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Dear Chair Howell, Chair Torian, Secretary Moran, and Director Timberlake:

Pursuant to the language in the General Assembly's 2021 Chapter 552 Appropriations Act, please find attached the Virginia Department of Corrections' report on health care service provision. Chapter 552 required that the Virginia Department of Corrections remit data to the Director of the Department of Planning and Budget and the Chairmen of the House of Appropriations and Senate Finance Committees regarding medical treatment provided to offenders at each facility. Specifically, the data was to include as a proportion, the level of average daily population at each facility who were treated as out-patient, in-patient, prescription drug administration, and other discrete services. For this report, other discrete services were defined by the Virginia Department of Corrections to reflect the level of average daily population at each facility who received on-site telemedicine services, on-site dentistry services, and on-site dialysis services. Please note, all data reported reflects the most robust information available for Fiscal Year 2021.

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Due to the lack of an electronic health record system for health management of offenders across the Department of Corrections' facilities, the data reported is reliant upon third party administrator billing claims information and more rudimentary collection techniques, such as tabulating occurrences by hand each month. This significantly limits the ability of VADOC to report more robust information to inform all parties. More so, only out-patient and in-patient measures could be reported as a true proportion of ADP. All other measures are provided as observable counts with calculations that reflect the count as a ratio to offender.

The Department of Corrections is working to improve internal data collection and retention processes with regards to health care services provided to our offenders. A new data collection tool was implemented in November 2018 to allow for a more robust collection and analysis. However, this tool is still reliant on tabulating occurrences by hand each month. The Department of Corrections would be open to discussing other variations of the requested measures should the data as requested be found of limited value in addressing the needs of all parties.

Additionally, the COVID-19 pandemic most likely had an impact on the utilization reported herein. This should be noted when comparing this report to past annual reports submitted.

Please contact me if you have questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "H. Clarke". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Harold W. Clarke

