RY2020
Annual Probation Survey: Coronavirus (COVID-19) Questions

1. **What was your agency's adult probation population on –**

   a. March 31, 2020?..... ☐ check if estimate

   b. June 30, 2020?..... ☐ check if estimate

   c. September 30, 2020?.... ☐ check if estimate

2. **Between January 1, 2020 and June 30, 2020, how many adults entered probation?**

   entries

3. **Between January 1, 2020 and June 30, 2020, how many adult probationers were discharged from supervision?**

   discharges

4. **As you answer this question, please consider reporting requirements for ANY adult probationer. For any period of time in 2020, was your agency's reporting requirement for any adult probationers <u>suspended</u> in response to the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic?**

   ○ Yes

   ○ No → ***Go to #6***

5. **In total, for about how many weeks was your agency's reporting requirement suspended?**

   weeks

6. **For any period of time in 2020, did your agency reduce business operations (e.g., less reporting or testing) in response to the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic?**

   ◯ Yes
   ◯ No → ***Go to #8***

7. **In total, for about how many weeks did your agency reduce business operations?**

   ☐☐ weeks

8. **Overall, how did your agency's use of the following techniques for probationer reporting change in response to the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic**? *Select one response per item.*

	Decreased Use	**Increased Use**	**No change in use due to coronavirus (COVID-19)**	**Not Used / NA**
a. Office visits with clients	◯	◯	◯	◯
b. Home visits with clients	◯	◯	◯	◯
c. Field visits with clients (e.g., curbside, workplace, community locations)	◯	◯	◯	◯
d. Video reporting (e.g., Zoom, FaceTime, WebEx, etc.)	◯	◯	◯	◯
e. Mobile reporting (e.g., telephone, cell phone, web-based platform, cell phone application)	◯	◯	◯	◯
f. Email reporting	◯	◯	◯	◯
g. Other reporting (please specify):	◯	◯	◯	◯

9. At any point during 2020, did your agency (or any agency under your jurisdiction) ever make the following changes in response to the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic?

	Yes	No
a. Arrests for technical violations of probation were suspended	○	○
b. Filing of technical violations of probation orders was suspended	○	○
c. Court hearings for technical violations of probation were suspended	○	○
d. Jail sentences for technical violations of probation were suspended	○	○
e. Supervision terms were decreased (e.g., release from supervision was expedited)	○	○
f. Collection of fines, fees, or restitution was suspended	○	○
g. Presentence report practices were changed (e.g., stopped conducting interviews)	○	○
h. Work or community service requirements were reduced	○	○
i. Telehealth for treatment services was instituted or used more frequently	○	○
j. Curfews were suspended	○	○
k. Other (please specify):	○	○

10. At any point during 2020, were your agency's drug testing procedures for adult probationers affected by the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic?

○ Yes
○ No → ***Skip #11 (end survey)***

11. In which of the following ways were your agency's drug testing procedures affected by the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic?

	Yes	No
a. Agency stopped drug testing of any adult probationers	○	○
b. Agency reduced number of individuals receiving drug testing	○	○
c. Agency reduced frequency each individual received drug testing	○	○
d. Agency switched to a random drug-testing approach	○	○
e. Agency switched method of drug testing (e.g., switched to mouth swab)	○	○
f. Other (please describe):	○	○