



DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS 2022 Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) Annual Report

The Florida Department of Corrections (FDC) has a zero-tolerance policy regarding sexual abuse and sexual harassment. The Department is continuously improving operations to prevent, detect, and respond to sexual victimization. This annual report complies with 28 C.F.R. Part 115 Standard 115.87-89 for the agency.

In June 2022, the FDC completed year three in cycle three of the Department of Justice Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) audit cycle and accomplished a fourth year of full compliance for all facilities audited. Some of the audited facilities were identified as having exceeded requirements in the final audit report.

During the 2022 calendar year, FDC had 1,744 allegations meeting the definitions in standard 115.6 related to sexual abuse of the Prison Rape Elimination Act. These allegations were reported statewide and encompass 49 institutions, including their satellite facilities, seven privately operated facilities, and individuals under FDC supervision as a condition of their probation. All allegations were reported to the Office of the Inspector General (OIG). Below is a comparison table detailing the PREA allegations for the 2021 and 2022 calendar years.

Allegation type	Sustained	Not Sustained	Unfounded	Ongoing	Total
2021 Abusive Sexual Contact	0	141	12	31	184
2022 Abusive Sexual Contact	1	55	35	73	164
2021 Non-Consensual Sex Acts	1	215	46	146	408
2022 Non-Consensual Sex Acts	2	208	62	238	510
2021 Inmate-on-Inmate Sexual Harassment	0	174	18	6	198
2022 Inmate-on-Inmate Sexual Harassment	0	172	25	7	204
2021 Staff Sexual Misconduct	5	377	142	122	646
2022 Staff Sexual Misconduct	4	238	237	280	759
2021 Staff Sexual Harassment	0	82	23	8	113
2022 Staff Sexual Harassment	1	43	29	34	107
2021 Grand Total	6	989	241	313	1549
2022 Grand Total	8	716	388	632	1744


The Florida Department of Corrections is steadfast in its commitment to PREA compliance and continually seeks to optimize its sexual abuse prevention, detection, and response program. In 2022, the Department continued to educate staff and inmates on identifying reportable incidents under the definitions provided in 28 C.F.R. § 115. Volunteer, Contractor, and Intern training was added to the Department’s Volunteer portal and updated in early 2023. The Department continued to enhance the safety and security of its facilities

by installing additional video monitoring technology and making physical plant modifications throughout the year.

On July 1, 2022, the state budget approved by the Florida Legislature increased the starting pay for the Correctional Officer series and the Correctional Probation Officer series to **\$41,600**. The budget also included an across-the-board 5.38% pay raise for all staff. These increases, in conjunction with the Department's ongoing recruiting efforts, have moved the Department in a positive direction toward resolving its staffing shortages. Additionally, the Office of the Inspector General (OIG) received 22 new positions dedicated to PREA investigations.

The Department continues to provide PREA training to its staff, including advanced training for PREA Compliance Managers and PREA auxiliary staff. The Department also continues to explore options for placing additional PREA-related resources on inmate tablets.

The Department's ongoing efforts serve to reduce victimization by deterring abusive behavior and dealing with it appropriately and justly when it does occur. The Department continues to work toward reducing PREA incidents over time and fostering a safe environment for inmates and staff.



