



**State of New Jersey
Juvenile Justice Commission**

ROOM RESTRICTION REPORT FOR:
January 01, 2017 - December 31, 2017

JJC FACILITIES

Average Daily Population:	306
Total Instances of Room Restriction:	393
Rate of Room Restriction per Population:	1.28
Total Unduplicated Youth Served:	500
Total Unduplicated Youth Placed on Room Restriction 1 or More Times:	165
% of Youth Served Experiencing Room Restriction:	33.00%
# of Times a Youth was Restricted More than 240 Hours in 30 Days:	0

Duration of Room Restriction by Age

	15 or younger		16-17		18+		Total	
0-4 hours	18	69.23%	106	67.52%	145	69.05%	269	68.45%
5-8 hours	2	7.69%	18	11.46%	20	9.52%	40	10.18%
9-16 hours	6	23.08%	29	18.47%	40	19.05%	75	19.08%
17-24 hours	0	0.00%	4	2.55%	5	2.38%	9	2.29%
25-48 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
49-72 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
73-96 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
97-120 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
121+ hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Total	26	100.00%	157	100.00%	210	100.00%	393	100.00%

Average Duration of Room Restriction (in Hours) by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

Black	5.34
Hispanic	5.26
White	4.60
Asian	8.00
Other	5.00
Male	5.28
Female	5.00
Total	5.28

Reason for Room Restriction

Immediate/substantial risk of harm to others	100.0%
Immediate/substantial risk to security of facility	0.00%

If a Mental Health/Clinical Evaluation was Performed, were the Results Considered in the Decision to Use Room Restriction?

Not Performed	0.00%
Performed and Considered	94.40%
Performed – Whether Results Considered is Unknown	5.60%

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ATLANTIC COUNTY YOUTH DETENTION CENTER

Average Daily Population: 12.2
 Total Instances of Room Restriction: 39
 Rate of Room Restriction per Population: 3.20

Total Unduplicated Youth Placed on Room Restriction 1 or More Times: 21
 # of Times a Youth was Restricted More than 240 Hours in 30 Days: 0

Duration of Room Restriction by Age

	15 or younger		16-17		18+		Total	
0-4 hours	0	0.00%	1	4.76%	0	0.00%	1	2.56%
5-8 hours	1	8.33%	3	14.29%	1	16.67%	5	12.82%
9-16 hours	4	33.33%	1	4.76%	1	16.67%	6	15.38%
17-24 hours	3	25.00%	6	28.57%	0	0.00%	9	23.08%
25-48 hours	4	33.33%	10	47.62%	4	66.67%	18	46.15%
49-72 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
73-96 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
97-120 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
121+ hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Total	12	100.00%	21	100.00%	6	100.00%	39	100.00%

Average Duration of Room Restriction (in Hours) by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

Black	25.04
Hispanic	16.50
White	25.67
Male	23.89
Female	21.00
Total	23.82

Reason for Room Restriction

Immediate/substantial risk of harm to others	95.04%
Immediate/substantial risk to security of facility	4.96%

If a Mental Health/Clinical Evaluation was Performed, were the Results Considered in the Decision to Use Room Restriction?

Not Performed	0.00%
Performed and Considered	92.31%
Performed – Whether Results Considered is Unknown	7.69%



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BERGEN COUNTY YOUTH DETENTION CENTER

Average Daily Population: 14.2
 Total Instances of Room Restriction: 39
 Rate of Room Restriction per Population: 2.75

Total Unduplicated Youth Placed on Room Restriction 1 or More Times: 21
 # of Times a Youth was Restricted More than 240 Hours in 30 Days: 0

Duration of Room Restriction by Age

	15 or younger		16-17		18+		Total	
0-4 hours	0	0.00%	8	24.24%	1	20.00%	9	23.08%
5-8 hours	0	0.00%	2	6.06%	0	0.00%	2	5.13%
9-16 hours	0	0.00%	1	3.03%	1	20.00%	2	5.13%
17-24 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	20.00%	1	2.56%
25-48 hours	1	100.00%	15	45.45%	2	40.00%	18	46.15%
49-72 hours	0	0.00%	7	21.21%	0	0.00%	7	17.95%
73-96 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
97-120 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
121+ hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Total	1	100.00%	33	100.00%	5	100.00%	39	100.00%

Average Duration of Room Restriction (in Hours) by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

Black	32.86
Hispanic	33.40
White	13.00
Male	34.15
Female	20.50
Total	32.05

Reason for Room Restriction

Immediate/substantial risk of harm to others	94.95%
Immediate/substantial risk to security of facility	5.05%

If a Mental Health/Clinical Evaluation was Performed, were the Results Considered in the Decision to Use Room Restriction?

