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A STATISTICAL DESCRIPTION OF  
EDUCATION-VOCATION RELEASE PARTICIPANTS  
IN THE  
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DURING 1980

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## Introduction

One of the provisions of the Correctional Reform Act of 1972 allows inmates to attend outside facilities for the purpose of education or vocational training. Some of the intentions of the education-vocation release programs include strengthening community ties, and developing and refining skills in order to obtain better jobs in hopes that future criminal activity will be reduced.

In the fall of 1979, the Research Division developed the capacity to include education-vocation release information in its computerized data base. Since that time, education-vocation release rosters have been submitted on a monthly basis, thus providing a data source for this report.

This report identifies and describes education-vocation release participants during 1980. Data concerning an individual's personal background characteristics, present offense, criminal history, furlough participation and education-vocation release participation is presented. The tables in this report were derived from the Correction and Parole Management Information System (CAPMIS). It is hoped that this report will provide useful information on the education-vocation release program by documenting the profiles of program participants.

## Methodology

### Research Questions

This report will address the following research questions:

1. What is the extent and nature of inmate involvement in education-vocation release programs?
2. What is the statistical profile of inmate participants in education-vocation release programs?
3. How do the 1980 education-vocation release participants differ from the total inmate residents on January 1, 1981?

### Sample

The sample of education-vocation release placements consists of all individuals who attended an education-vocation release facility at any time during 1980. If an individual has more than one placement either at the same point in time or by completing one placement and subsequently entering a new placement at a different facility or different program, the individual is counted for each multiple placement. But if an individual transfers from one institution to another but remains enrolled in the same education-vocation release program, she/he is counted only once. The total number of placements for 1980 was 140 whereas the total number of individuals was 131.

### Data

Criminal history, present offense, personal background characteristics and furlough participation were compiled from the Correction and Parole Management Information System (CAPMIS).

Specific education release variables were collected from education release rosters and from information contained in inmate folders at the Department of Correction. An example of an education release roster is included in Appendix I.

### Findings

During 1980, a total of 140 education-vocation release placements were granted to 131 individuals. Of the 140 placements, 106 (76%) terminated the education-vocation release program during 1980 and 34 (24%) were still enrolled at the end of the year (as of 12/31/80). Therefore, out of a base population\* of 1,114, twelve percent participated in the education-vocation release program.

### Education-Vocation Release Participation

Eighty one percent of the participants had served at least one year in prison before being admitted to the education-vocation release program and some individuals had served over 10 years. Nearly all the participants enrolled from pre-release centers (only two individuals (1%) enrolled from a forestry camp) and the majority enrolled from state run pre-release centers. Very few inmates participated from more than one correctional institution.

Participants enrolled in programs of higher academic education, adult basic education programs (pre-high school), general equivalency diploma programs (high school equivalency), vocational

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\*The base population is obtained by adding the total number of pre-release residents on January 1, 1980 and the total number of admissions to pre-release during 1980.

programs, and self-improvement courses. As can be seen from Table 1 below, nearly half of the participants enrolled in programs of higher academic education.

TABLE 1

<u>Type of Education-Vocation Release Program</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
Four-year College or University	41	29%
Community College	20	14%
Junior College	3	2%
ABE/GED programs	28	20%
Vocational programs	45	32%
Self-improvement courses	3	2%
TOTAL	140	100%

Of the 106 education-vocation release participants terminating the program during 1980, over one third (34%) were paroled or discharged, 25% terminated due to successful completion of the education-vocation release program, 12% withdrew voluntarily, 11% were transferred to higher security, 9% transferred to another pre-release center without continuing in the education-vocation release program, 4% escaped, 3% were removed for disciplinary reasons, 2% terminated due to their program not being refunded, and 1% terminated due to the individuals beginning work release. For the 106 education-vocation release participants who terminated during 1980, the median time spent in the program was three months and ranged from less than one month to twenty months.

