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Bibliographic Description

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Scope of Study

Summary: The Juvenile Residential Facility Census (JRFC) collected basic information on facility characteristics, including size, structure, security arrangements, and ownership. It also collected information on the use of bedspace in the facility to indicate whether the facility was experiencing crowding. The JRFC included questions about the type of facility, such as detention center, training school, ranch, or group home. This information was complemented by a series of questions about other residential services provided by the facility, such as independent living, foster care, or other arrangements. While not evaluating the effectiveness or quality of these services, the JRFC gathered important information about the youth the services were directed toward and how the services were provided. The census indicated the use of screenings or tests conducted to determine counseling, education, health, or substance abuse needs, and also examined prominent issues about conditions of confinement, including the restraint of youth and improper absences from the facility. Congress requires the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) to report annually on the number of deaths of juveniles in custody; JRFC collected information on such deaths for the one-year period just prior to the census reference date. The census reference date was the fourth Wednesday in October.

Subject Term(s): census data, correctional facilities, correctional facilities (juveniles), group homes, juvenile detention, juvenile offenders, juveniles

Smallest Geographic Unit: state

Geographic Coverage: Alabama, Alaska, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York (state), North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, South Dakota, Tennessee, Texas, United States, Utah, Vermont, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming

Time Period:
- 2008

Date(s) of Collection:
- October 22, 2008, fourth Wednesday in October

Unit of Observation: facility

Universe: Juvenile residential facilities in the United States holding at least one juvenile for an offense on the census reference date in 2008.

Data Type: census/enumeration data

Data Collection Notes: Additional information about the JRFC and other national juvenile corrections data collections sponsored by OJJDP is available from the National Juvenile Corrections Data Resource Guide (Link).

Individual years of data from the Census of Juveniles in Residential Placement (CJRP) and Juvenile Residential Facility Census (JRFC), a complement to the CJRP data, are available through enclave access. Users interested in utilizing the enclave data must complete an Application for Use of the ICPSR Data Enclave. Additional data in the CJRP Series (Link), JRFC Series (Link), and the Matched CJRP/JRFC Series (Link) are available through the National Archive of Criminal Justice Data's Restricted Survey Documentation and Analysis (RSDA) system. Users interested in accessing these data through NACJD's RSDA system can apply online for access via the ICPSR restricted data contract portal which can be accessed from the study homepage.

Methodology

Sample: The inclusion criteria for facilities in the census were: the facility must house persons under the age of 21 who were charged with or adjudicated for an offense, and were present in the facility on the reference date because of that offense. JRFC did not capture data on adult prisons or jails, nor did it include facilities that are used exclusively for mental health or substance abuse treatment or for dependent children.

Data Source: United States Bureau of the Census questionnaires

Mode of Data Collection: mail questionnaire

Response Rates: Not available.

Extent of Processing: Created variable labels and/or value labels.

Standardized missing values.

Checked for undocumented or out-of-range codes.

Access and Availability

Note: A list of the data formats available for this study can be found in the summary of holdings. Detailed file-level information (such as record length, case count, and variable count) is listed in the file manifest.

Restrictions: Due to the sensitive nature of the data and to protect respondent confidentiality, the data are restricted from general dissemination. Users interested in utilizing these data must complete an Application for Use of the ICPSR Data Enclave. Information about the ICPSR Data Enclave can be found under Enclave Data (Link) on the ICPSR Web site. Researchers can also download a copy of the Application for Use of the ICPSR Data Enclave as a Portable Document (PDF) file from the download page associated with this dataset. Completed forms should be returned to: Director, National Archive of Criminal Justice Data, Inter-university Consortium for Political and Social Research, Institute for Social Research, P.O. Box 1248, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 48106-1248, or by fax: 734-647-8200.

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- DS1: Juvenile Residential Facility Census, 2008 [United States]

Publications

Final Reports and Other Publication Resources: A list of publications related to, or based on, this data collection can be accessed from the study's download page on the NACJD Web site or

through the ICPSR Bibliography of Data-Related Literature at http://www.icpsr.umich.edu/ICPSR/citations/index.html. The list of citations includes links to abstracts and publications in Portable Document Format (PDF) files or text files when available.

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Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

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Data Completeness Report

Notes: (1) Variables are individually listed only if they have greater than 5% missing data. These variables are listed under the appropriate percentage category in the order in which they appear in the data file. (2) The Data Completeness Report only captures information about system missing or other values that are declared missing. Codes that have a label implying that they are missing but that are not declared missing values are not reflected in this report. Data users should consult the codebook for more specific information about missing values. (3) Some variables that have 100% missing data may have been blanked by ICPSR to protect respondent confidentiality. Data users should consult the codebook for more specific information about blanked variables. (4) Data do not contain skip patterns or skip patterns are not reflected in the data as coded.