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Secretary of Corrections

6/28/23
Date

FDC 2022 Aggregated data by facility and type

Abusive Sexual Contact

Facility	Sustained	Not Sustained	Unfounded	Ongoing	Total
APALACHEE C.I.	0	3	1	6	10
AVON PARK C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
BAKER C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
BAY C.F.	0	0	0	2	2
BLACKWATER C.F.	0	4	0	0	4
CALHOUN C.I.	0	0	0	3	3
CENTURY C.I.	0	0	2	1	3
CENTRAL FL. RECPN. CTR	0	3	0	1	4
CHARLOTTE C.I.	0	0	0	3	3
COLUMBIA C.I.	0	3	2	2	7
CROSS CITY C.I.	0	2	1	1	4
DADE C.I.	0	2	0	9	11
DESOTO ANNEX	0	1	2	0	3
EVERGLADES C.I.	0	0	0	1	1
FL. WOMEN'S RECPN.CTR	0	0	0	2	2
FLORIDA STATE PRISON	0	0	0	0	0
FRANKLIN C.I.	0	3	0	0	3
GADSDEN C.F.	0	0	0	0	0
GADSDEN RE-ENTRY	0	0	0	0	0
GRACEVILLE C.F.	0	1	1	5	7
GULF C.I.	0	0	3	1	4
HAMILTON C.I.	0	4	3	1	8
HARDEE C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
HERNANDO C.I.	0	1	0	0	1
HOLMES C.I.	1	1	1	0	3
HOMESTEAD C.I.	0	1	0	1	2
JACKSON C.I.	0	1	1	0	2
JEFFERSON C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
LAKE C.I.	0	1	1	0	2
LAKE CITY CF	0	0	0	0	0
LANCASTER C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
LAWTEY C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
LIBERTY C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
LOWELL C.I.	0	5	4	4	13
MADISON CI	0	0	0	0	0
MARION C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
MARTIN C.I.	0	0	0	2	2
MAYO C.I. ANNEX	0	1	0	0	1
MOORE HAVEN C.F.	0	0	0	0	0
N.W. FL RECPN. CTR.	0	2	2	2	6
OKALOOSA C.I.	0	3	0	1	4
OKALOOSA C.I.	0	0	0	2	2
OKEECHOBEE C.I.	0	0	1	3	4
ORLANDO INTAKE	0	0	0	1	1
PENSACOLA C.R.C.	0	0	0	1	1
POLK C.I.	0	2	0	0	2
PUTNAM C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
RECEPTION AND MEDICAL CENTER	0	1	0	4	5

FDC 2022 Aggregated data by facility and type

Abusive Sexual Contact (continued)

Facility	Sustained	Not Sustained	Unfounded	Ongoing	Total
SANTA ROSA C.I.	0	2	2	5	9
SOUTH BAY C.F.	0	1	0	1	2
S. FL. RECPN. CTR.	0	0	0	1	1
SUMTER C.I.	0	0	1	0	1
SUWANNEE C.I.	0	1	0	2	3
TAYLOR C.I.	0	1	1	0	2
TOMOKA C.I.	0	2	0	0	2
UNION C.I.	0	1	1	2	4
WAKULLA C.I.	0	3	1	2	6
WALTON C.I.	0	0	2	2	4
ZEPHYRHILLS C.I.	0	2	1	0	3
Grand Total	1	55	35	73	164

Non-Consensual Sex Acts

Facility	Sustained	Not Sustained	Unfounded	Ongoing	Total
APALACHEE C.I.	0	15	2	11	28
AVON PARK C.I.	0	1	0	3	4
BAKER C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
BAY C.F.	0	4	1	0	5
BLACKWATER C.F.	0	6	5	11	22
CALHOUN C.I.	0	5	0	5	10
CENTURY C.I.	0	6	2	2	10
CENTRAL FL. RECPN. CTR	0	4	1	4	9
CHARLOTTE C.I.	0	5	2	7	14
COLUMBIA C.I.	0	13	3	11	27
CROSS CITY C.I.	0	4	0	2	6
DADE C.I.	0	0	0	22	22
DESOTO ANNEX	0	3	2	1	6
EVERGLADES C.I.	0	0	0	3	3
FL. WOMEN'S RECPN.CTR	0	1	1	3	5
FLORIDA STATE PRISON	0	0	0	3	3
FRANKLIN C.I.	0	10	0	0	10
GADSDEN C.F.	0	0	0	0	0
GADSDEN RE-ENTRY	0	0	0	1	1
GRACEVILLE C.F.	0	10	1	13	24
GULF C.I.	0	7	1	8	16
HAMILTON C.I.	0	9	5	5	19
HARDEE C.I.	0	3	1	8	12
HERNANDO C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
HOLMES C.I.	0	4	0	2	6
HOMESTEAD C.I.	0	0	0	3	3
JACKSON C.I.	0	1	1	3	5
JEFFERSON C.I.	1	0	0	0	1
LAKE C.I.	0	2	1	3	6
LAKE CITY CF	0	0	0	0	0
LANCASTER C.I.	0	1	1	4	6
LAWTEY C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
LIBERTY C.I.	0	6	0	1	7

