

SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

Division of Resource and Information Management
Inmate Population Summary for September 15, 2023

COUNT ¹	MALE			FEMALE			TOTAL		
	9/15/2023	9/15/2022	Net Change	9/15/2023	9/15/2022	Net Change	9/15/2023	9/15/2022	Net Change
SCDC Institutions	14,959	14,845	114	1,203	1,159	44	16,162	16,004	158
Designated Facilities	288	281	7	7	7	0	295	288	7
Supervised Furlough	0	1	-1	0	0	0	0	1	-1
Other Locations ²	224	209	15	26	13	13	250	222	28
SCDC Total Jurisdiction	15,471	15,336	135	1,236	1,179	57	16,707	16,515	192

AGENCY HIGH MID MONTH COUNT	MALE TOTAL (day of agency high count)	FEMALE TOTAL (day of agency high count)	TOTAL
Total Facility High Count (11/15/07)	22,538	1,711	24,249
Total Jurisdiction High Count (11/15/07)	23,350	1,738	25,088

SCDC SPACE UTILIZATION As of September 15, 2023	MALE			FEMALE			TOTAL		
	COUNT	OPERATING ³ CAPACITY	%	COUNT	OPERATING ³ CAPACITY	%	COUNT	OPERATING ³ CAPACITY	%
LEVEL I TOTAL	1,565	2,439	64.2%	0	0	0.0%	1,565	2,439	64.2%
LEVEL II* TOTAL	8,583	9,700	88.5%	0	0	0.0%	8,583	9,700	88.5%
LEVEL III* TOTAL	4,813	5,988	80.4%	0	0	0.0%	4,813	5,988	80.4%
LEVEL IV (FEMALES) TOTAL	0	0	0.0%	1,203	1,887	63.8%	1,203	1,887	63.8%
AGENCY TOTAL	14,961	18,127	82.5%	1,203	1,887	63.8%	16,164	20,014	80.8%

¹ All data is based on SCDC Official Count. Comparison to last year's data is made utilizing the closest corresponding Director's Report of that year.

² Other locations housing SCDC inmates include ICC inmates (housed in other States but serving South Carolina sentences), OJ inmates who are serving South Carolina sentences concurrently in other jurisdictions.

³ Operating Capacity for an institution represents the reasonable number of inmates that can be accommodated under normal circumstances, based on staff, programs, and services within the institution, and addressing relevant legal/professional standards. Thus, temporary or emergency beds (such as triple-cell beds) and out-of-service beds are excluded. Operating capacity includes several bedtypes:

a) "General Housing" - beds for inmates not designated/requiring "special" supervision and/or services;

b) "Special Management" - beds for inmates designated/requiring "special" supervision such as crisis intervention; deathrow; hospital; maximum custody; mental health; protective custody; pre-hearing detention; security detention; safekeeper; and temporary holding (transient); and

c) "Programs" - beds for inmates in specific locations for program participation such as assisted living; addictions treatment; Educational Finance Act eligible inmates; habilitation; handicap; Youthful Offender Act programs; reception/evaluation; shock incarceration; transitional care; HIV therapeutic; and sex offender treatment.