

COUNTRY LEVEL COMMUNITY CORRECTIONS DATA SUMMARY

Administrative Overview

Country	Turks and Caicos
Responsible Ministry	Ministry of Public Safety and Utilities
Agency	Department of Rehabilitation and Community Supervision ¹
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Agency Information

Staff Composition	Probation Officers: 4, Probation Manager:1, Director:1
Officer Demographics	Mean Age: 31.2 (Range: 25-44), Race: Black Caribbean / Afro-Caribbean, Sex: 4 Females, 1 Male, Education: Bachelor's degrees in Psychology, Criminology, or Social Work
Caseloads	Mean Caseload: 7.75 (Range: 4-11 clients per officer), Geographic Assignment: Providenciales: 4 officers, Grand Turk: 1 officer

Community Corrections Population

Total Active Clients	31
Community corrections rate (offenders per 100,000 of national population)	Estimated rate = ~80.5 per 100,000 ²
Types of Supervision	Pre-release: 6.5%, Post-release: Data not available, Court-Ordered: (assumed) 100%
Geographic Distribution	Providenciales: 67.7%, Grand Turk: 32.3%

Client Demographics

Gender	Males: 64.5%, Females: 35.5%
Juveniles/Youth	16.1%
Age (in years)	Mean: 27.1 (Range: 14-59)
Race	Black Caribbean/ Afro-Caribbean
Marital Status	Single: 77.4%, Married: 16.1%, Separated: 6.5%

Education	Less than High School: 41.9%, High School Diploma: 45.2%, Some College: 12.9%
Employment	Full-time: 58.1%, Unemployed: 25.8%, Student: 16.1%
Housing	Housed: 96.8%, Unhoused: 3.2%
Mental Health Diagnoses	6.5%
Substance Use Disorders	54.8%
Prior Criminal History	19.4%
Sanctions and Supervision Types	
Sanctions Available	Probation, Parole, Community Service, Alternative Sentencing, Pre-sentence Supervision, Pretrial Electronic Monitoring (Planned 2025), Drug Testing, CHANGES Program, Case Management & Reintegration, Halfway House & Juvenile Rehab (Planned 2026-2027)
Screening, Assessment, and Case Planning	
Risk Screening/Assessment	Not yet implemented
Case Plans	75 case plans (2020-2022) ³
Re-entry Plans	None
Supervision and Services	
Average Sentence Length	12 months (range: 12-36 months) ⁴
Time Served on Parole	3 months
Electronic Monitoring	GPS monitoring has not been implemented as of 2024.
Treatment (number of community-based treatment referrals made)	3 referrals were made to the Department of Behavioral Health for inpatient treatment. ⁵
Community Service (number of community service placements)	12
Drug Testing (number of clients required to drug test)	17
Program Outcomes	
Completion Status	Successful: 7, Unsuccessful: 4, Active: 31
Re-offending	21 re-offenders (2020-2023, all misdemeanors)
Data Not Available	Violations, Sanctions, Re-arrests, Reconvictions by offense level

¹ Established in 2023, operates separately from the Department of Correctional Services (custodial).

² Assuming national population ~38,500 in 2024. Rate = $(31 \div 38,500) \times 100,000$

³ Case Plans were initially being developed in 2020-2022. During this period, there were about 75 case plans developed. However, with the change in staff and the requisite training needing to occur, they have not been enforcing this.

⁴ The Alternative Sentencing Ordinance allows the court to impose a sentence between 12 months- 36 months.

⁵ These referrals were unsuccessful due to funding difficulties.