

Disposed Adult Arrests Data Source Notes

The attached disposition data is derived from the Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) Computerized Criminal History (CCH) system. CCH contains adult arrests and dispositions for offenses where fingerprints are required to be taken (Criminal Procedure Law 160.10). Arrest information is submitted by police agencies via a fingerprint transaction and disposition information is electronically transmitted to DCJS by the Office of Court Administration. For calendar years up to and including 2017, state law defined an adult as anyone age 16 or older. Dispositions of arrests for misdemeanors committed by 16 year olds on or after October 1, 2018 are not included as these arrests are no longer fingerprinted due to Raise the Age Legislation. Dispositions of felony arrests committed by 16 year olds and handled in the Youth Part of criminal court are included in these counts.

Dispositions 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, a single disposition outcome would be displayed and would be categorized as a felony. **Outcomes are shown only for arrests that have reached a final disposition. Arrests with no disposition, an interim disposition, or a conviction without a sentence are not considered fully disposed and are not displayed.** Disposed arrests are categorized by the following arrest types:

- **Felony:** Offenses for which a sentence of imprisonment of more than one year may be imposed (Penal Law Article 10.05).
- **Violent Felony:** A subset of the felony category that includes all charges listed under Penal Law Article 70.02 and the Class A felonies of murder, arson, kidnapping, and predatory sexual assault.
- **Drug Felony:** A subset of the felony category that includes all felony charges listed under Penal Law Article 220 (Controlled Substances) and Article 221 (Marijuana).
- **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 (Penal Law Article 10.04).

If an arrest resulted in a conviction, the table notes whether the conviction charge was a felony, misdemeanor, or non-criminal offense. Convictions may be the result of a plea bargain or a trial and may be for offenses other than what was charged at arrest (i.e., a felony arrest may result in conviction for a misdemeanor or violation. Conversely, charges can also be upgraded post-arrest). Convictions are further categorized as Adult Convictions and Youthful Offender Adjudications. Under state law, Youthful Offender status may be granted by a court to individuals who are 16, 17 or 18 years old. This results in the conviction being sealed, however, the individual may serve a period of incarceration as the result of the Youthful Offender Adjudication. Data is displayed according to the year in which the final disposition occurred, regardless of when the arrest occurred (i.e., an arrest from 2017 that was disposed in 2018 would be displayed in the 2018 column). For arrest events with multiple charges, the disposition shown is the most serious disposition. The following are final disposition types:

- **Convicted-Sentenced:** Cases resulting in a conviction, either by plea or trial, where a sentence has been imposed.
- **Diverted and Dismissed:** Cases dismissed after successful completion of a treatment/diversion program pursuant to CPL 400.10(04).
Note: Not all 'Diverted and dismissed' dispositions are reported to DCJS.
- **Covered by Another Case:** Cases resolved by a disposition (usually a guilty plea) in a separate case.
- **Dismissed-Adjourned in Contemplation of Dismissal (ACD):** Cases dismissed after a period of adjournment under CPL 170.55.
- **Dismissed-Not ACD:** Cases that were dismissed based on merit or procedure.
- **Acquitted:** Cases where the defendant was found not guilty after trial.
- **DA Declined to Prosecute:** Cases where the District Attorney declined to bring formal charges against the arrested individual.
Note: This disposition primarily occurs in the five counties/boroughs of New York City.
- **Other:** Cases abated by the defendant's death, other unknown favorable dispositions and cases where it was determined that New York State did not have jurisdiction.

Sentences to prison, jail, and probation represent court-imposed sanctions and not actual admissions or caseloads.

Note: All percentages, even in the sentence type section of the tables, represent the percentage/proportion of total disposed arrests for the year.

