

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). Up until October 1, 2018, state law defined an adult as anyone age 16 or older. Arrests for misdemeanors committed by 16 year olds between October 1 and December 31, 2018 are not included as these arrests are no longer fingerprinted due to Raise the Age legislation. 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.

Orleans County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2018

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	823	561	259	3
Felony Total	264	192	72	0
Drug	42	27	15	0
Violent	47	43	4	0
DWI	19	18	1	0
Other	156	104	52	0
Misdemeanor Total	559	369	187	3
Drug	41	29	12	0
DWI	102	72	30	0
Property	182	109	72	1
Other	234	159	73	2

Orleans County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2018

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	823	626	135	50	1	11
Felony Total	264	189	54	19	0	2
Drug	42	25	13	4	0	0
Violent	47	32	11	4	0	0
DWI	19	16	1	2	0	0
Other	156	116	29	9	0	2
Misdemeanor Total	559	437	81	31	1	9
Drug	41	33	5	3	0	0
DWI	102	91	1	8	1	1
Property	182	144	24	11	0	3
Other	234	169	51	9	0	5

Orleans County Adult Arrests by Age at Crime: 2018

	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	823	0	39	62	116	158	145	96	44	54	50	59
Felony Total	264	0	10	15	37	50	50	26	22	23	13	18
Drug	42	0	0	2	8	10	6	5	4	1	3	3
Violent	47	0	5	7	8	6	8	2	4	4	2	1
DWI	19	0	0	0	1	3	5	3	3	1	0	3
Other	156	0	5	6	20	31	31	16	11	17	8	11
Misdemeanor Total	559	0	29	47	79	108	95	70	22	31	37	41
Drug	41	0	1	3	14	7	3	9	2	0	2	0
DWI	102	0	0	4	12	24	15	16	5	7	8	11
Property	182	0	17	17	24	36	31	17	4	8	12	16
Other	234	0	11	23	29	41	46	28	11	16	15	14

Source: DCJS, Computerized Criminal History system (as of 07/23/2019).

* Does not include arrests for misdemeanors committed by 16 year olds between October 1 and December 31, 2018. These arrests are no longer fingerprinted due to Raise the Age legislation.