

# Des Moines County Select Juvenile Justice System Planning Data

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## DES MOINES COUNTY – SELECT JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM PLANNING DATA

This report provides key juvenile justice system planning data. Some of these data are similar to those provided in the [Executive Summary of Iowa's 2018 Disproportionate Minority Contact \(DMC\) Compliance Plan](#)<sup>1</sup>. The data and related descriptions are provided to assist state and local officials with policy and practice decisions. Included in the report are population, school enrollment, select Juvenile Court Services (JCS), detention hold information, and Disproportionate Minority Contact (DMC) matrices.

### 1. Population Data

Below are population data from the National Center for Juvenile Justice<sup>2</sup> (NCJJ) included to provide an overall perspective of the youth population in Des Moines County. The NCJJ population data are for a juvenile population (ages 10 through 17) in Des Moines County for calendar years 2012 through 2016. For analysis purposes, Hispanic youth are categorized by race, unless otherwise denoted. Also included are school enrollment data for the Burlington Community School District, grades six through twelve, provided by the Iowa Department of Education (DE).

#### Juvenile Population Data

**Juvenile Population of Des Moines County  
Ages 10-17  
By Race and Gender**

	2012		2013		2014		2015		2016		2012 – 2016 % Change	
	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M
<b>White</b>	1,696	1,742	1,690	1,717	1,651	1,707	1,639	1,657	1,636	1,643	-3.5%	-5.7%
<b>African-American</b>	219	235	226	247	238	241	250	241	231	247	5.5%	5.1%
<b>Hispanic</b>	90	121	100	130	109	129	107	136	100	118	11.1%	-2.5%
<b>Asian</b>	20	24	19	26	25	26	25	25	22	28	10.0%	16.7%
<b>Native American</b>	5	5	10	9	9	11	12	10	12	6	140.0%	20.0%
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,030</b>	<b>2,127</b>	<b>2,045</b>	<b>2,129</b>	<b>2,032</b>	<b>2,114</b>	<b>2,033</b>	<b>2,069</b>	<b>2,001</b>	<b>2,042</b>	<b>-1.4%</b>	<b>-4.0%</b>

Source: National Center for Juvenile Justice<sup>2</sup>

#### Remarks for Juvenile Population:

- The juvenile population in Des Moines County decreased 1.4% for female youth, and 4.0% for male youth.
- The only population reductions were for White youth and Hispanic males.

<sup>1</sup> Data provided in this report are largely restricted to youth age 10-17, thus, the numbers herein, which include all youth, may not match

<sup>2</sup> [National Center for Juvenile Justice](#)

**Burlington Community School District Enrollment by Race  
Grades 6-12**

	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2013-2017 % Change
<b>White</b>	1,614	1,588	1,516	1,480	1,401	-13.2%
<b>African-American</b>	302	304	293	303	290	-4.0%
<b>Hispanic</b>	112	129	113	120	120	7.1%
<b>Asian/Pacific Islander</b>	18	14	13	11	14	-22.2%
<b>Native American</b>	5	7	7	4	5	NA
<b>Multi-Racial</b>	112	111	122	124	139	24.1%
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,163</b>	<b>2,153</b>	<b>2,064</b>	<b>2,042</b>	<b>1,969</b>	<b>-9.0%</b>

Source: Iowa Department of Education

**Remarks for School Enrollment:**

- Enrollment for Multi-Racial youth increased by 24.1%.
- Enrollment for all youth in the Burlington Community School District decreased 9.0%.

## 2. School Discipline Data

A variety of research connects youth involvement in the school discipline process with involvement in the juvenile justice system. It is noteworthy that a number of state and local juvenile justice system planning efforts in Iowa utilize school discipline data. Provided below are Burlington Community School District removal data (in-and-out-of-school suspensions) from the DE. These are incident, not youth-based data.

