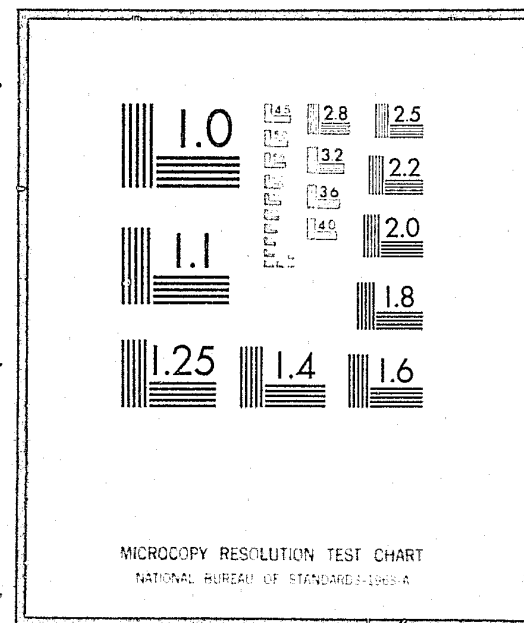


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Residents in Wisconsin  
Juvenile Correctional Institutions  
on June 30, 1976  
With Five Year Trends for 1972-1976

There have been several changes in Wisconsin juvenile correctional facilities since publication of the last statistical bulletin on juvenile institutional resident population. The Wisconsin School for Girls, which had been co-educational, closed on June 29, 1976. Goodland Camp, on the grounds of Mendota Mental Health Institute, opened on the same date to house the last few girls who transferred out of WSG. Two institutions received name changes on May 5, 1976. Lincoln Boys School was renamed Lincoln Hills School, recognizing it as being co-educational. Wisconsin School for Boys, which continues to house only males, was renamed Ethan Allen School. Camp Flambeau continues as a boy's facility.

The proportion of white youth has declined from a year ago. White boys decreased by 6.2 percentage points, to currently represent 65.6 percent of the juvenile male population, while white girls declined by 13.8 percentage points, to 63.3 percent of the girls' total.

The median age of juvenile males has decreased only slightly, from 16.7 to 16.6 years, since June 30, 1975. Median age of female residents, however, decreased by six months, from 16.8 to 16.3 years, during the one-year interval.

Milwaukee County committed 34.7 percent of the juvenile male and 23.4 percent of the juvenile female institutional residents. These figures show little change from last year.

Table A

Time in Institution for Residents on June 30, 1972-1976

Time in Institution	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total Boys	557	547	602	641	646
Total Percent of Boys	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 3 months	29.5	33.7	33.6	27.5	38.5
3 months, less than 6	35.9	29.4	27.2	30.7	29.1
6 months or more	34.6	36.9	39.2	41.8	32.4
Total Girls	99	108	89	49	47
Total Percent of Girls	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Less than 3 months	36.4	31.4	31.5	40.8	53.2
3 months, less than 6	37.4	34.3	31.5	28.6	29.8
6 months or more	26.2	34.3	37.0	30.6	17.0

The 646 boys residing within correctional facilities on June 30, 1976 represent a five-year high, although there are only five more residents than last year. Juvenile female population is at a five-year low at 47. The decrease of only two girls since 1975 appears to indicate a leveling of juvenile female correctional population.

Those youth who have resided within a Wisconsin correctional facility for 6 months or more have declined to a five-year low for both boys and girls. Currently over two-thirds of the boys and four-fifths of the girls have stayed less than 6 months.

Table B

Type of Admission for Residents on June 30, 1972-1976

Type of Admission	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
Total Boys	557	547	602	641	646
Total Percent of Boys	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
New commitment	55.5	66.0	75.2	79.3	77.9
First return from aftercare	21.7	20.3	16.8	14.8	18.6
Second or subsequent return from aftercare	22.4	9.9	5.5	3.6	2.5
Return for replacement or medical care	0.4	3.8	0.3	0.8	0.4
Return pending revocation hearing	-	-	2.2	1.5	0.6
Total Girls	99	108	89	49	47
Total Percent of Girls	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
New commitment	49.5	79.6	84.3	63.3	63.8
First return from aftercare	29.3	13.9	6.8	26.5	23.4
Second or subsequent return from aftercare	15.1	2.8	4.5	2.0	6.4
Return for replacement or medical care	6.1	3.7	2.2	4.1	4.3
Return pending revocation hearing	-	-	2.2	4.1	2.1

Newly committed boys are 78 percent of the male population, a one percentage point drop from last year. Returns from aftercare are 21 percent of the population, which is less than one-half the 44 percent that returns represented in 1972.

Juvenile girls returned from aftercare are currently 30 percent of the residents, which also is a significant drop from the 44 percent of 1972. Newly committed females remain nearly the same as last year at 63.8 percent.