Present Offense Variables

The median year of commitment for the 1980 education-voca-

tion release program participants was 1978. Over half were sentenced from Suffolk Superior (42%) or Middlesex Superior (11%) courts. The majority of participants (63%) were committed for crimes against the person, whereas, 18% were committed for property offenses, 12% for sex offenses, 4% for drug offenses and 3% for other offenses. The single offense for which education-vocation release participants were most frequently committed was for armed robbery (29%), which is very similar to the percentage of armed robbers in the total inmate population. Participants were serving a median minimum sentence of five years and a median maximum sentence of ten years. Thirty six percent had indeterminate sentences and only four individuals (3%) were serving life sentences. The median age at incarceration was 23 years old and ranged from age 16 to age 53.

#### Personal Background Characteristics

The vast majority of education-vocation release participants were male. Fifty four percent were white, 44% were black, one individual was native american and one individual was hispanic. The majority of participants were single, had no prior military service and had prior addresses in the greater Boston standard metropolitan statistical area (SMSA). Most held either manual or service jobs prior to their incarceration. The median last school grade completed was 11th grade and 16% had some college prior to their present incarceration.

#### Criminal History

The median age at first arrest was seventeen years old. Over half of the participants had eleven or fewer prior court appearances. A majority of participants had prior arrests for person

and property offenses whereas a minority had prior arrests for sex, drug, drunkenness and escape offenses. Twenty percent had been committed to youth services as a juvenile, 34% had prior incarcerations at county houses of correction and 22% had prior state or federal incarcerations. Overall, 45% had served some time as an adult prior to their present incarceration.

#### Furlough Participation

Nearly all (96%) of the education-vocation release participants experienced at least one furlough during their incarceration. The median number of furloughs granted was twelve and the number of furloughs ranged from zero to 167. A grand total of 2,332 furloughs were granted to the 131 individuals participating in the education-vocation release program. Most of the furlough outcomes were successful. Forty two participants (30%) experienced at least one "late under" furlough outcome (returned within two hours of the designated time of return), whereas, only four participants (3%) experienced one "late over" furlough outcome (returned over two hours late but within 24 hours of the designated time of return). Only 3 participants (2%) escaped while on furlough. Therefore, out of the 2,332 furloughs, the escape rate for program participants is 0.1%.

Comparisons between the 1980 education-vocation release participants to the total inmate population on January 1, 1981, revealed a number of differences. There were slightly fewer males in the education-vocation release sample than were represented in the total inmate population. There was a significantly higher representation of blacks in the program sample (44%) than residents on January 1, 1981 (34%). This is particularly true

in the case of the four-year college program where the proportion of blacks is 56%. Education-vocation release participants had a higher median last school grade completed than did the inmate population as a whole. Additionally, while 16% of the program participants had experienced some college prior to their present incarceration, only 3% of the total inmate population had gone to college. Education-vocation release participants had fewer prior adult incarcerations than did the total residents sample. While nearly all (96%) of the education-vocation release participants experienced furloughs, only 26% of the total residents on January 1, 1981 had experienced furloughs. Program participants had a lower furlough escape rate 0.1% than the overall departmental furlough escape rate of 0.6%\*

Summary

A total of 140 education-vocation release placements were granted to 131 individuals during 1980 which constituted 12% of the base population. Most participants had served at least one year before being admitted to the education-vocation release program and enrolled from state-run pre-release centers. Nearly half of the participants enrolled in programs of higher academic education. The median time spent in the program was three months.

The typical program participant was a 23 year old, single white male from the greater Boston SMSA whose median last school grade completed was 11th grade. The median number of furloughs experienced was 12.

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\*Escape rates are computed by dividing the total number of furloughs resulting in escape by the total number of furloughs.

Comparisons between the 1980 education-vocation release participants to the total inmate population on January 1, 1981 revealed the following differences: 1980 education-vocation release participants were more likely to be black and had attained higher levels of education prior to their incarceration. Program participants were less likely to have had prior adult incarcerations and more likely to have experienced furloughs.