FDC 2022 Aggregated data by facility and type

Non-Consensual Sex Acts (continued)

Facility	Sustained	Not Sustained	Unfounded	Ongoing	Total
LOWELL C.I.	0	7	3	5	15
MADISON CI	0	1	0	0	1
MARION C.I.	0	5	0	1	6
MARTIN C.I.	0	7	4	23	34
MAYO C.I. ANNEX	0	2	2	0	4
MOORE HAVEN C.F.	0	1	0	1	2
N.W. FL RECPN. CTR.	0	10	1	11	22
OKALOOSA C.I.	0	1	0	8	9
OKEECHOBEE C.I.	0	2	1	8	11
POLK C.I.	0	0	0	2	2
PUTNAM C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
RECEPTION AND MEDICAL CENTER	0	4	1	7	12
SANTA ROSA C.I.	0	12	3	6	21
SOUTH BAY C.F.	0	2	0	3	5
S. FL. RECPN. CTR.	0	0	0	4	4
SUMTER C.I.	0	2	0	0	2
SUWANNEE C.I.	0	6	3	2	11
TAYLOR C.I.	0	1	1	3	5
TOMOKA C.I.	0	1	1	0	2
UNION C.I.	0	0	1	4	5
WAKULLA C.I.	1	12	8	5	26
WALTON C.I.	0	11	3	6	20
ZEPHYRHILLS C.I.	0	1	0	0	1
Grand Total	2	208	62	238	510

Inmate-on-Inmate Sexual Harassment

Facility	Sustained	Not Sustained	Unfounded	Ongoing	Total
APALACHEE C.I.	0	2	1	1	4
AVON PARK C.I.	0	0	0	1	1
BAKER C.I.	0	1	1	0	2
BAY C.F.	0	0	0	0	0
BAYSHORE GARDENS	0	1	0	0	1
BLACKWATER C.F.	0	2	0	1	3
CALHOUN C.I.	0	2	0	0	2
CENTURY C.I.	0	1	2	0	3
CENTRAL FL. RECPN. CTR	0	3	0	0	3
CHARLOTTE C.I.	0	0	3	0	3
COLUMBIA C.I.	0	15	0	1	16
CROSS CITY C.I.	0	1	0	0	1
DADE C.I.	0	13	0	0	13
DESOTO ANNEX	0	0	0	0	0
EVERGLADES C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
FL. WOMEN'S RECPN.CTR	0	5	0	0	5
FLORIDA STATE PRISON	0	3	2	0	5
FRANKLIN C.I.	0	8	0	0	8
GADSDEN C.F.	0	1	0	0	1
GADSDEN RE-ENTRY	0	0	0	0	0
GRACEVILLE C.F.	0	3	0	0	3

FDC 2022 Aggregated data by facility and type

Inmate-on-Inmate Sexual Harassment (continued)

