California Involuntary Detentions Data Report Fiscal Year (FY) 2017/2018 California Department of Health Care Services – Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder Services Division

California's Welfare and Institutions Code (WIC) Section 5402 requires the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) to collect data from each county mental health program or treatment facility and publish quantitative information on the number and types of involuntary detentions. For the benefit of the general public, medical, legal, and other groups, DHCS publishes this report annually, in accordance with the WIC code. This report contains:

- The number and duration of involuntary detentions
- Temporary and permanent conservatorships established by the superior court of the county
- Admissions of persons transferred from a jail for mental health services
- Admitted to a Lanterman Petris Short (LPS) approved treatment program within a jail facility
- The number of outpatient mental health services provided to persons detained in jail facilities

Certain data cells were suppressed to protect health information (PHI) and personal information (PI) in accordance with DHCS's Data De-identification Guidelines.

The following tables consist of the state FY 2017/18 (July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018) totals as reported by each county for each of the various classifications of involuntary detentions, including a table of the rates of detention per 10,000 people. The rate of detention per 10,000 takes into account fluctuations to the annual population total and allows for comparison of these rates over time and across counties.

DATA SOURCES

The data were collected and tabulated from quarterly reports of involuntary detentions compiled and reported from each county mental health department and the facilities that provide evaluation and treatment within each county. This includes data from both public and private facilities and the clients served in those facilities receiving services reimbursed by private or public funds.

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Three forms are used to summarize and report the involuntary detention data:

1. DHCS 1008 - Quarterly Report on Services Provided to Persons Detained in Jail Facilities

Counties and providers use this form to summarize and report the number of transfers for admission, both voluntary and involuntary, to local inpatient services pursuant to Penal Code Sections 4011.6 or 4011.8 and evaluated and/or treated in a local mental health facility. It is also used to collect the number of admissions, both voluntary and involuntary, to an LPS approved inpatient treatment program within a jail facility, and the unduplicated count of persons receiving outpatient services provided within a jail facility.

2. DHCS 1009 - Quarterly Report of Conservatorships Established by the Superior Court of the County - This form is used to summarize the number of persons placed under temporary conservatorship, including the number of newly established and reestablished permanent conservatorships established by the superior court of the county, regardless of the type of facility in which the patient is placed (e.g., county agency, state hospital).

3. DHCS 1010 - Quarterly Report on Involuntary Detentions - This form is used to summarize the number of admissions under various categories of WIC Section 5150. Specifically, the number of all admissions for: 72-hour evaluation and treatment for children and adults, the number of certifications for 14-day treatment, additional 14-day intensive treatment for persons who are suicidal, the number of certifications for 30-day intensive treatment, and 180-day post-certification treatment.

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The reporting applies to all instances of involuntary treatment regardless of funding source. In other words, persons who are treated involuntarily in private psychiatric facilities, or whose treatment is funded by private resources, must be reported along with persons whose treatment is funded through Medi-Cal or the county mental health program.

PROGRAM NOTE

WIC Section 5775(b) permits counties to jointly agree to deliver or subcontract for the delivery of mental health services. Sutter and Yuba counties are combined under a joint agreement with this authority. Therefore, data for conservatorships, involuntary detentions, and services provided to persons detained in jail facilities for these two counties are combined and presented as Sutter/Yuba County.

DATA METHODOLOGY

In November 1999, the Facility-Based Reporting (FBR) method was used to ensure more accurate involuntary detention reporting. The FBR method places the responsibility upon the county in which the treatment facility, jail, or court is located to report the number of persons admitted and detained involuntarily. For example, if client "A" is taken to county "B" under WIC Section 5150, then the facility in county "B" is required to report that client as one 5150 admission. County "B" should obtain these data from all appropriate facilities within their county. Next, county "B" is responsible for submitting a single report based on information from every reporting facility, quarterly, for each of the three involuntary detention reporting areas.