Appendix II

The tables which follow contain information concerning 1980 education-vocation release participant's personal background characteristics, criminal history and furlough participation. Each of the variables is broken down into three categories: (1) Those who terminated from the education-vocation release program during 1980, (2) Those who were currently enrolled on December 31, 1980, and (3) The total sample of all 1980 participants [the sum of (1) and (2)]

Education-Vocation Release Participation

<u>Time Served Before Entering Ed-Release</u>	<u>1980 Terminations</u>		<u>Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80</u>		<u>Total 1980 Participants</u>	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
Less than 1 year	20	(19)	7	(21)	27	(19)
1 year	24	(23)	6	(18)	30	(21)
2 years	21	(20)	4	(12)	25	(18)
3 years	11	(10)	5	(15)	16	(11)
4 years	15	(14)	6	(18)	21	(15)
5 years	1	(1)	2	(6)	3	(2)
6 years	5	(5)	1	(3)	6	(4)
7 years	3	(3)	0	(0)	3	(2)
8 years	1	(1)	0	(0)	1	(1)
11 years	1	(1)	1	(3)	2	(1)
12 years	1	(1)	0	(0)	1	(7)
13 years	1	(1)	1	(3)	2	(1)
17 years	0	(0)	1	(3)	1	(1)
Out of State Transfer	2	(2)	0	(0)	2	(1)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

<u>Transfer Indicator</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
Remained in one institution during Ed-Release placement	97	(92)	32	(94)	129	(92)
Participated in Ed-Release program from more than one institution	9	(8)	2	(6)	11	(8)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

Institutions Where Ed-Voc Release Began	1980 Terminations		Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80		Total 1980 Participants	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Plymouth Forestry Camp	1	( 1)	1	( 3)	2	( 1)
Shirley Pre-Release Center	21	(20)	3	( 9)	24	(17)
Boston Pre-Release Center	21	(20)	6	(18)	27	(19)
S. Middlesex Pre-Release Ctr.	10	( 9)	3	( 9)	13	( 9)
Park Drive Pre-Release Ctr.	18	(17)	8	(24)	26	(19)
Lancaster Pre-Release Ctr.	10	( 9)	5	(15)	15	(11)
Norfolk Pre-Release Center	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Temporary Housing Project	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
Charlotte House	6	( 6)	0	( 0)	6	( 4)
577 House	4	( 4)	1	( 3)	5	( 4)
699 House	3	( 3)	0	( 0)	3	( 2)
Coolidge House	6	( 6)	2	( 6)	8	( 6)
Brooke House	3	( 3)	5	(15)	8	( 6)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

Time In Ed-Voc Release	N		%		N		%	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Currently Enrolled on 12/31/80	0	( 0)	34	(100)	34	(24)		
Less than one month	15	(14)	0	( 0)	15	(11)		
One month	19	(18)	0	( 0)	19	(14)		
Two months	15	(14)	0	( 0)	15	(11)		
Three months	26	(25)	0	( 0)	26	(19)		
Four months	7	( 7)	0	( 0)	7	( 5)		
Five months	4	( 4)	0	( 0)	4	( 3)		
Six months	8	( 8)	0	( 0)	8	( 6)		
Seven months	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)		
Eight months	4	( 4)	0	( 0)	4	( 3)		
Nine months	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)		
Ten months	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)		
11 to 20 months	3	( 3)	0	( 0)	3	( 2)		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>		

Education Release School/Facility	1980 Terminations		Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80		Total 1980 Participants	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
U Mass Boston	6	( 6)	3	( 9)	9	( 6)
Fitchburg State	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Boston University	1	( 1)	4	(12)	5	( 4)
Northeastern University	5	( 5)	0	( 0)	5	( 4)
Harvard University	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
Boston State	7	( 7)	0	( 0)	7	( 5)
Framingham State	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
Wentworth Institution	1	( 1)	4	(12)	5	( 4)
Bentley College	0	( 0)	1	( 3)	1	( 1)
New England Conservatory	2	( 2)	2	( 6)	4	( 3)
Mt. Wachusett Community Col.	9	( 9)	0	( 0)	9	( 6)
Roxbury Community College	2	( 2)	1	( 3)	3	( 2)
Bunker Hill Community College	3	( 3)	2	( 6)	5	( 4)
Quinsigamond Community Col.	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
Massasoit Community College	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Worcester Junior College	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Fisher Junior College	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
Adult Basic Education (ABE)	13	(12)	4	(12)	17	(12)
General Equivalency Diploma	8	( 8)	3	( 9)	11	( 8)
Vocation Release Programs	35	(33)	10	(29)	45	(32)
Martial Arts	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
Philosophy Foundation	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