**In-School and Out-of-School Suspensions  
Grades 6-12**

	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2012-2017 % Change
<b>White</b>	542	668	366	485	171	-68.5%
<b>African-American</b>	420	604	223	250	152	-63.8%
<b>Hispanic</b>	43	46	18	39	21	-51.2%
<b>Other Youth of Color</b>	55	160	94	105	28	-49.1%
<b>Female</b>	292	481	240	297	140	-52.1%
<b>Male</b>	768	997	461	582	232	-69.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,060</b>	<b>1,478</b>	<b>701</b>	<b>879</b>	<b>372</b>	<b>-64.9%</b>

Source: Iowa Department of Education

Note: "Other Youth of Color" includes Asian/Pacific Islander, Native American and Other/Multi-Racial

**Remarks for Suspensions:**

- Suspensions decreased approximately 65%.
- African-American youth averaged 37% of the total suspensions.

**Top 5 Reasons<sup>+</sup> for In-School and Out-of-School Suspensions  
Grades 6-12**

	<b>2015-16</b>	<b>2016-17</b>
<b>Disruption</b>	85	122
<b>Defiance-Noncompliance</b>	197	103
<b>Abusive/Inappropriate Language</b>	85	73
<b>Physical Aggression Without Injury</b>	95	*
<b>Physical Fighting Without Injury</b>	NA	*
<b>Total</b>	<b>462</b>	<b>372</b>

Source: Iowa Department of Education

+Top 5 Suspension Reasons changed statewide from the 2014-15 to 2015-16 school year, therefore a comparison across years could not be made

(\*) denotes numbers too small for meaningful analysis, but are included in the overall total

**Remarks for Top 5 Suspension Reasons:**

- Suspensions for disruption and defiance-noncompliance comprised 32.8% and 27.7%, respectively, of the top 5 suspensions.

**Top 5 Reasons\* for In-School and Out-of-School Suspensions by Race and Gender  
Grades 6-12**

		2015-16	2016-17
<b>White</b>	<b>Disruption</b>	41	70
	<b>Defiance-Noncompliance</b>	99	46
	<b>Abusive/Inappropriate Language</b>	45	32
	<b>Physical Aggression Without Injury</b>	48	*
	<b>Physical Fighting Without Injury</b>	NA	*
	<b>Total</b>	<b>233</b>	<b>148</b>
<b>African-American</b>	<b>Defiance-Noncompliance</b>	55	42
	<b>Disruption</b>	28	39
	<b>Abusive/Inappropriate Language</b>	32	33
	<b>Physical Aggression Without Injury</b>	29	*
	<b>Physical Fighting Without Injury</b>	NA	*
	<b>Total</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>114</b>
<b>Other Youth Of Color</b>	<b>Defiance-Noncompliance</b>	40	*
	<b>Disruption</b>	11	*
	<b>Physical Aggression Without Injury</b>	*	*
	<b>Abusive/Inappropriate Language</b>	*	*
	<b>Physical Fighting Without Injury</b>	NA	NA
	<b>Total</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>NA</b>
<b>Female</b>	<b>Physical Aggression Without Injury</b>	36	45
	<b>Defiance-Noncompliance</b>	62	40
	<b>Abusive/Inappropriate Language</b>	27	28
	<b>Disruption</b>	24	*
	<b>Physical Fighting Without Injury</b>	NA	*
	<b>Total</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>113</b>
<b>Male</b>	<b>Disruption</b>	61	96
	<b>Defiance-Noncompliance</b>	135	63
	<b>Abusive/Inappropriate Language</b>	58	45
	<b>Physical Aggression Without Injury</b>	59	*
	<b>Physical Fighting Without Injury</b>	NA	*
	<b>Total</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>204</b>

Source: Iowa Department of Education

+Top 5 Suspension Reasons changed statewide from the 2014-15 to 2015-16 school year, therefore a comparison across years could not be made

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Hispanic Top 5 Suspension Reasons are excluded due to low numbers

Note: "Other Youth of Color" includes Asian/Pacific Islander, Native American and Other/Multi-Racial; total numbers may not match the previous Top 5 Suspension table due to the way the data was provided

**Remarks for Top 5 Suspension Reasons:**

- Suspensions for disruption increased for White and African-American youth by 29 and 11, respectively.
- Female youth were suspended for physical aggression without injury 4.5 times more than male youth during the 2016-17 school year.

### 3. Juvenile Court Services Data

#### Complaint Data

Complaints are law violations that law enforcement refers to JCS. A single complaint may include multiple allegations. The figure immediately below provides data regarding complaints for calendar years 2013-2017. The remaining figures in the complaint section contain data on allegations.