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**WESTCHESTER COUNTY
ADULT ARRESTS DISPOSED**

Top Arrest Charge		Disposition Year										
		2014		2015		2016		2017		2018		
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Felony	Total Dispositions	4,449	100.0%	4,186	100.0%	4,084	100.0%	4,032	100.0%	3,959	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	3,486	78.4%	3,231	77.2%	3,126	76.5%	3,064	76.0%	3,082	77.8%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	14	0.3%	7	0.2%	7	0.2%	22	0.5%	9	0.2%	
	Covered by Another Case	217	4.9%	206	4.9%	194	4.8%	230	5.7%	224	5.7%	
	Dismissed-ACD	75	1.7%	97	2.3%	74	1.8%	70	1.7%	67	1.7%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	575	12.9%	552	13.2%	566	13.9%	578	14.3%	509	12.9%	
	Acquitted	9	0.2%	10	0.2%	6	0.1%	9	0.2%	6	0.2%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	44	1.0%	50	1.2%	78	1.9%	18	0.4%	15	0.4%	
	Other	29	0.7%	33	0.8%	33	0.8%	41	1.0%	47	1.2%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	861	19.4%	866	20.7%	751	18.4%	821	20.4%	904	22.8%
		Misdemeanors	1,631	36.7%	1,479	35.3%	1,500	36.7%	1,356	33.6%	1,353	34.2%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	783	17.6%	690	16.5%	653	16.0%	667	16.5%	647	16.3%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	67	1.5%	83	2.0%	99	2.4%	90	2.2%	82	2.1%
		Misdemeanors	144	3.2%	113	2.7%	120	2.9%	128	3.2%	91	2.3%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3	0.1%	2	0.0%	5	0.1%
	Sentences to:	Prison	331	7.4%	322	7.7%	323	7.9%	333	8.3%	379	9.6%
		Jail	831	18.7%	740	17.7%	656	16.1%	576	14.3%	546	13.8%
		Time Served	182	4.1%	164	3.9%	195	4.8%	194	4.8%	161	4.1%
		Jail+Probation	207	4.7%	209	5.0%	174	4.3%	210	5.2%	225	5.7%
		Probation	781	17.6%	755	18.0%	734	18.0%	705	17.5%	673	17.0%
		Fine	352	7.9%	414	9.9%	421	10.3%	379	9.4%	378	9.5%
		Cond Discharge	787	17.7%	617	14.7%	614	15.0%	653	16.2%	703	17.8%
		Other/Unknown	15	0.3%	10	0.2%	9	0.2%	14	0.3%	17	0.4%

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		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Violent Felony	Total Dispositions	1,152	100.0%	1,075	100.0%	1,080	100.0%	1,113	100.0%	1,079	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	860	74.7%	773	71.9%	764	70.7%	803	72.1%	775	71.8%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	2	0.2%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	
	Covered by Another Case	20	1.7%	22	2.0%	21	1.9%	34	3.1%	41	3.8%	
	Dismissed-ACD	18	1.6%	22	2.0%	17	1.6%	18	1.6%	17	1.6%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	216	18.8%	222	20.7%	234	21.7%	235	21.1%	222	20.6%	
	Acquitted	4	0.3%	7	0.7%	5	0.5%	4	0.4%	2	0.2%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	17	1.5%	19	1.8%	31	2.9%	9	0.8%	6	0.6%	
	Other	15	1.3%	10	0.9%	8	0.7%	10	0.9%	16	1.5%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	282	24.5%	258	24.0%	243	22.5%	269	24.2%	320	29.7%
		Misdemeanors	303	26.3%	262	24.4%	258	23.9%	266	23.9%	223	20.7%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	167	14.5%	140	13.0%	141	13.1%	152	13.7%	137	12.7%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	52	4.5%	71	6.6%	76	7.0%	68	6.1%	59	5.5%
		Misdemeanors	56	4.9%	42	3.9%	44	4.1%	47	4.2%	33	3.1%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2	0.2%	1	0.1%	3	0.3%
	Sentences to:	Prison	182	15.8%	157	14.6%	170	15.7%	177	15.9%	207	19.2%
		Jail	181	15.7%	146	13.6%	141	13.1%	113	10.2%	104	9.6%
		Time Served	54	4.7%	42	3.9%	51	4.7%	61	5.5%	38	3.5%
		Jail+Probation	68	5.9%	89	8.3%	61	5.6%	71	6.4%	88	8.2%
		Probation	176	15.3%	166	15.4%	146	13.5%	174	15.6%	141	13.1%
		Fine	32	2.8%	49	4.6%	47	4.4%	49	4.4%	58	5.4%
		Cond Discharge	159	13.8%	123	11.4%	145	13.4%	156	14.0%	138	12.8%
		Other/Unknown	8	0.7%	1	0.1%	3	0.3%	2	0.2%	1	0.1%

