

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

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**TDOC BED SPACE AND OPERATING CAPACITIES  
ON  
March 31, 2009**

<b>INSTITUTION</b>	<b>Total Beds</b>	<b>March 31, 2009</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%	359	60.8%	61.5%		X	X	
Charles B. Bass Correctional Complex*	1,110	1,099	99.0%	1,033	93.1%	94.0%		X		
DeBerry Special Needs Facility**	800	736	92.0%	728	91.0%	98.9%	**		X	X
Hardeman County Correctional Center	2,016	1,976	98.0%	1,990	98.7%	100.7%				
Morgan County Correctional Complex	1,313	1,300	99.0%	1,236	94.1%	95.1%				
Mark H. Luttrell Correctional Center	440	436	99.1%	420	95.5%	96.3%	X			
Northeast Correctional Complex	1,856	1,819	98.0%	1,820	98.1%	100.1%				
Northwest Correctional Complex	2,425	2,377	98.0%	2,343	96.6%	98.6%				
Riverbend Maximum Security	736	714	97.0%	705	95.8%	98.7%			X	
South Central Correctional Complex	1,676	1,642	98.0%	1,643	98.0%	100.1%				
Southeastern Tennessee RCF	981	971	99.0%	942	96.0%	97.0%				
Turney Center Industrial Complex*	1,572	1,541	98.0%	1,536	97.7%	99.7%				
Tennessee Prison for Women	775	744	96.0%	750	96.8%	100.8%	X	X	X	X
Whiteville Correctional Facility***	1,536	1,505	98.0%	1,524	99.2%	101.3%				
West Tennessee State Penitentiary	2,582	2,505	97.0%	2,510	97.2%	100.2%		X	X	
<b>TOTALS:</b>	<b>20,408</b>	<b>19,949</b>	<b>97.8%</b>	<b>19,539</b>	<b>95.7%</b>	<b>97.9%</b>				

\*WCBC became part of TCIP in August 2008, resulting in a decrease of 150 total beds and 152 operational beds. TCIP is now Turney Center Industrial Complex (TCIX).

\*\* 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.

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## POPULATION AVERAGES BY MONTH

Operational Capacity		BMCX	CBCX	DSNF	HCCF	MCCX	MLCC	NECX	NWCX	RMSI	SCCF	STSR	TCIX*	TPFW	WCFA	WTSP	TOTAL
		584	1,099	736	1,976	1,300	436	1,819	2,377	714	1,642	971	1,541	744	1,505	2,505	19,949
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		BMCX	CBCX	DSNF	HCCF	MCCX	MLRC	NECX	NWCX	RMSI	SCCF	STSR	TCIX*	TPFW	WCFA	WTSP	TOTAL
Jul-08	Inhouse	508	1,047	730	1,956	971	404	1,791	2,294	693	1,628	932	1,578	736	1,486	2,466	19,218
	Assigned	510	1,067	742	1,993	975	406	1,824	2,327	702	1,651	937	1,596	741	1,525	2,506	19,502
Aug-08	Inhouse	512	1,022	728	1,963	970	398	1,784	2,297	690	1,633	932	1,554	733	1,494	2,479	19,189
	Assigned	517	1,043	740	1,992	973	403	1,814	2,332	700	1,656	937	1,573	741	1,529	2,526	19,475
Sep-08	Inhouse	509	1,009	716	1,967	977	398	1,786	2,300	692	1,629	927	1,531	732	1,492	2,482	19,147
	Assigned	515	1,027	730	1,997	981	405	1,825	2,332	702	1,650	934	1,549	740	1,524	2,534	19,446
Oct-08	Inhouse	507	1,023	712	1,964	977	409	1,770	2,300	698	1,634	925	1,520	740	1,489	2,468	19,137
	Assigned	512	1,041	725	1,993	982	414	1,807	2,327	704	1,661	935	1,540	746	1,519	2,525	19,429
Nov-08	Inhouse	428	1,039	719	1,962	1,068	402	1,755	2,298	699	1,631	926	1,524	740	1,491	2,459	19,140
	Assigned	434	1,055	730	1,996	1,072	408	1,789	2,333	704	1,655	935	1,546	746	1,522	2,518	19,443
Dec-08	Inhouse	382	1,031	710	1,963	1,162	397	1,745	2,305	690	1,633	927	1,525	738	1,488	2,426	19,121
	Assigned	388	1,051	723	1,989	1,165	403	1,776	2,338	695	1,658	936	1,541	744	1,520	2,478	19,405
Jan-09	Inhouse	386	1,005	697	1,963	1,195	399	1,739	2,311	689	1,629	928	1,533	737	1,487	2,449	19,147
	Assigned	392	1,025	710	1,987	1,200	405	1,773	2,341	694	1,649	934	1,551	745	1,520	2,503	19,429
Feb-09	Inhouse	385	1,042	705	1,961	1,229	416	1,726	2,289	696	1,624	931	1,520	732	1,488	2,440	19,183
	Assigned	393	1,061	718	1,991	1,235	424	1,756	2,323	701	1,647	940	1,542	741	1,519	2,496	19,487
Mar-09	Inhouse	382	1,020	709	1,961	1,242	414	1,757	2,291	699	1,627	935	1,518	736	1,488	2,461	19,239
	Assigned	389	1,037	722	1,987	1,245	420	1,787	2,329	707	1,653	943	1,539	747	1,518	2,512	19,535
Apr-09	Inhouse																
	Assigned																
May-09	Inhouse																
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Jun-09	Inhouse																
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TOTAL	Inhouse	446	1,026	714	1,962	1,086	404	1,762	2,298	694	1,630	929	1,534	736	1,489	2,459	19,171
FY08-09 AVG	Assigned	452	1,045	727	1,992	1,090	410	1,795	2,331	701	1,653	937	1,553	743	1,522	2,512	19,463
InHouse as a % of Operating Capacity		76.4%	93.4%	97.0%	99.3%	83.5%	92.7%	96.9%	96.7%	97.2%	99.3%	95.7%	99.5%	98.9%	98.9%	98.2%	96.1%