#### Complaints by Race and Gender

	2013		2014		2015		2016		2017		2013-2017 % Change	
	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M
<b>White</b>	97	197	69	150	107	146	57	136	94	130	-3.1%	-34.0%
<b>African-American</b>	64	142	82	128	61	87	56	77	63	67	-1.6%	-52.8%
<b>Total</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>350</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>284</b>	<b>169</b>	<b>239</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>216</b>	<b>163</b>	<b>200</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>-42.9%</b>

Source: Justice Data Warehouse, January 2018

Hispanic, Asian and Native American are excluded due to low numbers, but are included in the overall total

#### Remarks for Complaints:

- African-American youth averaged roughly 40% of the complaints.
- Complaints remained stable for female youth, and decreased 43% for male youth.
- Complaints declined by approximately 29%.

#### Top 5 Allegations – JCS

##### White

		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>714.2(5)</b>	<b>Theft 5th Degree</b>	71	34	71	40	44
<b>723.4(1)</b>	<b>Disorderly Conduct - Fighting or Violent Behavior</b>	71	32	22	21	24
<b>708.2(6)</b>	<b>Assault</b>	26	39	36	26	34
<b>124.401(5)</b>	<b>Possession of a Controlled Substance</b>	14	15	11	14	28
<b>124.414</b>	<b>Possession of Drug Paraphernalia</b>	14	*	*	*	23

Source: Justice Data Warehouse, January 2018

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##### African-American

		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>723.4(1)</b>	<b>Disorderly Conduct-Fighting or Violent Behavior</b>	101	36	34	39	30
<b>708.2(6)</b>	<b>Assault</b>	27	31	25	22	37
<b>714.2(5)</b>	<b>Theft 5th Degree</b>	28	40	27	18	21
<b>708.2(2)</b>	<b>Assault Causing Bodily Injury or Mental Illness</b>	16	*	*	11	*
<b>719.1(1)(b)^</b>	<b>Interference with Official Acts</b>	NA^	*	13	*	*

Source: Justice Data Warehouse, January 2018

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(^) 719.1(1)(b) was enacted in July 2014

#### Remarks for Top 5 Allegations-Race:

- Both African-American and White youth had theft-5<sup>th</sup>, disorderly conduct, and assault as top 5 allegations.
- All top 5 allegations were misdemeanors for both White and African-American youth.

## Top 5 Allegations – JCS (Cont.)

### Female

		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>723.4(1)</b>	<b>Disorderly Conduct - Fighting or Violent Behavior</b>	62	36	37	22	33
<b>714.2(5)</b>	<b>Theft 5th Degree</b>	40	36	46	31	22
<b>708.2(6)</b>	<b>Assault</b>	16	24	31	19	46
<b>124.401(5)</b>	<b>Possession of a Controlled Substance</b>	*	*	*	*	13
<b>708.2(2)</b>	<b>Assault Causing Bodily Injury or Mental Illness</b>	*	*	*	*	*

Source: Justice Data Warehouse, January 2018

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### Male

		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>723.4(1)</b>	<b>Disorderly Conduct - Fighting or Violent Behavior</b>	117	32	20	38	23
<b>714.2(5)</b>	<b>Theft 5th Degree</b>	61	39	53	27	43
<b>708.2(6)</b>	<b>Assault</b>	37	47	31	31	26
<b>124.401(5)</b>	<b>Possession of a Controlled Substance</b>	11	17	*	14	25
<b>716.6(2)</b>	<b>Criminal Mischief 5th Degree</b>	18	19	12	17	*

