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## MEMORANDUM

To: Legislative Research Commission

From: Cookie Crews, Commissioner Kentucky Department of Corrections

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## 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 September 2024:

Facility Type	Average Occupancy Rate	
County Jails	35.75%	
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) - Male	81.62%	
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) - Female	58.02%	
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Male	48.92%	
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Female	61.88%	
Reentry Service Center (SAP) - Male	62.25%	
Reentry Service Center (SAP) - Female	27.69%	



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Cookie Crews COMMISSIONER The 2024 Regular Session House Bill 6 also requires that each contracted provider of substance abuse, mental health, and reentry service centers shall report the total number of beds, the number of beds available, and the type of individual occupying the bed space.

	Reported Population	Reported Vacancies
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) – Male Population	323	97
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) – Female Population	215	145
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Male Population	431	412
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Female Population	44	20
Reentry Service Center (SAP) – Male Population	411	242
Reentry Service Center (SAP) – Female Population	132	347

Below are the total occupancy rates for September 2024:

