# Federal Bureau of Prisons (BOP) Hiring and Staffing FY 2021 Second Quarter Report

## **Legislative Summary**

The Joint Explanatory Statement accompanying the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2021 (P.L. 116-260), states, "BOP shall continue to submit quarterly reports on inmate-to-correctional officer ratio as required by the explanatory statement accompanying Public Law 116-93, and to publish these reports on the BOP website. To the extent BOP does not currently record staffing by shift, it is directed to begin doing so and include such metrics in this report by the end of fiscal year 2021. Separately, BOP shall submit a report to the Committees regarding any incident involving the use of deadly force at an institution with a staffing ratio greater than 15:1, explaining any role staffing levels may have played in the incident, and describing a detailed plan to prevent recurrence of such incidents."

Further, the House Report (H. Rept. 116-455) accompanying the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2021 (P.L. 116-260), states, "The Committee directs BOP to continue to submit quarterly reports on the inmate-to-correctional officer ratio at each facility, using the OPM definition of a corrections officer, broken out by security level and shift, including confirmation that at least two correctional officers are on duty for each shift at BOP facilities that house high security inmates, as specified in the fiscal year 2020 Appropriations Act."

The following information is provided to address the Committee's request for inmate-to-correctional officer ratios for the second quarter of FY 2021.

## Report

During the second quarter of FY 2021, there was one institution with an inmate-to-correctional officer ratio greater than 15:1. Please see separate explanation below the table of inmate-to-correctional officer ratios.

The BOP has made the hiring of additional Correctional Officers a system-wide priority, and combined with a downward trend in the inmate population, the BOP's progress in improving the inmate-to-correctional officer ratio at institutions is already evident. At the end of the first quarter of FY 2021, there were two institutions with an inmate-to-correctional officer ratio greater than 15:1. As of March 31, 2021, those institutions improved their staffing ratio and only one institution remains with a higher than 15:1: Federal Prison Camp (FPC) Bryan. That same institution has improved its staffing ratio from 15.7:1 to 15.3:1.

As requested, this report provides staffing by shift on the final pages of this report. Many of the by-shift staffing ratios are higher than the institution-level ratios, due to how the different ratios are calculated and the critical need to staff more Correctional Officers during peak operational times.

The overall inmate-to-correctional officer ratio is calculated using the number of on-board Correctional Officers and the number of inmates at the institution. For example, for FPC Alderson, there were 46 Correctional Officers on-board and 527 inmates as of March 31, 2021, producing the 11.5:1 ratio.

A search of all Report of Incidents revealed there was no use of deadly force from January 1, 2021, to March 31, 2021.

The BOP will publish this data on its website: <a href="https://www.bop.gov/">https://www.bop.gov/</a>.

	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter FY	2021 (as of March 31,	2021)
REGION MID-ATLANTIC	SECURITY LEVEL	INSTITUTION	INMATE TO CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS RATIO
MID-ATLANTIC	) (D) ID (I D (		<u> </u>
	MINIMUM	A L DEDGON	11.5
		ALDERSON	11.5
	LOW	MORGANTOWN	8.1
	LOW	L GIH LIND	7.0
	1,555,777	ASHLAND	7.6
	MEDIUM	DDGW DW	100
		BECKLEY	12.0
		CUMBERLAND	10.2
		GILMER	12.1
		MANCHESTER	8.0
		MCDOWELL	10.7
		MEMPHIS	9.1
	HIGH		
		BIG SANDY	6.0
		LEE COUNTY	5.1
		MCCREARY	5.8
	COMPLEX		
		BUTNER	6.8
		HAZELTON	8.3
		PETERSBERG	9.8
	MEDICAL		
		LEXINGTON	6.9
NORTH CENTRAL			
	MINIMUM	+	+
	17111 (1171-1711	DULUTH	10.6
		YANKTON	8.7
	LOW	TARRETORY	0.7
	LOW	ENGLEWOOD	8.6
		MILAN	9.7
		SANDSTONE	8.5
		WASECA	9.3
	MEDIUM	WASECA	9.3
	MEDIUM	CDEENWILE	10.0
		GREENVILLE	10.8
		LEAVENWORTH	11.2
		MARION	10.5
		OXFORD	7.3
		PEKIN	10.8
	HIGH		
		THOMSON	5.5
	COMPLEX		
		FLORENCE	5.2
		TERRE HAUTE	6.2
	MEDICAL		
		ROCHESTER	5.5
		SPRINGFIELD	3.6
	DETENTION		
		CHICAGO	5.7

			INMATE TO CORRECTIONAL
REGION	SECURITY LEVEL	INSTITUTION	OFFICERS RATIO
NORTHEAST			
	LOW		
		DANBURY	6.5
		ELKTON	9.4
		FORT DIX	13.6
		LORETTO	7.7
	MEDIUM		
		BERLIN	7.1
		FAIRTON	6.7
		MCKEAN	7.9
		OTISVILLE	5.1
		RAY BROOK	6.9
		SCHUYLKILL	9.7
	HIGH		
		CANAAN	5.4
	601 07 77	LEWISBURG	5.3
	COMPLEX		
		ALLENWOOD	5.8
	MEDICAL		
		DEVENS	4.3
	DETENTION		
		BROOKLYN	5.8
		NEW YORK	5.2
		PHILADELPHIA	7.1
SOUTH CENTRAL			
	MINIMUM		
		BRYAN	15.3
	LOW		
		BASTROP	14.1
		BIG SPRING	11.7
		FORT WORTH	10.4
		LA TUNA	7.2
		SEAGOVILLE	15.1
	LATEDHE (	TEXARKANA	9.2
	MEDIUM	EL DENO	
		EL RENO	8.0
	COMPLEX.	THREE RIVERS	10.5
	COMPLEX	DEATH (O)	12.0
		BEAUMONT	12.8
		FORREST CITY	11.7
		OAKDALE	8.0
	MEDICAL	POLLOCK	8.6
	MEDICAL	G + P GWEL -	
	D.E.W.E.Y. C.Y.	CARSWELL	10.9
	DETENTION	HOLIGHON	1
	I D) m I	HOUSTON	5.2
	ADMIN	OIZI AHOMA CYTY	
		OKLAHOMA CITY	7.9