Source: Justice Data Warehouse, January 2018

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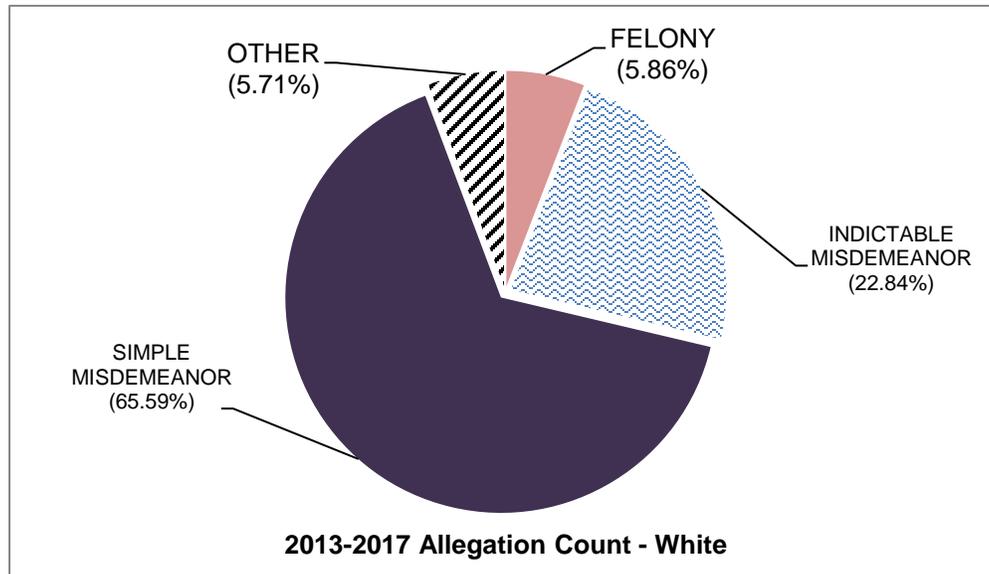
### **Remarks for Top 5 Allegations-Gender:**

- Allegations for disorderly conduct decreased 46.8% for female youth and 80.3% for male youth.

## Allegations by Race and Offense Level

### White

	2013	%	2014	%	2015	%	2016	%	2017	%
<b>Felony</b>	16	4.8%	19	--	25	8.7%	*	--	13	4.8%
<b>Indictable Misdemeanor</b>	68	20.4%	61	--	51	17.8%	57	--	75	27.8%
<b>Simple Misdemeanor</b>	226	67.7%	168	--	194	67.6%	149	--	159	58.9%
<b>Other</b>	24	7.2%	*	--	17	5.9%	*	--	23	8.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>**</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>221</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>--</b>



Source: Justice Data Warehouse, January 2018

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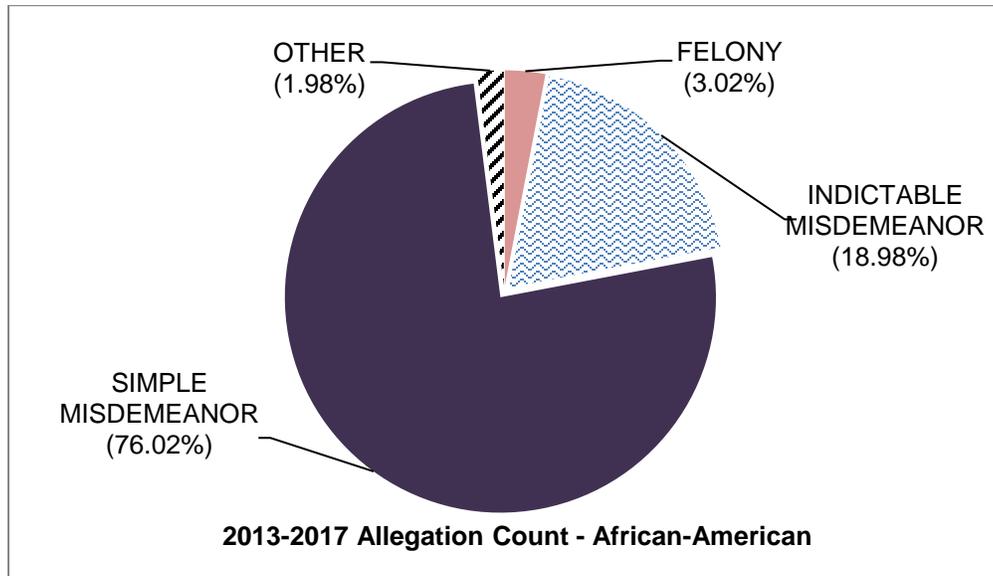
### **Remarks for Offense Level-White:**

- All allegations for White youth decreased over the report years, except for indictable misdemeanors.
- Simple misdemeanors decreased 29.6%, yet comprised nearly 66% of the overall allegations.
- More than 88% of allegations were misdemeanors.

