



Corrections and Community Supervision

Unusual Incident Report

January – December 2022, with Ten-Year Trends from 2013 - 2022

Introduction

The Unusual Incident System maintains information on incidents that occur within the New York State Department of Corrections and Community Supervision (DOCCS). Unusual incidents are serious occurrences that may impact upon or disrupt facility operations, have the potential for disrupting the Department's public image, or might arouse widespread public interest. All unusual incidents are reported by telephone to the DOCCS Communication Control Center located in Albany and entered into the computer system via terminals at correctional facilities.

The reporting system is capable of recording information on more than one type of unusual incident that occurs as part of an event. This system can also identify all incarcerated individuals and staff listed in incidents, along with information about them, such as whether an injury was sustained by an incarcerated individual or a staff member, whether an incarcerated individual used a weapon, or whether a staff member used force.

This report includes information on unusual incidents that occurred during the current reporting year (January – December 2022), along with comparisons to trends in unusual incidents in the past ten years (2013 - 2022). This report includes incidents at all DOCCS facilities, including drug treatment and parole diversion facilities. Previous versions of this report excluded those facilities, so historical data presented has changed slightly.

Table 1. Unusual Incident Type by Year: 2013 - 2022

| Incident Type | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2013 - 2022 | | 2021 - 2022 | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|------------|-------------|-----------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | # | % | # | % |
| Accident | 583 | 583 | 533 | 544 | 572 | 581 | 589 | 372 | 403 | 395 | -188 | -32% | -8 | -2% |
| Assault on Incarcerated Individuals | 773 | 864 | 919 | 1,138 | 1,227 | 1,166 | 1,267 | 1,206 | 1,107 | 1,489 | 716 | 93% | 382 | 35% |
| Assault on Other | 7 | 8 | 7 | 13 | 9 | 11 | 12 | 5 | 3 | 10 | 3 | 43% | 7 | 233% |
| Assault on Staff | 655 | 755 | 906 | 771 | 825 | 990 | 1,043 | 1,053 | 1,177 | 1,472 | 817 | 125% | 295 | 25% |
| Contagious Disease | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 263 | 622 | 554 | 554 | -- | -68 | -11% |
| Contraband | 2,976 | 3,640 | 4,766 | 4,765 | 5,257 | 5,363 | 6,153 | 5,681 | 4,576 | 3,069 | 93 | 3% | -1,507 | -33% |
| Death | 145 | 132 | 124 | 152 | 158 | 143 | 118 | 130 | 147 | 119 | -26 | -18% | -28 | -19% |
| Disruption of Facility | 4 | 10 | 7 | 11 | 14 | 19 | 19 | 33 | 17 | 23 | 19 | 475% | 6 | 35% |
| Disruptive Behavior | 522 | 516 | 572 | 636 | 957 | 1,282 | 1,754 | 1,723 | 1,841 | 2,236 | 1,714 | 328% | 395 | 21% |
| Employee Job Action | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | -- | 2 | -- |
| Employee Misconduct | 121 | 118 | 117 | 109 | 94 | 103 | 94 | 70 | 57 | 57 | -64 | -53% | 0 | 0% |
| Escape | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | -1 | -100% | 0 | -- |
| Escape Attempt | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 500% | 4 | 200% |
| Fire | 34 | 16 | 30 | 24 | 25 | 22 | 25 | 55 | 44 | 32 | -2 | -6% | -12 | -27% |
| Incarcerated Individual Disturbance | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | -- | 1 | -- |
| Mass Demonstration | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 16 | 16 | -- | 13 | 433% |
| Narcan Use | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 282 | 432 | 529 | 475 | 475 | -- | -54 | -10% |
| Property Destroyed | 3 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 8 | 5 | 10 | 9 | 8 | 11 | 8 | 267% | 3 | 38% |
| Property Lost or Stolen | 76 | 57 | 70 | 80 | 86 | 96 | 73 | 43 | 71 | 69 | -7 | -9% | -2 | -3% |
| Self-Inflicted Injury | 76 | 93 | 73 | 77 | 114 | 116 | 78 | 58 | 56 | 54 | -22 | -29% | -2 | -4% |
| Sexual Misconduct | 51 | 58 | 70 | 39 | 40 | 45 | 34 | 15 | 15 | 15 | -36 | -71% | 0 | 0% |
| Suicide Attempt | 160 | 182 | 157 | 188 | 146 | 149 | 206 | 178 | 178 | 175 | 15 | 9% | -3 | -2% |
| Temp Release Related | 29 | 28 | 17 | 23 | 43 | 32 | 20 | 144 | 47 | 18 | -11 | -38% | -29 | -62% |
| Visitor Arrest | 107 | 126 | 172 | 393 | 475 | 410 | 409 | 202 | 193 | 392 | 285 | 266% | 199 | 103% |
| Weapons Used by Staff | 203 | 191 | 205 | 293 | 714 | 1,217 | 1,847 | 1,929 | 1,934 | 2,509 | 2,306 | 1,136% | 575 | 30% |
| Other Incidents | 425 | 415 | 433 | 583 | 415 | 421 | 417 | 323 | 441 | 443 | 18 | 4% | 2 | 0% |
| Total | 6,952 | 7,798 | 9,185 | 9,846 | 11,184 | 12,179 | 14,470 | 13,936 | 13,471 | 13,642 | 6,690 | 96% | 171 | 1% |