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Drug Felony	Total Dispositions	1,061	100.0%	826	100.0%	686	100.0%	625	100.0%	634	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	803	75.7%	642	77.7%	565	82.4%	475	76.0%	493	77.8%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	10	0.9%	7	0.8%	6	0.9%	20	3.2%	5	0.8%	
	Covered by Another Case	90	8.5%	76	9.2%	37	5.4%	45	7.2%	55	8.7%	
	Dismissed-ACD	16	1.5%	5	0.6%	4	0.6%	4	0.6%	3	0.5%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	127	12.0%	78	9.4%	65	9.5%	66	10.6%	63	9.9%	
	Acquitted	0	0.0%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	1	0.2%	1	0.2%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	8	0.8%	11	1.3%	7	1.0%	2	0.3%	2	0.3%	
	Other	7	0.7%	6	0.7%	2	0.3%	12	1.9%	12	1.9%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	201	18.9%	216	26.2%	161	23.5%	136	21.8%	123	19.4%
		Misdemeanors	462	43.5%	324	39.2%	314	45.8%	244	39.0%	288	45.4%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	135	12.7%	94	11.4%	83	12.1%	89	14.2%	71	11.2%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	3	0.3%	1	0.1%	0	0.0%	3	0.5%	3	0.5%
		Misdemeanors	2	0.2%	7	0.8%	7	1.0%	3	0.5%	7	1.1%
		Unknown	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1	0.2%
	Sentences to:	Prison	63	5.9%	72	8.7%	72	10.5%	45	7.2%	53	8.4%
		Jail	226	21.3%	191	23.1%	141	20.6%	106	17.0%	100	15.8%
		Time Served	47	4.4%	33	4.0%	33	4.8%	40	6.4%	31	4.9%
		Jail+Probation	22	2.1%	19	2.3%	12	1.7%	21	3.4%	17	2.7%
		Probation	182	17.2%	147	17.8%	137	20.0%	91	14.6%	107	16.9%
		Fine	70	6.6%	75	9.1%	86	12.5%	86	13.8%	77	12.1%
		Cond Discharge	192	18.1%	104	12.6%	81	11.8%	82	13.1%	106	16.7%
		Other/Unknown	1	0.1%	1	0.1%	3	0.4%	4	0.6%	2	0.3%

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Misdemeanor	Total Dispositions	10,545	100.0%	9,417	100.0%	9,226	100.0%	9,253	100.0%	8,870	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	7,209	68.4%	6,479	68.8%	6,271	68.0%	6,413	69.3%	6,168	69.5%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	28	0.3%	22	0.2%	20	0.2%	37	0.4%	19	0.2%	
	Covered by Another Case	629	6.0%	527	5.6%	566	6.1%	666	7.2%	649	7.3%	
	Dismissed-ACD	1,214	11.5%	1,016	10.8%	972	10.5%	764	8.3%	788	8.9%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	1,071	10.2%	1,069	11.4%	964	10.4%	1,029	11.1%	1,040	11.7%	
	Acquitted	12	0.1%	14	0.1%	15	0.2%	18	0.2%	15	0.2%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	302	2.9%	188	2.0%	290	3.1%	157	1.7%	60	0.7%	
	Other	80	0.8%	102	1.1%	128	1.4%	169	1.8%	131	1.5%	
	Adult Non-YO Convictions for:	Felonies	68	0.6%	47	0.5%	31	0.3%	27	0.3%	41	0.5%
		Misdemeanors	3,125	29.6%	2,984	31.7%	3,016	32.7%	3,154	34.1%	2,820	31.8%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	3,868	36.7%	3,338	35.4%	3,094	33.5%	3,083	33.3%	3,207	36.2%
	Youthful Offender Adjudications for:	Felonies	2	0.0%	3	0.0%	2	0.0%	1	0.0%	0	0.0%
		Misdemeanors	138	1.3%	95	1.0%	116	1.3%	136	1.5%	90	1.0%
		Unknown	8	0.1%	12	0.1%	12	0.1%	12	0.1%	10	0.1%
	Sentences to:	Prison	13	0.1%	6	0.1%	3	0.0%	9	0.1%	8	0.1%
		Jail	1,107	10.5%	978	10.4%	949	10.3%	921	10.0%	755	8.5%
		Time Served	359	3.4%	301	3.2%	345	3.7%	385	4.2%	415	4.7%
		Jail+Probation	85	0.8%	49	0.5%	59	0.6%	65	0.7%	52	0.6%
		Probation	752	7.1%	652	6.9%	678	7.3%	695	7.5%	542	6.1%
		Fine	2,839	26.9%	2,803	29.8%	2,684	29.1%	2,623	28.3%	2,597	29.3%
		Cond Discharge	1,940	18.4%	1,633	17.3%	1,502	16.3%	1,659	17.9%	1,734	19.5%
		Other/Unknown	114	1.1%	57	0.6%	51	0.6%	56	0.6%	65	0.7%

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