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Criminal District Court

Travis County

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Travis County Court at Law

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Mental Health Public Defender

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How did we start with the data collection?

- Already had an existing group with BHCJAC
- Used the Sequential Intercept Model
- Wanted a dashboard to spur discussion
- Meadows Foundation Technical Assistance
- Walked through the process using SIM intercepts

How to practically collect data?

- Defined the data points
- Used Stepping Up and data that was already collected
- Data comes from different departments have to collaborate
- Use a dropbox spreadsheet to enter each month
- Some data has to be pre-shared to compile due to privacy regulations

BHCJAC Dashboard

Number of persons screened positive for MH at Jail Admission.

Jan-20	Feb-20	Mar-20	Apr-20	May-20	Jun-20	Jul-20	Aug-20
1904	1867	1705	1104	1364	1049	1129	1261

 Number of TCOOMMI Forms Completed During the Month

Jan-20	Feb-20	Mar-20	Apr-20	May-20	Jun-20	Jul-20	Aug-20	Sep-20
741	655	297	85	78	216	167	129	171

Challenges and Solutions?

- COVID
- GoBonds
- Equity and gender

- Start small with what you have
- Don't over do it at first
- Commit to discussing it regularly
- Change if needed

Surprising Information / Changes in Procedures?

- Developed sub-committee for each intercept to discuss goals.
- Started with the data
- Noticed that the number of forms being completed was low
- Opened discussion on inconsistency among magistrates – might need guidelines for more consistency and training



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Galveston County Jail Trends February – August 2020

376

222

156

242

37.8%

22.3%

15.7%

24.3%

60.0%

780

3/31/2020

117

11.7%

Pending

538

375

133

113

46.40%

32.40%

11.50%

9.70%

78.8%

755

5/31/2020

77

6.6%

Pending

141

96

92

86

34.0%

23.1%

22.2%

20.7%

57.1%

686

4/30/2020

73

17.6%

Pending

379

261

136

118

42.40%

29.20%

15.20%

13.20%

71.6%

844

6/30/2020

78

8.80%

867

371

258

123

107

43.19%

30.03%

14.32%

12.46%

73.22%

804

7/31/2020

69

8.03%

882

Aug-20

1013 4.52 20 1.75%

954

338

274

150

142

40.70%

28.70%

15.70%

14.90%

69.40%

908

8/31/2020

70

7.30%

843

Sep-20

	Feb-20	Mar-20	Apr-20	May-20	Jun-20	Jul-20	
		Pandemic	Pandemic	Pandemic			
Bookings							
Number of Bookings for the Month	1201	1067	515	1348	1085	923	
Average Number of Hours - Arrest to Booking	7.79	6.57	3.29	4.81	5.80	4.89	
Number of Bookings that Took More Than 24 Hours	94	56	7	26	42	24	
Percent of Bookings More Than 24 Hours	7.8%	5.2%	1.4%	1.9%	3.9%	2.30%	
Jail Releases							
Number of Jail Releases	1276	996	415	1159	894	859	

427

202

193

353

33.5%

15.8%

15.1%

27.7%

49.3%

962

2/29/2020

86

6.7%

Pending

Number of Jail Releases - Less than 12 Hours

Number of iail Releases - 12 Hours to 24 Hours

Number of Jail Releases 24 to 72 Hours

Number of Jail Releases More than 72 Hours

Percent Release 24 hours or less

Jail Population
Number of Inmates

Date of Snapshot for Number of Inmates

Releases on Personal Bond

* Number Released includes Personal Recognizance, Personal Bond with Fees Paid and Fees Waived

Percentage Releases - Less than 12 Hours

Percentage Releases More than 72 Hours

Percentage Releases 24 to 72 Hours

* Number Released on Personal Bond

Percentage of All Jail Releases Above

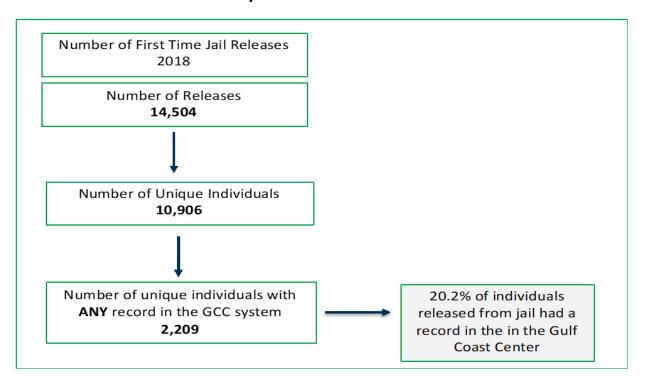
Population Monitored by the Personal Bond Office

