Hudson	21	4.6%	257	56.0%	175	38.1%	6	1.3%	459
Mercer	6	5.6%	89	82.4%	13	12.0%	0	0.0%	108
Middlesex	101	17.2%	322	54.8%	154	26.2%	11	1.9%	588
Morris	113	69.3%	24	14.7%	20	12.3%	6	3.7%	163
Ocean	71	68.3%	15	14.4%	18	17.3%	0	0.0%	104
Union	23	6.6%	229	65.8%	91	26.1%	5	1.4%	348
Male Total	537	13.3%	2,527	62.6%	931	23.1%	43	1.1%	4,038

<sup>\*</sup>Does not include juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

TABLE VII

Juveniles in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*

Number and Percent of FEMALE Admissions by Race

January through December

2011

County	Wh	ite	Bla	ck	Hisp	ani <u>c</u>	<u>Oth</u>	<u>er</u>	Total
<u>County</u>	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	Total	%	1000
Atlantic	3	16.7%	10	55.6%	4	22.2%	1	5.6%	18
Bergen	3	37.5%	4	50.0%	1	12.5%	0	0.0%	8
Burlington	5	22.7%	10	45.5%	7	31.8%	0	0.0%	22
Camden	10	17.9%	39	69.6%	6	10.7%	1	1.8%	56
Cumberland	8	17.0%	31	66.0%	8	17.0%	0	0.0%	47
Essex	4	3.7%	90	82.6%	15	13.8%	0	0.0%	109
Hudson	1	1.6%	30	46.9%	31	48.4%	2	3.1%	64
Mercer	4	23.5%	11	64.7%	1	5.9%	1	5.9%	17
Middlesex	22	27.2%	43	53.1%	14	17.3%	2	2.5%	81
Morris	21	67.7%	7	22.6%	2	6.5%	1	3.2%	31
Ocean	13	54.2%	3	12.5%	8	33.3%	0	0.0%	24
Union	3	8.1%	28	75.7%	6	16.2%	0	0.0%	37
Female Total	97	18.9%	306	59.5%	103	20.0%	8	1.6%	514
Male Total	537	13.3%	2,527	62.6%	931	23.1%	43	1.1%	'
Female Total	97	18.9%	306	59.5%	103	20.0%	8	1.6%	514
State Total	634	13.9%	2,833	62.2%	1,034	22.7%	51	1.1%	4,552

<sup>\*</sup>Does not include Juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

# TABLE VIII Juveniles in Detention Commitment Programs\* By Facility - Raw Data January through December 2011

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<u>County</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>		
Bergen	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Cumberland	12	3	15	456	87	543		
Hudson	4	0	4	122	0	122		
Middlesex	62	3	65	871	60	931		
Morris	77	13	90	1627	96	1,723		
Ocean	101	22	123	2,382	524	2,906		
Union	0	0	0	0	0	0		
	256	41	297	5,458	767	6,225		

<sup>\*</sup> The figures above provide information on those Counties which operate a Juvenile Detention Commitment Program.

TABLE IX
Juveniles in Detention Commitment Programs\* - Raw Data
January through December
2011

County	A	<u>Admissions</u>			Average Daily Population			Average Length of Stay (Days)		
	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Total</u>	
Bergen	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	
Cumberland	12	3	15	1.2	0.2	1.5	38.0	29.0	36.2	
Hudson	4	0	4	0.3	0.0	0.3	30.5	0.0	30.5	
Middlesex	62	3	65	2.4	0.2	2.6	14.0	20.0	14.3	
Morris	77	13	90	4.5	0.3	4.7	21.1	7.4	19.1	
Ocean	101	22	123	6.5	1.4	8.0	23.6	23.8	23.6	
Union	0	0	0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0	
State Total	256	41	297	15.0	2.1	17.1	21.3	18.7	21.0	

<sup>\*</sup> The figures above provide information on those counties which operate a juvenile detention commitment program.

