

**REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE**  
**Pursuant to P.A. 63 of 2011**  
**Section 913**

**Assaultive Offender and Sex Offender Programming Report – 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter**

**Section 913:** The department shall submit a quarterly report to the members of the senate and house appropriations subcommittees on corrections, the senate and house fiscal agencies, the state budget director, and the legislative corrections ombudsman detailing enrollment in sex offender programming and assaultive offender programming.

(a) A full accounting of the number of individuals who are required to complete either sex offender programming or assaultive offender programming, but have not yet done so.

During the third quarter the department made the decision to transition from the Assaultive Offender Program (AOP) to the Violence Prevention Program (VPP). The numbers below are based on prisoners required to complete VPP or Sex Offender Programming (SOP).

<b>Program Name</b>	<b>Zero to One Year to Earliest Release Date (ERD)</b>	<b>Greater Than One Year to Two Years to ERD</b>	<b>More Than Two Years to ERD</b>	<b>Total</b>
Violence Prevention Programming (VPP)	797	1,170	6,067	8,034
Sex Offender Programming (SOP)	646	583	3,517	4,746

(b) The number of individuals who have reached their earliest release date (ERD), but who have not completed required sex offender and/or assaultive offender programming.

	<b>Past Earliest Release Date</b>
Violence Prevention Programming (VPP)	750
Sex Offender Programming (SOP)	782
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,532</b>

*\*The numbers for (a) and (b) include those prisoners who are lifers and represent all security levels. Currently, SOP is only delivered to prisoners with a Classified True Security Level I or II (including Protective Custody). These numbers exclude those prisoners who were provided an opportunity at AOP, VPP or SOP, but refused, voluntarily terminated, or for some other reason were unable to complete the program.*

\*\* Additional criteria for program placement will be applied to the individuals who comprise the VPP waiting list. Once screened, the criteria will determine prisoner assignment to the appropriate VPP dosage of High or Moderate, or if ineligible for programming. Those who are ineligible for VPP may be placed into alternative programming based on their level of risk and needs.

(c) A plan of action for addressing any waiting lists or backlogs for sex offender programming or assaultive offender programming that may exist.

On September 15, 2012 a new application for program recommendation and follow-up status was implemented in Offender Management Network Information (OMNI). This will eliminate duplicate, contradictory, and outdated program information in the database. Staff members have been trained to utilize this new application. Programming for all incoming offenders at Reception Guidance Center (RGC) will be entered into this application while existing offenders will be entered into this application at their semi-annual review or earlier if their situation dictates.