

## 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 arrests for offenses where fingerprints are required to be taken (Criminal Procedure Law 160.10). Arrest information is submitted by police agencies via fingerprint transaction and is electronically transmitted to DCJS by the state Office of Court Administration. Arrests shown involve individuals who were 18 or older when the crime was committed.

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 to a term of imprisonment in excess of one year may be imposed (NYS Penal Law Article 10.05).
- **Misdemeanor:** Offenses for which a sentence of imprisonment between 15 days and one year may be imposed (NYS Penal Law Article 10.04). Traffic infractions are not included.
- **Drug:** Offenses detailed in Penal Law Articles 220 (controlled substances) and 221 (marijuana).
- **Violent Felony:** Offenses detailed in Penal Law Article 70.02 and the Class A felonies of murder, arson, kidnapping, and predatory sexual assault.
- **Driving While Intoxicated (DWI):** Offenses include all charges listed under Vehicle and Traffic Law Section 1192.
- **Property:** Offenses include all misdemeanor charges listed under Penal Law Articles 140 (burglary and related offenses), 145 (criminal mischief and related offenses), 150 (arson), and 165 (other offenses related to theft).
- **Other:** All offenses in state law not specified above that require fingerprints to be taken upon arrest.

**Lewis County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2019**

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	358	265	93	0
Felony Total	124	91	33	0
Drug	35	26	9	0
Violent	16	15	1	0
DWI	16	11	5	0
Other	57	39	18	0
Misdemeanor Total	234	174	60	0
Drug	26	20	6	0
DWI	84	68	16	0
Property	47	29	18	0
Other	77	57	20	0

**Lewis County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2019**

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	358	339	8	7	3	1
Felony Total	124	116	4	3	1	0
Drug	35	32	2	0	1	0
Violent	16	14	1	1	0	0
DWI	16	16	0	0	0	0
Other	57	54	1	2	0	0
Misdemeanor Total	234	223	4	4	2	1
Drug	26	26	0	0	0	0
DWI	84	80	2	1	1	0
Property	47	45	1	0	1	0
Other	77	72	1	3	0	1

**Lewis County Adult Arrests by Age at Crime: 2019**

	Total Arrests	18-20	21-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55+
Total Arrests	358	23	40	64	88	55	29	15	16	28
Felony Total	124	4	13	28	31	28	9	4	4	3
Drug	35	1	5	7	7	9	2	0	3	1
Violent	16	2	2	4	3	1	1	2	1	0
DWI	16	0	1	2	6	4	3	0	0	0
Other	57	1	5	15	15	14	3	2	0	2
Misdemeanor Total	234	19	27	36	57	27	20	11	12	25
Drug	26	1	4	7	5	3	4	1	1	0
DWI	84	6	13	11	17	8	5	5	6	13
Property	47	4	3	8	11	6	6	2	2	5
Other	77	8	7	10	24	10	5	3	3	7

Source: DCJS, Computerized Criminal History system (as of 07/17/2020).