

# Public Safety and Legal Administration Quarterly Report

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CITY OF ATLANTA

DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

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# DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

## Partnerships



### Vision Statement

The City of Atlanta Department of Corrections' vision is to protect the public while striving for excellence through exemplary customer service and promoting community involvement.

### Mission Statement

The City of Atlanta Department of Corrections' mission is to provide a safe and secure correctional environment; enhance public safety through partnerships with the community and law enforcement.

### Emory Mental Health

Emory Forensic Psychiatry Fellows provide mental health services to detainees with mental health disorders twice weekly in collaboration with Grady Hospital Psychiatric Department.

### Viral Solutions

Founded to help alleviate the COVID-19 testing and vaccination crisis in Georgia.

Provides onsite COVID-19 screenings and vaccinations once weekly to the Department of Corrections' (DOC) detainees.

### Inmate Work Detail

Georgia Department of Corrections (Clayton County and Atlanta Transitional Centers)

Metro Women's Facility

Atlanta Police Department's Code Enforcement (Cut & Close Initiative)

City of Atlanta Department of Public Works

### Fulton County Sheriff's Office

On-going collaboration with Fulton County Sheriff's Office (FCSO) regarding Emergency Management and Fire Safety procedures.



# DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS

## Key Initiatives



### Re-Accreditation/Re-Certification Audits

- American Correctional Association (ACA) Re-Accreditation August 2022
- Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) Audit/Re-certification June 2022



ACA Re-Accreditation Audit  
June 13 - 15, 2022  
ACDC



ACA Re-Accreditation  
Panel Hearing  
August 6, 2022  
New Orleans



NATIONAL  
**PREA**  
RESOURCE  
CENTER

# Department of Corrections

## Key Initiatives

### Georgia Emergency Management Homeland Security Agency (GEMA)

#### Feasibility Study



#### Online Portal



<https://home.ncourt.com/>

## *GEMA Measures Indexes*

- The overall Protective Measures Index for the Atlanta City Detention Center is 74.4, which is higher than the average of 41.6 and the comparison high of 62.8 when compared to 117 similar facilities of the comparison group.
- The overall Resilience Measures Index for the Atlanta City Detention Center is 57.4, which is above the average of 41.6 when compared to 117 other assessed similar facilities of the comparison group.

## *Online Portal*

- Online bonding process
- Electronic payment of bonds, fees, and surcharges
- Payments available for various major credit and debit cards



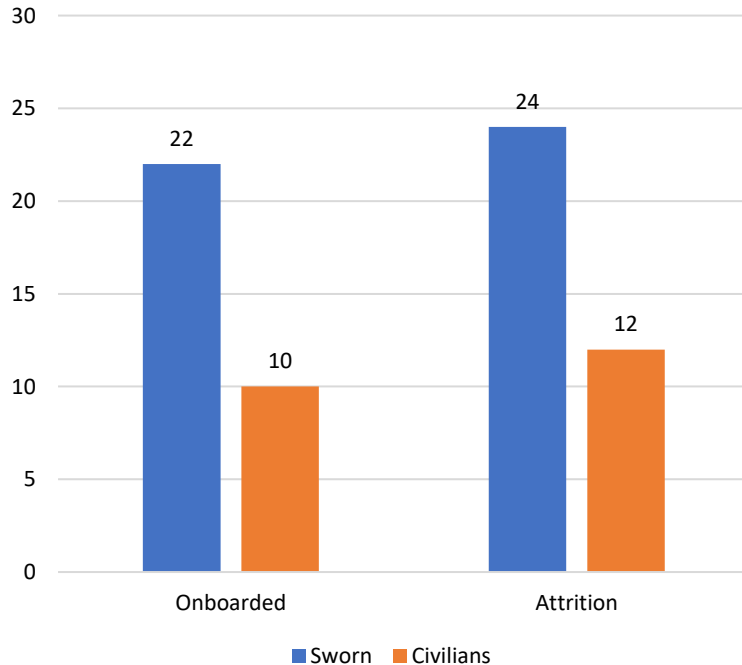
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## 2022 (January – October)