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Table 1 displays the number of unusual incidents by type from 2013 through 2022. The number of unusual incidents has increased 96% from 6,952 in 2013 to 13,642 in 2022.

Table 2. Other Unusual Incidents by Type and Year: 2013 - 2022

| Incident Type | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 |
|--|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| AED Use | 67 | 66 | 81 | 128 | 119 | 98 | 101 | 87 | 110 | 130 |
| Arrest of Non-Releasee/Non-Employee | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Body Cavity Search | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Body Fluid/Human Waste- Attempted Assault | 3 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 9 | 1 | 6 | 2 |
| Drone | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 5 |
| Employee Order of Protection | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 | 11 | 12 | 19 |
| Erroneous Release | 2 | 1 | 6 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 2 |
| Family Reunion Visit Other | 3 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Family Reunion Visit Termination | 8 | 5 | 5 | 11 | 8 | 11 | 7 | 2 | 1 | 5 |
| Hunger Strike | 16 | 24 | 30 | 26 | 33 | 26 | 23 | 20 | 18 | 12 |
| Medical Emergency | 2 | 9 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 |
| Overall Facility Search | 9 | 6 | 8 | 9 | 5 | 6 | 6 | 1 | 7 | 6 |
| Planned Area Search | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 22 |
| Pregnant Incarcerated Individual Shackled | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Pregnant Incarcerated Individual- Staff in Delivery Room | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Restraint Chair Use | 5 | 7 | 3 | 6 | 12 | 5 | 3 | 5 | 9 | 1 |
| Significant Exposure | 35 | 38 | 46 | 49 | 42 | 56 | 61 | 64 | 66 | 94 |
| Spit Net Use | 63 | 65 | 81 | 85 | 81 | 108 | 113 | 83 | 127 | 123 |
| Visitor Limited Visual Search | 200 | 165 | 144 | 222 | 74 | 82 | 56 | 33 | 65 | 12 |
| Visitor Strip Search | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Other | 11 | 19 | 11 | 28 | 27 | 13 | 10 | 5 | 9 | 5 |
| Total | 425 | 415 | 433 | 583 | 415 | 421 | 417 | 323 | 441 | 443 |

Table 2 presents the specific unusual incident types that are combined together under the category of “Other” incidents in Table 1. There were 443 other incidents in 2022, compared to 441 in 2021. The largest category among other incidents was AED use, followed by spit net use.

