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Dear Co-Chair Howell, Co-Chair Barker, Chair Knight, Secretary Cole and Director Maul:

Pursuant to the language in the General Assembly's 2022 Special Session I Chapter 2 Appropriations Act, please find attached the Virginia Department of Corrections' report on health care service provision. Chapter 2 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.

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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 2023.

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 data collection tool was implemented in Nov 2018, with routine updates performed as needed, to allow for 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, coming out of the COVID-19 pandemic has 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,



Harold W. Clarke

Enclosure

Facility	Out-Patient <sup>1</sup>		In-Patient <sup>2</sup>		Rx Filled <sup>3</sup>		Rx Pills Administered <sup>4</sup>		Telemedicine <sup>5</sup>		On-Site Dentistry <sup>6,7</sup>		On-Site Dialysis <sup>8</sup>		
	FY23 ADP	N	Prop. (%)	N	Prop. (%)	N	N / Offender	N	N / Offender	N	Prop. (%)	N	Prop. (%)	N	Prop. (%)
Appalachian CCAP	60	70	117%	1	2%	1,575	26	7,743	129	133	222%	-----	-----	-----	0%
Augusta Correctional Center	1,025	416	41%	67	7%	24,707	24	570,236	556	86	8%	2,527	247%	-----	0%
Baskerville Correctional Unit	419	95	23%	30	7%	7,778	19	40,479	97	68	16%	2,291	547%	-----	0%
Beaumont Correctional Center	164	106	65%	15	9%	14,321	87	57,484	351	0	0%	2,032	1239%	-----	0%
Bland Correctional Center	570	355	62%	25	4%	21,490	38	339,307	595	366	64%	5,921	1039%	-----	0%
Brunswick CCAP	41	0	0%	2	5%	1,762	43	7,585	185	2	5%	-----	-----	-----	0%
Buckingham Correctional Center	1,105	341	31%	121	11%	40,898	37	721,538	653	93	8%	2,124	192%	-----	0%
Caroline Correctional Unit	88	27	31%	5	6%	2,031	23	5,832	66	11	13%	-----	-----	-----	0%
Central Virginia Correctional Unit 13	113	76	67%	7	6%	8,926	79	144,389	1,278	219	194%	3,101	2744%	-----	0%
Chesterfield CCAP	73	19	26%	1	1%	4,990	68	17,873	245	48	66%	-----	-----	-----	0%
Coffeewood Correctional Center	872	284	33%	37	4%	17,968	21	551,514	632	418	48%	2,972	341%	-----	0%
Cold Springs Correctional Unit	85	43	51%	4	5%	1,781	21	6,081	72	34	40%	-----	-----	-----	0%
Cold Springs CCAP	47	0	0%	0	0%	1,363	29	4,619	98	84	179%	-----	-----	-----	0%
Deerfield Correctional Center	899	545	61%	186	21%	70,128	78	1,353,086	1,505	363	40%	3,320	369%	-----	0%
Deerfield Men's I & Men's II Work Center	108	14	13%	0	0%	2,428	22	3,049	28	14	13%	-----	-----	-----	0%
Dillwyn Correctional Center	770	213	28%	66	9%	21,491	28	624,086	811	120	16%	2,695	350%	-----	0%
Fluvanna Correctional Center	781	475	61%	107	14%	78,589	101	1,897,014	2,429	242	31%	7,437	952%	0	<1%
Green Rock Correctional Center	982	294	30%	37	4%	36,606	37	543,935	554	171	17%	1,541	157%	-----	0%
Greensville Correctional Center	2,533	775	31%	283	11%	96,808	38	1,887,695	745	2,391	94%	3,996	158%	38	2%
Halifax Correctional Center	146	21	14%	6	4%	2,935	20	4,821	33	34	23%	-----	-----	-----	0%
Harrisonburg CCAP	56	26	46%	1	2%	1,830	33	5,408	97	87	155%	-----	-----	-----	0%
Haynesville Correctional Center	915	361	39%	90	10%	35,075	38	382,360	418	595	65%	2,574	281%	-----	0%