Not Performed	0.00%
Performed and Considered	100.00%
Performed but Not Considered	0.00%
Performed – Whether Results Considered is Unknown	0.00%



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BURLINGTON COUNTY YOUTH DETENTION CENTER

Average Daily Population: 16.7
Total Instances of Room Restriction: 114
Rate of Room Restriction per Population: 6.83

Total Unduplicated Youth Placed on Room Restriction 1 or More Times: 35
of Times a Youth was Restricted More than 240 Hours in 30 Days: 0

Duration of Room Restriction by Age

	15 or younger		16-17		18+		Total	
0-4 hours	13	48.15%	29	42.03%	3	16.67%	45	39.47%
5-8 hours	2	7.41%	11	15.94%	6	33.33%	19	16.67%
9-16 hours	5	18.52%	10	14.49%	4	22.22%	19	16.67%
17-24 hours	3	11.11%	10	14.49%	3	16.67%	16	14.04%
25-48 hours	3	11.11%	5	7.25%	1	5.56%	9	7.89%
49-72 hours	1	3.70%	2	2.90%	0	0.00%	3	2.63%
73-96 hours	0	0.00%	2	2.90%	0	0.00%	2	1.75%
97-120 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	1	5.56%	1	0.88%
121+ hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Total	27	100.00%	69	100.00%	18	100.00%	114	100.00%

Average Duration of Room Restriction (in Hours) by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

Black	14.26
Hispanic	13.80
White	22.00
Other	0.00
Male	14.63
Female	13.37
Total	14.42

Reason for Room Restriction

Immediate/substantial risk of harm to others	80.74%
Immediate/substantial risk to security of facility	19.26%

If a Mental Health/Clinical Evaluation was Performed, were the Results Considered in the Decision to Use Room Restriction?

Not Performed	0.00%
Performed and Considered	92.98%
Performed but Not Considered	0.88%
Performed – Whether Results Considered is Unknown	6.14%

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CAMDEN COUNTY YOUTH DETENTION CENTER

Average Daily Population: 40.0
Total Instances of Room Restriction: 196
Rate of Room Restriction per Population: 4.90

Total Unduplicated Youth Placed on Room Restriction 1 or More Times: 83
of Times a Youth was Restricted More than 240 Hours in 30 Days: 0

Duration of Room Restriction by Age

	15 or younger		16-17		18+		Total	
0-4 hours	23	40.35%	59	53.15%	12	42.86%	94	47.96%
5-8 hours	14	24.56%	18	16.22%	7	25.00%	39	19.90%
9-16 hours	10	17.54%	19	17.12%	5	17.86%	34	17.35%
17-24 hours	7	12.28%	7	6.31%	2	7.14%	16	8.16%
25-48 hours	3	5.26%	7	6.31%	2	7.14%	12	6.12%
49-72 hours	0	0.00%	1	0.90%	0	0.00%	1	0.51%
73-96 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
97-120 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
121+ hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Total	57	100.00%	111	100.00%	28	100.00%	196	100.00%

Average Duration of Room Restriction (in Hours) by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

Black	8.76
Hispanic	6.11
White	6.80
Male	7.95
Female	8.96
Total	8.09

Reason for Room Restriction

Immediate/substantial risk of harm to others	75.18%
Immediate/substantial risk to security of facility	24.82%

If a Mental Health/Clinical Evaluation was Performed, were the Results Considered in the Decision to Use Room Restriction?

