

# ***Tennessee Bed Space and Operating Capacities Report***

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**TDOC BED SPACE AND OPERATING CAPACITIES  
ON  
July 31, 2008**

<b>INSTITUTION</b>	<b>Total Beds</b>	<b>July 31, 2008</b>					<b>Facility Characteristics</b>			
		<b>Established Operating Capacity</b>		<b>Assigned Capacity</b>			<b>Female</b>	<b>Classification</b>	<b>Maximum Security</b>	<b>Special Purpose Facilities</b>
		<b># Inmates</b>	<b>As % of Total Beds</b>	<b># Inmates</b>	<b>As % of Total Beds</b>	<b>As % of Operating Capacity</b>				
Brushy Mountain Correctional Complex****	590	584	99.0%	523	88.6%	89.6%		X	X	
Charles B. Bass Correctional Complex*	1,110	1,099	99.0%	1,083	97.6%	98.5%		X		
DeBerry Special Needs Facility**	800	736	92.0%	741	92.6%	100.7%	**		X	X
Hardeman County Correctional Center	2,016	1,976	98.0%	1,992	98.8%	100.8%				
Morgan County Correctional Complex	1,013	1,003	99.0%	976	96.3%	97.3%				
Mark H. Luttrell Correctional Center	440	436	99.1%	414	94.1%	95.0%	X			
Northeast Correctional Complex	1,856	1,819	98.0%	1,810	97.5%	99.5%				
Northwest Correctional Complex	2,425	2,377	98.0%	2,325	95.9%	97.8%				
Riverbend Maximum Security	736	714	97.0%	702	95.4%	98.3%			X	
South Central Correctional Complex	1,676	1,642	98.0%	1,651	98.5%	100.5%				
Southeastern Tennessee RCF	981	971	99.0%	939	95.7%	96.7%				
Turney Center*****	1,272	1,247	98.0%	1,239	97.4%	99.4%				
Tennessee Prison for Women	775	744	96.0%	735	94.8%	98.8%	X	X	X	X
Wayne County Boot Camp	450	446	99.1%	349	77.6%	78.3%				X
Whiteville Correctional Facility***	1,536	1,505	98.0%	1,526	99.3%	101.4%				
West Tennessee State Penitentiary	2,582	2,505	97.0%	2,525	97.8%	100.8%		X	X	
<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>20,258</b>	<b>19,804</b>	<b>97.8%</b>	<b>19,530</b>	<b>96.4%</b>	<b>98.6%</b>				

\*Middle TN Reception Center (MTRC) was renamed Charles B. Bass Correctional Complex on July 1, 2004.

\*\* As of January 14, 2002, DeBerry Special Needs Facility no longer housed female inmates.

\*\*\*The Whiteville Correctional Facility (WCFA) opened October 28, 2002.

\*\*\*\*Brushy Mountain Correctional Complex and Morgan County Correctional Complex were separated on June 25, 2006.

\*\*\*\*\*On July 4, 2007, Turney Center added 136 beds resulting in an operating capacity increase of 134 beds.

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## POPULATION AVERAGES BY MONTH

Operational Capacity		BMCX	CBCX	DSNF	HCCF	MCCX	MLCC	NECX	NWCX	RMSI	SCCF	STSR	TCIP	TPFW	WCBC	WCFA	WTSP	TOTAL
		584	1,099	736	1,976	1,003	436	1,819	2,377	714	1,642	971	1,247	744	446	1,505	2,505	19,804
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		BMCX	CBCX	DSNF	HCCF	MCCX	MLRC	NECX	NWCX	RMSI	SCCF	STSR	TCIP	TPFW	WCBC	WCFA	WTSP	TOTAL
Jul-08	Inhouse	508	1,047	730	1,956	971	404	1,791	2,294	693	1,628	932	1,222	736	356	1,486	2,466	19,218
	Assigned	510	1,067	742	1,993	975	406	1,824	2,327	702	1,651	937	1,239	741	357	1,525	2,506	19,502
Aug-08	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
Sep-08	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
Oct-08	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
Nov-08	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
Dec-08	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
Jan-09	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
Feb-09	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
Mar-09	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
Apr-09	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
May-09	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
Jun-09	Inhouse																	
	Assigned																	
TOTAL	Inhouse	508	1,047	730	1,956	971	404	1,791	2,294	693	1,628	932	1,222	736	356	1,486	2,466	19,218
FY08-09 AVG	Assigned	510	1,067	742	1,993	975	406	1,824	2,327	702	1,651	937	1,239	741	357	1,525	2,506	19,502
<b>InHouse as a % of Operating Capacity</b>		87.0%	95.3%	99.2%	99.0%	96.8%	92.6%	98.4%	96.5%	97.0%	99.2%	95.9%	98.0%	98.9%	79.9%	98.8%	98.4%	97.0%

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## POPULATION AVERAGES FOR FISCAL YEARS 1999/2000- 2008/2009

