

Data Collection Recommendation for Youth Charged as Adults

Require criminal justice agencies, including law enforcement, corrections, and the courts to track data on youth charged as adults at every level of the adult criminal justice system, from arrest to case resolution. Data should be at the charge level and include data definitions.

The following data must be provided on a quarterly basis to GOCPYVS:

Defendant information to include date of birth, age, ethnicity, race, sex, address, and any inmate, police or state identification number.

Offense information to include date of arrest and date and location of offense.

Law enforcement information to include arresting agency and police report and complaint numbers.

Charge information to include charge description, type, charging code, CJIS code, statute, charge seriousness ranking, charge number, and literal language of charge.

Court information to include jurisdiction, location, case numbers, and case tracking numbers.

Case processing information to include the filing dates, hearing dates, and outcomes of motions to transfer physical custody to DJS, to transfer proceedings to juvenile court, to transfer disposition to juvenile court, or to waive jurisdiction.

Information related to setting and release on bail, personal recognizance and home detention.

Case outcome information to include hearing and trial dates and type of hearing, type of trial (jury/bench), disposition such as dismissed, not guilty, nolle prosequi, findings of incompetency and not criminally responsible.

Sentence information to include sentence imposed, fines/costs imposed, suspension of sentence, probation length and type, restitution, sex offender registration, domestic violence designation, parole restrictions, offenders scores, or other special offender or sentence characteristics. This should include information on life sentences.