**Allegations by Race and Offense Level (Cont.)**

**African-American**

	2013	%	2014	%	2015	%	2016	%	2017	%
<b>Indictable Misdemeanor</b>	31	13.6%	55	22.4%	30	18.1%	37	22.6%	29	18.7%
<b>Simple Misdemeanor</b>	191	83.8%	179	72.8%	130	78.3%	118	72.0%	111	71.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>228</b>	--	<b>246</b>	--	<b>166</b>	--	<b>164</b>	--	<b>155</b>	--



Source: Justice Data Warehouse, January 2018  
 Felony and "Other" offenses are excluded due to low numbers, but are included in the overall total

**Remarks for Offense Level-African-American:**

- More than 95% of allegations were misdemeanors.
- Allegations for simple misdemeanors decreased nearly 42%.
- 76.0% of allegations for African-American youth were simple misdemeanors, compared to White youth at 65.6%.

## Diversions Data

In 2017, approximately 75% of statewide complaints for youth referred to JCS were diverted. Informal adjustments are the diversion activity most uniformly being reported by JCS staff. Other diversion activities that are included in diversion counts include: *hold for further review, refer to other agency, dismissed, etc.* Youth participating in diversion are not engaged in formal system processing.

### Diversions

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2013-2017 % Change
<b>White</b>	132	149	214	182	148	12.1%
<b>African-American</b>	93	130	116	85	90	-3.2%
<b>Female</b>	85	103	139	109	112	31.8%
<b>Male</b>	147	182	198	161	136	-7.5%
<b>Total</b>	<b>232</b>	<b>285</b>	<b>337</b>	<b>270</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>6.9%</b>

Source: Justice Data Warehouse, June 2018

Hispanic, Asian, Native American, and Other/Multi-Racial are excluded due to low numbers, but are included in the overall total

### Remarks for Diversions:

- Diversions increased for 12.1% for White youth, and decreased 3.2% for African-American youth.
- African-American youth averaged 37% of diversions.
- Diversions for male youth decreased 7.5%, while diversions for female youth increased 31.8%.

## Petition Data

The filing of a petition represents a request for formal court proceedings. Juvenile delinquency petitions are filed by the county attorney, often at the request of the juvenile court officer.

### Petitions Filed

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>White</b>	24	36	58	51	86
<b>African-American</b>	16	40	28	47	40
<b>Female</b>	*	28	37	28	51
<b>Male</b>	35	49	50	72	78
<b>Total</b>	**	<b>77</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>129</b>

Source: Justice Data Warehouse, June 2018

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### Remarks for Petitions Filed:

- Petitions increased for all race and gender groups.

#### 4. Juvenile Detention Hold Data

Youth who commit *any delinquent act* can be held in juvenile detention facilities. There are 10 such facilities in Iowa. Juvenile detention facilities are locked residential settings for youth under the jurisdiction of the juvenile court while awaiting a court hearing or disposition. Holds are typically pre-dispositional in nature; however, the juvenile court can also dispose delinquent youth with probation violations to juvenile detention facilities for 48 hours. The data provided below are for all detention holds from Des Moines County, regardless of the facility. A hold is identified as a youth held and released during the report period. Some youth have multiple holds during a given report year.

**Detention Holds**

	2013	%	2014	%	2015	%	2016	%	2017	%	2013-2017 % Change
<b>White</b>	52	65.8%	53	64.6%	52	70.3%	33	62.3%	37	62.7%	-28.8%
<b>African-American</b>	23	29.1%	28	34.1%	22	29.7%	19	35.8%	18	30.5%	-21.7%
<b>Female</b>	16	20.3%	24	29.3%	22	29.7%	15	28.3%	26	44.1%	62.5%
<b>Male</b>	63	79.7%	58	70.7%	52	70.3%	38	71.7%	33	55.9%	-47.6%
<b>Total</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>-25.3%</b>

Source: Justice Data Warehouse, January 2018

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Note: Excludes Holds for Adult Court Waivers and Out-of-State and Federal Holds

#### Remarks for Detention Holds:

- Detention holds increased for female youth, yet decreased for all other race and gender groups.
- African-American youth comprised approximately 32% of the detention holds.