Table 3. Select Incidents by Facility, January - December 2022

| Correctional Facility | Assault on Incar. Individ. | Assault on Staff | Contraband | Disruptive Behavior | Weapons Used by Staff | All Other | Total Incidents |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|------------------|--------------|---------------------|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------|
| Adirondack | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 12 |
| Albion | 6 | 7 | 11 | 17 | 14 | 37 | 92 |
| Altona | 1 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 12 | 25 |
| Attica | 57 | 47 | 166 | 99 | 102 | 120 | 591 |
| Auburn | 43 | 47 | 180 | 80 | 84 | 56 | 490 |
| Bare Hill | 22 | 12 | 22 | 8 | 12 | 32 | 108 |
| Bedford Hills | 6 | 28 | 10 | 71 | 76 | 42 | 233 |
| Cape Vincent | 8 | 12 | 52 | 22 | 27 | 21 | 142 |
| Cayuga | 6 | 37 | 20 | 34 | 34 | 56 | 187 |
| Clinton | 108 | 54 | 177 | 109 | 145 | 107 | 700 |
| Collins | 54 | 36 | 81 | 66 | 67 | 73 | 377 |
| Coxsackie | 17 | 59 | 70 | 56 | 59 | 84 | 345 |
| Downstate | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 8 | 16 |
| Eastern | 22 | 13 | 55 | 24 | 31 | 45 | 190 |
| Edgecombe | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 9 |
| Elmira | 139 | 56 | 150 | 68 | 89 | 110 | 612 |
| Fishkill | 59 | 82 | 138 | 82 | 99 | 166 | 626 |
| Five Points | 60 | 108 | 122 | 163 | 183 | 130 | 766 |
| Franklin | 96 | 16 | 76 | 65 | 78 | 35 | 366 |
| Gouverneur | 6 | 11 | 37 | 39 | 36 | 34 | 163 |
| Great Meadow | 68 | 143 | 212 | 250 | 252 | 124 | 1,049 |
| Green Haven | 82 | 81 | 193 | 92 | 117 | 195 | 760 |
| Greene | 168 | 43 | 121 | 80 | 83 | 106 | 601 |
| Groveland | 59 | 15 | 59 | 17 | 12 | 58 | 220 |
| Hale Creek | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 8 | 14 |
| Hudson | 0 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 16 | 25 |
| Lakeview | 5 | 26 | 13 | 27 | 23 | 40 | 134 |
| Marcy | 48 | 101 | 92 | 110 | 179 | 116 | 646 |
| Mid-State | 54 | 55 | 114 | 88 | 77 | 89 | 477 |
| Mohawk | 34 | 15 | 98 | 45 | 42 | 121 | 355 |
| Moriah Shock | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Ogdensburg | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Orleans | 4 | 15 | 18 | 30 | 32 | 46 | 145 |
| Otisville | 4 | 11 | 29 | 11 | 16 | 43 | 114 |
| Queensboro | 0 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 32 | 46 |
| Riverview | 12 | 19 | 25 | 9 | 18 | 26 | 109 |
| Rochester | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Shawangunk | 4 | 6 | 31 | 17 | 14 | 43 | 115 |
| Sing Sing | 79 | 57 | 209 | 39 | 68 | 113 | 565 |
| Southport | 0 | 10 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 6 | 22 |
| Sullivan | 20 | 53 | 59 | 47 | 53 | 68 | 300 |
| Taconic | 0 | 2 | 2 | 10 | 9 | 6 | 29 |
| Ulster | 7 | 13 | 53 | 29 | 27 | 27 | 156 |
| Upstate | 22 | 58 | 60 | 183 | 179 | 116 | 618 |
| Walkkill | 8 | 18 | 47 | 12 | 12 | 25 | 122 |
| Washington | 45 | 28 | 72 | 34 | 42 | 44 | 265 |
| Wende | 17 | 41 | 50 | 40 | 52 | 104 | 304 |
| Willard | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| Woodbourne | 7 | 7 | 38 | 22 | 22 | 58 | 154 |
| Wyoming | 31 | 16 | 89 | 29 | 28 | 44 | 237 |
| Central Office | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Total | 1,489 | 1,472 | 3,069 | 2,236 | 2,509 | 2,867 | 13,642 |

The types of contraband found in DOCCS facilities in the ten-year period from 2013 to 2022 is presented in Table 4A. Between 2013 and 2022, the total number of contraband incidents increased by 3%. Between 2021 and 2022, the total number of contraband incidents decreased by 33%. In 2022, synthetic drugs accounted for 14% of the drug contraband incidents, a decrease from 2021 when synthetic drugs comprised 41% of the drug contraband incidents. New contraband reporting procedures were implemented in August 2021. Suspected drug contraband is no longer reported as a UI until after confirmatory analysis by an outside laboratory. As a result of this change, many potential drug recoveries since that time are not reflected in this report.

