

Okaloosa County

Florida's 26th most populous county
with .9% of Florida's population

Crime	Okaloosa County	Florida
Crime rate (index crimes per 100,000 population)		
2019	2,230.6	2,551.1
2020	1,825.4	2,152.3
2020 rank in state	29	NA
% change from 2019 to 2020	-18.2%	-15.6%

Violent crimes		
2019	739	81,092
2020	660	82,941
County share of violent crimes	0.8%	NA

Violent crime rate (violent crimes per 100,000 population)		
2019	366.7	382.4
2020	323.6	384.1
2020 rank in state	31	NA
% change from 2019 to 2020	-11.8%	0.4%

Felony Filings

FY 2019-20 Total

Filings(defendants)

	Okaloosa County	Florida
Violent crimes	46	4,719
Other crimes against persons	545	31,585
Crimes against property	1,072	72,981
Drug Crimes	1,117	48,915

Change from prior FY

Violent crimes	4.5%	3.7%
Other crimes against persons	0.4%	0.0%
Crimes against property	-18.0%	-11.8%
Drug Crimes	-1.3%	-16.7%

Total charges FY 2019-20 6,051 345,611

Number of charges per defendant 2.2 2.2

Juvenile Delinquency

	Okaloosa County	Florida
FY 2019-20 juvenile delinquency complaints filed	735	38,331
Per 100,000 juveniles 10-17	3,637.0	1,947.1
Juveniles direct filed to adult court	0	1,031
County share of juveniles direct filed	0.0%	NA

New Commitments to Prison

	Okaloosa County	Florida
2019	443	27,242
2020	180	12,834
% change from 2019 to 2020	-59.4%	-52.9%
2020 rank in state	25	NA

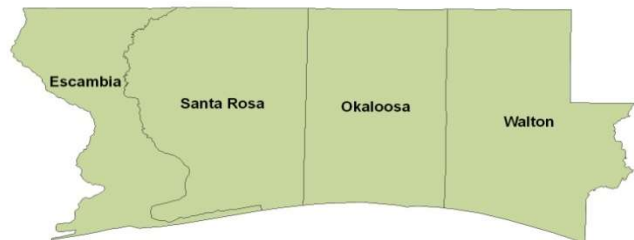
County share of new commitments	1.4%	NA
% of new commitments who are female	15.4%	14.6%

2020 New Commitments by Offense Category

	Okaloosa County	Florida
Murder/manslaughter	2	416
Sexual/lewd behavior	8	750
Robbery	3	654
Other violent	22	2,068
Burglary	24	1,741
Property theft/fraud	27	1,868
Drugs	48	3,119
Weapons	16	945
Other	30	1,274

Change in New Commitments from 2019

	Okaloosa County	Florida
Murder/manslaughter	-30.1%	-57.1%
Sexual/lewd behavior	-68.1%	-54.9%
Robbery	-81.5%	-57.0%
Other violent	-72.0%	-50.3%
Burglary	-46.4%	-54.2%
Property theft/fraud	-66.0%	-53.6%
Drugs	-59.4%	-52.6%
Weapons	-43.5%	-51.0%
Other	-38.5%	-50.7%



1st Judicial Circuit

Drug New Commitments

	Okaloosa County	Florida
Drug new commitments as % of all new commitments		
2019	26.6%	24.2%
2020	26.5%	24.3%
County share of all drug new commitments--2020	1.5%	NA
As percent of drug new commitments--2020		
Drug trafficking	14.0%	21.4%
Drug manufacture/sale/purchase	16.3%	37.6%
Drug possession/other	69.8%	41.0%

Sentence Length of New Commitments

	Okaloosa County	Florida
Average sentence length (months)		
2019	43.9	59.9
2020	43.1	55.7
2020 year-and-a-day new commitments	-	911
As percent of all new commitments	0.0%	7.1%
County share of all year-and-a-day new commitments	0.0%	NA

DOC Incarcerated Inmates by County of Commitment

	Okaloosa County	Florida
June 30, 2020	1,060	87,736
Incarceration rate (inmates per 100,000 county population)	519.7	406.3
County rank	30	NA

DOC Community Supervision

	Okaloosa County	Florida
FY 2019-20 admissions by county of conviction	1,375	62,690
County share of all supervision admissions	2.2%	NA
June 30, 2020 supervised population	2,616	153,542
County share of supervised population	1.7%	NA

Department of Corrections Facilities

	Okaloosa County	Florida
DOC facilities--6/30/20	2	145
DOC inmates--6/30/20	1,101	87,736
% of DOC inmates in county	1.3%	NA

County Detention Facilities

	Okaloosa County	Florida
Average daily population		
June 2020	534	48,012
County jail capacity		
June 2020	NA	NA
Occupancy rate	NA	NA

Registered Sex Offenders

	Okaloosa County	Florida
Offenders	313	27,397
Predators	33	4,241
Total	346	31,638
County share of registered sex offenders and predators	1.1%	NA
Registered sex offenders and predators per 100,000 population	169.6	146.5

County Demographics

	Okaloosa County	Florida
Official 4/1/20 Estimate of population	203,951	21,596,068
Population change 2010-20	23,129	2,794,736
% change from 2010 to 2020	12.8%	14.9%
Median age	38.8	41.8
Persons per square mile	219	403

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