		BMCX	CBCX	DSNF	DSNF	HCCF	MCCX	MLCC	NECX	NWCX	RMSI	SCCF	STSR	TCIP	TPFW	WCBC	WCFA	WTSP	TOTAL	Total Operational Capacity
				M	F	F			F											
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,517	1,009	693	21	1,965	0	335	1,517	2,117	664	1,485	954	1,100	471	393	0	2,304	16,546	06/30/98 <b>17,188</b>
99-00 AVG	Assigned	1,539	1,025	698	22	1,995	0	338	1,530	2,138	668	1,502	960	1,110	475	394	0	2,349	16,742	06/30/01 <b>17,729</b>
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,539	994	680	16	1,990	0	404	1,609	2,152	676	1,542	929	1,100	466	410	0	2,415	16,922	06/30/02 <b>17,975</b>
00-01 AVG	Assigned	1,561	1,007	684	16	2,019	0	408	1,621	2,179	680	1,560	936	1,113	469	412	0	2,455	17,120	06/30/03 <b>19,690</b>
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,532	1,016	702	11	2,002	0	393	1,714	2,267	698	1,653	933	1,109	621	369	0	2,479	17,496	06/30/04 <b>19,670</b>
01-02 AVG	Assigned	1,554	1,028	704	11	2,028	0	395	1,727	2,304	702	1,676	943	1,125	628	370	0	2,518	17,725	06/30/05 <b>19,670</b>
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,529	1,010	685	0	1,977	0	407	1,731	2,275	703	1,645	922	1,105	604	401	892	2,476	17,769	06/30/06 <b>19,670</b>
02-03 AVG	Assigned	1,549	1,022	687	0	2,007	0	411	1,746	2,307	709	1,668	926	1,118	611	401	911	2,515	17,983	06/30/07 <b>19,670</b>
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,525	1,015	738	0	1,947	0	414	1,807	2,288	706	1,607	942	1,093	715	413	1,474	2,432	19,116	06/30/08 <b>19,804</b>
03-04 AVG	Assigned	1,544	1,028	747	0	1,971	0	418	1,830	2,320	712	1,630	948	1,106	724	414	1,505	2,474	19,374	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,533	1,014	715	0	1,952	0	415	1,802	2,278	700	1,615	942	1,094	723	405	1,475	2,472	19,135	
04-05 AVG	Assigned	1,552	1,031	727	0	1,972	0	419	1,827	2,310	709	1,640	947	1,106	733	407	1,507	2,516	19,403	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,530	1,027	641	0	1,963	0	416	1,800	2,285	695	1,628	944	1,091	732	406	1,489	2,476	19,123	
05-06 AVG	Assigned	1,545	1,048	653	0	1,986	0	419	1,824	2,314	707	1,651	950	1,101	740	404	1,518	2,516	19,380	
TOTAL	Inhouse	552	1,032	688	0	1,964	971	410	1,786	2,292	698	1,631	943	1,092	735	402	1,487	2,432	19,115	
06-07 AVG	Assigned	553	1,054	703	0	1,994	976	411	1,812	2,325	706	1,653	951	1,103	743	403	1,516	2,476	19,379	
TOTAL	Inhouse	530	1,017	712	0	1,961	971	403	1,779	2,293	701	1,626	938	1,200	732	376	1,484	2,443	19,166	
07-08 AVG	Assigned	533	1,041	727	0	1,994	975	407	1,807	2,326	709	1,651	945	1,215	738	376	1,512	2,485	19,440	
TOTAL	Inhouse	508	1,047	730	0	1,956	971	404	1,791	2,294	693	1,628	932	1,222	736	356	1,486	2,466	19,218	
08-09AVG	Assigned	510	1,067	742	0	1,993	975	406	1,824	2,327	702	1,651	937	1,239	741	357	1,525	2,506	19,502	<b>19,804</b>

MLCC transitioned from a male to a female facility in FY 1999-00.  
 DSNF transitioned from a coed facility to a male facility in FY 2001/2002  
 WCFA opened October 28, 2002.  
 BMCX and MCCX were separated on June 25, 2006  
 TCIP had an operating capacity increase of 134 beds in July 2007

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# DEFINITIONS

## **TOTAL BEDS AVAILABLE**

Institutional capacity designed and constructed for housing inmates sentenced by courts. This category includes general prisoner population, segregation, classification, and special programs, e.g., mental health and health.

## **TDOC OPERATING CAPACITY (DESIGNATED CAPACITY) Reference: TCA 41-1-503**

Operating capacity is based upon the number of total beds available and the designated use of certain beds. The OPERATING CAPACITY indicates the population which should be assigned to the institution on a regular basis. The underlying logic is to exclude from capacity beds for special purposes such as medical or mental health reasons, disciplinary segregation, protective custody, and maximum security. The Department's operating capacity is currently set at 98% of total beds available.

## **POPULATION**

The POPULATION reported is the assigned count on the last day of the month. It includes inmates on furlough, out to court for appearances, in the hospital, or on escape status. All of these are expected to return to in-house custody.