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County Population Estimates Report E-2 from the California Department of Finance (DOF) was used in conjunction with DOF Census 2010 Demographic Profile Summary File by county in California to calculate county populations by children and adults in FY 2017/18. The population table was then used to calculate rates of involuntary detention per 10,000 population. The rate per 10,000 population is an expression of the number of persons involuntarily committed when compared to a segment of the population. For example, in the table Rates per 10,000 by Category and County, 44 adults per 10,000 were involuntarily committed for 72-hour evaluation and treatment services. Each rate was calculated by dividing the number of persons in an involuntary detention classification by an appropriate population total, either adult, child, or total population and then multiplying the result by 10,000.

The counts for 72-hour evaluation and treatment are separately tabulated for children and adults, where children are zero to 17 years of age and adults are 18 years of age and older.

DATA LIMITATIONS

The DHCS has learned that some counties have contracted with an outside entity, such as the local Sheriff's Office or a private medical company, to provide mental health outpatient services in a jail facility. In many cases, the contracting agency does not report data on the services provided. Thus, the count of persons receiving mental health outpatient services in jail is limited by those counties not reporting those services provided by an outside entity.

Additionally, the quarterly unduplicated counts of persons receiving outpatient services have been summed to represent the count of persons receiving outpatient services during the fiscal year. Unduplicated means that individuals are counted only once in a quarter, regardless of the number of times or types of outpatient services they receive in jail facilities.