Table 1: Distribution of Variables by Percentage of Missing Values

Variable Name and Label (Total Cases = 2819)		Percent of Cases with Missing Values
25.0% (53 of 212 variables)	have 0% Missing Values	
2.4% (5 of 212 variables)	have 0% - 1% Missing Values	
0.9% (2 of 212 variables)	have 1% - 3% Missing Values	
0.0% (0 of 212 variables)	have 3% - 5% Missing Values	
0.5% (1 of 212 variables)	have 5% - 10% Missing Values	
ZIP	ZIP CODE + 4	9.2%
9.0% (19 of 212 variables)	have 10% - 20% Missing Values	
FAX	FAX NUMBER	16.7%
S1Q1	ADDRESS CORRECT	10.7%
S1Q2	PHYSICAL LAYOUT OF FACILITY	10.8%
S1Q3	OTHER BLDGS W/UNITS - BEDS	10.8%
S1Q4	ANY DETENTION OVERFLOW	10.8%
S1Q8B	NUMBER ASSIGNED FOR OFFENSE	12.3%
S1Q10A	ON SITE RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT	10.8%
S1Q11	PROVIDE FOSTER CARE	10.8%
S1Q12	PROVIDE INDEPENDENT LIVING	10.9%
S1Q14A	SEPARATE HOUSING UNITS	10.8%
S1Q15A	FACILITY OWNED BY:	10.4%
S1Q19A	ANY PERSONS LOCKED IN ROOMS	10.8%
S1Q21A	OUTSIDE DOORS LOCKED	10.8%
S1Q25	VOLUNTARY LARGE MUSCLE ACTIVITY	10.8%
S1Q26A	REQUIRED LARGE MUSCLE ACTIVITY	10.8%
S2Q1	UNAUTHORIZED DEPARTURES	11.3%
S2Q3	RESTRAINED WITH MECHANICAL DEVICE	11.0%
S2Q4	LOCKED MORE THAN 4 HRS ALONE	11.0%
S4Q1A	OTHER JUV FACILITIES IN SAME BLDG	10.6%
0.9% (2 of 212 variables)	have 20% - 40% Missing Values	
S1Q9B	NUMBER ASSIGNED FOR NON-OFFENSE	33.6%
S1Q21B_1	LOCKED - TO KEEP INTRUDERS OUT	27.0%
54.7% (116 of 212 variables)	have 40% - 99% Missing Values	

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PHONE_EXT	TELEPHONE EXTENSION	65.3%
S1Q10B_1	RT - MENTAL HEALTH	52.4%
S1Q10B_2	RT - SUBSTANCE ABUSE	63.5%
S1Q10B_3	RT - SEX OFFENDER	82.3%
S1Q10B_4	RT - TREATMENT ARSONISTS	95.8%
S1Q10B_5	RT - TREATMENT VIOLENT OFFENDERS	89.9%
S1Q10B_6	RT - OTHER	89.1%
S1Q13_1	FACILITY - DETENTION CENTER	74.0%
S1Q13_2	FACILITY - TRAINING SCHOOL	92.6%
S1Q13_3	FACILITY - RECEPTION/DIAGNOSTIC CENTER	97.6%
S1Q13_4	FACILITY - GROUP HOME/HALFWAY HOUSE	71.2%
S1Q13_5	FACILITY - BOOT CAMP	98.9%
S1Q13_6	FACILITY - RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CNTR	64.7%
S1Q13_7	FACILITY - RANCH, CAMP, ETC.	96.9%
S1Q13_8	FACILITY - RUNAWAY/HOMELESS SHELTER	95.8%
S1Q13_9	FACILITY - OTHER SHELTER	94.0%
S1Q13_10	FACILITY - OTHER	94.8%
S1Q14B_1	UNITS DIFFER - AVG LENGTH OF STAY	90.7%
S1Q14B_2	UNITS DIFFER - PHYSICAL SECURITY	86.6%
S1Q14B_3	UNITS DIFFER - # OF STAFF/PERSON	92.8%
S1Q14B_4	UNITS DIFFER - TYPE OF TRTMNT PRGRM	87.8%
S1Q14B_5	UNITS DIFFER - CHRCTRSTCS OF PRSNS	86.8%
S1Q14B_6	UNITS DIFFER - STAFF SELECTION	96.7%
S1Q14B_7	UNITS DIFFER - OTHER	98.0%
S1Q14C_1	UNITS DIFFER - 2+ TYPES OF CARE	86.8%
S1Q14C_2	UNITS DIFFER - SEPARATE UNITS	95.2%
S1Q14C_3	UNITS DIFFER - 2+ LEVELS OF SECURITY	90.0%
S1Q14C_4	UNITS DIFFER - OTHER REASON	94.8%
S1Q14D_1	UNITS DIFFER - SAME AGENCY	76.4%
S1Q14D_2	UNITS DIFFER - SAME MAILING ADDRESS	76.0%
S1Q14D_3	UNITS DIFFER - SAME ADMINISTRATORS	76.5%
S1Q14D_4	UNITS DIFFER - 1+ STAFF	79.5%
S1Q14D_5	UNITS DIFFER - 1+ SECURITY STAFF	85.3%
S1Q14D_6	UNITS DIFFER - SAME SCHOOL ROOMS	83.6%
S1Q14D_7	UNITS DIFFER - SAME DINING ROOM	88.6%
S1Q14D_8	UNITS DIFFER - SAME REC AREAS	88.4%
S1Q14D_9	UNITS DIFFER - SAME LAUNDRY	82.7%
S1Q14D10	UNITS DIFFER - NONE OF THE ABOVE	100.0%
S1Q16_1	FACILITY OWNED - TRIBAL	99.7%

