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MEMORANDUM

To: Legislative Research Commission

**From: Cookie Crews, Commissioner
Kentucky Department of Corrections**

Date: November 20, 2024

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 October 2024:

Facility Type	Average Occupancy Rate
County Jails	36%
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) - Male	79.1%
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) - Female	58.8%
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Male	92.8%
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Female	66.4%
Reentry Service Center (SAP) - Male	62.3%
Reentry Service Center (SAP) - Female	24.7%

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 October 31, 2024.

	Reported Population	Reported Vacancies
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) – Male Population	339	81
Recovery Kentucky Center (SAP) – Female Population	213	147
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Male Population	436	306
Reentry Service Center (non-SAP)- Female Population	40	24
Reentry Service Center (SAP) – Male Population	416	237
Reentry Service Center (SAP) – Female Population	118	361

