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MEMORANDUM

To: Legislative Research Commission

From: Cookie Crews, Commissioner
Kentucky Department of Corrections 

Date: September 3, 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 July 2025:

Facility Type	Average Occupancy Rate
County Jails	36.89%
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) - Male	70.60%
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) - Female	71.39%
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Male	65.42%
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Female	64.20%
Reentry Service Center (SAP) - Male	62.70%
Reentry Service Center (SAP) - Female	18.68%

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 July 30, 2025.

	Reported Population	Reported Vacancies
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) – Male Population	301	119
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) – Female Population	259	101
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Male Population	355	237
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Female Population	33	31
Reentry Service Center (SAP) – Male Population	406	247
Reentry Service Center (SAP) – Female Population	84	388