

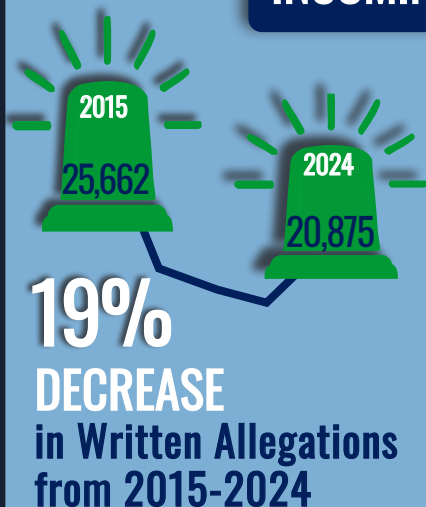
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## PENNSYLVANIA JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM

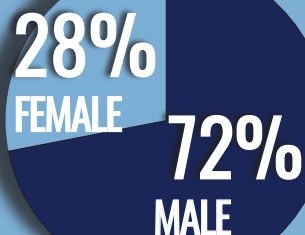
# INCOMING CASES SNAPSHOT

Each year, youth are referred to the Pennsylvania juvenile justice system through written allegations. Understanding incoming delinquency cases helps stakeholders better address the needs of youth, victims, and communities.

### INCOMING ALLEGATIONS



### DELINQUENCY ALLEGATIONS



36% OF



FELONIES

27% OF



NON-FELONIES

### OFFENSES AGAINST PERSONS

**58%** FIRST-TIME  
JUSTICE-INVOLVED YOUTH

**48%** NON-FELONY  
OFFENSES



2024

### TOP REFERRAL SOURCES

76%



POLICE

16%



MAGISTERIAL  
DISTRICT JUDGES

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### TOP OFFENSES



NON-PAYMENT  
OF FINES



SIMPLE  
ASSAULT



THEFT-RELATED  
OFFENSES



POSSESSION  
OF DRUGS



WEAPONS  
OFFENSES



Pennsylvania  
Juvenile Court  
Judges' Commission

Note: Data Is Based on 2024 Delinquency Allegations.