Not Performed	0.00%
Performed and Considered	93.88%
Performed but Not Considered	1.53%
Performed – Whether Results Considered is Unknown	4.59%



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ESSEX COUNTY YOUTH DETENTION CENTER

Average Daily Population: 68.7
Total Instances of Room Restriction: 395
Rate of Room Restriction per Population: 5.75

Total Unduplicated Youth Placed on Room Restriction 1 or More Times: 157
of Times a Youth was Restricted More than 240 Hours in 30 Days: 0

Duration of Room Restriction by Age

	15 or younger		16-17		18+		Total	
0-4 hours	25	21.55%	30	13.89%	5	7.94%	60	15.19%
5-8 hours	17	14.66%	30	13.89%	8	12.70%	55	13.92%
9-16 hours	27	23.28%	31	14.35%	5	7.94%	63	15.95%
17-24 hours	26	22.41%	32	14.81%	9	14.29%	67	16.96%
25-48 hours	21	18.10%	68	31.48%	19	30.16%	108	27.34%
49-72 hours	0	0.00%	22	10.19%	9	14.29%	31	7.85%
73-96 hours	0	0.00%	1	0.46%	7	11.11%	8	2.03%
97-120 hours	0	0.00%	2	0.93%	1	1.59%	3	0.76%
121+ hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Total	116	100.00%	216	100.00%	63	100.00%	395	100.00%

Average Duration of Room Restriction (in Hours) by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

Black	24.67
Hispanic	18.30
White	12.71
Male	23.24
Female	22.80
Total	23.23

Reason for Room Restriction

Immediate/substantial risk of harm to others	90.06%
Immediate/substantial risk to security of facility	9.94%

If a Mental Health/Clinical Evaluation was Performed, were the Results Considered in the Decision to Use Room Restriction?

Not Performed	0.00%
Performed and Considered	99.49%
Performed but Not Considered	0.25%
Performed – Whether Results Considered is Unknown	0.25%



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MIDDLESEX COUNTY YOUTH DETENTION CENTER

Average Daily Population: 54.5
 Total Instances of Room Restriction: 294
 Rate of Room Restriction per Population: 5.39

Total Unduplicated Youth Placed on Room Restriction 1 or More Times: 126
 # of Times a Youth was Restricted More than 240 Hours in 30 Days: 0

Duration of Room Restriction by Age

	15 or younger		16-17		18+		Total	
0-4 hours	8	23.53%	39	19.31%	8	13.79%	55	18.71%
5-8 hours	5	14.71%	17	8.42%	4	6.90%	26	8.84%
9-16 hours	5	14.71%	32	15.84%	13	22.41%	50	17.01%
17-24 hours	9	26.47%	40	19.80%	12	20.69%	61	20.75%
25-48 hours	7	20.59%	56	27.72%	16	27.59%	79	26.87%
49-72 hours	0	0.00%	18	8.91%	5	8.62%	23	7.82%
73-96 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
97-120 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
121+ hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Total	34	100.00%	202	100.00%	58	100.00%	294	100.00%

Average Duration of Room Restriction (in Hours) by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

Black	22.00
Hispanic	21.72
White	16.75
Other	27.72
Male	22.72
Female	11.52
Total	21.92

Reason for Room Restriction

Immediate/substantial risk of harm to others	77.48%
Immediate/substantial risk to security of facility	22.52%

If a Mental Health/Clinical Evaluation was Performed, were the Results Considered in the Decision to Use Room Restriction?

Not Performed	0.00%
Performed and Considered	100.00%
Performed but Not Considered	0.00%
Performed – Whether Results Considered is Unknown	0.00%



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MORRIS COUNTY YOUTH DETENTION CENTER

Average Daily Population: 7.0
 Total Instances of Room Restriction: 29
 Rate of Room Restriction per Population: 4.14

Total Unduplicated Youth Placed on Room Restriction 1 or More Times: 14
 # of Times a Youth was Restricted More than 240 Hours in 30 Days: 0

Duration of Room Restriction by Age

	15 or younger		16-17		18+		Total	
0-4 hours	2	100.00%	21	77.78%	0	0.00%	23	79.31%
5-8 hours	0	0.00%	3	11.11%	0	0.00%	3	10.34%
9-16 hours	0	0.00%	2	7.41%	0	0.00%	2	6.90%
17-24 hours	0	0.00%	1	3.70%	0	0.00%	1	3.45%
25-48 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
49-72 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
73-96 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
97-120 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
121+ hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Total	2	100.00%	27	100.00%	0	100.00%	29	100.00%