Facility	Sustained	Not Sustained	Unfounded	Ongoing	Total
GULF C.I.	0	1	0	0	1
HAMILTON C.I.	0	4	0	0	4
HARDEE C.I.	0	5	2	0	7
HERNANDO C.I.	0	2	0	0	2
HOLMES C.I.	0	0	1	0	1
HOMESTEAD C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
JACKSON C.I.	0	1	0	0	1
JEFFERSON C.I.	0	1	0	0	1
LAKE C.I.	0	15	1	0	16
LAKE CITY CF	0	0	0	0	0
LANCASTER C.I.	0	1	0	1	2
LAWTEY C.I.	0	2	0	1	3
LIBERTY C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
LOWELL C.I.	0	10	1	0	11
MADISON CI	0	0	0	0	0
MARION C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
MARTIN C.I.	0	7	1	0	8
MAYO C.I. ANNEX	0	0	0	0	0
MOORE HAVEN C.F.	0	1	0	0	1
N.W. FL RECPN. CTR.	0	6	0	0	6
OKALOOSA C.I.	0	3	1	0	4
OKEECHOBEE C.I.	0	5	0	0	5
POLK C.I.	0	0	2	0	2
PUTNAM C.I.	0	1	0	0	1
RECEPTION AND MEDICAL CENTER	0	3	0	0	3
SANTA ROSA C.I.	0	12	0	1	13
SOUTH BAY C.F.	0	0	0	0	0
S. FL. RECPN. CTR.	0	0	0	0	0
SUMTER C.I.	0	2	4	0	6
SUWANNEE C.I.	0	4	1	0	5
TAYLOR C.I.	0	1	0	0	1
TOMOKA C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
UNION C.I.	0	4	0	0	4
WAKULLA C.I.	0	15	0	0	15
WALTON C.I.	0	3	1	0	4
ZEPHYRHILLS C.I.	0	2	1	0	3
Grand Total	0	172	25	7	204

Staff Sexual Misconduct

Facility	Sustained	Not Sustained	Unfounded	Ongoing	Total
APALACHEE C.I.	0	5	1	8	14
AVON PARK C.I.	0	2	0	0	2
BAKER C.I.	0	0	0	1	1
BAY C.F.	0	0	1	0	1
BLACKWATER C.F.	0	2	3	0	5
CALHOUN C.I.	0	2	1	2	5
CENTURY C.I.	0	3	5	2	10
CENTRAL FL. RECPN. CTR	0	6	3	0	9

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Staff Sexual Misconduct (continued)

Facility	Sustained	Not Sustained	Unfounded	Ongoing	Total
CHARLOTTE C.I.	0	10	9	13	32
COLUMBIA C.I.	0	4	5	7	16
CROSS CITY C.I.	0	3	8	7	18
DADE C.I.	0	3	2	11	16
DESOTO ANNEX	0	2	1	4	7
EVERGLADES C.I.	0	0	1	2	3
FL. WOMEN'S RECPN.CTR	0	16	7	5	28
FLORIDA STATE PRISON	0	14	11	51	76
FRANKLIN C.I.	0	2	0	2	4
GADSDEN C.F.	0	5	3	3	11
GADSDEN RE-ENTRY	0	1	1	0	2
GRACEVILLE C.F.	0	4	1	1	6
GULF C.I.	0	2	3	1	6
HAMILTON C.I.	0	5	4	4	13
HARDEE C.I.	0	4	6	7	17
HERNANDO C.I.	0	1	0	4	5
HOLMES C.I.	1	0	5	0	6
HOMESTEAD C.I.	0	0	0	5	5
JACKSON C.I.	1	3	6	3	13
JAX METRO P&P	0	0	1	0	1
JEFFERSON C.I.	0	1	1	2	4
LAKE C.I.	0	7	6	4	17
LAKE CITY CF	0	0	1	2	3
LAKE CITY MAIN P&P	0	0	0	1	1
LANCASTER C.I.	0	2	2	1	5
LAWTEY C.I.	0	0	3	1	4
LIBERTY C.I.	0	3	0	1	4
LOWELL C.I.	0	22	18	14	54
MADISON CI	0	0	0	0	0
MARION C.I.	0	4	1	1	6
MARTIN C.I.	0	1	2	7	10
MAYO C.I. ANNEX	0	5	5	0	10
MOORE HAVEN C.F.	0	0	0	1	1
N.W. FL RECPN. CTR.	0	5	3	3	11
OKALOOSA C.I.	0	1	8	5	14
OKEECHOBEE C.I.	0	2	4	5	11
OLD TOWN P&P	0	0	0	2	2
POLK C.I.	1	4	4	3	12
PUTNAM C.I.	0	1	0	2	3
RECEPTION AND MEDICAL CENTER	0	3	4	8	15
SANTA ROSA C.I.	0	28	49	20	97
SOUTH BAY C.F.	0	1	2	3	6
S. FL. RECPN. CTR.	0	0	0	4	4
SUMTER C.I.	0	2	0	3	5
SUWANNEE C.I.	1	9	4	11	25
TALLAHASSEE CIRCUIT P&P	0	0	0	1	1
TAYLOR C.I.	0	6	3	2	11
TOMOKA C.I.	0	2	2	1	5

