



Arizona Department of Corrections, Rehabilitation and Reentry

2024 CALCULATIONS, RECORDS, & POPULATION MANAGEMENT STRATEGIC INITIATIVES

Mission

Our mission is to enhance public safety across Arizona through modern, effective correctional practices and meaningful engagements.

Vision

Reimagining Corrections

Principles

- Always deliver a perfect effort
- Transform power and control mentality into respect, rapport, and engagement
- Modernize correctional practices and develop staff for meaningful performance
- Be responsive, communicate effectively, and responsibly serve the public and population
- Develop solutions that promote systemic wellness and deliver positive, effective outcomes
- Center our work on transparency, accountability, and humanity

Goal 1: Build a Meaningful Organizational Culture & Promote the Development of Team

- 1.1 Creating multiple micro educational videos that explain the basic calculation methodology used in the Time Computation Unit to determine release dates.
- 1.2 Ensuring the standardization of process efficiencies and accountability within the Offender Information Unit at each complex.
- 1.3 Engaging the staff in employee fund raising activities.

Goal 2: Create and Implement Optimal Population Management & Progression Strategies

- 2.1 Time Comp is working closely with county jails to determine if time-served sentences can be processed with a release from the jail without arriving at ADCRR.
- 2.2 Reimagining release opportunities and criteria.
- 2.3 A thorough review and rewrite of the current Classification System, involving a comprehensive study and national research of best practices in assigning custody and placement levels for the population.

Goal 3: Deploy Quality Service Delivery & Continuity of Care in Complexes & Communities

- 3.1 Conducting meetings with external stakeholders to provide high-level information on our methodologies on calculating sentences.
- 3.2 Development of a uniform Quickbase program for OIU's to track information that will follow the inmate through the release process to ensure consistency, accountability and efficiency.
- 3.3 Conduct in person Town Hall meetings with the inmate population to provide clarity and transparency on sentence calculation methodology.

Goal 4: Achieve Modernization & Sustainability of Practices & Resources

- 4.1 Continue to review and convert current manual processes into modern technological tools to streamline release date auditing, stakeholder notifications and transparent accountability.
- 4.2 Determine meaningful, appropriate and effective custody levels while ensuring that housing, security and safety for the population, staff and community remain top of mind.
- 4.3 Work with IT on the digitization of inmate master and institutional files to reduce costs, reduce document loss and improve information sharing.