	72-Hour 72-Hour Evaluatio Evaluation n and and Intensive Treatment Treatment (Children) (Adults)		14-Day Intensive	Additional 14-Day Intensive Treatment (Suicidal)	30-Day Intensive	Certificatio	Temporary Conserva- torships	Permanent Conserva- torships	Number of Admissions to Local Inpatient Services Pursuant to PC 4011.6 or 4011.8, Evaluated and/or Treated in a Local Mental Health Facility		Number of Admissions to an LPS Approved Inpatient Program Treated Within a Jail Facility		Unduplicated Count of Persons Receiving Outpatient Services Provided Within
									Involuntary	Voluntary	Involuntary	Voluntary	a Jail Facility
	23,343									203		398	94,579
01 ALAMEDA 02 ALPINE	3,564	17,651 92	6,473 25		0	0 0				0	0	0 0	8,432
03 AMADOR	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	0	
04 BUTTE	0	258	95	24	***	0			***	***	0	0	
05 CALAVERAS	0	-	0	0		0		11	0	0	0	0	353
06 COLUSA 07 CONTRA COSTA ^{1, 3}	0		0	0					0	0	0	0	89
08 DEL NORTE ¹	0		0	0		0	1			0	0	0	
09 EL DORADO ¹	0		65	0		0		29		0	0	0	
10 FRESNO ²	0			0		0	1	1		0	0	0	1 202
11 GLENN	0	1,929 0		0	51	0				0	0	0 0	4,392
12 HUMBOLDT ^{1, 2, 3}	0	471	256		_	0	1	1		0	0	0	1,436
13 IMPERIAL ²	0	0	0	0		0	1	48		0	0	0	.,100
14 INYO ^{1, 2, 3}	0	0	0	0		0		12		0	0	0	21
15 KERN ^{2, 3}	2,015	4,498	2,267			11		0	0	0	0	0	<u> </u>
16 KINGS ^{1, 2, 3}	0	0	_,_0,	0		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
17 LAKE ^{1, 2, 3}	0	0	0	0		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
18 LASSEN ^{1, 2, 3}	0		0	0		0	i	***	0	0	0	0	43
19 LOS ANGELES ^{2, 3}	8,052	54,394	22,132	232	2,103	***	0	0	0	0	0	0	
20 MADERA ³	0	0	0	0	0	0	***	71	0	0	0	0	
21 MARIN	201	1,349	238	0	***	0	52	92	21	0	0	0	2,028
22 MARIPOSA ^{2,3}	0	0	0	0	0	0	***	15	0	0	0	0	35
23 MENDOCINO ^{1, 2, 3}	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
24 MERCED ^{1, 2, 3}	0	290	127	0	17	0	18			0	0	0	
25 MODOC	0	0	0	0		-			0	0	0	0	80
26 MONO	0	0	0	0		0			0	0	0	0	
27 MONTEREY ² 28 NAPA	***	542 30	442	56 0		15 0		46 73		176	0	0	<u>1,172</u> 1,041
29 NEVADA ^{1, 2, 3}	0		0	0		0		/ 3		0	0	0	37
30 ORANGE ³	597	3,884	2,434					693	0	0	0	0	3,758
31 PLACER ¹	0	3,004	353			0		68		0	0	0	5,750
32 PLUMAS ^{1, 2, 3}	0	030	000	0		0	1	00	0	0	0	0	187
33 RIVERSIDE ^{1, 2, 3}	0	0	0	0		0		0	0	0	0	0	107
34 SACRAMENTO ^{1, 2, 3}	610	2,888	1,734			***		243	0	0	333	176	21,337
35 SAN BENITO	010		0	0		0				0	0	0	285
36 SAN BERNARDINO ³	2,742	10,699	4,672	0	0	0	84	402	***	0	0	0	2,520
37 SAN DIEGO ³	3,211	11,964	2,567	90	254	***	328	1,070	0	0	141	222	18,668
38 SAN FRANCISCO ³	854	5,062	3,333			0		72		0	0	0	5,050
39 SAN JOAQUIN	58	-	1,482		103	0				0	0	0	5,535
40 SAN LUIS OBISPO ^{1, 2, 3}		492	45			***		80		***	0	0	100
41 SAN MATEO 42 SANTA BARBARA	234	1,207 378	223 330	61 ***			103		11	0	0	0	188
43 SANTA CLARA ²	0			***				n 0		0	0	0	
44 SANTA CRUZ ^{1, 2, 3}	0			0				n 0	0	0	0	0	1,208
45 SHASTA ²	0	243		0	17	0		276	0	0	0	0	57
46 SIERRA ^{1, 2, 3}	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	***		0	0	0	
47 SISKIYOU ^{1, 2, 3}	0	0	0	0	0 0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	
48 SOLANO ^{1, 2, 3}	0	145	111	0		0		0	0	0	0	0	
49 SONOMA	888	1,778				0		96	0	0	0	0	8,114
50 STANISLAUS	0	3,253	1,904	***	14	27	33	92	0	0	0	0	
52 TEHAMA ^{2, 3}	0	0	0	0	0	0		47		0	0	0	445
53 TRINITY	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	12	0	0	0	0	34
54 TULARE ^{2, 3}	0	0	0	0		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	8,022
55 TUOLUMNE ^{1, 2, 3}	0	0	0	0		0		0	0	0	0	0	***
56 VENTURA ^{1, 3}	311	2,004	1,053		0	0		155		0	0	0	
57 YOLO ^{1,3}	0	1,070								0	0	0	
63 SUTTER/YUBA ^{1,3}	0	168	39	***	***	0	***	68	0	0	0	0	

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² DHCS 1009 (Quarterly Report of Conservatorship) incomplete data submitted
³ DHCS 1008 (Quarterly Report on Persons Detained in Jail Facilities) incomplete data submitted

