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MEMORANDUM

To: Legislative Research Commission

From: Cookie Crews, Commissioner Kentucky Department of Corrections

Date: May 14, 2025

RE: 24 RS HB 6 – Monthly Facility Reporting

The 2024 Regular Session House Bill 6 requires the Kentucky Department of Corrections (DOC) to report monthly on the average occupancy rate for county jails, halfway houses, Recovery Kentucky drug treatment centers and all other community correctional residential facilities that are under contract with the state.

Below are the average occupancy rates for April 2025:

Facility Type	Average Occupancy Rate	
County Jails	35.76%	
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) - Male	74.84 %	
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) - Female	54.14%	
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Male	70.78%	
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Female	66.76%	
Reentry Service Center (SAP) - Male	61.85%	
Reentry Service Center (SAP) - Female	29.45%	



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The 2024 Regular Session House Bill 6 also requires that each contracted provider of Substance Abuse, Mental Health, and Reentry Service Centers report 100 percent of the occupancy to the Department of Corrections. This report details the total number of beds, the number of beds available, and the type of individual occupying the bed space as of April 30, 2025.

	Reported Population	Reported Vacancies
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) – Male Population	301	119
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) – Female Population	192	168
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Male Population	394	198
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Female Population	44	20
Reentry Service Center (SAP) – Male Population	398	255
Reentry Service Center (SAP) – Female Population	110	362

