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Quarterly Report Pursuant to ARS 41-1604.07, Subsection P, Paragraph 2

The following information is submitted pursuant to Arizona Revised Statute § 41-1604.07. ARS § 41-1604.07 (P) mandates the department file an annual report regarding the recidivism rate of prisoners released on earned release credits (ERC) for a minimum of three years. Additionally, the department must also provide fiscal quarterly reports concerning numerous specifics of inmates. This report includes information for quarter one of fiscal year 2024.

Table 1

P. 2. (a) Inmates Who Received Earned Release Credits (ERC)

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Month / Year	Inmates Received ERC	Total Inmate Population	% Received ERC	% Received ERC by Fiscal Quarter
	July 2023	26,051	34,235	76.09%	
Q1 2024	August 2023	26,219	34,269	76.51%	83.12%
	September 2023	26,193	34,285	76.40%	

Table 2

P. 2. (b) Inmates Eligible for ERC Pursuant to Subsection B, Paragraph 1

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Q1 2024
Eligible Inmates	3,629

P. 2. (b)(i) Most Serious Crime for Inmates Eligible for ERC Pursuant to Subsection B, Paragraph 1

Most Serious Crime	Eligible Inmates	% of Eligible Inmates
Abduction of child from state agency	1	0.03%
Arson	5	0.14%
Assault	9	0.25%
Auto theft	464	12.79%
Burglary/Criminal trespass	284	7.83%
Child/Adult abuse	29	0.80%
Criminal damage	15	0.41%
Disorderly conduct	19	0.52%
Domestic violence	18	0.50%
Drug possession - Marijuana	7	0.19%
Drug possession - Other	1,472	40.56%
Drug sales/trafficking - Marijuana	31	0.85%
Drug sales/trafficking - Other	168	4.63%
DUI	19	0.52%
Escape	25	0.69%
Failure to appear	19	0.52%
Flight from law vehicle	57	1.57%
Forgery	36	0.99%
Fraud	18	0.50%
Identity theft	71	1.96%
Indecent exposure	4	0.11%
Luring a minor	1	0.03%
Manslaughter/Negligent homicide	1	0.03%
Other/Unknown	24	0.66%
Persons required to register	12	0.33%
Promote prison contraband	109	3.00%
Public sexual indecency	2	0.06%
Resisting arrest	16	0.44%
Robbery	76	2.09%
Sex trafficking	1	0.03%
Sexual abuse	1	0.03%
Theft	104	2.87%
Trafficking in stolen property	76	2.09%
Unlawful imprisonment	2	0.06%
Weapons offense	433	11.93%

P. 2. (b)(ii) Mean and Median Prison Sentence Length for Inmates Eligible for ERC Pursuant to Subsection B, Paragraph 1

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Month / Year	Mean (Days)	Median (Days)	Mean by Fiscal Quarter	Median by Fiscal Quarter
	July 2023	1,639.65	1,222.50		
Q1 2024	August 2023	1,622.45	1,190.00	1,560.02	1,111.00
	September 2023	1,619.78	1,178.00		

Table 5

P. 2. (b)(iii) Inmates Eligible for ERC Pursuant to Subsection B, Paragraph 1, that Received ERC for Each Month in Reporting Period

Fiscal			Inmates	Inmates Did Not	Total Eligible
Quarter /		Inmates	Received ERC	Receive ERC	Inmates Per
Year	Month / Year	Received ERC	Entire Quarter	Entire Quarter	Quarter
	July 2022	3,138			
Q1 2023	August 2022	3,148	2,681	948	3,629
	September 2022	2,914			

Note. Inmates eligible for ERC will actively accrue and receive ERC.