Average Duration of Room Restriction (in Hours) by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

Black	4.33
Hispanic	1.56
White	0.50
Male	3.21
Female	0.00
Total	30.94

Reason for Room Restriction

Immediate/substantial risk of harm to others	62.07%
Immediate/substantial risk to security of facility	37.93%

If a Mental Health/Clinical Evaluation was Performed, were the Results Considered in the Decision to Use Room Restriction?

Not Performed	0.00%
Performed and Considered	68.97%
Performed but Not Considered	3.45%
Performed – Whether Results Considered is Unknown	27.59%



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OCEAN COUNTY YOUTH DETENTION CENTER

Average Daily Population: 12.3
 Total Instances of Room Restriction: 29
 Rate of Room Restriction per Population: 2.36

Total Unduplicated Youth Placed on Room Restriction 1 or More Times: 8
 # of Times a Youth was Restricted More than 240 Hours in 30 Days: 0

Duration of Room Restriction by Age

	15 or younger		16-17		18+		Total	
0-4 hours	4	100.00%	8	57.14%	9	81.82%	21	72.41%
5-8 hours	0	0.00%	4	28.57%	2	18.18%	6	20.69%
9-16 hours	0	0.00%	2	14.29%	0	0.00%	2	6.90%
17-24 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
25-48 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
49-72 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
73-96 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
97-120 hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
121+ hours	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
Total	4	100.00%	14	100.00%	11	100.00%	29	100.00%

Average Duration of Room Restriction (in Hours) by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

Black	3.19
Hispanic	0.00
White	4.50
Male	3.74
Female	2.40
Total	3.28

Reason for Room Restriction

Immediate/substantial risk of harm to others	77.38%
Immediate/substantial risk to security of facility	22.62%

If a Mental Health/Clinical Evaluation was Performed, were the Results Considered in the Decision to Use Room Restriction?

Not Performed	0.00%
Performed and Considered	100.00%
Performed but Not Considered	0.00%
Performed – Whether Results Considered is Unknown	0.00%



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UNION COUNTY YOUTH DETENTION CENTER

Average Daily Population: 37.1
Total Instances of Room Restriction: 610
Rate of Room Restriction per Population: 16.44

Total Unduplicated Youth Placed on Room Restriction 1 or More Times: 141
of Times a Youth was Restricted More than 240 Hours in 30 Days: 4

Duration of Room Restriction by Age

	15 or younger		16-17		18+		Total	
0-4 hours	70	62.50%	250	54.35%	17	44.74%	337	70.61%
5-8 hours	13	11.61%	58	12.61%	5	13.16%	76	15.97%
9-16 hours	19	16.96%	88	19.13%	8	21.05%	115	7.67%
17-24 hours	5	4.46%	32	6.96%	4	10.53%	41	0.96%
25-48 hours	3	2.68%	10	2.17%	2	5.26%	15	3.51%
49-72 hours	2	1.79%	10	2.17%	1	2.63%	13	0.32%
73-96 hours	0	0.00%	3	0.65%	0	0.00%	3	0.32%
97-120 hours	0	0.00%	3	0.65%	1	2.63%	4	0.32%
121+ hours	0	0.00%	6	1.30%	0	0.00%	6	0.32%
Total	112	100.00%	460	100.00%	38	100.00%	610	100.00%

Average Duration of Room Restriction (in Hours) by Race/Ethnicity and Gender

Black	13.35
Hispanic	7.52
White	11.96
Other	8.50
Male	11.50
Female	0.00
Total	11.50

Reason for Room Restriction

Immediate/substantial risk of harm to others	65.00%
Immediate/substantial risk to security of facility	35.00%

If a Mental Health/Clinical Evaluation was Performed, were the Results Considered in the Decision to Use Room Restriction?

Not Performed	0.00%
Performed and Considered	84.43%
Performed but Not Considered	0.00%
Performed – Whether Results Considered is Unknown	15.57%