Between 2013 and 2022, contraband involving cutting or stabbing weapons increased 68%. In 2022, this category comprised 76% of all contraband incidents.

Between 2021 and 2022, overall drug contraband was down 88%. It should be noted that fentanyl was first recorded as a UI category in 2019, followed by increases in both 2020 and 2021, before declining in 2022.

Table 4B displays the type of contraband recovered at each DOCCS facility during 2022.

Table 4A. Contraband Incidents by Type: 2013 - 2022

| Contraband Type | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2021 - 2022 | |
|-----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|-------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | # | % |
| Alcohol | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Commercial Alcohol | 14 | 14 | 9 | 5 | 11 | 10 | 15 | 7 | 11 | 11 | 0 | 0% |
| Homemade Alcohol | 4 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 13 | 16 | 44 | 17 | -27 | -61% |
| Sub-total | 18 | 19 | 9 | 8 | 16 | 14 | 28 | 23 | 55 | 28 | -27 | -49% |
| Drug | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cocaine | 27 | 26 | 43 | 50 | 54 | 31 | 58 | 24 | 27 | 5 | -22 | -81% |
| Fentanyl | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 18 | 56 | 11 | -45 | -80% |
| Heroin | 55 | 66 | 82 | 78 | 58 | 52 | 38 | 37 | 16 | 0 | -16 | -100% |
| Illegal Drug | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -- |
| Marijuana | 526 | 480 | 523 | 675 | 668 | 557 | 513 | 314 | 233 | 103 | -130 | -56% |
| Prescription Drug | 345 | 417 | 609 | 800 | 951 | 969 | 984 | 1,103 | 747 | 94 | -653 | -87% |
| Synthetic Drug | 248 | 678 | 1,108 | 838 | 1,108 | 1,228 | 1,919 | 1,681 | 916 | 39 | -877 | -96% |
| Other Drug | 71 | 62 | 98 | 85 | 102 | 105 | 131 | 401 | 262 | 17 | -245 | -94% |
| Suspected Marijuana | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | -- |
| Suspected Prescription Drug | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | -- |
| Suspected Synthetic Drugs | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | -- |
| Sub-total | 1,276 | 1,729 | 2,463 | 2,526 | 2,941 | 2,942 | 3,651 | 3,578 | 2,257 | 274 | -1,983 | -88% |
| Electronic Device | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cell Phone | 59 | 62 | 72 | 72 | 56 | 54 | 65 | 36 | 52 | 104 | 52 | 100% |
| Media Storage: CD/DVD/USB | 15 | 32 | 54 | 41 | 35 | 33 | 50 | 28 | 57 | 104 | 47 | 82% |
| Other Electronic Device | 26 | 17 | 27 | 22 | 26 | 23 | 31 | 7 | 10 | 13 | 3 | 30% |
| Sub-total | 100 | 111 | 153 | 135 | 117 | 110 | 146 | 71 | 119 | 221 | 102 | 86% |
| Weapon Cut/Stab | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Can Lid | 231 | 237 | 267 | 216 | 136 | 149 | 150 | 130 | 140 | 156 | 16 | 11% |
| Cutting Instrument | 206 | 337 | 478 | 457 | 514 | 512 | 452 | 348 | 338 | 483 | 145 | 43% |
| Hardback Razorblade | 8 | 7 | 6 | 11 | 3 | 4 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0% |
| Ice Pick | 242 | 261 | 324 | 279 | 259 | 257 | 252 | 276 | 337 | 327 | -10 | -3% |
| Manufactured Knife | 20 | 17 | 32 | 33 | 16 | 26 | 31 | 22 | 18 | 53 | 35 | 194% |
| Razor Blade | 260 | 271 | 323 | 354 | 362 | 345 | 366 | 273 | 262 | 394 | 132 | 50% |
| Scalpel/Exacto Blade | 68 | 106 | 140 | 193 | 242 | 262 | 224 | 153 | 167 | 168 | 1 | 1% |
| Shank | 227 | 244 | 211 | 205 | 263 | 262 | 343 | 370 | 421 | 406 | -15 | -4% |
| Toothbrush | 96 | 90 | 97 | 101 | 142 | 233 | 261 | 251 | 292 | 328 | 36 | 12% |
| Utility Razorblade | 25 | 19 | 20 | 19 | 24 | 20 | 22 | 15 | 23 | 13 | -10 | -43% |
| Sub-total | 1,383 | 1,589 | 1,898 | 1,868 | 1,961 | 2,070 | 2,107 | 1,841 | 2,000 | 2,330 | 330 | 17% |
| Weapon Other | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ammunition | 7 | 6 | 9 | 10 | 7 | 9 | 20 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 3 | 100% |
| Explosive | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -- |
| Manufactured Gun | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0% |
| Weighted Cloth | 31 | 20 | 38 | 24 | 22 | 21 | 27 | 23 | 19 | 21 | 2 | 11% |
| Other Weapons | 54 | 59 | 68 | 56 | 59 | 70 | 56 | 72 | 64 | 107 | 43 | 67% |
| Sub-total | 92 | 86 | 116 | 91 | 89 | 101 | 104 | 96 | 87 | 135 | 48 | 55% |
| Other Contraband | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cash | 70 | 60 | 80 | 85 | 88 | 65 | 78 | 43 | 26 | 38 | 12 | 46% |
| Escape Paraphernalia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 6 | 3 | 7 | 4 | 133% |
| Hypodermic Needle/Syringe | 8 | 12 | 11 | 17 | 12 | 14 | 5 | 4 | 3 | 6 | 3 | 100% |
| Other | 29 | 34 | 36 | 35 | 33 | 47 | 32 | 19 | 26 | 30 | 4 | 15% |
| Sub-total | 107 | 106 | 127 | 137 | 133 | 126 | 117 | 72 | 58 | 81 | 23 | 40% |
| Grand Total | 2,976 | 3,640 | 4,766 | 4,765 | 5,257 | 5,363 | 6,153 | 5,681 | 4,576 | 3,069 | -1,507 | -33% |

