

Young People Managed in the Community Quarterly Statistics

March Quarter 2016



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Quarterly Statistics reports numbers of adults and young people who are in the care of the Department, either in custody or in the community, on a quarterly basis.

The statistics provided in this report are snapshot data current at midnight (12.00 am) on the last day of each quarter, comparison data for the same quarter of the previous year and the percentage increase or decrease on that data.

It also includes trend information for each quarter for the previous 5 years. A glossary of definitions is at the end of each report.

The statistics are accurate as at the time the data is extracted from the systems. The data systems are dynamic and are constantly being updated and data integrity improved. For this reason data may change slightly from month to month or quarter to quarter.

Young People Managed in the Community

The Department operates 35 youth justice offices in the community (8 in metropolitan area, 22 in regional areas and 5 in outreach locations).

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1 Number of young people managed in the community – summary table.

Table 1: Number of young people managed in the community as at 31 March 2016.

Young people managed in the community	31 March 2015	31 March 2016
Total number of young people	1,063	1,054
Gender		
Male	860	826
Female	201	228
Aboriginality		
Aboriginal	622	636
Non-Aboriginal	441	418
Order Category		
Bail Orders	60	54
Court Orders	551	517
Early Release Orders (Supervised Release Order)	57	61
Juvenile Justice Team	423	452

Source: WA Corrective Services TOMS data system

2 Number of young people managed in the community by gender¹

Table 2 shows the total number of young people managed in the community, by gender at the end of each quarter over 5 years.

Table 2: Number of young people managed in the community by gender 31 March 2011 to 31 March 2016.

Date	Male	Female	Total
31/03/2011	1,359	311	1,672
30/06/2011	1,281	300	1,582
30/09/2011	1,155	354	1,510
31/12/2011	1,090	321	1,412
31/03/2012	1,165	309	1,474
30/06/2012	1,126	310	1,438
30/09/2012	1,021	304	1,329
31/12/2012	952	248	1,203
31/03/2013	1,024	255	1,283
30/06/2013	1,010	273	1,285
30/09/2013	914	230	1,146
31/12/2013	842	214	1,058
31/03/2014	900	242	1,142
30/06/2014	938	211	1,150
30/09/2014	844	205	1,050
31/12/2014	757	207	965
31/03/2015	860	201	1,063
30/06/2015	860	212	1,073
30/09/2015	827	196	1,023
31/12/2015	776	199	975
31/03/2016	826	228	1,054

Source: WA Corrective Services TOMS data system

¹ Totals may not tally due to a small number of youth in Community Corrections where gender is not recorded.

3 Number of young people managed in the community by Aboriginality

Table 3 shows the total number of young people managed in the community by Aboriginality at the end of each quarter over 5 years.

Table 3: Number of young people managed in the community by Aboriginality, 31 March 2011 to 31 March 2016.

Date	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal ²	Total
31/03/2011	946	726	1,672
30/06/2011	890	692	1,582
30/09/2011	840	670	1,510
31/12/2011	812	600	1,412
31/03/2012	850	624	1,474
30/06/2012	867	571	1,438
30/09/2012	795	534	1,329
31/12/2012	704	499	1,203
31/03/2013	803	480	1,283
30/06/2013	792	493	1,285
30/09/2013	683	463	1,146
31/12/2013	641	417	1,058
31/03/2014	730	412	1,142
30/06/2014	727	423	1,150
30/09/2014	640	410	1,050
31/12/2014	581	384	965
31/03/2015	622	441	1,063
30/06/2015	642	431	1,073
30/09/2015	582	441	1,023
31/12/2015	581	394	975
31/03/2016	636	418	1,054

Source: WA Corrective Services TOMS data system

² Young people with an unknown Aboriginality status have been included under the Non-Aboriginal category.

4 Number of young people managed in the community by Aboriginality and gender³

Table 4 shows the total number of young people managed in the community, by Aboriginality and gender at the end of each quarter over 5 years.

Table 4: Number of young people managed in the community by Aboriginality by gender 31 March 2011 to 31 March 2016.