### Hiring Process: Onboarded v. Attrition

Onboarded v. Attrition  
2022  
January - October



#### Hiring Process

- DOC on-boarded (32) individuals (22 Sworn/10 Civilians)
  - Sixteen (16) Corrections Officers
  - Six (6) Recaptured Corrections Officers
  - Revenue Collection Supervisor (520)
  - Two (2) Corrections ID Tech
  - Office Support Specialist
  - Program Service Manager
  - Two (2) Food Service Coordinators
  - Food Service Manager
  - Licensed Practical Nurse
  - Business Manager I

#### Attrition

- DOC lost (36) individuals (24 Sworn/12 Civilians)

<i>Attrition</i>	<i>Sworn</i>	<i>Civilians</i>
<i>Resignation</i>	18	7
<i>Pension</i>	4	2
<i>Dismissal</i>	1	2
<i>Termination</i>	1	-
<i>Transfer</i>	-	1

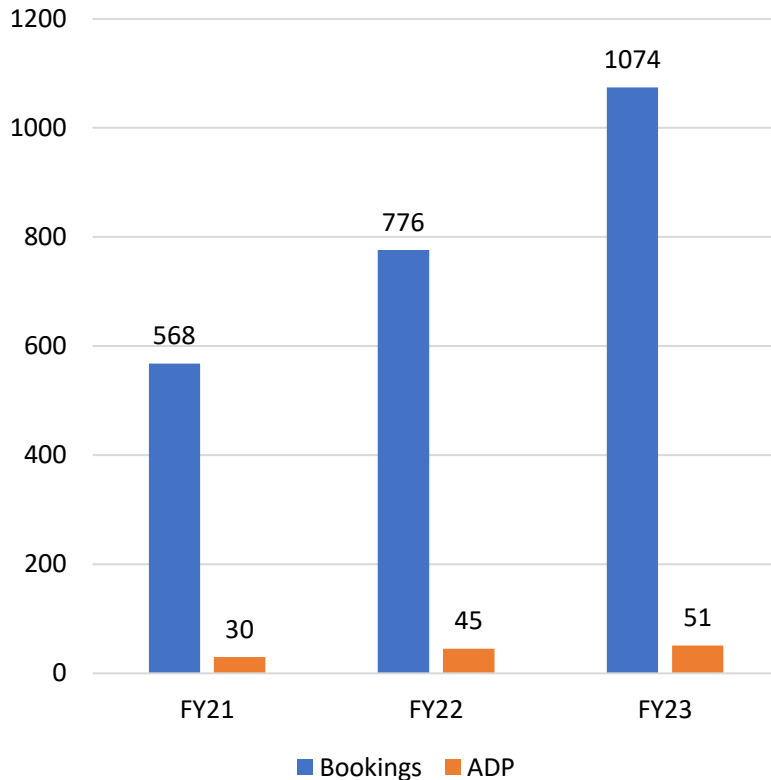
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## 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Report

### ACDC Statistics: Total Bookings & Average Daily Population (ADP)



1st Quarter  
FY21, FY22 & FY23  
Total Bookings & ADP Averages



Total Bookings		
1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter	July 2022	1,069
FY23	August 2022	1,053
Monthly	September 2022	1,100
Average: 1,074		

Average Daily Population (ADP)		
1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter	July 2022	51
FY23	August 2022	52
Monthly	September 2022	50
Average: 51		