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Table 4B. Number of Contraband Incidents by Facility: January - December 2022

| Facility and Security Level | Alcohol | Drug | Electronic Device | Weapon Cut/Stab | Weapon Other | Other Contraband | Total |
|------------------------------------|----------------|-------------|--------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|--------------|
| Albion | 0 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 11 |
| Altona | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Attica | 1 | 19 | 4 | 133 | 3 | 6 | 166 |
| Auburn | 0 | 8 | 6 | 157 | 6 | 3 | 180 |
| Bare Hill | 1 | 0 | 0 | 20 | 1 | 0 | 22 |
| Bedford Hills | 0 | 5 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 10 |
| Cape Vincent | 0 | 3 | 0 | 48 | 1 | 0 | 52 |
| Cayuga | 0 | 7 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 20 |
| Clinton | 0 | 9 | 0 | 162 | 2 | 4 | 177 |
| Collins | 0 | 10 | 1 | 54 | 11 | 5 | 81 |
| Coxsackie | 0 | 5 | 3 | 56 | 4 | 2 | 70 |
| Downstate | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Eastern | 5 | 2 | 2 | 44 | 2 | 0 | 55 |
| Edgecombe | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Elmira | 0 | 3 | 15 | 128 | 2 | 2 | 150 |
| Fishkill | 2 | 42 | 17 | 67 | 3 | 7 | 138 |
| Five Points | 0 | 8 | 0 | 103 | 7 | 4 | 122 |
| Franklin | 0 | 5 | 0 | 65 | 5 | 1 | 76 |
| Gouverneur | 0 | 0 | 0 | 33 | 3 | 1 | 37 |
| Great Meadow | 0 | 0 | 8 | 192 | 7 | 5 | 212 |
| Green Haven | 3 | 6 | 14 | 162 | 3 | 5 | 193 |
| Greene | 2 | 1 | 18 | 84 | 12 | 4 | 121 |
| Groveland | 0 | 9 | 3 | 43 | 4 | 0 | 59 |
| Hudson | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 3 |
| Lakeview | 0 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 13 |
| Marcy | 0 | 6 | 2 | 77 | 4 | 3 | 92 |
| Mid-State | 1 | 4 | 4 | 87 | 15 | 3 | 114 |
| Mohawk | 1 | 4 | 0 | 85 | 5 | 3 | 98 |
| Orleans | 0 | 1 | 0 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 18 |
| Otisville | 0 | 2 | 7 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 29 |
| Queensboro | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| Riverview | 0 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 2 | 0 | 25 |
| Shawangunk | 0 | 10 | 6 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 31 |
| Sing Sing | 5 | 20 | 53 | 124 | 1 | 6 | 209 |
| Southport | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Sullivan | 2 | 11 | 11 | 32 | 1 | 2 | 59 |
| Taconic | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Ulster | 0 | 4 | 4 | 38 | 4 | 3 | 53 |
| Upstate | 0 | 5 | 0 | 53 | 1 | 1 | 60 |
| Walkkill | 2 | 7 | 22 | 13 | 2 | 1 | 47 |
| Washington | 0 | 11 | 1 | 51 | 8 | 1 | 72 |
| Wende | 1 | 2 | 2 | 45 | 0 | 0 | 50 |
| Woodbourne | 0 | 12 | 6 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 38 |
| Wyoming | 2 | 27 | 0 | 48 | 11 | 1 | 89 |
| Total | 28 | 274 | 221 | 2,330 | 135 | 81 | 3,069 |