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Table 1  
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TYPE OF ADMISSION  
June 30, 1976

Type of Admission	Total Youth		Ethan Allen School		Lincoln Hills School				Juvenile Camp System			
					Boys		Girls		Boys		Girls	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
<u>Total</u>	<u>693</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>409</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>210</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>100.0</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>100.0</u>
New commitment	533	76.9	351	78.7	160	76.2	18	58.1	21	77.8	12	75.0
Return from aftercare	150	21.7	83	20.3	48	22.9	11	35.5	5	18.5	3	18.8
(First)	(131)	(18.9)	(73)	(17.9)	(42)	(20.0)	(8)	(25.8)	(5)	(18.5)	(3)	(18.8)
(Second)	(19)	(2.8)	(10)	(2.4)	(6)	(2.9)	(3)	(9.7)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
(Third or more)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)
Return for replacement or medical care	5	0.7	1	0.3	2	0.9	2	6.4	-	-	-	-
Return pending revocation hearing	5	0.7	3	0.7	-	-	-	-	1	3.7	1	6.2

Table 2  
Residents in Juvenile Institutions, by Institution and Sex  
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June 30, 1976

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Table 3  
Residents in Juvenile Institutions, by Institution and Sex  
AGE  
June 30, 1976

Age	Total Youth		Ethan Allen School		Lincoln Hills School				Juvenile Camp System			
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	693	100.0	409	100.0	210	100.0	31	100.0	27	100.0	16	100.0
Less than 13	2	0.3	2	0.5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	20	2.9	15	3.7	5	2.4	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	68	9.8	43	10.5	19	9.0	3	9.7	2	7.4	1	6.2
15	130	18.8	69	16.9	36	17.1	10	32.2	9	33.4	6	37.5
16	217	31.2	137	33.5	60	28.6	7	22.6	8	29.6	5	31.3
17	256	36.9	143	34.9	90	42.9	11	35.5	8	29.6	4	25.0
Median	16.6		16.6		16.8		16.4		16.3		16.2	

Table 4  
Residents in Juvenile Institutions, by Institution and Sex  
TIME IN INSTITUTION  
June 30, 1976

Time in Institution	Total Youth		Ethan School		Lincoln Hills School				Juvenile Camp System			
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total	693	100.0	409	100.0	210	100.0	31	100.0	27	100.0	16	100.0
Less than 3 months	274	39.5	164	40.1	81	38.6	15	48.4	4	14.8	10	62.5
3 months, less than 6	202	29.2	113	27.6	57	27.1	12	38.7	18	66.7	2	12.5
6 months, less than 9	107	15.4	62	15.2	36	17.1	2	6.5	4	14.8	3	18.8
9 months, less than 12	50	7.2	29	7.1	19	9.1	1	3.2	-	-	1	6.2
12 months, less than 15	22	3.2	12	2.9	9	4.3	-	-	1	3.7	-	-
15 months, less than 18	16	2.3	14	3.4	2	0.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
18 months and over	22	3.2	15	3.7	6	2.9	1	3.2	-	-	-	-

County of Commitment	Total Youth	Ethan Allen School	Lincoln Hills School	Juvenile Camp System
Total	693	409	210	31
Adams	2	-	-	-
Ashland	1	1	2	-
Barron	5	-	5	-
Bayfield	2	-	2	-
Brown	11	-	11	-
Buffalo	-	-	-	-
Burnett	6	-	3	2
Calumet	2	-	2	-
Chippewa	21	-	16	5
Clark	5	-	-	-
Col umbia	5	4	-	-
Crawford	2	16	2	-
Dane	16	5	1	-
Dodge	7	1	2	-
Door	4	-	-	-
Douglas	12	-	7	4
Dunn	5	-	4	-
Eau Claire	17	-	15	-
Florence	-	8	-	-
Fond du Lac	8	-	-	-
Forest	-	-	-	-
Grant	2	1	-	-
Green	-	-	-	-
Green Lake	-	1	-	-
Iowa	1	-	-	-
Iron	-	-	-	-
Jackson	2	-	2	-
Jefferson	3	2	-	-
Juneau	3	-	3	-
Kenosha	29	27	-	-
Kewaunee	2	-	2	-
Lacrosse	11	-	10	-
Lafayette	-	-	-	-
Langlade	4	-	3	-
Lincoln	3	-	-	-
Manitowoc	2	2	-	-
Marathon	20	1	15	-
Marinette	3	-	3	-
Marquette	1	-	1	-
Menominee	14	-	12	-

Table 5  
Residents in Juvenile Institutions, by Institution and Sex  
COUNTY OF COMMITMENT  
June 30, 1976

Table 5 (Concluded)

County of Commitment	Total Youth	Ethan Allen School	Lincoln Hills School		Juvenile Camp System	
			Boys	Girls	Boys	Girls
Milwaukee	235	219	2	1	3	10
Monroe	15	4	9	2	-	-
Oconto	4	-	3	-	1	-
Oneida	3	-	2	1	-	-
Outagamie	18	-	16	2	-	-
Ozaukee	3	2	-	-	-	1
Pepin	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pierce	2	-	2	-	-	-
Polk	1	-	1	-	-	-
Portage	3	-	1	2	-	-
Price	2	-	2	-	-	-
Racine	40	37	-	-	-	3
Richland	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rock	28	25	2	-	-	1
Rusk	6	-	4	2	-	-
St. Croix	8	-	6	-	2	-
Sauk	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sawyer	4	-	4	-	-	-
Shawano	11	1	7	1	2	-
Sheboygan	14	12	-	1	1	-
Taylor	2	-	2	-	-	-
Trempealeau	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vernon	3	-	1	2	-	-
Vilas	5	1	4	-	-	-
Walworth	6	6	-	-	-	-
Washburn	2	-	2	-	-	-
Washington	6	6	-	-	-	-
Waukesha	22	22	-	-	-	-
Waupaca	-	-	-	-	-	-
Waushara	2	-	2	-	-	-
Winnebago	7	5	-	1	1	-
Wood	10	-	8	-	2	-

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