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Variable Name and Label (Total Cases = 2819)		Percent of Cases with Missing Values
S1Q16_2	FACILITY OWNED - STATE	81.5%
S1Q16_3	FACILITY OWNED - COUNTY	76.7%
S1Q16_4	FACILITY OWNED - MUNICIPAL	98.9%
S1Q16_5	FACILITY OWNED - OTHER	99.2%
S1Q18_1	FACILITY OPERATED - TRIBAL	99.8%
S1Q18_2	FACILITY OPERATED - STATE	82.8%
S1Q18_3	FACILITY OPERATED - COUNTY	78.0%
S1Q18_4	FACILITY OPERATED - MUNICIPAL	99.1%
S1Q18_5	FACILITY OPERATED - OTHER	98.9%
S1Q19B_1	LOCKED UP - WHEN OUT OF CONTROL	75.7%
S1Q19B_2	LOCKED UP - WHEN SUICIDAL	92.2%
S1Q19B_3	LOCKED UP - RARELY	98.4%
S1Q19B_4	LOCKED UP - SHIFT CHANGES	84.4%
S1Q19B_5	LOCKED UP - IN SLEEPING ROOMS	80.8%
S1Q19B_6	LOCKED UP - AT NIGHT	73.1%
S1Q19B_7	LOCKED UP - PART OF EACH DAY	92.1%
S1Q19B_8	LOCKED UP - MOST OF EACH DAY	99.4%
S1Q19B_9	LOCKED UP - ALL OF EACH DAY	99.9%
S1Q19B10	LOCKED UP - OTHER	97.3%
S1Q20_1	CONFINED BY - DOORS SECURE ROOMS	70.2%
S1Q20_2	CONFINED BY - INTERNAL SECURITY	66.8%
S1Q20_3	CONFINED BY - OUTSIDE DOORS	62.0%
S1Q20_4	CONFINED BY - EX-GATES W/OUT RAZOR	82.5%
S1Q20_5	CONFINED BY - EX-GATES W/ RAZOR	82.3%
S1Q20_6	CONFINED BY - OTHER	98.1%
S1Q20_7	CONFINED BY - NONE OF THE ABOVE	55.8%
S1Q21B_2	LOCKED - TO KEEP PERSONS INSIDE FACILITY	61.2%
S1Q21C_1	LOCKED - RARELY	99.0%
S1Q21C_2	LOCKED - AT NIGHT	68.6%
S1Q21C_3	LOCKED - PART OF EACH DAY	95.6%
S1Q21C_4	LOCKED - MOST OF EACH DAY	93.3%
S1Q21C_5	LOCKED - ALL OF EACH DAY	50.9%
S1Q21C_6	LOCKED - WHEN FACILITY IS UNOCCUPIED	83.1%
S1Q21C_7	LOCKED - OTHER	98.7%
S1Q23B	NUM MAKESHIFT BEDS	92.6%
S1Q24_1	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM - ONE PER ROOM	44.3%
S1Q24_2	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM - TWO PER ROOM	52.2%
S1Q24_3	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM - THREE PER ROOM	86.8%
S1Q24_4	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM - FOUR PER ROOM	91.8%

