Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction
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Institutions
Number of Institutions 33*
Male 30
Female 3
Private 2
Designed Capacity 36,526 Beds
Rated Capacity 122.85%
*2 Privately Operated Institutions

Inmate Population Profile
Admissions CY 2002 22,411
Admissions CY 2003 (to date) 11,427
Total Population 44,874
Male 93.63%
Female 6.37%
White 48.67%
Black 50.32%
Other 1.01%
Average Age 35.0 Years
Male 35.0 Years
Female 35.4 Years
Average Stay in Prison 2.74 Years

Death Row
Total Death Row Inmates 205
Male = 204 Female = 1
White 92
Black 105
Hispanic 3
Other 4
Executions 8 Since February 1999

Population by Custody Level
Level 1 = 32.9% Level 2 = 40.3%
Level 3 = 22.9% Level 4 = 3.1%
Level 5 = 0.1%

Fiscal & Budgets
Total Budget FY 2002 = $1,610,783,622
FY 2003 = $1,636,694,980
FY 2004 = $1,066,766,552
Average Cost Per Inmate
Daily = $59.92
Annual = $21,872.26

(FY = Fiscal Year, CY = Calendar Year)

Releases
Total CY 2002 25,635
CY 2003 (to date) 13,124
*Shock Parole, Post
Release Parole, Judicial
Release, Shock Probation,
Transitional Control,
Parole CY 2002 16,543
(*Cases prior to Senate Bill 2)
CY 2003 (to date) 7,943
Deaths 61 Escapes 0

Returns
Parole/PRC Violators CY 2002 2,576
CY 2003 (to date) 843

Staff Profile
Total Staff 14,333
Total Males 9,530 Total Females 4,754
White Males 7,808 White Females 3,426
Black Males 1,466 Black Females 1,234
Other Males 224 Other Females 87
Total Corrections Officers (CO) 7,362
Total Male CO’s 5,685 Total Female CO’s 1,649
Inmate to Correction Officer Ratio = 5.8 to 1

Inmate Drug Testing
The Department does random drug testing on 5%
of the inmate population each month.

The Department does annual saturation testing on
the inmate population that is a statistically accurate
reflection of inmate drug use.

2002 = .95% 2001 = .88%
2000 = 1.77% 1999 = 1.7%

Ohio Penal Industries
Number of inmates working for OPI = 1,959
July 2003 Sales = $2,029,985.82
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