Reason For Termination	N	%	N	%	N	%
Paroled	33	(31)	0	( 0)	33	(24)
Discharged	3	( 3)	0	( 0)	3	( 2)
Successful Completion of Ed Release	26	(25)	0	( 0)	26	(19)
Removed for Disciplinary Reasons	3	( 3)	0	( 0)	3	( 2)
Withdrew Voluntarily	13	(12)	0	( 0)	13	( 9)
Transferred to Pre-Release	9	( 9)	0	( 0)	9	( 6)
Escaped	4	( 4)	0	( 0)	4	( 3)
Started Work Release	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Transferred to higher Sec. Program not refunded	12	(11)	0	( 0)	12	( 9)
Currently Enrolled 12/31/80	0	( 0)	34	(100)	34	(24)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

Present Offense Variables

<u>Commitment Year</u>	<u>1980 Terminations</u>		<u>Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80</u>		<u>Total 1980 Participants</u>	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
1963	0	( 0)	1	( 3)	1	( 1)
1966	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
1967	0	( 0)	1	( 3)	1	( 1)
1969	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
1971	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
1973	3	( 3)	0	( 0)	3	( 2)
1974	5	( 5)	1	( 3)	6	( 4)
1975	7	( 7)	2	( 6)	9	( 6)
1976	13	(12)	5	(15)	18	(13)
1977	15	(14)	3	( 9)	18	(13)
1978	27	(25)	7	(21)	34	(24)
1979	29	(27)	7	(21)	36	(26)
1980	4	( 4)	7	(21)	11	( 8)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

<u>Commitment Source</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
Court Commitment	100	(94)	33	(97)	133	(95)
"B" Sentence	1	( 1)	1	( 3)	2	( 1)
Out of State Transfer	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
House of Correction Trans.	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
From and After Sentence	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

<u>Court from which Commitment</u>	<u>1980 Terminations</u>		<u>Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80</u>		<u>Total 1980 Participants</u>	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
Barnstable	3	( 3)	1	( 3)	4	( 3)
Berkshire	1	( 1)	1	( 3)	2	( 1)
Bristol	3	( 3)	3	( 9)	6	( 4)
Essex	4	( 4)	2	( 6)	6	( 4)
Franklin	3	( 3)	0	( 0)	3	( 2)
Hampden	3	( 3)	3	( 9)	6	( 4)
Middlesex	14	(13)	2	( 6)	16	(11)
Norfolk	8	( 8)	0	( 0)	8	( 6)
Plymouth	7	( 7)	3	( 9)	10	( 7)
Suffolk	43	(41)	16	(47)	59	(42)
Worcester	9	( 9)	3	( 9)	12	( 9)
Municipal Courts	3	( 3)	0	( 0)	3	( 2)
Transfers	3	( 3)	0	( 0)	3	( 2)
From and After	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

<u>Jail Credits</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
None	43	(41)	11	(32)	54	(39)
1 to 10	17	(16)	7	(21)	24	(17)
11 to 50	16	(15)	4	(12)	20	(14)
51 to 100	6	( 6)	3	( 9)	9	( 6)
101 to 150	5	( 5)	2	( 6)	7	( 5)
151 to 200	8	( 8)	3	( 9)	11	( 8)
Over 200	11	(10)	4	(12)	15	(11)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

