Data

• The goal, as part of this grant, is for Buncombe County to reduce the jail population by 15 percent (not including contracted beds).

• Baseline Population: 385 (November 1, 2017-April 30, 2018)
• Goal Population: 327 (15 percent or 58 beds)
• Historical Population: 383 (Quarter 1 2018)
• Current Population: 433 (Quarter 1 2019)
• Snapshot of Jail Population with contracted beds: 558 (last day of Quarter 1 2019)
• Snapshot of Jail Population without contracted beds: 459 (last day of Quarter 1 2019)
Safety + Justice Challenge Strategies in Buncombe County

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- 31 beds
- 10 beds
- 5 beds
- 12 beds

4 of the 7 strategies have performance metrics tied to bed days.

The sum of beds in these 4 strategies equals 58 beds.

This translates to 15% of the jail population* (excluding contracted beds).

*excluding contracted beds
Deflection at Arrest & Booking

The data in this strategy will look at the number & percentage of the following performance metrics – both overall and comparing salient racial/ethnic groups

Bail Bond  Risk Assessment  Pretrial Supervision  Releases

2  3  4  5

14 performance metrics will be tracked for this strategy
Deflection at Arrest & Booking

The data in this strategy will look at the number & percentage of the following performance metrics – both overall and comparing salient racial/ethnic groups

- **Bail Bond**
  - Disparity ratios for initial bond outcomes
  - Average and median original secured bond amount set
  - Supervisees detained on bail/bond through entire case pendency

- **Risk Assessment**
  - Defendants screened with Public Safety Assessment (PSA)
  - Low/moderate risk level defendants booked into the jail by release type
  - Release decisions that match pretrial recommendations/risk level

- **Pretrial Supervision**
  - Individuals released on pretrial supervision
  - Individuals released on pretrial supervision at first appearance
  - Supervisees who appear to all scheduled court appearances
  - Supervisees who remain arrest-free during case pendency

- **Releases**
  - Non-financial releases
  - Criminal summons issued
  - Individuals released at first appearance
  - Average and median length of stay
  - Overall number of bookings (processed only and number & percent held)
Diversion to Behavioral Health and Substance Abuse Treatment

The data in this strategy will look at the number & percentage of the following performance metrics – both overall and comparing salient racial/ethnic groups.

- **Public Nuisance**: 2
- **Familiar Faces**: 3
- **BH & SA Access**: 5

10 performance metrics will be tracked for this strategy.
Diversion to Behavioral Health and Substance Abuse Treatment

The data in this strategy will look at the number & percentage of the following performance metrics – both overall and comparing salient racial/ethnic groups.

**Public Nuisance**
- Public nuisance cases booked into the jail
- Average length of stay in jail for public nuisance cases

**Familiar Faces**
- Familiar face case plans created by Familiar Face Taskforce
- Familiar faces who are screened for behavioral health and substance abuse needs
- Familiar faces who are booked into the jail

**BH & SA Access**
- Law enforcement calls received by mobile crisis (in lieu of BHUC)
- Law enforcement drop offs at BH Urgent Care
- Drop offs made successfully (defined as LE able to make handoff and leave)
- Drop offs attempted (by reason not accepted)
Enhancing Pretrial Services

The data in this strategy will look at the number & percentage of the following performance metrics – both overall and comparing salient racial/ethnic groups

1. Pretrial Screenings
2. Pretrial Releases
3. Pretrial Referrals
4. Supervisee Compliance

10 performance metrics will be tracked for this strategy
Enhancing Pretrial Services

The data in this strategy will look at the number & percentage of the following performance metrics – both overall and comparing salient racial/ethnic groups:

**Pretrial Screenings**
- Individuals screened by pretrial before first appearance

**Pretrial Releases**
- Individuals released on pretrial supervision
- Individuals released on pretrial supervision at first appearance

**Pretrial Referrals**
- Individuals referred for pretrial supervision
- Average and median days between booking and referral to Pretrial Services
- Individuals referred to pretrial supervision, but never released from custody

**Supervisee Compliance**
- Supervisees who appear to all scheduled court appearances
- Supervisees who are booked into the jail for a technical violation
- Supervisees who remain arrest-free during case pendency
- Supervisees who are booked into the jail for a new arrest
Increasing Efficiencies in Case Processing

The data in this strategy will look at the number & percentage of the following performance metrics – both overall and comparing salient racial/ethnic groups

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19 performance metrics will be tracked for this strategy
Increasing Efficiencies in Case Processing

The data in this strategy will look at the number & percentage of the following performance metrics – both overall and comparing salient racial/ethnic groups

**Court Reminders**
- Individuals that opted into court reminder system
- Court reminder notifications issued

**Failure to Appear**
- Individuals booked into the jail due to FTA
- Average length of stay for individuals booked into the jail due to FTA

**Civil Non-Support**
- Individuals booked into the jail due to civil non-support cases
- Average length of stay for individuals booked into the jail due civil non-support cases

**Criminal Case to Disposition**
- Average and median days from criminal case filing to disposition for all cases
- Average and median days from criminal case filing to disposition for felony non-violent cases
- Average and median days from criminal case filing to disposition for probation violation cases
Increasing Efficiencies in Case Processing

The data in this strategy will look at the number & percentage of the following performance metrics – both overall and comparing salient racial/ethnic groups.

**Case Processing**
- Cases processed by ADA and PD positions
- Cases resolved by ADA and PD positions in 30 days, 60 days, 90 days, 6 month intervals

**Bed Days**
- Total bed days used for pretrial defendants
- Total bed days used for FTA bookings
- Total bed days used for non-support bookings

**Bail Bond Review**
- Individuals identified as needing a bail/bond review
- Individuals reviewed that bail/bond lowered or eliminated
- Individuals that have a bail/bond review
- Individuals that are released as a result of review
- Days between identification of those eligible for bail/bond review and bail/bond review hearing