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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	TCIX*	TPFW	WCBC	WCFA	WTSP	TOTAL	Total Operational Capacity
				M	F	F															
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,517	1,009	693	21	1,965	0	335	1,517	2,117	664	1,485	954	1,100	0	471	393	0	2,304	16,546	<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	0	475	394	0	2,349	16,742	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,539	994	680	16	1,990	0	404	1,609	2,152	676	1,542	929	1,100	0	466	410	0	2,415	16,922	<b>17,729</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	0	469	412	0	2,455	17,120	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,532	1,016	702	11	2,002	0	393	1,714	2,267	698	1,653	933	1,109	0	621	369	0	2,479	17,496	<b>17,975</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	0	628	370	0	2,518	17,725	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,529	1,010	685	0	1,977	0	407	1,731	2,275	703	1,645	922	1,105	0	604	401	892	2,476	17,769	<b>19,690</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	0	611	401	911	2,515	17,983	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,525	1,015	738	0	1,947	0	414	1,807	2,288	706	1,607	942	1,093	0	715	413	1,474	2,432	19,116	<b>19,670</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	0	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	0	723	405	1,475	2,472	19,135	<b>19,670</b>
04-05 AVG	Assigned	1,552	1,031	727	0	1,972	0	419	1,827	2,310	709	1,640	947	1,106	0	733	407	1,507	2,516	19,403	
TOTAL	Inhouse	1,521	1,040	656	0	1,964	0	416	1,800	2,285	695	1,628	944	1,091	0	732	406	1,489	2,476	19,123	<b>19,670</b>
05-06 AVG	Assigned	1,533	1,059	669	0	1,987	0	419	1,824	2,314	707	1,651	950	1,101	0	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	0	735	402	1,487	2,432	19,115	<b>19,670</b>
06-07 AVG	Assigned	553	1,054	703	0	1,994	976	411	1,812	2,325	706	1,653	951	1,103	0	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	0	732	376	1,484	2,443	19,166	<b>19,804</b>
07-08 AVG	Assigned	533	1,041	727	0	1,994	975	407	1,807	2,326	709	1,651	945	1,215	0	738	376	1,512	2,485	19,440	
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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.