Present Offense	1980 Terminations		Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80		Total 1980 Participants	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
	Murder - 2	1	( 1)	3	( 9)	4
Conspiracy to commit murder	0	( 0)	2	( 6)	2	( 1)
Manslaughter	12	(11)	6	(18)	18	(13)
Assault w/Intent	4	( 4)	0	( 0)	4	( 3)
Armed Robbery	29	(27)	11	(32)	40	(29)
Unarmed Robbery	8	( 8)	2	( 6)	10	( 7)
Armed Assault	5	( 5)	1	( 3)	6	( 4)
Mayhem	3	( 3)	1	( 3)	4	( 3)
Rape	10	( 9)	3	( 9)	13	( 9)
Rape of Child	2	( 2)	1	( 3)	3	( 2)
Child Pornography	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Arson	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Armed Burglary	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
Burglary	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Possession of Burglary tools	12	(11)	2	( 6)	14	(10)
Larceny	0	( 0)	1	( 3)	1	( 1)
Forgery & Uttering	5	( 5)	0	( 0)	5	( 4)
Escape	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
Weapons	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
Prostitution	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Sale of Heroin	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Controlled Subst. (no class)	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Class A Substance	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Class C Substance	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
	1	( 1)	1	( 3)	3	( 2)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

Minimum Sentence	N		%		N		%	
Indeterminate	39	(37)	11	(32)	50	(36)		
Under 5 years	13	(12)	6	(18)	19	(14)		
5 years	15	(14)	2	( 6)	17	(12)		
to 10 years	30	(28)	9	(26)	39	(28)		
10 or more years	8	( 8)	3	( 9)	11	( 8)		
Life	1	( 1)	3	( 9)	4	( 3)		
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)		

<u>Maximum Sentence</u>	<u>1980 Terminations</u>		<u>Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80</u>		<u>Total 1980 Participants</u>	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
5 years or less	17	(16)	5	(15)	22	(16)
6 to 9 years	17	(16)	6	(18)	23	(16)
10 years	27	(25)	4	(12)	31	(22)
11 to 19 years	30	(28)	13	(38)	43	(31)
20 or more years	14	(13)	3	(9)	17	(12)
Life	1	(1)	3	(9)	4	(3)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

<u>Age At Incarceration</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
16	0	(0)	1	(3)	1	(1)
17	1	(1)	0	(0)	1	(1)
18	6	(6)	5	(15)	11	(8)
19	9	(8)	2	(6)	11	(8)
20	7	(7)	1	(3)	8	(6)
21	11	(10)	1	(3)	12	(9)
22	8	(8)	2	(6)	10	(7)
23	13	(12)	3	(9)	16	(11)
24	8	(8)	3	(9)	11	(8)
25	5	(5)	3	(9)	8	(6)
26 to 29	23	(22)	9	(26)	32	(23)
30 to 39	9	(8)	4	(12)	13	(9)
42 to 53	6	(6)	0	(0)	6	(4)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

Personal Background Characteristics

<u>Sex</u>	<u>1980 Terminations</u>		<u>Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80</u>		<u>Total 1980 Participants</u>	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
Male	99	(93)	31	(91)	130	(93)
Female	7	( 7)	3	( 9)	10	( 7)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

<u>Race</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
White	58	(55)	18	(53)	76	(54)
Black	46	(43)	16	(47)	62	(44)
Native American	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Black Hispanic	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

<u>Marital Status</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
Married	25	(24)	3	( 9)	28	(20)
Single	69	(65)	25	(74)	94	(67)
Divorced	6	( 6)	3	( 9)	9	( 6)
Widowed	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
Common Law	1	( 1)	1	( 3)	2	( 1)
Separated	4	( 4)	2	( 6)	6	( 4)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

	1980 Terminations		Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80		Total 1980 Participants	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
ary Service				(74)	94	(67)
Service	69	(65)	25	(18)	18	(13)
orable	12	(11)	6	(0)	4	(3)
l Conduct	4	(4)	0	(0)	2	(1)
ical	2	(2)	0	(6)	13	(9)
schARGE Unknown	11	(10)	2	(3)	9	(6)
rvice Unknown	8	(8)	1			
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