**Detention Holds – Average Daily Population**

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>White</b>	1.3	2.0	1.3	1.0	1.4
<b>African-American</b>	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.6	1.0
<b>Female</b>	0.5	1.5	0.7	0.6	1.4
<b>Male</b>	1.5	1.1	1.3	0.9	1.2
<b>Total-All Youth<sup>^</sup></b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>2.7</b>	<b>2.0</b>	<b>1.5</b>	<b>2.6</b>

Source: Justice Data Warehouse, January 2018

(<sup>^</sup>) May not sum to total due to rounding

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Note: Excludes Holds for Adult Court Waivers and Out-of-State and Federal Holds

**Detention Holds – Average Length of Stay (in Days)**

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>White</b>	9.0	13.8	8.9	10.6	13.8
<b>African-American</b>	10.1	8.6	12.7	11.2	19.3
<b>Hispanic</b>	17.5	4.0	0.0	0.0	36.0
<b>Female</b>	11.6	23.3	11.4	15.4	19.7
<b>Male</b>	8.8	7.2	9.4	8.8	13.8

Source: Justice Data Warehouse, January 2018

Other/Multi-Racial are excluded due to low numbers

Note: Excludes Holds for Adult Court Waivers and Out-of-State and Federal Holds

**NOTE: No remarks are provided as numbers are too low for meaningful analysis.**

### Detention Holds by Race and Offense Level

		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>Felony</b>	<b>White</b>	20	11	12	*	*
	<b>African-American</b>	*	11	*	*	*
<b>Indictable Misdemeanor</b>	<b>White</b>	16	31	20	16	17
	<b>African-American</b>	16	12	11	*	*
<b>Simple Misdemeanor</b>	<b>White</b>	16	11	19	*	14
	<b>African-American</b>	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Total-All Youth</b>		<b>79</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>59</b>

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### Detention Holds by Gender and Offense Level

		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>Felony</b>	<b>Female</b>	*	*	*	*	*
	<b>Male</b>	19	20	11	*	*
<b>Indictable Misdemeanor</b>	<b>Female</b>	*	17	12	*	11
	<b>Male</b>	31	27	19	17	18
<b>Simple Misdemeanor</b>	<b>Female</b>	*	*	*	*	14
	<b>Male</b>	12	11	21	12	*
<b>Total-All Youth</b>		<b>79</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>59</b>

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### Detention Holds by Race and Hold Reason

		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>New Offense</b>	<b>White</b>	26	17	15	*	*
	<b>African-American</b>	*	15	*	*	*
<b>New Offense - While On Probation</b>	<b>White</b>	*	*	12	12	13
	<b>African-American</b>	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Technical Violator/Other<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>White</b>	18	32	25	16	15
	<b>African-American</b>	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Total-All Youth</b>		<b>79</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>59</b>

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### Detention Holds by Gender and Hold Reason

		2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
<b>New Offense</b>	<b>Female</b>	*	*	*	*	*
	<b>Male</b>	30	22	19	*	*
<b>New Offense - While On Probation</b>	<b>Female</b>	*	*	*	*	*
	<b>Male</b>	13	*	*	16	12
<b>Technical Violator/Other<sup>3</sup></b>	<b>Female</b>	*	13	*	*	11
	<b>Male</b>	20	29	23	12	15
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(\*) denotes numbers too small for meaningful analysis, but are included in the overall total

Note: Excludes Holds for Adult Court Waivers and Out-of-State and Federal Holds

**NOTE: No remarks are provided as numbers are too low for meaningful analysis.**

<sup>3</sup> The categorization of technical violator and "other" hold reasons were not well defined until approximately 2014; therefore the categories were combined in order to make a five year comparison.