## TABLE X Average Daily Population as a Percent of Approved Capacity\* January through December

#### 2011

County	Average Daily Population	Approved Capacity	Percent of Approved Capacity
Atlantic	18.3	27	67.8
Bergen**	3.1	41	7.6
Burlington	10.1	24	42.1
Camden	44.6	61	73.1
Cumberland	30.8	46	67.0
Essex	125.3	242	51.8
Hudson	38.8	79	49.1
Mercer	10.6	64	16.6
Middlesex	58.4	100	58.4
Morris	18.4	43	42.8
Ocean	21.2	30	70.7
Union	37.6	76	49.5
Total	417.2	833	50.1

<sup>\*</sup>Includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Although a "soft cap" of 14 was placed on the Bergen County Juvenile Detention Center in January 2006, the approved capacity for the facility remains at 41.

### TABLE XI Admissions to Juvenile in Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*

#### Statewide 2007 - 2011

Sex	2007	2008	2009	2010	<u>2011</u>	% Change 2007-2011
MALE	8,315	7,043	5,845	5,047	4,294	-48.4%
FEMALE	1,187	1,018	920	776	555	-53.2%
TOTAL	9,502	8,061	6,765	5,823	4,849	-49.0%
% CHANGE	M M M	-15.2%	-16.1%	-13.9%	<b>-</b> 16.7%	<b></b>

<sup>\*</sup>Includes juvenites admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

## TABLE XII Average Daily Population in Juvenile Detention Facilities in New Jersey\* Reported in Percent Change January through December

#### Statewide 2007 - 2011

<u>SEX</u>	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	% Change 2007-2011
MALE	596.4	563.3	517.4	435.3	387.8	-35.0%
FEMALE	51.4	49.0	43.7	40.9	29.4	-42.8%
TOTAL	647.8	612.3	561.0	476.2	417.2	-35.6%
% CHANGE		-5.5%	-8.4%	-15.3%	-12.4%	2 A A A

Includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.

## TABLE XIII Average Length of Stay in Juvenile Detention Facilities in New Jersey\*

#### Statewide 2007 - 2011

<u>Sex</u>	2007	2008	2009	<u>2010</u>	<u>2011</u>	% Change 2007- 2011
MALE	26.2	29.3	32.3	31.4	33.0	26.0%
FEMALE	15.8	17.6	17.3	19.6	19.3	22.2%
TOTAL	24.9	27.8	30.3	29.8	31.4	26.1%
% CHANGE		11.9%	8.9%	-1.5%	5.4%	

<sup>\*</sup>Includes juveniles admitted to Juvenile detention commitment programs.

### TABLE XIV Juvenile Detention Rates\* Based on Delinquency Complaints

#### Statewide 2007 - 2011

Year	Admissions**	<u>Delinquency</u> Complaints Filed***	<u>Detention Rate Per</u> <u>100 Complaints</u>
2007	9,502	44,381	21.4
2008	8,061	42,052	19.2
2009	6,765	32,027	21.1
2010	5,823	33,764	17.2
2011	4,849	29,576	16.4

<sup>\*</sup>Detention rates were calculated by taking the number of juveniles admitted to detention statewide, dividing by the number of delinquency complaints filed statewide, and multiplying by 100 for each calendar year 2007-2011.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Includes juveniles admitted to Juvenile detention commitment programs.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Each year the figures for delinquency complaints filed are obtained from the Family Division of the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC).

### TABLE XV Juvenile Detention Rates\* Based on Population

#### Statewide 2007-2011

<u>Year</u>	Admissions**	State Population Estimates for Juveniles Age 10-17	Detention Rate per 1,000 Juveniles Age 10-17
2007	9,502	952,969	10.0
2008	8,061	933,715	8.6
2009	6,765	933,715	7.2
2010	5,823	922,044	6.3
2011	4,849	922,044	5.3

<sup>\*</sup>Detention rates were calculated by taking the number of juveniles admitted to detention statewide, dividing by the estimated number of juveniles age 10 - 17, and multiplying by 1,000. Source of Juvenile Population Figures: New Jersey Department of Labor's Division of Labor Market and Demographic Research.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Includes juveniles admitted to juvenile detention commitment programs.