

Colusa County



Incarceration at a glance

Of all counties in California in 2021, Colusa County has the **highest** arrest rate, **third highest** per capita spending on jails and detention, **highest** arrest rate of Black people, and **third highest** arrest rate of Latinx people.

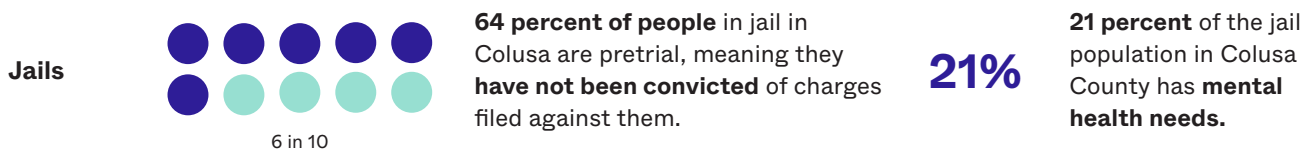
Colusa County has:

- 1 county jail
- 0 state prisons
- 0 juvenile facilities

On an average day in 2021, there were 54 people in county jails and 60 people from Colusa County in the state prison system.

In 2021, law enforcement agencies made 1,188 arrests and 1,277 county jail admissions, and courts sentenced 28 people to state prison.

Looking across the system



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Colusa County general fund spending, fiscal year 2021

Criminal Legal System	17.8M
Other Protection	4.6M
General Government	4.4M
Education Recreation & Cultural Services	1.6M
Public Assistance	158.5K
Health	0
Capital Expenditures	0
Public Ways and Facilities	0
Sanitation	0

In 2021, Colusa County used 62% of its total general fund spending on the criminal legal system. That's \$17.8 million that could have been spent on the things proven to make communities safer: good schools, jobs, housing, and health care.

Within criminal legal system spending

- 40%** goes to law enforcement (Sheriff)
- 43%** goes to detention and probation
- 17%** goes to judicial expenses