Date	Aboriginal		Non-Aboriginal	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
31/03/2011	748	196	611	115
30/06/2011	711	178	570	122
30/09/2011	639	200	516	154
31/12/2011	622	189	468	132
31/03/2012	647	203	518	106
30/06/2012	655	211	471	99
30/09/2012	595	198	426	106
31/12/2012	549	154	403	94
31/03/2013	627	174	397	81
30/06/2013	609	182	401	91
30/09/2013	543	139	371	91
31/12/2013	486	154	356	60
31/03/2014	565	165	335	77
30/06/2014	589	138	349	73
30/09/2014	517	122	327	83
31/12/2014	461	120	296	87
31/03/2015	498	122	362	79
30/06/2015	510	131	350	81
30/09/2015	467	115	360	81
31/12/2015	460	121	316	78
31/03/2016	501	135	325	93

Source: WA Corrective Services TOMS data system

³ Totals may not tally due to a small number of youth in Community Corrections where gender is not recorded.

5 Number of young people managed in the community - commencements and terminations by gender

Table 5 shows the total number of young people managed in the community - commencements and terminations by gender during each quarter over 5 years.

Table 5: Number of young people managed in the community commencements and terminations by gender from March 2011 to March 2016 quarters.⁴

Date	Community Corrections Youth Commencements			Community Corrections Youth Terminations		
	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female	Total
01/01/11 - 31/03/11	1,046	256	1,304	1,067	296	1,364
01/04/11 - 30/06/11	1,026	268	1,294	1,094	271	1,366
01/07/11 - 30/09/11	887	274	1,163	981	227	1,210
01/10/11 - 31/12/11	854	252	1,109	920	273	1,196
01/01/12 - 31/03/12	989	259	1,248	905	279	1,185
01/04/12 - 30/06/12	934	259	1,195	963	259	1,222
01/07/12 - 30/09/12	803	267	1,075	905	264	1,172
01/10/12 - 31/12/12	862	235	1,098	937	286	1,224
01/01/13 - 31/03/13	977	266	1,246	960	265	1,227
01/04/13 - 30/06/13	899	253	1,154	918	237	1,158
01/07/13 - 30/09/13	822	223	1,046	907	262	1,170
01/10/13 - 31/12/13	786	184	972	852	186	1,040
01/01/14 - 31/03/14	828	222	1,052	771	195	970
01/04/14 - 30/06/14	850	190	1,041	829	234	1,063
01/07/14 - 30/09/14	763	200	965	858	203	1,063
01/10/14 - 31/12/14	731	201	933	824	199	1,025
01/01/15 - 31/03/15	800	200	1,002	691	198	890
01/04/15 - 30/06/15	749	206	955	759	196	956
01/07/15 - 30/09/15	747	169	916	783	186	970
01/10/15 - 31/12/15	666	180	846	710	177	887
01/01/16 - 31/03/16	751	228	979	716	198	914

Source: WA Corrective Services TOMS data system

⁴ Totals may not tally as the gender of some youth offenders is not recorded on data systems.

6 Number of young people managed in the community - commencements and terminations by Aboriginality

Table 6 shows the total number of young people managed in the community - commencements and terminations by Aboriginality during each quarter over 5 years.

Table 6: Number of young people managed in the community commencements and terminations by Aboriginality from March 2011 to March 2016 quarters.⁵

Date	Community Corrections Youth Commencements			Community Corrections Youth Terminations		
	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total	Aboriginal	Non-Aboriginal	Total
01/01/11 - 31/03/11	680	624	1,304	691	673	1,364
01/04/11 - 30/06/11	676	618	1,294	724	642	1,366
01/07/11 - 30/09/11	571	592	1,163	597	613	1,210
01/10/11 - 31/12/11	581	528	1,109	607	589	1,196
01/01/12 - 31/03/12	688	560	1,248	644	541	1,185
01/04/12 - 30/06/12	679	516	1,195	640	582	1,222
01/07/12 - 30/09/12	570	505	1,075	630	542	1,172
01/10/12 - 31/12/12	604	494	1,098	690	534	1,224
01/01/13 - 31/03/13	743	503	1,246	686	541	1,227
01/04/13 - 30/06/13	668	486	1,154	678	480	1,158
01/07/13 - 30/09/13	570	476	1,046	666	504	1,170
01/10/13 - 31/12/13	530	442	972	566	474	1,040
01/01/14 - 31/03/14	650	402	1,052	561	409	970
01/04/14 - 30/06/14	600	441	1,041	619	444	1,063
01/07/14 - 30/09/14	526	439	965	615	448	1,063
01/10/14 - 31/12/14	531	402	933	598	427	1,025
01/01/15 - 31/03/15	579	423	1,002	520	370	890
01/04/15 - 30/06/15	541	414	955	526	430	956
01/07/15 - 30/09/15	482	434	916	533	437	970
01/10/15 - 31/12/15	454	392	846	450	437	887
01/01/16 - 31/03/16	562	417	979	507	407	914

Source: WA Corrective Services TOMS data system

⁵ Young people with an unknown Aboriginality status have been included under the Non-Aboriginal category.