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S1Q24_5	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM - BTWN 5 AND 10 PER ROOM	96.1%
S1Q24_6	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM - BTWN 11 AND 25 PER ROOM	94.8%
S1Q24_7	OCCUPANTS PER ROOM - MORE THAN 25 PER ROOM	98.2%
S1Q26B	REQUIRED LARGE MUSCLE ACTIVITY PER DAY	52.2%
S1Q26C	REQUIRED LARGE MUSCLE ACTIVITY - DAYS PER WEEK	52.2%
S2Q2B_1	HOSPITALIZED - SPORTS INJURY	87.6%
S2Q2B_2	HOSPITALIZED - WORK/CHORE INJURY	99.4%
S2Q2B_3	HOSPITALIZED - INJURY FIGHT	93.6%
S2Q2B_4	HOSPITALIZED - OTHER INJURIES	93.4%
S2Q2B_5	HOSPITALIZED - ILLNESS	88.9%
S2Q2B_6	HOSPITALIZED - PREGNANCY	98.6%
S2Q2B_7	HOSPITALIZED - LABOR & DELIVERY	99.5%
S2Q2B_8	HOSPITALIZED - SUICIDE ATTEMPT	97.7%
S2Q2B_9	HOSPITALIZED - NON EMERGENCY/NO PROFESS AVAIL	96.2%
S2Q2B_10	HOSPITALIZED - NON-EMERGENCY/NO DOCTOR	97.4%
S2Q2B_11	HOSPITALIZED - OTHER	92.4%
S3Q2	NUMBER OF PERSONS DIED	99.4%
S3Q3_1A	PERSON 1 - CAUSE OF DEATH	99.4%
S3Q3_1B	PERSON 1 - LOCATION OF DEATH	99.4%
S3Q3_1C	PERSON 1 - AGE AT DEATH	99.4%
S3Q3_1D	PERSON 1 - SEX	99.4%
S3Q3_1E	PERSON 1 - RACE	99.4%
S3Q3_1F	PERSON 1 - DATE OF ADMISSION	99.4%
S3Q3_1G	PERSON 1 - DATE OF DEATH	99.4%
S4Q1B	NUM OTHER JUV FACILITIES	83.5%
S4Q2_1	SHARE - SAME AGENCY	84.8%
S4Q2_2	SHARE - SAME MAILING ADDRESS	88.5%
S4Q2_3	SHARE - SAME ON SITE ADMINISTRATORS	88.9%
S4Q2_4	SHARE - 1+ STAFF CARING FOR YOUNG PERSONS	91.5%
S4Q2_5	SHARE - 1+ SECURITY STAFF	95.5%
S4Q2_6	SHARE - SAME SCHOOL ROOMS	94.3%
S4Q2_7	SHARE - SAME INFIRMARY	93.0%
S4Q2_8	SHARE - SAME FOOD SERVICES	87.9%
S4Q2_9	SHARE - SAME DINING ROOM	94.2%
S4Q2_10	SHARE - SAME LAUNDRY SERVICES	95.3%
S4Q2_11	SHARE - NONE	99.5%
DREFDATE	DIFFERENT REFERENCE DATE (MMDDYYYY)	88.4%
DIFFMO	DIFFERENT MONTH PERIOD (MMYYYY) S2Q2A/B	90.6%
6.6% (14 of 212 variables)	have 100% missing values	

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S3Q3_2A	PERSON 2 - CAUSE OF DEATH	100.0%
S3Q3_2B	PERSON 2 - LOCATION OF DEATH	100.0%
S3Q3_2C	PERSON 2 - AGE AT DEATH	100.0%
S3Q3_2D	PERSON 2 - SEX	100.0%
S3Q3_2E	PERSON 2 - RACE	100.0%
S3Q3_2F	PERSON 2 - DATE OF ADMISSION	100.0%
S3Q3_2G	PERSON 2 - DATE OF DEATH	100.0%
S3Q3_3A	PERSON 3 - CAUSE OF DEATH	100.0%
S3Q3_3B	PERSON 3 - LOCATION OF DEATH	100.0%
S3Q3_3C	PERSON 3 - AGE AT DEATH	100.0%
S3Q3_3D	PERSON 3 - SEX	100.0%
S3Q3_3E	PERSON 3 - RACE	100.0%
S3Q3_3F	PERSON 3 - DATE OF ADMISSION	100.0%
S3Q3_3G	PERSON 3 - DATE OF DEATH	100.0%