

Mississippi Department of Corrections Annual Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) Report 2025

PREA Background:

The Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) is the first United States Law passed dealing with sexual assault of prisoners and was signed into law on September 4, 2003. The PREA standards were drafted with the goal of ending prison rape.

The Mississippi Department of Corrections (MDOC) has adopted policies and is committed to preventing, detecting and responding to sexual abuse and sexual misconducts in the correctional setting. As a result of MDOC's effort to become compliant with the PREA standards, the PREA Division, a branch of the Corrections Investigation Division (CID) was implemented in an effort to ensure all allegations of sexual abuse and sexual misconducts are investigated promptly and thoroughly.

MDOC has established and implemented a zero-tolerance policy regarding sexual abuse and sexual misconduct in order to make identification, prosecution and elimination of sexual misconducts and sexual abuse a top priority for MDOC and contracting facilities who house MDOC offenders.

Ways to Report Incidents of Sexual Misconduct:

MDOC accepts and investigates all reports regarding allegations/incidents or knowledge of any allegations/incidents of sexual misconducts of offenders or staff from third-party callers (family, friends, clergy, vendors, contractors), or any person having knowledge of a PREA related incident.

You can report a PREA Incident by:

1. Completing a PREA Incident Report on the MDOC Website
2. Verbally report to any MDOC Employee, Contract Personnel, or Advocate Staff
3. Providing a written notification to MDOC Employee, Contract Personnel, or Advocate Staff
4. Calling the designated facility Tip Line, Staff can call (601) 359-5600.
Teletypewriter (TTY) assistance for hearing impaired and disabled is available
(Language suitable)
5. The Mississippi Coalition against Sexual Assault (MCASA) can be contacted at the following:

Mississippi Coalition against Sexual Assault

P. O. Box 4172

Jackson, MS 39296

(888) 987-9011

MCASA is a state-wide non-profit, nongovernmental victim's advocacy organization representing sexual assault centers in Mississippi. MDOC entered into a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with MCASA to provide intervention, advocacy, accompaniment, support services and related assistance for victims of sexual abuse.

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PREA Statistical Data for 2025

STATEWIDE

	Allegation #	Substantiated #	Unsubstantiated #	Unfounded #	Investigation On-Going #	Total #
Inmate on Inmate Nonconsensual Acts	92	0	36	56	0	92
Inmate on Inmate Abusive Sexual Contact	16	2	4	10	0	16
Staff on Inmate Sexual Misconduct	8	6	2	0	0	8
Staff on Inmate Sexual Harassment	5	0	1	4	0	5
Inmate on Inmate Sexual Harassment	88	0	27	61	0	88
Totals	209	8	70	131	0	209

State Facilities:

Central Mississippi Correction Facility (CMCF) Mississippi Correctional Institute for Women (MCIW)

Mississippi State Penitentiary (MSP) Delta Correctional Facility (DCF)

Marshall County Correctional Facility (MCC) Walnut Grove Correctional Facility(WGCF)

South Mississippi Correctional Facility (SMCI)

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	Allegation #	Substantiated #	Unsubstantiated #	Unfounded #	Investigation On-Going #	Total #
State	14	2	4	8	0	14
Community Corrections	0	0	0	0	0	0
Private	6	2	1	3	0	6
Regional	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transitional	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	20	4	5	11	0	20

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	Allegation #	Substantiated #	Unsubstantiated #	Unfounded #	Investigation On-Going #	Total #
Inmate on Inmate Nonconsensual Acts	24	2	7	15	0	24
Inmate on Inmate Abusive Sexual Contact	18	0	6	12	0	18
Staff on Inmate Sexual Misconduct	8	6	2	0	0	8
Staff on Inmate Sexual Harassment	5	0	1	4	0	5
Inmate on Inmate Sexual Harassment	35	0	18	17	0	35
Totals	90	8	34	48	0	90

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Community Corrections						
	Allegation #	Substantiated #	Unsubstantiated #	Unfounded #	Investigation On-Going #	Total #
Inmate on Inmate Nonconsensual Acts	0	0	0	0	0	0
Inmate on Inmate Abusive Sexual Contact	0	0	0	0	0	0
Staff on Inmate Sexual Misconduct	0	0	0	0	0	0
Staff on Inmate Sexual Harassment	2	0	1	1	0	2
Inmate on Inmate Sexual Harassment	2	0	1	1	0	2
Totals	4	0	2	2	0	4

Community Corrections:

Rankin Satellite

Pike CWC

Noxubee CWC Quitman CWC Madison CWC

Wilkinson CWC Forrest CWC

Pascagoula Rest. Ctr.

Private Facilities:

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	Allegation #	Substantiated #	Unsubstantiated #	Unfounded #	Investigation On-Going #	Total #
Inmate on Inmate Nonconsensual Acts	14	0	4	10	0	14
Inmate on Inmate Abusive Sexual Contact	6	2	1	3	0	6
Staff on Inmate Sexual Misconduct	1	1	0	0	0	1
Staff on Inmate Sexual Harassment	0	0	0	0	0	0
Inmate on Inmate Sexual Harassment	18	0	8	10	0	18
Totals	39	3	13	23	0	39

East MS. Corr. Facility (EMCF)

Wilkinson County Corr. Facility (WCCF)

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Regional Facilities						
	Allegation #	Substantiated #	Unsubstantiated #	Unfounded #	Investigation On-Going #	Total #
Inmate on Inmate Nonconsensual Acts	2	0	1	1	0	2
Inmate on Inmate Abusive Sexual Contact	0	0	0	0	0	0
Staff on Inmate Sexual Misconduct	0	0	0	0	0	0
Staff on Inmate Sexual Harassment	0	0	0	0	0	0
Inmate on Inmate Sexual Harassment	1	0	1	0	0	1
Totals	3	0	2	0	0	3

Regional Correctional Facilities (RCF):

Alcorn County RCF
Bolivar County RCF
Carroll/Montgomery RCF

Holmes/Humphreys RCF
Leake County RCF
Winston/Choctaw RCF

Marion Walthall RCF
Issaquena RCF

Chickasaw RCF
George/Green RCF
Jefferson/Franklin RCF

Kemper/Neshoba RCF
Stone RCF
Washington RCF
Yazoo RCF

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	Allegation #	Substantiated #	Unsubstantiated #	Unfounded #	Investigation On-Going #	Total #
Inmate on Inmate Nonconsensual Acts	0	0	0	0	0	0
Inmate on Inmate Abusive Sexual Contact	0	0	0	0	0	0
Staff on Inmate Sexual Misconduct	0	0	0	0	0	0
Staff on Inmate Sexual Harassment	0	0	0	0	0	0
Inmate on Inmate Sexual Harassment	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	0	0	0	0	0	0

Transitional Facility:

New Way Transitional Facility
Luther Martin Evangelist
Crossroad Ministries