REGION	SECURITY LEVEL	INSTITUTION	INMATE TO CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS RATIO
SOUTHEAST	SECORITI EEVEE	INSTITUTION	OTTICERS RATIO
300 IIIE/ISI	MINIMUM		
	IVIII (IIVICIVI	MONTGOMERY	11.8
		PENSACOLA	9.7
	LOW	TENSMOOLM	7.7
	LOW	ALICEVILLE	10.5
		MIAMI FCI	8.3
		TALLAHASSEE	7.7
	MEDIUM	TALLAHASSEE	1.1
	MEDIUM	ATLANTA	9.2
		BENNETTSVILLE	9.2
			12.2
		EDGEFIELD **ESTILL	
		I	1.3
		JESUP	8.2
		MARIANNA	5.3
		TALLADEGA	8.0
		WILLIAMSBURG	12.0
	COMPLEX		
		COLEMAN	7.2
		YAZOO CITY	13.1
	DETENTION		
		GUAYNABO	8.5
		MIAMI FDC	9.8
WESTERN			
	LOW		
		DUBLIN	12.1
		SAFFORD	9.3
		TERMINAL ISLAND	5.2
	MEDIUM		
		HERLONG	8.7
		MENDOTA	7.4
		PHOENIX	8.9
		SHERIDAN	11.9
	HIGH	1	
		ATWATER	5.1
	COMPLEX		5.1
	COM EDA	LOMPOC	11.5
		TUCSON	5.0
		VICTORVILLE	6.7
	DETENTION	VICTORVILLE	U./
	DETENTION	HONOLULU	3.0
		LOS ANGELES	4.3
		SAN DIEGO	6.5
		SEATAC	6.3

<sup>\*\*</sup>As of March 31, 2021, there were 110 Camp Inmates at FCI Estill. Only Camp inmates have returned to FCI Estill. All other inmates were relocated to other BOP facilities due to damages sustained during a tornado in April 2020. Repairs at FCI Estill are ongoing.

## Facilities with Inmate-to-Correctional Officer Ratio Over 15:1

As required, below is an accounting of institutions with a staffing ratio greater than 15:1 during the second quarter of FY 2021. For the institution listed below, the BOP continually recruits and is actively hiring throughout the BOP. The BOP has offered a 5% retention incentive to staff eligible to retire in an effort to retain staff. Additionally, the BOP offers recruitment and relocation incentives and has contracted with Accenture to market and brand the BOP in an effort to attract more candidates.

• The Federal Prison Camp (FPC) Bryan, Texas, a minimum security institution, was staffed at 15.3:1.

## Inmate-to-Correctional Officer Ratio by Shift

The following information is provided to address the Committee's request to provide information on Staffing by Shift.

The system-wide inmate-to-Correctional Officer ratio of 9:1 has a very different meaning in an operational context. Given daily shifts, the number of staff present in an institution varies based on the time of day and the day of the week.

The BOP has six total shifts, including three Weekday and three Weekend shifts. Morning Watch is from 12 a.m. to 8 a.m., Day Watch is from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Evening Watch is from 4 p.m. to 12 a.m.

Below is the listing of Correctional Officer to Inmate ratio by each watch (or shift). Each number indicates an X:1 inmate-to-Correctional Officer ratio for that shift. This information is based on the Correctional Officer Roster as of the end of the second quarter of FY 2021.



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	WATCH	WATCH	WATCH	WATCH	WATCH	WATCH
Alderson FPC	105	38	105	105	75	105
Ashland FCI	51	28	40	51	37	40
Beckley FCI	66	34	59	66	46	59
Big Sandy USP	41	30	27	41	25	27
Butner Med I	34	21	29	34	28	31
Butner Med II	87	30	44	87	44	50
Butner Low	53	23	31	57	38	31
Butner FMC	33	14	24	33	23	27
Cumberland FCI	75	28	44	75	35	48
Gilmer FCI	92	40	29	92	49	20
Hazelton USP	47	28	34	48	30	34
Hazelton FCI	91	35	47	91	41	55
Hazelton SFF	38	18	26	43	23	27
Lee County USP	37	22	27	37	25	27
Lexington FMC	45	19	29	45	32	32
Manchester FCI	73	30	48	73	36	48
McCreary USP	43	22	32	42	27	32
McDowell FCI	79	33	51	7.9	40	51
Memphis FCI	61	20	35	61	32	37
Morgantown FCI	49	23	40	49	34	40
Petersburg Med	92	37	45	92	43	57
Petersburg Low	37	29	25	35	26	33





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