# **Siskiyou County**



### Incarceration at a glance

Of all counties in California in 2021, Siskiyou County has the **fourth highest** arrest rate and **eighth highest** proportion of its residents in California state prisons.

## Siskiyou County has:

- 1 county jail
- O state prisons
- juvenile facilities

On an average day in 2021, there were 78 people in county jails and 182 people from Siskiyou County in the state prison system.

In 2021, law enforcement agencies made 1,851 arrests and 1,768 county jail admissions, and courts sentenced 33 people to state prison.

### Looking across the system

Arrests



**70** percent of all arrests in Siskiyou County in 2021 were for misdemeanors.

1.7x

On any given day in 2021, the Black arrest rate was 1.7 times the arrest rate of white people.

Jails



nearly 10 in 10

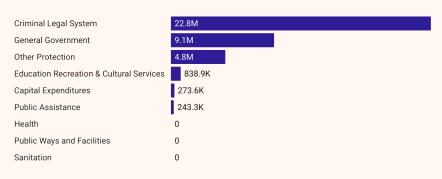
**99** percent of people in jail in Siskiyou are pretrial, meaning they have not been convicted of charges filed against them.

66%

**66 percent** of the jail population in Siskiyou County has **mental health needs.** 

#### **FOLLOW THE MONEY**

#### Siskiyou County general fund spending, fiscal year 2021



In 2021, Siskiyou County used 60% of its total general fund spending on the criminal legal system. That's \$22.8 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

11% goes to law

enforcement (Sheriff)

goes to detention and probation

**27%** <sup>2</sup> e

goes to judicial expenses