Prior Address ard Metro. Stat. Area	N		%		N		%	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
Boston	63	(59)	19	(56)	82	(59)		
Brockton	7	(7)	0	(0)	7	(5)		
Fall River	2	(2)	0	(0)	2	(1)		
Fitchburg-Leominster	3	(3)	0	(0)	3	(2)		
Lawrence-Haverhill	3	(3)	0	(3)	4	(3)		
Lowell	4	(4)	1	(0)	4	(3)		
New Bedford	1	(1)	0	(12)	5	(4)		
Pittsfield	1	(1)	4	(3)	2	(1)		
Springfield	4	(4)	1	(9)	7	(5)		
Worcester	5	(5)	3	(0)	5	(4)		
Other Mass.	8	(8)	0	(6)	10	(7)		
Out of State	5	(5)	2	(12)	9	(6)		
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)		

<u>Occupation</u>	1980 Terminations		Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80		Total 1980 Participants	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
Professional	3	( 3)	0	( 0)	3	( 2)
Semi-Professional	4	( 4)	2	( 6)	6	( 4)
Business	4	( 4)	0	( 0)	4	( 3)
Sales, Clinical	7	( 7)	5	(15)	12	( 9)
Manual	62	(58)	18	(53)	80	(57)
Services	20	(19)	7	(21)	27	(19)
Student	0	( 0)	1	( 3)	1	( 1)
Unemployed	6	( 6)	1	( 3)	7	( 5)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

<u>Time At Job Of Longest Duration</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
Less than one month	10	( 9)	3	( 9)	13	( 9)
1 to 2 months	5	( 5)	1	( 3)	6	( 4)
3 to 4 months	7	( 7)	6	(18)	13	( 9)
5 to 6 months	10	( 9)	5	(15)	15	(11)
7 to 9 months	11	(10)	2	( 6)	13	( 9)
10 to 12 months	5	( 5)	4	(12)	9	( 6)
1 to 2 years	21	(20)	6	(18)	27	(19)
2 to 5 years	21	(20)	3	( 9)	24	(17)
5 or more years	8	( 8)	2	( 6)	10	( 7)
Unknown	8	( 8)	2	( 6)	10	( 7)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

<u>Time At Most Skilled Position</u>	<u>1980 Terminations</u>		<u>Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80</u>		<u>Total 1980 Participants</u>	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
Less than one month	12	(11)	3	( 9)	15	(11)
1 to 2 months	7	( 7)	1	( 3)	8	( 6)
3 to 4 months	9	( 8)	7	(21)	16	(11)
5 to 6 months	10	( 9)	5	(15)	15	(11)
7 to 9 months	10	( 9)	2	( 6)	12	( 9)
10 to 12 months	6	( 6)	3	( 9)	9	( 6)
1 to 2 years	18	(17)	5	(15)	23	(16)
2 to 5 years	20	(19)	3	( 9)	23	(16)
5 or more years	7	( 7)	2	(16)	9	( 6)
Unknown	7	( 7)	3	( 9)	10	( 7)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

<u>Last Grade Completed</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
3rd or Less	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
4th to 6th	5	( 5)	1	( 3)	6	( 4)
7th	4	( 4)	1	( 3)	5	( 4)
8th	11	(10)	4	(12)	15	(11)
9th	12	(11)	5	(15)	17	(12)
10th	15	(14)	6	(18)	21	(15)
11th	8	( 8)	0	( 0)	8	( 6)
High School Grad	36	(34)	8	(24)	44	(31)
Some College	9	( 8)	9	(26)	18	(13)
College Grad	5	( 5)	0	( 0)	5	( 4)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

Criminal History

<u>Total Court Appearances</u>	<u>1980 Terminations</u>		<u>Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80</u>		<u>Total 1980 Participants</u>	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
1st Offense	7	( 7)	2	( 6)	9	( 6)
Two	13	(12)	4	(12)	17	(12)
Three	5	( 5)	2	( 6)	7	( 5)
Four	3	( 3)	2	( 6)	5	( 4)
Five	8	( 8)	0	( 0)	8	( 6)
6 to 8	9	( 9)	9	(26)	18	(13)
9 to 11	16	(15)	6	(18)	22	(16)
12 to 15	11	(10)	6	(18)	17	(12)
16 to 20	16	(15)	3	( 9)	19	(14)
Over 20	17	(16)	0	( 0)	17	(12)
Unknown	1	( 1)	0	( 0)	1	( 1)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

