

Broward County

Florida's 2nd most populous county
with 8.9% of Florida's population

Crime			New Commitments to Prison		
	Broward County	Florida		Broward County	Florida
Crime rate (index crimes per 100,000 population)					
2019	2,987.4	2,551.1	2019	1,240	27,242
2020	2,434.8	2,152.3	2020	424	12,834
2020 rank in state	12	NA	% change from 2019 to 2020	-65.8%	-52.9%
% change from 2019 to 2020	-18.5%	-15.6%	2020 rank in state	10	NA
Violent crimes			County share of new commitments	3.3%	NA
2019	7,331	81,092	% of new commitments who are female	7.9%	14.6%
2020	7,022	82,941			
County share of violent crimes	8.5%	NA			
Violent crime rate (violent crimes per 100,000 population)			2020 New Commitments by Offense Category	Broward County	Florida
2019	381.9	382.4	Murder/manslaughter	18	416
2020	363.4	384.1	Sexual/lewd behavior	17	750
2020 rank in state	28	NA	Robbery	41	654
% change from 2019 to 2020	-4.8%	0.4%	Other violent	74	2,068
			Burglary	82	1,741
			Property theft/fraud	74	1,868
			Drugs	87	3,119
			Weapons	17	945
			Other	14	1,274
Felony Filings	Broward County	Florida	Change in New Commitments from 2019	Broward County	Florida
FY 2019-20 Total Filings(defendants)	9,294	158,200	Murder/manslaughter	-77.9%	-57.1%
Violent crimes	278	4,719	Sexual/lewd behavior	-70.9%	-54.9%
Other crimes against persons	2,179	31,585	Robbery	-67.1%	-57.0%
Crimes against property	4,402	72,981	Other violent	-59.2%	-50.3%
Drug Crimes	2,435	48,915	Burglary	-66.3%	-54.2%
Change from prior FY	-22.7%	-10.9%	Property theft/fraud	-61.2%	-53.6%
Violent crimes	5.7%	3.7%	Drugs	-62.3%	-52.6%
Other crimes against persons	-9.2%	0.0%	Weapons	-72.4%	-51.0%
Crimes against property	-23.7%	-11.8%	Other	-79.3%	-50.7%
Drug Crimes	-32.3%	-16.7%			
Total charges FY 2019-20	18,184	345,611			
Number of charges per defendant	2.0	2.2			
Juvenile Delinquency	Broward County	Florida			
FY 2019-20 juvenile delinquency complaints filed	2,373	38,331			
Per 100,000 juveniles 10-17	1,318.8	1,947.1			
Juveniles direct filed to adult court	23	1,031			
County share of juveniles direct filed	2.2%	NA			



17th Judicial Circuit

Drug New Commitments

	Broward County	Florida
Drug new commitments as % of all new commitments		
2019	18.5%	24.2%
2020	20.4%	24.3%
County share of all drug new commitments--2020	2.8%	NA
As percent of drug new commitments--2020		
Drug trafficking	44.9%	21.4%
Drug manufacture/sale/purchase	35.9%	37.6%
Drug possession/other	19.2%	41.0%

Sentence Length of New Commitments

	Broward County	Florida
Average sentence length (months)		
2019	77.3	59.9
2020	60.5	55.7
2020 year-and-a-day new commitments	36	911
As percent of all new commitments	8.4%	7.1%
County share of all year-and-a-day new commitments	3.9%	NA

DOC Incarcerated Inmates by County of Commitment

	Broward County	Florida
June 30, 2020	5,534	87,736
Incarceration rate (inmates per 100,000 county population)	286.4	406.3
County rank	53	NA

DOC Community Supervision

	Broward County	Florida
FY 2019-20 admissions by county of conviction	4,478	62,690
County share of all supervision admissions	7.1%	NA
June 30, 2020 supervised population	15,194	153,542
County share of supervised population	9.9%	NA

Department of Corrections Facilities

	Broward County	Florida
DOC facilities--6/30/20	2	145
DOC inmates--6/30/20	133	87,736
% of DOC inmates in county	0.2%	NA

County Detention Facilities

	Broward County	Florida
Average daily population		
June 2020	2,956	48,012
County jail capacity		
June 2020	NA	NA
Occupancy rate	NA	NA

Registered Sex Offenders

	Broward County	Florida
Offenders	1,189	27,397
Predators	170	4,241
Total	1,359	31,638
County share of registered sex offenders and predators	4.3%	NA
Registered sex offenders and predators per 100,000 population	70.3	146.5

County Demographics

	Broward County	Florida
Official 4/1/20 Estimate of population	1,932,212	21,596,068
Population change 2010-20	184,146	2,794,736
% change from 2010 to 2020	10.5%	14.9%
Median age	40.3	41.8
Persons per square mile	1,607	403

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