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Table 5. Unusual Incident Type by Location: January - December 2022

| Incident Type | Admin Areas | Assembly or Gym | Class or Shop | Hospital | Housing Unit | Mental Health Units | Mess Hall | Outside Facility | RRU | SHU | Visit/ Process | Walkway or Corridor | Yard | Other | Total |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------|------------|------------------|--------------|------------|----------------|---------------------|--------------|------------|---------------|
| Accident | 3 | 33 | 9 | 24 | 117 | 2 | 18 | 55 | 11 | 7 | 2 | 44 | 58 | 12 | 395 |
| Assault on Incarcerated Individuals | 0 | 30 | 15 | 8 | 751 | 27 | 55 | 7 | 53 | 6 | 2 | 203 | 297 | 35 | 1,489 |
| Assault on Other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 10 |
| Assault on Staff | 6 | 9 | 20 | 105 | 501 | 176 | 53 | 6 | 222 | 113 | 6 | 140 | 25 | 90 | 1,472 |
| Contagious Disease | 0 | 0 | 0 | 472 | 32 | 1 | 0 | 29 | 10 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 554 |
| Contraband | 75 | 25 | 33 | 102 | 1,556 | 87 | 98 | 19 | 126 | 66 | 75 | 279 | 189 | 339 | 3,069 |
| Death | 0 | 0 | 0 | 35 | 35 | 6 | 0 | 37 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 119 |
| Disruption of Facility | 6 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 23 |
| Disruptive Behavior | 4 | 12 | 29 | 105 | 827 | 176 | 154 | 12 | 292 | 133 | 6 | 215 | 187 | 84 | 2,236 |
| Employee Job Action | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Employee Misconduct | 7 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 42 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 57 |
| Escape Attempt | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6 |
| Fire | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 19 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 32 |
| Incarcerated Individual Disturbance | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Mass Demonstration | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 16 |
| Narcotics Use | 2 | 1 | 2 | 122 | 208 | 26 | 6 | 5 | 43 | 25 | 2 | 15 | 9 | 9 | 475 |
| Property Destroyed | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 11 |
| Property Lost or Stolen | 8 | 1 | 3 | 14 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 20 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 69 |
| Self-Inflicted Injury | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 18 | 24 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 54 |
| Sexual Misconduct | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 15 |
| Suicide Attempt | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 81 | 44 | 0 | 2 | 9 | 26 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 175 |
| Temp Release Related | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| Visitor Arrest | 217 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 141 | 1 | 0 | 21 | 392 |
| Weapons Used by Staff | 5 | 21 | 36 | 85 | 930 | 179 | 193 | 12 | 296 | 115 | 7 | 262 | 264 | 104 | 2,509 |
| Other Incidents | 12 | 0 | 2 | 69 | 135 | 53 | 5 | 33 | 55 | 17 | 12 | 14 | 7 | 29 | 443 |
| Total | 346 | 133 | 149 | 1,162 | 5,232 | 807 | 587 | 316 | 1,133 | 524 | 270 | 1,178 | 1,043 | 762 | 13,642 |
| Percent | 3% | 1% | 1% | 9% | 38% | 6% | 4% | 2% | 8% | 4% | 2% | 9% | 8% | 6% | 100% |