Table 6

P. 2. (c) Participants in Programs Pursuant to Subsection B, Paragraph 1, Subdivision (b)

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Month / Year	Inmates Enrolled	Total Inmate Population	% Enrolled	% Enrolled by Fiscal Quarter
	July 2023	8,148	34,235	23.80%	
Q1 2024	August 2023	8,528	34,269	24.89%	32.45%
	September 2023	8,147	34,285	23.76%	

Table 7

P. 2. (d) Inmates Eligible for Release into Transition Program Pursuant to Section 31-281

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Month / Year	Inmates Eligible	Total Inmate Population	% Eligible	% Eligible by Fiscal Quarter
	July 2023	9,104	34,235	26.59%	
Q1 2024	August 2023	9,003	34,269	26.27%	28.69%
	September 2023	8,919	34,285	26.01%	

Note. Inmates meet all criteria per ARS § 31-281, Subsection B, Paragraph 1, with exception of Subdivision (d). Subdivision (d) is fulfilled during the release process and is not applicable for inmates still incarcerated.

P. 2. (d)(i) Most Serious Crime for Inmates Eligible for Transition Program Release

Most Serious Crime	Eligible Inmates	% of Eligible Inmates
Abduction of child from state agency	2	0.02%
Aggravated harassment	34	0.35%
Assault	1,691	17.19%
Assist criminal syndicate/Lead gang	27	0.27%
Auto theft	974	9.90%
Burglary/Criminal trespass	780	7.93%
Criminal damage	65	0.66%
Disorderly conduct	43	0.44%
Domestic violence	80	0.81%
Drug possession - Marijuana	6	0.06%
Drug possession - Other	994	10.10%
Drug sales/trafficking - Marijuana	57	0.58%
Drug sales/trafficking - Other	1,729	17.57%
DUI	637	6.47%
Escape	34	0.35%
Failure to appear	51	0.52%
Flight from law vehicle	144	1.46%
Forgery	103	1.05%
Fraud	115	1.17%
Identity theft	146	1.48%
Illegal control enterprise	25	0.25%
Money laundering	12	0.12%
Other/Unknown	49	0.50%
Participating in criminal street gang	25	0.25%
Promote prison contraband	190	1.93%
Resisting arrest	28	0.28%
Robbery	202	2.05%
Sex offense - Pandering	2	0.02%
Stalking	16	0.16%
Theft	335	3.41%
Trafficking in stolen property	206	2.09%
Unlawful imprisonment	15	0.15%
Weapons offense	1,021	10.38%

Note. Inmates meet all criteria per ARS § 31-281, Subsection B, Paragraph 1, with exception of Subdivision (d). Subdivision (d) is fulfilled during the release process and is not applicable for inmates still incarcerated.

P. 2. (d)(ii) Mean and Median Prison Sentence Length for Inmates Eligible for Transition Program Release

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Month / Year	Mean (Days)	Median (Days)	Mean by Fiscal Quarter	Median by Fiscal Quarter
	July 2023	2,408.49	1,651.00	-	· · · · ·
Q1 2024	August 2023	2,412.38	1,644.00	2,310.24	1,643.00
	September 2023	2,417.05	1,645.00		

Note. Inmates meet all criteria per ARS § 31-281, Subsection B, Paragraph 1, with exception of Subdivision (d). Subdivision (d) is fulfilled during the release process and is not applicable for inmates still incarcerated.

Table 10

P. 2. (d)(iii) Mean and Median Length of Time Served for Inmates Eligible for Transition Program Release

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Month / Year	Mean (Days)	Median (Days)	Mean by Fiscal Quarter	Median by Fiscal Quarter
04.0004	July 2023	1,042.69	704.00	4 005 04	700.00
Q1 2024	August 2023 September 2023	1,043.38 1,045.17	702.00 706.00	1,035.84	700.00

Note. Inmates meet all criteria per ARS § 31-281, Subsection B, Paragraph 1, with exception of Subdivision (d). Subdivision (d) is fulfilled during the release process and is not applicable for inmates still incarcerated.

