

## Adult Arrest Data Source Notes

The attached arrest data is derived from the Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) Computerized Criminal History (CCH) system. CCH contains adult arrests for offenses where fingerprints are required to be taken (Criminal Procedure Law 160.10). For calendar years up to and including 2016, state law defined an adult as anyone age 16 or older. State law also permits 13 to 15 year olds to be treated as adults if they are accused of certain serious crimes. These Juvenile Offender (JO) arrests are also included here.

Demographic characteristics including sex, race/ethnicity and age are recorded by police at the time of arrest as part of the fingerprint transaction. For race/ethnicity, five categories are displayed: White, Black, Hispanic, Asian, and Other. All arrestees of Hispanic ethnicity, regardless of race, are included in the Hispanic category. The White, Black, Asian, and Other categories include only persons of non-Hispanic origin. Arrests by age categories are based on the arrested individual's age at the time the crime was committed.

Arrests are displayed by the county/region where the arrest took place. If a police agency arrests an individual outside of the county where the agency is located, that arrest is included in the statistics for the county where the arrest occurred.

Arrest charges are categorized by the most serious charge reported at the time of arrest. For example, if an individual was charged with a felony and a misdemeanor in connection with the same crime, that arrest is counted once and categorized as a felony. Arrests in these tables are shown using the following categories:

- **Felony:** Offenses for which a sentence of imprisonment of more than one year may be imposed (NYS Penal Law Article 10.05).
- **Misdemeanor:** Offenses, other than traffic infractions, for which a sentence of imprisonment of more than 15 days but no more than one year can be imposed (NYS Penal Law Article 10.04).
- **Drug:** All offenses listed under Penal Law Articles 220 (controlled substances) and 221 (marijuana).
- **Violent Felony:** All offenses listed under Penal Law Article 70.02 and the Class A felonies of murder, arson, kidnapping and predatory sexual assault.
- **Driving While Intoxicated (DWI):** All offenses listed under Vehicle and Traffic Law Section 1192.
- **Property:** All misdemeanor offenses listed under Penal Law Articles 140, 145, 150, 155, and 165.
- **Other:** Any offense not specified above.

**Herkimer County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2016**

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	1,099	814	284	1
Felony Total	239	180	59	0
Drug	15	11	4	0
Violent	34	28	6	0
DWI	37	27	10	0
Other	153	114	39	0
Misdemeanor Total	860	634	225	1
Drug	58	39	19	0
DWI	155	118	37	0
Property	339	239	99	1
Other	308	238	70	0

**Herkimer County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2016**

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	1,099	939	110	38	6	6
Felony Total	239	206	25	3	2	3
Drug	15	12	3	0	0	0
Violent	34	32	2	0	0	0
DWI	37	34	3	0	0	0
Other	153	128	17	3	2	3
Misdemeanor Total	860	733	85	35	4	3
Drug	58	54	1	2	1	0
DWI	155	134	13	8	0	0
Property	339	294	28	15	1	1
Other	308	251	43	10	2	2

**Herkimer County Adult Arrests by Age at Crime: 2016**

	Total Arrests	13-15 JO only	16-17*	18-20	21-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55+
Total Arrests	1,099	2	48	139	180	198	190	115	60	50	50	67
Felony Total	239	2	6	21	24	53	57	30	13	7	10	16
Drug	15	0	0	0	0	6	6	1	0	0	0	2
Violent	34	2	4	3	6	7	5	3	1	1	1	1
DWI	37	0	0	0	2	9	12	8	3	0	2	1
Other	153	0	2	18	16	31	34	18	9	6	7	12
Misdemeanor Total	860	0	42	118	156	145	133	85	47	43	40	51
Drug	58	0	0	5	13	11	14	8	1	2	2	2
DWI	155	0	0	11	34	27	16	11	12	12	9	23
Property	339	0	28	55	59	57	53	29	18	13	16	11
Other	308	0	14	47	50	50	50	37	16	16	13	15

Source: DCJS, Computerized Criminal History system (as of 04/20/2018).