INVOLUNTARY DETENTION RATES PER 10,000 BY CATEGORY AND COUNTY FISCAL YEAR 2017/2018

	and Treatment		Intensive	Additional 14-Day Intensive Treatment	30-Day Intensive		Temporary Conserva- torships	Permanent Conserva- torships
STATEWIDE	(Children) 23.6	(Adults) 44.2	14.9	(Suicidal)	1.0	Treatment 0.0	0.5	1.4
01 ALAMEDA	95.5		39.1	***	0.0	0.0	2.1	1.7
02 ALPINE	0.0	1,031.4		***	***	0.0	0.0	***
03 AMADOR	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.7	10.9
04 BUTTE 05 CALAVERAS	0.0	14.4	4.2		0.0	0.0	1.3	4.2 2.5
06 COLUSA	0.0		0.0			0.0	***	Z.3 ***
07 CONTRA COSTA ^{1,3}	0.0		0.0		0.0	0.0	0.8	1.1
08 DEL NORTE ¹	0.0				0.0	0.0	***	10.8
09 EL DORADO ¹	0.0		3.5		***	0.0	1.7	3.5
10 FRESNO ²	0.0		5.3		0.5	0.0	1.0	
11 GLENN	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	***	6.7
12 HUMBOLDT ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0	43.7	19.0	0.0	1.6	0.0	1.3	5.3
13 IMPERIAL ²	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.3	2.6
14 INYO ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	***	6.5
15 KERN ^{2,3}	74.2	71.9	25.3	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0
16 KINGS ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
17 LAKE ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
18 LASSEN ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	***	***
19 LOS ANGELES ^{2,3}	32.2	70.4	21.6	0.2	2.1	***	0.0	0.0
20 MADERA ³	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	***	4.5
21 MARIN	37.0	64.8	9.1	0.0	***	0.0	2.0	3.5
22 MARIPOSA ^{2,3}	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	***	8.4
23 MENDOCINO ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
24 MERCED ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0				0.6	0.0	0.7	2.1
25 MODOC 26 MONO	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0 0.0	***	***
27 MONTEREY ²	***	16.8			***	0.0	0.0	1.0
28 NAPA	0.0		0.0		0.0	0.0	0.4 ***	5.2
29 NEVADA ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	***	***
30 ORANGE ³	7.6		7.6		0.5	0.0	1.0	2.2
31 PLACER ¹	0.0	13.4	9.1	0.3	2.0	0.0	***	1.8
32 PLUMAS ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	
33 RIVERSIDE 1, 2, 3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
34 SACRAMENTO ^{1, 2, 3}	15.6	25.4	11.4	0.4	1.5	***	0.3	1.6
35 SAN BENITO	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	***	***
36 SAN BERNARDINO ³	43.6	70.2	21.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	1.9
37 SAN DIEGO ³	41.3	46.9	7.7	0.3	0.8	***	1.0	3.2
38 SAN FRANCISCO ³	71.8				0.0	0.0	1.6	
39 SAN JOAQUIN	2.6		19.7	***	1.4	0.0	0.6	
40 SAN LUIS OBISPO ^{1, 2}		21.8			0.0	***	***	2.9
41 SAN MATEO 42 SANTA BARBARA	13.6		2.9 7.3		0.4	0.0	1.3 0.3	
43 SANTA CLARA ²	0.0		2.2		0.0	0.0	0.0	
44 SANTA CRUZ ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0				0.0	0.0	0.0	
45 SHASTA ²	0.0					0.0	0.9	
46 SIERRA ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0							
47 SISKIYOU ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0	0.0	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	
48 SOLANO ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0	4.4	2.5		***	0.0	0.0	
49 SONOMA	80.6		96.8		15.1	0.0	0.0	1.9
50 STANISLAUS	0.0		34.6		0.3	0.5	0.6	
52 TEHAMA ^{2, 3}	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	***	7.3
53 TRINITY	0.0		0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	8.9
54 TULARE ^{2,3}	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
55 TUOLUMNE ^{1, 2, 3}	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
56 VENTURA ^{1, 3}	14.2	31.8	12.4	***	0.0	0.0	0.3	1.8
57 YOLO ^{1,3}	0.0	63.1	28.6	0.0	2.1	0.0	1.2	4.9
63 SUTTER/YUBA ^{1,3}	0.0	13.2	2.2	***	***	0.0	***	3.8

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