<u>Number Of Prior Charges For Person Offenses</u>	<u>N</u>		<u>%</u>		<u>N</u>		<u>%</u>	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>%</u>	
None	14	(13)	2	( 6)	16	(11)		
One	15	(14)	11	(32)	26	(19)		
Two	21	(20)	6	(18)	27	(19)		
Three	18	(17)	5	(15)	23	(16)		
Four	9	( 9)	1	( 3)	10	( 7)		
Five	10	( 9)	3	( 9)	13	( 9)		
6 to 8	11	(10)	2	( 6)	13	( 9)		
Over 8	8	( 8)	4	(12)	12	( 9)		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>		

<u>Number Of Prior Charges For Property Offenses</u>	<u>1980 Terminations</u>		<u>Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80</u>		<u>Total 1980 Participants</u>	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
None	19	(18)	8	(24)	27	(19)
One	22	(21)	3	(9)	25	(18)
Two	7	(7)	3	(9)	10	(7)
Three	7	(7)	4	(12)	11	(8)
Four	2	(2)	3	(9)	5	(4)
Five	6	(6)	2	(6)	8	(6)
6 to 8	9	(9)	5	(15)	14	(10)
Over 8	34	(32)	6	(18)	40	(29)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

<u>Number Of Prior Charges For Sex Offenses</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
	None	83	(78)	27	(79)	110
One	15	(14)	5	(15)	20	(14)
Two	5	(5)	1	(3)	6	(4)
Three	1	(1)	1	(3)	2	(1)
Four	2	(2)	0	(0)	2	(1)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

Number Of Prior Charges For Drug Offenses	1980 Terminations		Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80		Total 1980 Participants	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	65	(61)	20	(59)	85	(61)
One	19	(18)	4	(12)	23	(16)
Two	6	( 6)	2	( 6)	8	( 6)
3 to 5	11	(10)	2	( 6)	13	( 9)
Over 5	5	( 5)	6	(18)	11	( 8)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

Number Of Prior Charges For Drunkenness Offenses	N	%	N	%	N	%
	None	80	(75)	29	(85)	109
One	11	(10)	3	( 9)	14	(10)
Two	7	( 7)	1	( 3)	8	( 6)
Over 2	8	( 8)	1	( 3)	9	( 6)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

Number Of Prior Charges For Escape Offenses	N	%	N	%	N	%
	None	99	(93)	33	(97)	132
One	4	( 4)	1	( 3)	5	( 4)
Two	3	( 3)	0	( 0)	3	( 2)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

Number of Juvenile Incarcerations/Commitments	1980 Terminations		Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80		Total 1980 Participant	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	82	(77)	30	(88)	112	(80)
One or more	24	(23)	4	(12)	28	(20)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

Number Of Prior County Incarcerations	1980 Terminations		Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80		Total 1980 Participant	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	68	(64)	25	(74)	93	(66)
One	18	(17)	5	(15)	23	(16)
Two	12	(11)	3	(9)	15	(11)
Over 2	8	(8)	1	(3)	9	(6)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

Number Of Prior State Or Federal Incarcerations	1980 Terminations		Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80		Total 1980 Participant	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	81	(76)	28	(82)	109	(78)
One	18	(17)	5	(15)	23	(16)
Two	6	(6)	0	(0)	6	(4)
Over 2	1	(1)	1	(3)	2	(1)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

Total Number Of Prior Adult Incarcerations	1980 Terminations		Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80		Total 1980 Participant	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
None	56	(53)	21	(62)	77	(55)
One	19	(18)	7	(21)	26	(19)
Two	19	(18)	4	(12)	23	(16)
Over Two	12	(9)	2	(6)	14	(10)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