Table 11

P. 2. (e) Inmates Enrolled in Transition Program

							% of
Fiscal					% of	% of	Releases
Quarter /		Transition	Total Inmates	Total Inmate	Releases	Population	Enrolled by
Year	Month / Year	Enrolled	Released	Population	Enrolled	Enrolled	Fiscal Quarter
	July 2023	367	1,215	34,235	30.21%	1.07%	
Q1 2024	August 2023	437	1,339	34,269	32.64%	1.28%	30.94%
	September 2023	366	1,240	34,285	29.52%	1.07%	

Note. ADCRR has not had a pre-release Transition Program for enrollment since 2012. Inmates eligible for the current Transition Program are automatically enrolled when released.

P. 2. (e)(i) Most Serious Crime for Inmates Enrolled in Transition Program

Most Serious Crime	Released Inmates	% of Released Inmates
Assault	172	14.70%
Auto theft	79	6.75%
Burglary/Criminal trespass	99	8.46%
Criminal damage	12	1.03%
Disorderly conduct	10	0.85%
Domestic violence	24	2.05%
Drug possession - Marijuana	2	0.17%
Drug possession - Other	227	19.40%
Drug sales/trafficking - Marijuana	10	0.85%
Drug sales/trafficking - Other	136	11.62%
DUI	70	5.98%
Escape	4	0.34%
Flight from law vehicle	30	2.56%
Forgery	13	1.11%
Fraud	8	0.68%
Identity theft	17	1.45%
Other/Unknown	29	2.48%
Promote prison contraband	17	1.45%
Resisting arrest	10	0.85%
Robbery	19	1.62%
Sex offense	1	0.09%
Theft	55	4.70%
Trafficking in stolen property	27	2.31%
Unlawful imprisonment	3	0.26%
Weapons offense	96	8.21%

Note. ADCRR has not had a pre-release Transition Program for enrollment since 2012. Inmates eligible for the current Transition Program are automatically enrolled when released.

Table 13

P. 2. (e)(ii) Mean and Median Prison Sentence Length for Inmates Enrolled in Transition Program

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Month / Year	Mean (Days)	Median (Days)	Mean by Fiscal Quarter	Median by Fiscal Quarter
	July 2023	1,275.07	921.00		
Q1 2024	August 2023	1,302.90	962.00	1,301.40	939.50
	September 2023	1,326.00	946.50		

Note. ADCRR has not had a pre-release Transition Program for enrollment since 2012. Inmates eligible for the current Transition Program are automatically enrolled when released.

P. 2. (e)(iii) Mean and Median Length of Time Served for Inmates Enrolled in Transition Program

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Month / Year	Mean (Dava)	Median (Davs)	Mean by Fiscal Quarter	Median by Fiscal Quarter
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	July 2023	936.61	622.00		
Q1 2024	August 2023	950.14	627.00	957.67	627.50
	September 2023	987.79	637.50		

Note. ADCRR has not had a pre-release Transition Program for enrollment since 2012. Inmates eligible for the current Transition Program are automatically enrolled when released.

Table 15

P. 2. (f) Inmates Released into Transition Program

							% of
Fiscal					% of	% Population	Releases to
Quarter /		Transition	Total Inmates	Total Inmate	Releases to	Released to	Transition by
Year	Month / Year	Releases	Released	Population	Transition	Transition	Fiscal Quarter
	July 2023	367	1,215	34,235	30.21%	1.07%	
Q1 2024	August 2023	437	1,339	34,269	32.64%	1.28%	30.94%
	September 2023	366	1,240	34,285	29.52%	1.07%	

Note. Some releases are primarily into the Transition Program and have also had release dates impacted by application of credits earned pursuant to Subsection B, Paragraph 1. Internal system codes identifying releases to the Transition Program may not have been consistent in records prior to fiscal year 2024.