Percentage Releases - 12 Hours to 24 Hours

	Feb-20	Mar-20	Apr-20	May-20	Jun-20	Jul-20	Aug-20	S
Mental Health or Intellectual Disability								
Screened Positive- TCJS Screenings	448	420	219	522	404	362	415	
Percent MH Screened Positive of Jail Bookings	37%	39%	43%	39%	37%	39.22%	41%	
referit win screened rositive of Jan Bookings	3770	3576	4370	3570	3770	33.2270	4170	
GCC CCP 16.22 MH Reports - Completed in Person	104	111	99	156	147	163	177	
Felony	55	62	46	80	64	75	71	
Misdemeanor	35	38	42	53	66	76	86	
Both Felony and Misdemeanor	14	11	11	23	17	12	20	
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GCC CCP 16.22 MH Reports - Completed by Phone after Release	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	35	30	32	
Felony	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	10	10	14	
Misdemeanor	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	25	20	18	
Both Felony and Misdemeanor	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	0	0	
GCC CCP 16.22 MH Reports - Attempted After Release - Not Completed	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	62	55	65	
Felony	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	17	15	15	
Misdemeanor	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	42	36	49	
Both Felony and Misdemeanor	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	3	4	1	
# CCP 16.22 Assessment Out of Screened Positive by Soluta	104	111	99	156	182	248	274	
* Number of In-Custody with Psychiatric Medication	209	172	117	176	177	179	202	
Total number of people receiving psychiatric medication in jail during the month (number not a snapshot of the on-hand jail population receiving medication but the total booked uring that month that at one point in time during the month received psychiatric nedication).								
Number Reviewed for CCP 17.032	15	9	6	5	8	14	6	
Number Granted MH Bond after CCP 17.032 Hearing	9	8	2	4	2	10	1	
Active 17.032 Bonds Supervised by PBO					20	29	23	
Number of Active Participants in MH Court			Not Operational					

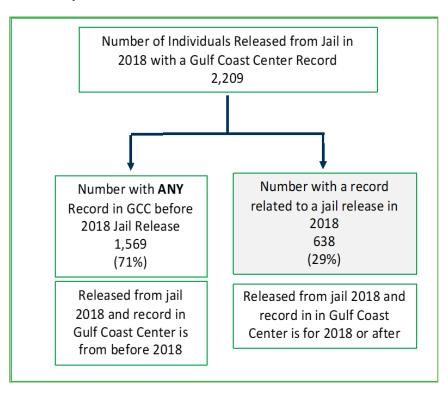
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Figure 1: Number of Unique Individuals Released from the Galveston County Jail in 2018 with History with Gulf Coast Center LMHA



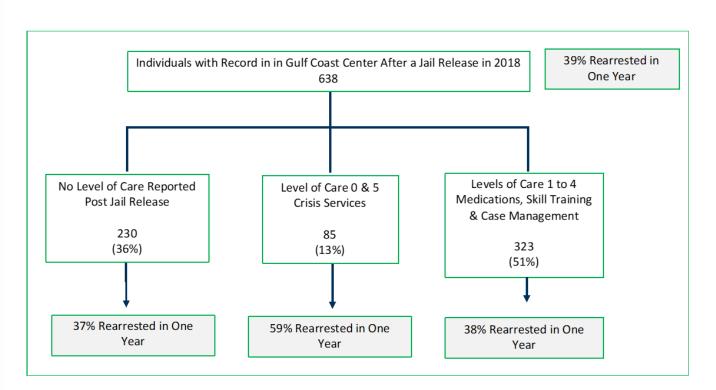
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Figure 2: Number of Unique Individuals Released from the Galveston County Jail in 2018 that had Any Contact with the Gulf Coast Center After Jail Release



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Figure 3: One-Year Recidivism Rate by Level of Services Received by Individuals Released from Galveston County Jail in 2018 With a Record in the Gulf Coast Center After Jail Release



Summary – Connections to Treatment