* Mental Health Units include: Residential Mental Health Unit (RMHU), Behavioral Health Unit (BHU), Therapeutic Behavioral Unit (TBU), Intermediate Care Program (ICP) and OMH Residential Crisis Treatment Program Units (RCTP, also refers to OMH Satellite Units).

Table 5 displays incident type by location for 2022. For most incident types, the most frequent incident location was housing units.

Table 6. Unusual Incident Type by Incarcerated Individual Weapon Use: January - December 2022

| Incident Type | No Weapon Used | Body as Weapon | Clubs | Cut/Stab Weapon | Garrotte | Human Waste/ Fluids | Metal Objects | Other | Unknown | Total Individuals |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|------------|-----------------|------------|---------------------|---------------|------------|-----------|-------------------|
| Accident | 318 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 318 |
| Assault on Incarcerated Individuals | 1,158 | 411 | 69 | 1,247 | 0 | 5 | 12 | 84 | 46 | 3,032 |
| Assault on Other | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Assault on Staff | 96 | 1,155 | 31 | 18 | 0 | 135 | 1 | 233 | 1 | 1,670 |
| Contagious Disease | 3,432 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3,432 |
| Contraband | 3,113 | 17 | 1 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3,148 |
| Death | 111 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 127 |
| Disruption of Facility | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 |
| Disruptive Behavior | 1,574 | 2,666 | 4 | 16 | 0 | 1 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 4,270 |
| Escape Attempt | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Fire | 53 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 55 |
| Incarcerated Individual Disturbance | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 |
| Mass Demonstration | 249 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 249 |
| Narcan Use | 498 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 498 |
| Property Destroyed | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Property Lost or Stolen | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| Self-Inflicted Injury | 5 | 7 | 0 | 33 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 4 | 54 |
| Sexual Misconduct | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| Suicide Attempt | 30 | 1 | 0 | 48 | 87 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 1 | 179 |
| Temp Release Related | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| Visitor Arrest | 396 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 396 |
| Weapons Used by Staff | 3,740 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3,749 |
| Other Incidents | 450 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 465 |
| Total | 15,321 | 4,277 | 105 | 1,382 | 101 | 152 | 20 | 339 | 53 | 21,750 |
| Percent | 70% | 20% | 0% | 6% | 0% | 1% | 0% | 2% | 0% | 100% |

Table 6 details the weapons used by incarcerated individuals in unusual incidents. For DOCCS reporting purposes, use of body, such as fists or kicks, is considered as a type of weapon in classifying incidents. Previous tables in this report were incident-based. This section of the report focuses on all incarcerated individuals involved in incidents. There were 21,750 instances where incarcerated individuals were associated with unusual incidents in 2022; these are not 21,750 unique incarcerated individuals. Many incarcerated individuals were involved in multiple incidents; the numbers presented here reflect each instance where an incarcerated individual was connected to an incident.

As shown in Table 6, no weapons were used by 15,321 (70%) of the incarcerated individuals linked to incidents, while weapons were used by 6,429 (30%) of the individuals. Among the 6,376 known weapons used in incidents (excluding the No Weapons Used and Unknown categories), 67% (4,277 out of 6,376) were uses of the body as a weapon.