P. 2. (f)(i) Most Serious Crime for Inmates Released into Transition Program

Most Serious Crime	Released Inmates	% of Released Inmates
Assault	172	14.70%
Auto theft	79	6.75%
Burglary/Criminal trespass	99	8.46%
Criminal damage	12	1.03%
Disorderly conduct	10	0.85%
Domestic violence	24	2.05%
Drug possession - Marijuana	2	0.17%
Drug possession - Other	227	19.40%
Drug sales/trafficking - Marijuana	10	0.85%
Drug sales/trafficking - Other	136	11.62%
DUI	70	5.98%
Escape	4	0.34%
Flight from law vehicle	30	2.56%
Forgery	13	1.11%
Fraud	8	0.68%
Identity theft	17	1.45%
Other/Unknown	29	2.48%
Promote prison contraband	17	1.45%
Resisting arrest	10	0.85%
Robbery	19	1.62%
Sex offense	1	0.09%
Theft	55	4.70%
Trafficking in stolen property	27	2.31%
Unlawful imprisonment	3	0.26%
Weapons offense	96	8.21%

Note. Some releases are primarily into the Transition Program and have also had release dates impacted by application of credits earned pursuant to Subsection B, Paragraph 1. Internal system codes identifying releases to the Transition Program may not have been consistent in records prior to fiscal year 2024.

Table 17

P. 2. (f)(ii) Mean and Median Prison Sentence Length for Inmates Released into Transition Program

Fiscal Quarter				Mean by	Median by
/ Year	Month / Year	Mean (Days)	Median (Days)	Fiscal Quarter	Fiscal Quarter
	July 2023	1,275.07	921.00		
Q1 2024	August 2023	1,302.90	962.00	1,301.40	939.50
	September 2023	1,326.00	946.50		

Note. Some releases are primarily into the Transition Program and have also had release dates impacted by application of credits earned pursuant to Subsection B, Paragraph 1. Internal system codes identifying releases to the Transition Program may not have been consistent in records prior to fiscal year 2024.

P. 2. (f)(iii) Mean and Median Length of Time Served for Inmates Released into Transition Program

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Month / Year	Mean (Days)	Median (Days)	Mean by Fiscal Quarter	Median by Fiscal Quarter
	July 2023	936.61	622.00		
Q1 2024	August 2023	950.14	627.00	957.67	627.50
	September 2023	987.79	637.50		

Note. Some releases are primarily into the Transition Program and have also had release dates impacted by application of credits earned pursuant to Subsection B, Paragraph 1. Internal system codes identifying releases to the Transition Program may not have been consistent in records prior to fiscal year 2024.

Table 19

P. 2. (g) Six-Month Rates for Transition Program Releases

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Month / Year	Total Releases	Return to Custody	New Conviction	Success %	Return to Custody %	New Conviction %
	January 2023						
Q3 2023	February 2023 March 2023	1,046	171	0	83.65%	16.35%	0.00%

Note. Some releases are primarily into the Transition Program and have also had release dates impacted by application of credits earned pursuant to Subsection B, Paragraph 1. Internal system codes identifying releases to the Transition Program may not have been consistent in records prior to fiscal year 2024. Only inmates with no prior releases to their Transition release within the same episode of incarceration are counted.

Table 20

P. 2. (h) One-Year Rates for Transition Program Releases

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Month / Year	Total Releases	Return to Custody	New Conviction	Success %	Return to Custody %	New Conviction %
	July 2022						
Q1 2023	August 2022 September 2022	940	216	7	76.28%	22.98%	0.74%

Note. Some releases are primarily into the Transition Program and have also had release dates impacted by application of credits earned pursuant to Subsection B, Paragraph 1. Internal system codes identifying releases to the Transition Program may not have been consistent in records prior to fiscal year 2024. Only inmates with no prior releases to their Transition release within the same episode of incarceration are counted.

P. 2. (i) Two-Year Rates for Transition Program Releases

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Month / Year	Total Releases	Return to Custody	New Conviction	Success %	Return to Custody %	New Conviction %
	July 2021						
Q1 2022	August 2021	316	75	4	75.00%	23.73%	1.27%
	September 2021						

Note. Some releases are primarily into the Transition Program and have also had release dates impacted by application of credits earned pursuant to Subsection B, Paragraph 1. Internal system codes identifying releases to the Transition Program may not have been consistent in records prior to fiscal year 2024. Only inmates with no prior releases to their Transition release within the same episode of incarceration are counted.