FDC 2022 Aggregated data by facility and type

Staff Sexual Misconduct (continued)

Facility	Sustained	Not Sustained	Unfounded	Ongoing	Total
UNION C.I.	0	18	8	14	40
WAKULLA C.I.	0	7	9	8	24
WALTON C.I.	0	4	8	6	18
ZEPHYRHILLS C.I.	0	1	2	1	4
Grand Total	4	238	237	280	759

Staff-on-Inmate Sexual Harassment

Facility	Sustained	Not Sustained	Unfounded	Ongoing	Total
APALACHEE C.I.	0	0	0	1	1
AVON PARK C.I.	0	0	0	1	1
BAKER C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
BAY C.F.	0	0	0	0	0
BLACKWATER C.F.	0	0	0	1	1
CALHOUN C.I.	0	0	1	0	1
CENTURY C.I.	0	1	0	0	1
CENTRAL FL. RECPN. CTR	0	0	0	0	0
CHARLOTTE C.I.	0	1	5	1	7
COLUMBIA C.I.	0	1	2	0	3
CROSS CITY C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
DADE C.I.	0	1	1	2	4
DESOTO ANNEX	0	1	0	0	1
EVERGLADES C.I.	0	0	0	1	1
FL. WOMEN'S RECPN.CTR	0	1	0	0	1
FLORIDA STATE PRISON	0	14	1	2	17
FRANKLIN C.I.	0	0	0	1	1
GADSDEN C.F.	0	0	0	0	0
GADSDEN RE-ENTRY	0	0	0	0	0
GRACEVILLE C.F.	0	0	1	0	1
GULF C.I.	0	0	0	1	1
HAMILTON C.I.	0	0	1	1	2
HARDEE C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
HERNANDO C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
HOLMES C.I.	0	1	1	0	2
HOMESTEAD C.I.	0	1	0	0	1
JACKSON C.I.	0	1	0	0	1
JEFFERSON C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
LAKE C.I.	0	3	2	4	9
LAKE CITY CF	0	0	0	1	1
LANCASTER C.I.	0	1	1	0	2
LAWTEY C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
LIBERTY C.I.	0	0	1	0	1
LOWELL C.I.	0	2	0	1	3
MADISON CI	0	0	0	0	0
MARION C.I.	1	0	0	0	1
MARTIN C.I.	0	0	1	2	3
MAYO C.I. ANNEX	0	0	0	0	0
MOORE HAVEN C.F.	0	0	0	0	0
N.W. FL RECPN. CTR.	0	0	2	1	3

FDC 2022 Aggregated data by facility and type

Staff-on-Inmate Sexual Harassment (continued)

Facility	Sustained	Not Sustained	Unfounded	Ongoing	Total
OKALOOSA C.I.	0	1	0	1	2
OKEECHOBEE C.I.	0	0	2	2	4
POLK C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
PUTNAM C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
RECEPTION AND MEDICAL CENTER	0	0	1	0	1
SANTA ROSA C.I.	0	6	4	1	11
SOUTH BAY C.F.	0	0	0	0	0
S. FL. RECPN. CTR.	0	0	0	0	0
SUMTER C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
SUWANNEE C.I.	0	1	0	3	4
TAYLOR C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
TOMOKA C.I.	0	0	0	0	0
UNION C.I.	0	2	0	4	6
WAKULLA C.I.	0	1	0	2	3
WALTON C.I.	0	2	2	0	4
ZEPHYRHILLS C.I.	0	1	0	0	1
Grand Total	1	43	29	34	107