Enclosure

Facility	FY21 ADP	Out-Patient ¹		In-Patient ²		Rx Filled ³		Rx Pills Administered ⁴		Telemedicine ⁵		On-Site Dentistry ^{6,7}		On-Site Dialysis ⁸	
		N	Prop. (%)	N	Prop. (%)	N	N / Offender	N	N / Offender	N	Prop. (%)	N	Prop. (%)	N	Prop. (%)
Appalachian Detention Center	65	26	40%	0	0%	1,315	20	1,929	30	23	35%	----	----	----	0%
Augusta Correctional Center	1,304	282	22%	91	7%	46,742	36	520,247	399	28	2%	1,473	113%	----	0%
Baskerville Correctional Unit	384	54	14%	7	2%	7,448	19	13,918	36	229	60%	399	104%	----	0%
Bland Correctional Center	470	248	53%	10	2%	20,121	43	222,111	473	194	41%	2,149	457%	----	0%
Brunswick Detention Center ⁹	44	1	2%	3	7%	1,318	30	927	21	4	9%	----	----	----	0%
Buckingham Correctional Center	1,049	286	27%	61	6%	40,842	39	504,743	481	174	17%	66	6%	----	0%
Caroline Correctional Unit	80	16	20%	0	0%	1,598	20	1,523	19	31	39%	----	----	----	0%
Central Virginia Correctional Unit 13	128	94	73%	1	1%	7,894	62	145,590	1,137	202	158%	946	739%	----	0%
Chesterfield Detention & Diversion	47	26	55%	0	0%	2,544	54	2,845	61	0	0%	----	----	----	0%
Coffeewood Correctional Center	864	218	25%	35	4%	32,847	38	376,162	435	543	63%	2,207	255%	----	0%
Cold Springs Correctional Unit	78	28	36%	1	1%	1,242	16	1,249	16	13	17%	----	----	----	0%
Cold Springs Detention Center	40	0	0%	0	0%	781	20	875	22	26	65%	----	----	----	0%
Deerfield Correctional Center	862	405	47%	147	17%	57,934	67	1,273,860	1,478	467	54%	5,766	669%	----	0%
Deerfield Men's I & Men's II Work Center ¹⁰	188	11	6%	3	2%	2,622	14	3,167	17	6	3%	472	251%	----	0%
Dillwyn Correctional Center	724	167	23%	47	6%	22,694	31	350,985	485	71	10%	1,689	233%	----	0%
Fluvanna Correctional Center	889	418	47%	61	7%	92,046	104	1,886,917	2,123	199	22%	4,641	522%	0	<1%
Green Rock Correctional Center	889	221	25%	22	2%	33,113	37	392,705	442	144	16%	1,288	145%	----	0%
Greensville Correctional Center	2,593	571	22%	251	10%	94,060	36	1,450,785	560	1,334	51%	855	33%	27	1%
Halifax Correctional Center	180	16	9%	0	0%	2,560	14	3,169	18	14	8%	----	----	----	0%
Harrisonburg Detention Center	19	19	100%	0	0%	462	24	533	28	23	121%	----	----	----	0%
Haynesville Correctional Center	778	255	33%	30	4%	30,255	39	284,777	366	553	71%	1,627	209%	----	0%
Indian Creek Correctional Center	600	152	25%	12	2%	14,028	23	407,527	679	527	88%	1,630	272%	----	0%
Keen Mountain Correctional Center	955	403	42%	29	3%	31,658	33	563,112	590	352	37%	2,586	271%	----	0%
Lawrenceville Correctional Center	1,499	244	16%	50	3%	----	----	----	----	89	6%	----	----	----	0%
Lunenburg Correctional Center	846	191	23%	31	4%	23,594	28	680,094	804	207	24%	2,633	311%	----	0%
Marion Correctional Center	214	172	80%	25	12%	14,403	67	433,359	2,025	45	21%	691	323%	----	0%
Nottoway Correctional Center	1,287	458	36%	78	6%	38,932	30	544,869	423	59	5%	2,295	178%	----	0%
Patrick Henry Correctional Unit	109	18	17%	1	1%	2,498	23	5,219	48	14	13%	----	----	----	0%
Pocahontas State Correctional Center	884	471	53%	30	3%	25,999	29	564,454	639	164	19%	3,375	382%	----	0%
Red Onion State Prison	729	311	43%	26	4%	22,339	31	647,745	889	173	24%	1,210	166%	----	0%
River North Correctional Center	884	425	48%	36	4%	31,290	35	479,924	543	363	41%	759	86%	----	0%
Rustburg Correctional Unit	111	22	20%	2	2%	2,315	21	2,347	21	no report	#VALUE!	----	----	----	0%
St Brides Correctional Center	899	118	13%	20	2%	20,381	23	513,428	571	no report	#VALUE!	802	89%	----	0%
Stafford Detention Center	16	12	75%	0	0%	706	44	744	47	no report	#VALUE!	----	----	----	0%
State Farm Correctional Center	476	188	39%	76	16%	14,328	30	260,461	547	98	21%	2,966	623%	----	0%
State Farm Enterprise Unit	320	157	49%	67	21%	17,359	54	331,624	1,036	115	36%	1,087	340%	----	0%
State Farm Work Center	146	50	34%	2	1%	12,034	82	32,845	225	87	60%	----	----	----	0%
Sussex I State Prison	585	225	38%	82	14%	26,818	46	533,174	911	65	11%	3,459	591%	----	0%
Sussex II State Prison	1,172	246	21%	45	4%	36,403	31	851,835	727	41	3%	257	22%	3	<1%
Virginia Correctional Ctr for Women	353	217	61%	18	5%	39,360	112	399,312	1,131	no report	#VALUE!	1,545	438%	----	0%
Wallens Ridge State Prison	1,034	506	49%	27	3%	25,725	25	937,153	906	118	11%	1,562	151%	----	0%
Wise Correctional Unit	87	69	79%	1	1%	2,273	26	2,232	26	0	0%	----	----	----	0%

Table Notes

- ¹ Out-Patient count defined as number of unique offenders who have seen a physician as recorded in Anthem billing data. Calculation reflects the proportion of unique offenders divided by ADP.
- ² CHANGED: In-Patient count defined as number of unique offenders who have had a hospital visit reported by a DOC institution to HSU to obtain check for Medicaid coverage. Calculation reflects the proportion of unique offenders divided by ADP.
- ³ Prescriptions Filled defined as number of individual prescriptions that were filled. This may include refills of the same prescription for the same offender, therefore, calculation based off number of prescriptions filled per person based on ADP.
- ⁴ Prescription Pills Administered defined as number of individual doses provided across all offenders at that facility. Calculation reflects number of doses administered per person based on ADP. Issuing a monthly supply counts as one administration.
- ⁵ Telemedicine defined as number of telemedicine clinic visits performed at the specified facility across all offenders at that facility. Calculation reflects number of visits per person based on ADP, but reflected as a proportion as requested.
- ⁶ On-Site Dentistry defined as number of visits performed by a dentist at a facility across all offenders at that facility. Calculation reflects number of visits per person based on ADP, but reflected as a proportion as requested.
- ⁷ On-Site Dentistry is managed through clusters of institutions throughout the state. Inmates may be transported to another facility to receive dental care.
- ⁸ On-Site Dialysis defined as census of patients receiving dialysis at the specified facility. Calculation reflects census as a proportion of ADP at that facility.
- ⁹ The Brunswick location is now a Community Corrections Alternative Program location.
- ¹⁰ Deerfield Work Centers are now both male facilities and referenced as Men's Work Center I and Men's Work Center II.