7 Number of young people managed in the community by age

Table 7 shows the total number of young people managed in the community by age groups at the end of each quarter over 5 years.

Table 7: Number of young people managed in the community by age group 31 March 2011 to 31 March 2016.

Date	<13 years	13-14 years	15-17 years	18+ years
31/03/2011	119	335	1,045	173
30/06/2011	103	323	978	178
30/09/2011	90	292	949	179
31/12/2011	100	293	862	157
31/03/2012	127	291	893	163
30/06/2012	115	324	844	155
30/09/2012	79	282	801	167
31/12/2012	96	273	698	136
31/03/2013	116	293	746	128
30/06/2013	89	279	790	127
30/09/2013	72	237	721	116
31/12/2013	79	237	620	122
31/03/2014	95	274	662	111
30/06/2014	99	266	687	98
30/09/2014	76	256	633	85
31/12/2014	96	224	550	95
31/03/2015	83	233	632	115
30/06/2015	82	240	644	107
30/09/2015	78	240	618	87
31/12/2015	90	243	562	80
31/03/2016	91	260	615	88

Source: WA Corrective Services TOMS data system

8 Number of young people managed in the community by community order type⁶

Table 8 shows the number of young people managed in the community, by the type of community order to which they were sentenced at the end of each quarter over 5 years.

Table 8: Number of young people managed in the community by order type, 31 March 2011 to 31 March 2016.

Date	All Bail Orders	All Court Orders	All Early Release Orders	Juvenile Justice Team Referral
31/03/2011	100	776	87	767
30/06/2011	94	793	97	654
30/09/2011	77	750	96	649
31/12/2011	77	672	103	628
31/03/2012	74	668	97	706
30/06/2012	89	731	80	614
30/09/2012	93	686	95	514
31/12/2012	84	658	90	432
31/03/2013	97	684	65	484
30/06/2013	83	713	70	472
30/09/2013	74	659	77	385
31/12/2013	85	579	66	374
31/03/2014	77	621	60	431
30/06/2014	72	600	59	453
30/09/2014	67	553	55	407
31/12/2014	44	511	48	381
31/03/2015	60	551	57	423
30/06/2015	37	562	56	438
30/09/2015	68	537	62	393
31/12/2015	65	490	50	400
31/03/2016	54	517	61	452

Source: WA Corrective Services TOMS data system

⁶ Totals may not tally as a youth in Community Corrections may have multiple orders across different order categories. Metropolitan and Regional Youth Bail Orders are now both included under Bail orders. Juvenile Justice Team referrals may divert youth offenders from Community Corrections.

9 Definitions of terms

Term	Description
Aboriginal	Indigenous people of Australia.
Non-Aboriginal	An ethnicity other than Aboriginal.
Aboriginality	Persons who have identified themselves as being of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent.
Commencement	The term of a Community Based Order begins on the day the order is imposed as per the <i>Sentencing Act 1995</i> .
Community Based Order	An order issued by a Court of Law, or other authority, for the management of an offender or person on bail in the community. For example: Bail Orders, Community Based Orders, Intensive Supervision Orders, Work and Development Order and Early Release Orders (Parole).
Detainee	A young person who is being held in a youth detention centre as per the <i>Young Offenders Act 1994</i> .
Facility	A prison, work camp or youth detention centre.
Juvenile Justice Team Referral	Diversion of a young person from the court system to a Juvenile Justice Team.
Most serious offence	The most serious offence, out of a number of offences, for which a prisoner, offender or young person is being managed in the community or held in custody.
Offender managed in the community	Any person being managed by the Department under a community order who is not a prisoner or young person in detention.
Prisoner	An adult held in prison custody as per the <i>Prisons Act 1981</i> .
Reception	The receipt of a prisoner or detainee into custody.
Release	When a prisoner or young person is released from custody.
Security rating	The personal security categorisation of the prisoner or detainee either as maximum, medium or minimum security.
Sentenced	A person serving a sentence issued by a Court of Law.
Unsentenced	In relation to prisoners and detainees, is a person in custody who has not had a sentence issued by a Court of Law.
Sentenced Status	Whether a person is sentenced or unsentenced.
Snapshot Data	Data counted at a point in time.
Termination	When an offender completes a Community order or the order is cancelled or expires.

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