

Disposed Adult Arrest Demographics

The attached disposition data is derived from the Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) Computerized Criminal History (CCH) system. CCH contains 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 fingerprint transaction and disposition information is electronically transmitted to DCJS by the state Office of Court Administration. Dispositions of arrests shown involve individuals who were 18 or older when the crime was committed.

Race/ethnicity information is recorded by police and transmitted to DCJS as part of the fingerprint transaction. Four categories of race/ethnicity are displayed: White, Black, Hispanic, and Other. All arrestees of Hispanic ethnicity, regardless of race, are included in the Hispanic category. The White, Black, and Other categories include only persons of non-Hispanic origin.

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 the event 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).
- **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. For example, felony arrests can result in conviction to a misdemeanor or violation, and misdemeanor arrest charges can be upgraded to a felony charge at arraignment and result in a felony conviction. There is a small percentage of cases (less than one percent) where Youthful Offender status was granted to someone who was 18 when the crime was committed. These cases are included in the Adult Convictions category but not shown separately. Data is displayed according to the year in which the final disposition occurred, regardless of when the arrest occurred (i.e., an arrest from 2018 that was disposed in 2019 would be displayed in 2019). For arrest events with multiple charges, the disposition shown is the most serious disposition. The following are the 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 per 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:** Includes cases abated by the defendant's death, 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 by Race/Ethnicity: 2019**

Top Arrest Charge		Race/Ethnicity										
		White		Black		Hispanic		Other		Total		
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Felony	Total Dispositions	799	100.0%	1,891	100.0%	1,218	100.0%	116	100.0%	4,024	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	605	75.7%	1,386	73.3%	962	79.0%	92	79.3%	3,045	75.7%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	6	0.8%	0	0.0%	4	0.3%	0	0.0%	10	0.2%	
	Covered by Another Case	54	6.8%	135	7.1%	43	3.5%	3	2.6%	235	5.8%	
	Dismissed-ACD	27	3.4%	16	0.8%	18	1.5%	6	5.2%	67	1.7%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	95	11.9%	339	17.9%	180	14.8%	9	7.8%	623	15.5%	
	Acquitted	1	0.1%	2	0.1%	2	0.2%	4	3.4%	9	0.2%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	5	0.6%	0	0.0%	2	0.2%	0	0.0%	7	0.2%	
	Other	6	0.8%	13	0.7%	7	0.6%	2	1.7%	28	0.7%	
	Convictions for:											
		Felonies	152	19.0%	352	18.6%	258	21.2%	14	12.1%	776	19.3%
		Misdemeanors	283	35.4%	669	35.4%	376	30.9%	36	31.0%	1,364	33.9%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	170	21.3%	365	19.3%	328	26.9%	42	36.2%	905	22.5%
	Sentences to:											
		Prison	43	5.4%	183	9.7%	114	9.4%	5	4.3%	345	8.6%
		Jail	98	12.3%	242	12.8%	116	9.5%	8	6.9%	464	11.5%
		Time Served	22	2.8%	114	6.0%	62	5.1%	2	1.7%	200	5.0%
		Jail+Probation	27	3.4%	64	3.4%	47	3.9%	3	2.6%	141	3.5%
		Probation	146	18.3%	201	10.6%	181	14.9%	16	13.8%	544	13.5%
		Fine	134	16.8%	151	8.0%	184	15.1%	25	21.6%	494	12.3%
	Cond Discharge	135	16.9%	422	22.3%	250	20.5%	31	26.7%	838	20.8%	
	Other/Unknown	0	0.0%	9	0.5%	8	0.7%	2	1.7%	19	0.5%	

Note: All percentages shown are based on total dispositions.
Disposition outcome is not shown if the Total Dispositions count is less than 5.
Source: DCJS, Computerized Criminal History system (as of 07/17/2020).

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Top Arrest Charge		Race/Ethnicity										
		White		Black		Hispanic		Other		Total		
		N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%	
Misdemeanor	Total Dispositions	2,308	100.0%	3,471	100.0%	2,904	100.0%	273	100.0%	8,956	100.0%	
	Convicted-Sentenced	1,604	69.5%	2,333	67.2%	1,974	68.0%	203	74.4%	6,114	68.3%	
	Diverted and Dismissed	8	0.3%	9	0.3%	4	0.1%	2	0.7%	23	0.3%	
	Covered by Another Case	98	4.2%	287	8.3%	144	5.0%	12	4.4%	541	6.0%	
	Dismissed-ACD	203	8.8%	236	6.8%	263	9.1%	20	7.3%	722	8.1%	
	Dismissed-Not ACD	321	13.9%	554	16.0%	441	15.2%	31	11.4%	1,347	15.0%	
	Acquitted	6	0.3%	8	0.2%	8	0.3%	0	0.0%	22	0.2%	
	DA Declined to Prosecute	8	0.3%	3	0.1%	8	0.3%	0	0.0%	19	0.2%	
	Other	60	2.6%	41	1.2%	62	2.1%	5	1.8%	168	1.9%	
	Convictions for:											
		Felonies	7	0.3%	16	0.5%	14	0.5%	3	1.1%	40	0.4%
		Misdemeanors	696	30.2%	1,114	32.1%	840	28.9%	75	27.5%	2,725	30.4%
		Non-Criminal/Unknown	901	39.0%	1,203	34.7%	1,120	38.6%	125	45.8%	3,349	37.4%
	Sentences to:											
		Prison	0	0.0%	5	0.1%	4	0.1%	0	0.0%	9	0.1%
		Jail	104	4.5%	320	9.2%	157	5.4%	11	4.0%	592	6.6%
		Time Served	52	2.3%	224	6.5%	99	3.4%	4	1.5%	379	4.2%
		Jail+Probation	4	0.2%	29	0.8%	18	0.6%	6	2.2%	57	0.6%
		Probation	158	6.8%	201	5.8%	177	6.1%	19	7.0%	555	6.2%
		Fine	956	41.4%	624	18.0%	1,066	36.7%	106	38.8%	2,752	30.7%
		Cond Discharge	322	14.0%	895	25.8%	439	15.1%	52	19.0%	1,708	19.1%
		Other/Unknown	8	0.3%	35	1.0%	14	0.5%	5	1.8%	62	0.7%

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