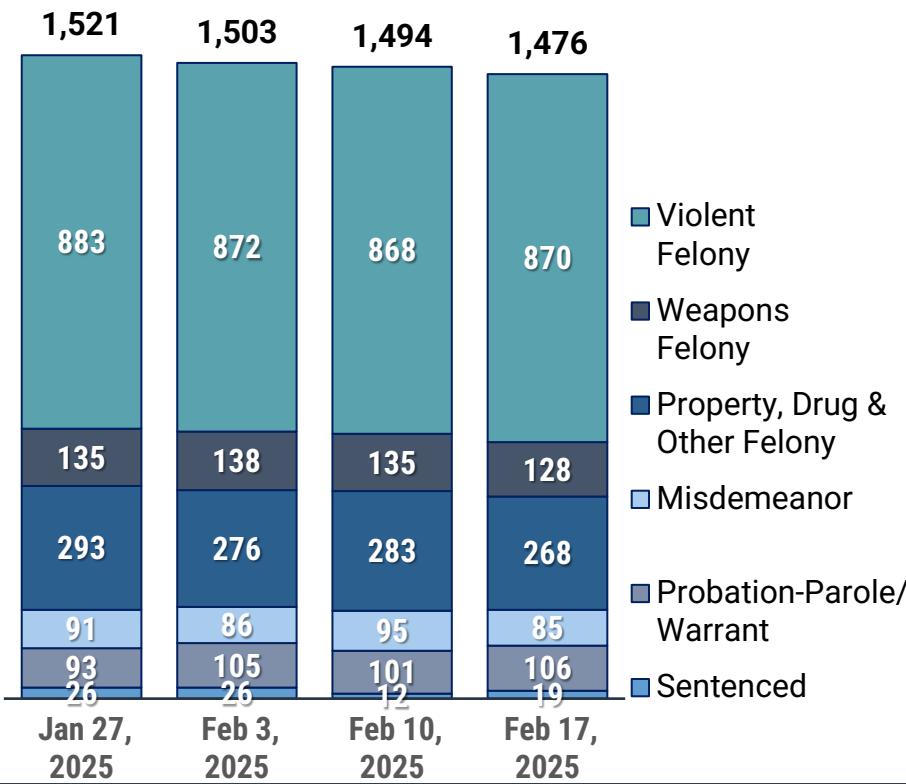




OPSO INMATE POPULATION SNAPSHOT

FEBRUARY 17, 2025

Inmates in Orleans Parish Sheriff's Office Custody – Four Week Trend



There were 18 fewer inmates in custody on February 17, 2025 compared to the prior week as the population went down for the third week in a row. The 1,476 inmates are the fewest since mid-September 2024.

The biggest declines were 15 fewer inmates held for property, drug, and other felonies and 10 fewer inmates held for misdemeanors.

Inmates had been in custody an average of 8.7 months and averaged 35 years of age.

There were 19 inmates who were 17 years of age that included 16 males and 3 females.

The three 17-year-old females were all arrested since the beginning of February and had been in custody an average of 4 days. Their most serious charges were aggravated battery, domestic abuse battery, and simple battery.

The sixteen 17-year males had been in custody an average of 4.8 months and the most serious pending charges holding them in custody included 6 for 2nd degree murder, 2 for attempted murder, 4 for robbery, 2 for burglary, 1 for a felony firearms violations, and 1 with a court detainer.

Two-thirds (68%) were held for either violent felony (59%) or weapons felony (8%) charges.

The 236 inmates held for murder had been in custody an average of 663 days or almost 22 months, the longest time for any open charge.

Generally, the OPSO has limited ability to reduce the inmate population. Aside from the time it takes to process inmates cleared for release, inmates are held in custody while awaiting screening decisions from prosecutors or for their charges to be resolved under a judge's case management.

Methodology: The MCC received a list of OPSO inmates and charges that were filed against them. Inmates were categorized by the most serious actively pending charge holding them in custody.

Orleans Parish Sheriff's Office Inmate Population Snapshot February 17, 2025

| Most Serious Charge | Number of Inmates | Percent of Inmates | Average Days in Custody | Total Days in Custody |
|---|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| Violent Felony | 870 | 59% | 365 | 317,466 |
| Homicide | 236 | 16% | 663 | 156,466 |
| Attempted Murder | 77 | 5% | 397 | 30,567 |
| Rape/Sex Crime | 68 | 5% | 504 | 34,248 |
| Robbery | 155 | 11% | 250 | 38,738 |
| Domestic Violence | 142 | 10% | 156 | 22,137 |
| Felony Battery/Assault | 140 | 9% | 238 | 23,386 |
| Other (e.g., Kidnapping, Home Invasion) | 52 | 4% | 229 | 11,924 |
| Weapons Felony | 128 | 9% | 150 | 19,148 |
| Property Felony | 173 | 12% | 99 | 17,153 |
| Drug Felony | 39 | 3% | 114 | 4,450 |
| Other Felony (e.g., Cruelty to a Juvenile, Obscenity) | 56 | 4% | 197 | 11,033 |
| Total Felony | 1,266 | 86% | 292 | 369,250 |
| Misdemeanor | 85 | 6% | 51 | 4,300 |
| Probation-Parole Hold/Warrant | 106 | 7% | 117 | 12,367 |
| Sentenced | 19 | 1% | 270 | 5,134 |
| Total | 1,476 | 100% | 265 | 391,051 |