



Probation Supervision Responsibilities Information Request Form

I am writing to request your assistance in providing information about your agency's role in adult probation. Even if your agency does not supervise adults under any form of probation, please provide information on your agency. This effort is being done to support the Annual Probation Survey (APS), which provides the only comprehensive overview of the total probation population at both the national and state levels.

To ensure that the APS is comprehensive, we are developing a complete listing of all agencies and courts with responsibility for supervising adults on probation. Your participation is voluntary, but it will help us produce complete and accurate statistics about the probation population in the United States. Upon completion, separate this page from the card below, seal the card with the adhesive and place it in outgoing mail. If you prefer to answer these questions over the phone, please call toll-free: 866-334-4175.

Sincerely,

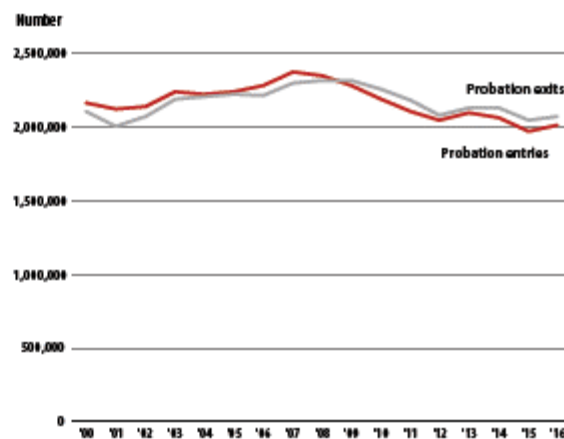
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Highlights from 2016 Annual Probation Survey

- At yearend 2016, an estimated 4,537,100 adults were under community supervision (probation or parole), down 113,800 offenders from yearend 2015.
- Approximately 1 in 55 adults in the United States were under community supervision at yearend 2016.
- The adult probation population declined by 3.1% from yearend 2015 to yearend 2016, falling by 116,700 to 3,673,100.
- Movements onto probation increased from an estimated 1,966,100 entries in 2015 to 2,012,200 entries in 2016.
- Probation exits increased from 2,043,200 in 2015 to 2,071,400 in 2016.

Estimated probation entries and exits, 2000-2016



Note: Counts are rounded to the nearest 100. Estimates are based on most recent data and may differ from previously published statistics.

Source: Bureau of Justice Statistics, Annual Probation Survey, 2000-2016



Please respond to the questions below. Upon completion, seal this card with the adhesive and place it in outgoing mail. If you prefer to answer these questions over the phone, please call toll-free: 866-334-4175.

Does your agency have responsibility for supervising adults on any form of probation? Include active supervision as well as inactive supervision, sometimes called "bench probation." We're interested in any form of probation that entails monitoring or surveillance with or without any reporting requirements.

Yes

No Is there a chance that your agency will have this responsibility at any time in the next year?

Yes

No

Please provide your contact information.

Name

Title

Street

City

State

Zip

Phone

Email

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Learn more about the Annual Surveys of Probation and Parole

Review the most recent survey reports:
<http://www.bjs.gov/index.cfm?ty=dcdetail&iid=271>

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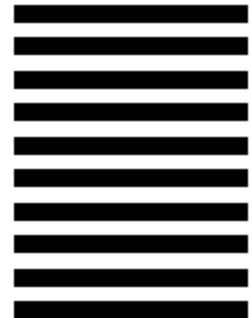


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