<u>Total Number Of Prior Paroles</u>	<u>1980 Terminations</u>		<u>Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80</u>		<u>Total 1980 Participants</u>	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
None	73	(69)	29	(85)	102	(73)
One	18	(17)	4	(12)	22	(16)
Two	8	( 8)	0	( 0)	8	( 6)
Over Two	7	( 7)	1	( 3)	8	( 6)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

<u>Total Number Of Prior Parole Violations</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
	Never Paroled	73	(69)	29	(85)	102
None	14	(13)	1	( 3)	15	(11)
One	13	(12)	3	( 9)	16	(11)
Two	5	( 5)	0	( 0)	5	( 4)
Over Two	1	( 1)	1	( 3)	2	( 1)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

<u>Age At First Arrest</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
Nine	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
Ten	3	( 3)	0	( 0)	3	( 2)
Eleven	3	( 3)	0	( 0)	3	( 2)
Twelve	8	( 8)	1	( 3)	9	( 6)
Thirteen	7	( 7)	2	( 6)	9	( 6)
Fourteen	8	( 8)	2	( 6)	10	( 7)
Fifteen	5	( 5)	2	( 6)	7	( 5)
Sixteen	12	(11)	4	(12)	16	(11)
Seventeen	18	(17)	11	(32)	29	(21)
Eighteen	6	( 6)	2	( 6)	8	( 6)
Nineteen	7	( 7)	1	( 3)	8	( 6)
Twenty	2	( 2)	3	( 9)	5	( 4)
21 to 25	15	(14)	5	(15)	20	(14)
26 to 29	7	( 7)	0	( 0)	7	( 5)
30 to 52	1	( 1)	1	( 3)	2	( 1)
Unknown	2	( 2)	0	( 0)	2	( 1)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

Furlough Participation

<u>Total Number Of Furloughs</u>	<u>1980 Terminations</u>		<u>Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80</u>		<u>Total 1980 Participants</u>	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
None	4	( 4)	1	( 3)	5	( 4)
1 to 10	46	(43)	13	(38)	59	(42)
11 to 20	26	(25)	9	(26)	35	(25)
21 to 50	28	(26)	9	(26)	37	(26)
Over 50	2	( 2)	2	( 6)	4	( 3)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>

<u>Number Of Successful Furloughs</u>	<u>N</u>		<u>%</u>		<u>N</u>		<u>%</u>	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
Never Furloughed	4	( 4)	1	( 3)	5	( 4)		
None	1	( 1)	1	( 3)	2	( 1)		
1 to 10	48	(45)	12	(35)	60	(43)		
11 to 20	25	(24)	10	(29)	35	(25)		
21 to 50	26	(25)	8	(24)	34	(24)		
Over 50	2	( 2)	2	( 6)	4	( 3)		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>		

<u>Number Of Late Under Furlough Outcomes</u>	<u>N</u>		<u>%</u>		<u>N</u>		<u>%</u>	
	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>%</u>
Never Furloughed	4	( 4)	1	( 3)	5	( 4)		
None	73	(69)	20	(59)	93	(66)		
One	14	(13)	10	(29)	24	(17)		
Two	9	( 8)	1	( 3)	10	( 7)		
3 or More	6	( 6)	2	( 6)	8	( 6)		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>(100)</b>	<b>140</b>	<b>(100)</b>		

Number of "Late Over" Furlough Outcomes	1980 Terminations		Currently Enrolled On 12/31/80		Total 1980 Participants	
	N	%	N	%	N	%
Never Furloughed	4	( 4)	1	( 3)	5	( 4)
None	98	(92)	33	(97)	131	(94)
One	4	( 4)	0	( 0)	4	( 3)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)

Number Of Escape Furlough Outcomes	N	%	N	%	N	%
	Never Furloughed	4	( 4)	1	( 3)	5
None	99	(93)	33	(97)	132	(94)
One	3	( 3)	0	( 0)	3	( 2)
TOTAL	106	(100)	34	(100)	140	(100)