Table 22

P. 2. (j) Three-Year Rates for Transition Program Releases

Fiscal Quarter / Year	Month / Year	Total Releases	Return to Custody	New Conviction	Success %	Return to Custody %	New Conviction %
	July 2020						
Q1 2021	August 2020	341	70	9	76.83%	20.53%	2.64%
	September 2020						

Note. Some releases are primarily into the Transition Program and have also had release dates impacted by application of credits earned pursuant to Subsection B, Paragraph 1. Internal system codes identifying releases to the Transition Program may not have been consistent in records prior to fiscal year 2024. Only inmates with no prior releases to their Transition release within the same episode of incarceration are counted.

Table 23

P. 2. (k) Substance Abuse Treatment (Tx) during 1st Half of Total Sentence

Fiscal Quarter /		Total Inmates	Received Tx in 1 st	Total Inmates	% Received Tx in 1 st	% Received Tx in 1 st Half by
Year	Month / Year	Eligible for Tx ^a	Half	Received Tx	Half	Fiscal Quarter
	July 2023	26,896	401	685	58.54%	
Q1 2024	August 2023	26,874	382	728	52.47%	46.14%
	September 2023	26,954	284	604	47.02%	

Note. Programs for substance abuse treatment include A021: Moderate Treatment, A031: Intensive Treatment, and A102: Therapeutic Community.

^a Inmates eligible for substance abuse treatment have substance abuse referral levels of 2 or 3.

P. 2. (k)(i) Most Serious Crime Committed by Inmates Who Received Substance Abuse Treatment during 1st Half of Total Sentence

Most Serious Crime	Inmates Received Tx	% of Inmates Received Tx
Assault	31	6.97%
Auto theft	27	6.07%
Burglary/Criminal trespass	39	8.76%
Child/Adult abuse	1	0.22%
Domestic violence	1	0.22%
Drug possession - Other	120	26.97%
Drug sales/trafficking - Marijuana	1	0.22%
Drug sales/trafficking - Other	67	15.06%
DUI	18	4.04%
Forgery	2	0.45%
Identity theft	6	1.35%
Indecent exposure	2	0.45%
Kidnapping	1	0.22%
Manslaughter/Negligent homicide	2	0.45%
Murder	21	4.72%
Other/Unknown	22	4.94%
Persons required to register	1	0.22%
Robbery	12	2.70%
Sex offense	1	0.22%
Theft	10	2.25%
Trafficking in stolen property	8	1.80%
Unlawful distribution of images	1	0.22%
Weapons offense	51	11.46%

Note. Programs for substance abuse treatment include A021: Moderate Treatment, A031: Intensive Treatment, and A102: Therapeutic Community.

Table 25

P. 2. (k)(ii) Mean and Median Prison Sentence Length for Inmates Who Received Substance Abuse Treatment during 1st Half of Total Sentence

Fiscal Quarter				Mean by	Median by
/ Year	Month / Year	Mean (Days)	Median (Days)	Fiscal Quarter	Fiscal Quarter
	July 2023	5,419.32	1,102.00		
Q1 2024	August 2023	5,478.82	1,095.00	5,098.38	1,095.50
	September 2023	1,505.92	1,095.00		

Note. Programs for substance abuse treatment include A021: Moderate Treatment, A031: Intensive Treatment, and A102: Therapeutic Community.

P. 2. (k)(iii) Inmates that Received Substance Abuse Treatment (Tx) during 1st Half of Total Sentence for Each Month in Reporting Period

				Inmates Did Not
Fiscal Quarter		Inmates Received	Inmates Received	Receive Tx Entire
/ Year	Month / Year	Тх	Tx Entire Quarter	Quarter
	July 2023	398		
Q1 2024	August 2023	379	237	208
	September 2023	283		

Note. Programs for substance abuse treatment include A021: Moderate Treatment, A031: Intensive Treatment, and A102: Therapeutic Community.