Indian Creek Correctional Center	669	258	39%	24	4%	18,879	28	454,536	679	340	51%	2,379	356%	-----	0%
Keen Mountain Correctional Center	933	502	54%	14	2%	28,772	31	547,455	587	640	69%	4,687	502%	-----	0%
Lawrenceville Correctional Center	1,156	375	32%	133	12%	-----	-----	-----	-----	968	84%	-----	-----	-----	0%
Lunenburg Correctional Center	846	272	32%	55	7%	27,461	32	733,149	867	133	16%	1,814	214%	-----	0%
Marion Correctional Center	222	187	84%	30	14%	16,878	76	474,447	2,137	976	440%	2,179	982%	-----	0%
Nottoway Correctional Center	1,136	409	36%	104	9%	40,703	36	783,904	690	5	0%	7,978	702%	-----	0%
Patrick Henry Correctional Unit	83	25	30%	3	4%	1,796	22	1,438	17	17	20%	-----	-----	-----	0%
Pocahontas State Correctional Center	973	479	49%	39	4%	37,152	38	580,949	597	118	12%	4,344	446%	-----	0%
Red Onion State Prison	729	325	45%	11	2%	26,571	36	882,554	1,211	22	3%	3,037	417%	-----	0%
River North Correctional Center	894	602	67%	52	6%	33,402	37	538,187	602	518	58%	3,708	415%	-----	0%
Rustburg Correctional Unit	85	24	28%	4	5%	1,900	22	2,199	26	33	39%	-----	-----	-----	0%
St Brides Correctional Center	1,097	170	15%	23	2%	24,912	23	681,115	621	1,378	126%	2,002	182%	-----	0%
Stafford CCAP	37	29	78%	1	3%	1,843	50	6,929	187	298	805%	-----	-----	-----	0%
State Farm Correctional Center	608	316	52%	132	22%	18,929	31	303,145	499	129	21%	4,555	749%	-----	0%
State Farm Enterprise Unit <sup>9</sup>	36	62	172%	84	233%	7,920	220	316,395	8,789	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	0%
State Farm Work Center	127	57	45%	13	10%	10,004	79	99,565	784	0	0%	-----	-----	-----	0%
Sussex I State Prison	698	291	42%	95	14%	26,739	38	750,035	1,075	89	13%	3,209	460%	-----	0%
Sussex II State Prison	749	286	38%	61	8%	32,409	43	746,843	997	92	-----	1,292	172%	4	<1%
Virginia Correctional Ctr for Women	435	223	51%	49	11%	39,885	92	761,064	1,750	119	-----	4,873	1120%	-----	0%
Wallens Ridge State Prison	1,009	623	62%	68	7%	28,633	28	1,113,954	1,104	69	7%	3,813	378%	-----	0%
Wise Correctional Unit	83	96	116%	3	4%	2,419	29	3,641	44	3	4%	-----	-----	-----	0%

**Table Notes**

- <sup>1</sup> 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.
- <sup>2</sup> CHANGED: In-Patient count defined as number of inpatient stays reported by a DOC institution to HSU to obtain check for Medicaid coverage. Calculation reflects number of stays per person based on ADP, but reflected as a proportion as requested.
- <sup>3</sup> 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.
- <sup>4</sup> 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.
- <sup>5</sup> 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.
- <sup>6</sup> On-Site Dentistry defined as number of visits performed by *dental personnel* 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.
- <sup>7</sup> On-Site Dentistry is managed through clusters of institutions throughout the state. Inmates may be transported to another facility to receive dental care.
- <sup>8</sup> 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.
- <sup>9</sup> All General Population (GP) inmates have been moved to Beaumont Correctional Center. Remaining inmates are infirmary patients only (State Farm Infirmary).