## 5. DMC Matrices—CY2017<sup>4</sup>

The Disproportionate Minority Contact (DMC) matrices are the tool selected by the federal Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention for states to identify if minority overrepresentation exists. Overrepresentation is calculated through utilization of a Relative Rate Index (RRI). The RRI method involves comparing the relative volume (rate) of activity for each major stage of the juvenile justice system for minority youth with the volume of that activity for White (majority) youth. The RRI provides a single index number that indicates the extent to which the volume of that form of contact or activity differs for minority youth and White youth. **In its base form, the RRI is simply the rate of activity involving minority youth divided by the rate of activity involving majority youth.**

An example is provided regarding Des Moines County's CY2017 juvenile detention RRI's. *A relative rate index of 0.9 is obtained for juvenile detention holds of African-American youth.* Thus, African-American's juvenile detention rate is 0.9 times higher than White youth.

RRI Formula	Rate of Occurrence for African-American Youth	divided by	Rate of Occurrence for White Youth	Relative Rate Index
Example	14.3/1,000 detention holds	divided by	16.7/1,000 detention holds	0.86 RRI

A summary page of the CY2017 DMC matrices is also provided.

AREA REPORTED		Data Entry Section								
State: Iowa		Reporting Period :					January	2017		
County: Des Moines							December	2017		
	Total Youth	White	Black or African-American	Hispanic or Latino	Asian	Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islanders	American Indian or Alaska Native	Other/ Mixed	All Minorities	
1. Population at risk (age 10 through 17 )	4,043	3,279	478	218	50	0	18	0	764	
2. Juvenile Arrests	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	
3. Refer to Juvenile Court	357	222	126	8	0	0	1	0	135	
4. Cases Diverted	242	146	87	8	0	0	1	0	96	
5. Cases Involving Secure Detention	59	37	18	3	0	0	0	1	22	
6. Cases Petitioned (Charge Filed)	124	84	37	3	0	0	0	0	40	
7. Cases Resulting in Delinquent Findings	39	21	17	1	0	0	0	0	18	
8. Cases Resulting in Probation Placement	40	24	16	0	0	0	0	0	16	
9. Cases Resulting in Confinement in Secure Juvenile Correctional Facilities	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
10. Cases Transferred to Adult Court	12	7	5	0	0	0	0	0	5	
<b>Meets 1% rule for group to be assessed?</b>		<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>		
<i>release date: March, 2011</i>										
5. DATA SOURCES & NOTES										
Item 1 Population: NCJRS Census Update	CY:	2016					Item 2 Arrests:	CY:	NA	
Item 3 Referral: JDW	CY:	2017					Item 4 Diversions: JDW	CY:	2017	
Item 5 Detention: JDW	CY:	2017					Item 6 Petitioned: JDW	CY:	2017	
Item 7 Delinquent: JDW	CY:	2017					Item 8 Probations: JDW	CY:	2017	
Item 9 Confinement: JDW	CY:	2017					Item 10 Transferred: JDW	CY:	2017	

Source: Justice Data Warehouse, January 2018

<sup>4</sup> CY2017=January 1, 2017 to December 31, 2017

**DMC Matrices—CY2017  
Summary Page**

Relative Rate Index Compared with :	White							
	White	Black or African-American	Hispanic or Latino	Asian	Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islanders	American Indian or Alaska Native	Other/ Mixed	All Minorities
2. Juvenile Arrests	--	--	--	--	*	*	*	--
3. Refer to Juvenile Court	--	--	--	--	*	*	*	--
4. Cases Diverted	1.00	1.05	**	**	*	*	*	1.08
5. Cases Involving Secure Detention	1.00	0.86	**	**	*	*	*	0.98
6. Cases Petitioned	1.00	0.78	**	**	*	*	*	0.78
7. Cases Resulting in Delinquent Findings	1.00	<b>1.84</b>	**	**	*	*	*	<b>1.80</b>
8. Cases Resulting in Probation Placement	**	**	**	**	*	*	*	**
9. Cases Resulting in Confinement in Secure Juvenile Correctional Facilities	**	**	**	**	*	*	*	**
10. Cases Transferred to Adult Court	1.00	**	**	**	*	*	*	**
Group meets 1% threshold?	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	<b>No</b>	

Key:

Statistically significant results:

Results that are not statistically significant

Group is less than 1% of the youth population

Insufficient number of cases for analysis

Missing data for some element of calculation

Source: Justice Data Warehouse, January 2018

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