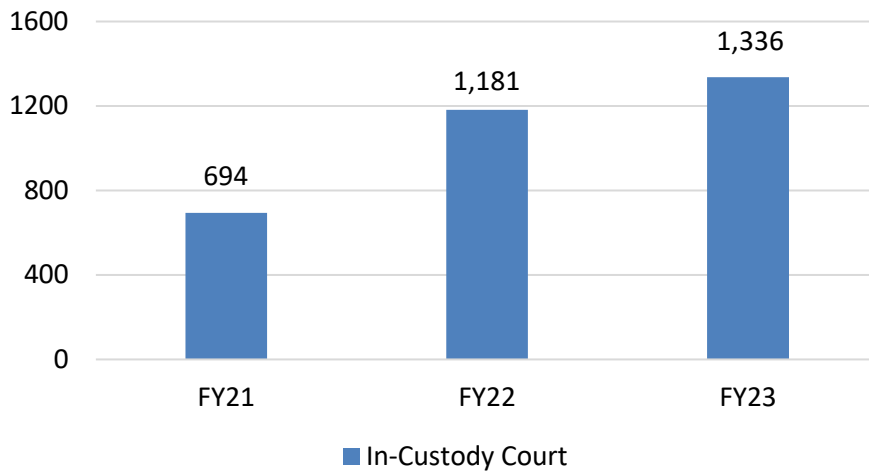
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## 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Report

### ACDC Statistics: Virtual Court



1st Quarter  
FY21, FY22 & FY23  
In-Court Custody Count



In-Custody Court Count	
1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter FY23	July 2022 494
Total: 1,336	August 2022 455
	September 2022 387



# ATLANTA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS/FULTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA)



## FCSO Responsibilities:

- Security
- Medical/Mental Health Services
- Food Service
- Programs

## DOC Responsibilities:

- Housing Space
- Space for Food Service and Laundry
- General Maintenance and Housing Supplies
- Chemicals
- Utilities



# ATLANTA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS/FULTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE



## Intergovernmental Agreement (IGA)



Restrictive Housing



General Population Housing

Housing Location	Housing Capacity	Housing Type
<b>4NE</b>	48 (Single Occupancy) Beds	Restrictive Housing
<b>5NW</b>	80 Beds	General Population
<b>5NE</b>	80 Beds	General Population
<b>5SW</b>	56 Beds	General Population
<b>5SE</b>	56 Beds	General Population
<b>6NW</b>	80 Beds	General Population
<b>6NE</b>	80 Beds	General Population
<b>6SW</b>	56 Beds	General Population
<b>6SE</b>	56 Beds	General Population
<b>7SW</b>	56 Beds	General Population
<b>7SE</b>	56 Beds	General Population

**Up to 700 Beds**

# Department of Corrections

## *Atlanta City Council Tours ACDC*

August 8, 2022



### **Areas toured:**

- Two (2) housing units
  - Restrictive Housing and General Population
- Medical Unit
- Intake Receiving
- Diversion Center Layout

# Department of Corrections

## *Jail Tours*



- Fulton County Jail
- Henry County Jail
- Metro Transition Center
- DeKalb County Jail

### *Upcoming scheduled jail tour*

- Gwinnett County Jail



# Community Engagement

## *Beyond the Walls of ACDC*

### *Food Drives*

Council Member Michael Bond  
Post 1 At Large

- July 6<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>
- August 3<sup>rd</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, 31<sup>st</sup>
- September 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, 21<sup>st</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup>

Council Member Andrea L. Boone  
District 10 at Jackson Memorial  
Baptist Church

- July 21<sup>st</sup>
- August 18<sup>th</sup>
- September 22<sup>nd</sup>
- September 29<sup>th</sup>



# Community Engagement *Beyond the Walls of ACDC*



National Night Out 2022  
*August 2<sup>nd</sup>*

# Community Engagement *Beyond the Walls of ACDC*

## *Chaplaincy Services*



The City of Atlanta Department of Corrections is the first corrections department to participate in the Faith & Blue Initiative along with the Atlanta Police Department. This initiative is based on collaborative efforts to build bridges and break biases.

Law Enforcement Chaplain Meetup  
September 19, 2022

Law Enforcement/Chaplain Food Drive  
September 26, 2022



# Community Engagement *Beyond the Walls of ACDC*



Israel Police Visit 2022



Georgia International Law Enforcement Exchange  
(GILEE)  
<https://gilee.gsu.edu/>

# Summer Youth Employment Program & Leadership Training Retreat

Summer Interns and DOC Staff visit  
National Center for Civil and Human Rights

July 20, 2022



Mayor's Initiative to employ 3,000 Atlanta youth during the 2022 summer.



# Questions?



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