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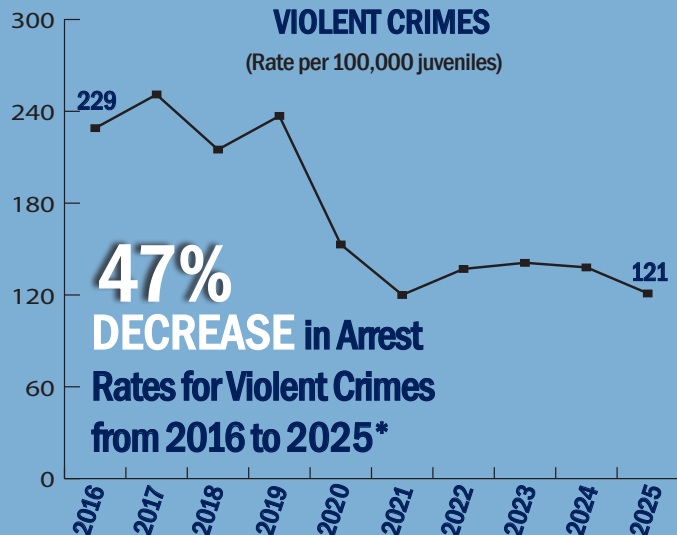
PENNSYLVANIA JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM

TRENDS 2016-2025

As Pennsylvania moves toward systematically integrating data-driven policies and practices, stakeholders must continuously track the performance and outcomes of such activities to ensure they are promoting positive outcomes for youth. These measures provide a clear picture of the impact of new initiatives on key justice measures, such as the arrest rate and placements.

PA JUVENILE ARREST RATES FOR VIOLENT CRIMES

(Rate per 100,000 juveniles)



\$13 Million



MORE Spent on Delinquency Placements in FY 24-25 Than FY 15-16**

516,666



FEWER Days of Care in FY 24-25 Than FY 15-16**

2016



3,443

56% DECREASE in Placement Dispositions



2025



1,500

57%

DECREASE in Residential Placement Days of Care**



FY 15-16 ► FY 24-25

2016 ► 2025

26%

DECREASE in Allegation Dispositions

39%

DECREASE in Delinquency Disposition Rates per Juvenile Population



2016 ► 2025

52%

DECREASE in Secure Detention Admissions

8,600

2016

4,132

2025



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* Data Is from PA State Police Uniform Crime Reports and the United States Census Bureau.

** Data Is from the PA Department of Human Services' Office of Children, Youth, and Families.