**Table 7. Unusual Incident Type by Most Serious Level of Staff Use of Force:
January - December 2022**

| Incident Type | No Force | Body Hold | Mechanical Restraint | Shield | Strike | Chemical Agents | Baton | Firearm | Other | Total |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|------------|----------------------|-----------|------------|-----------------|------------|-----------|-----------|---------------|
| Accident | 395 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 395 |
| Assault on Incarcerated Individuals | 1,201 | 56 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 208 | 19 | 0 | 0 | 1,489 |
| Assault on Other | 6 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Assault on Staff | 446 | 431 | 54 | 18 | 110 | 375 | 36 | 0 | 2 | 1,472 |
| Contagious Disease | 554 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 554 |
| Contraband | 2,973 | 73 | 9 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3,069 |
| Death | 119 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 119 |
| Disruption of Facility | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 23 |
| Disruptive Behavior | 261 | 161 | 12 | 50 | 16 | 1,676 | 53 | 0 | 7 | 2,236 |
| Employee Job Action | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Employee Misconduct | 57 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 57 |
| Escape Attempt | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Fire | 28 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 32 |
| Incarcerated Individual Disturbance | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Mass Demonstration | 15 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 16 |
| Narcan Use | 469 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 475 |
| Property Destroyed | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| Property Lost or Stolen | 69 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 69 |
| Self-Inflicted Injury | 53 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 54 |
| Sexual Misconduct | 14 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| Suicide Attempt | 162 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 175 |
| Temp Release Related | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| Visitor Arrest | 389 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 392 |
| Weapons Used by Staff | 2,487 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2,509 |
| Other Incidents | 396 | 34 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 443 |
| TOTAL | 10,151 | 774 | 89 | 74 | 136 | 2,295 | 108 | 1 | 14 | 13,642 |
| Percent | 74% | 6% | 1% | 1% | 1% | 17% | 1% | 0% | 0% | 100% |

Note: This table is based upon a count of the total number of incidents and the highest level of force used in each incident and is not a count of all the times that staff used force.

Tables 7 and 8 detail the degree of staff force that was used in unusual incidents. If more than one type of staff force was used in an incident, the most serious type was selected. Staff force was used in 3,491 (26%) incidents in 2022.

Table 7 displays the most serious type of staff force used in each of the incident types that occurred in 2022. No staff force was used in 10,151 (74%) incidents, while force was used in 3,491 (26%) incidents. Of the 3,491 incidents where force was used (13,642 – 10,151), 2,295 (66%) involved the use of chemical agents.

Table 8 displays staff use of force for the ten-year period from 2013 to 2022. In 2013, there were 6,952 unusual incidents, with staff force used in 1,023 (15%) of the incidents. In 2022, the number of incidents where staff force was used increased to 3,491, or 26% of all incidents.

The use of chemical agents comprised 91% of the uses of force in 2022. Between 2013 and 2022, the largest increase in staff use of force involved the use of chemical agents.

Table 8. Staff Use of Force in Unusual Incidents by Security Level: 2013 - 2022

| Type of Force | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 | 2016 | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 | 2020 | 2021 | 2022 | 2013 - 2022 | |
|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|--------------|-------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | # | % |
| Maximum Security | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No Force Used | 3,505 | 3,554 | 3,939 | 4,424 | 5,302 | 5,705 | 6,618 | 6,124 | 6,176 | 6,050 | 2,545 | 73% |
| Body Hold | 367 | 378 | 415 | 371 | 394 | 466 | 491 | 402 | 566 | 551 | 184 | 50% |
| Mechanic Restraint | 70 | 69 | 88 | 56 | 61 | 58 | 51 | 65 | 55 | 64 | -6 | -9% |
| Shield | 50 | 53 | 59 | 70 | 77 | 84 | 66 | 58 | 72 | 63 | 13 | 26% |
| Strike | 120 | 155 | 165 | 72 | 62 | 57 | 56 | 62 | 89 | 118 | -2 | -2% |
| Chemical Agents | 60 | 51 | 49 | 180 | 508 | 886 | 1,167 | 1,168 | 1,232 | 1,484 | 1,424 | 2,373% |
| Baton | 126 | 120 | 133 | 83 | 106 | 101 | 99 | 91 | 84 | 102 | -24 | -19% |
| Firearm | 1 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0% |
| Other | 17 | 19 | 15 | 24 | 25 | 10 | 8 | 7 | 18 | 13 | -4 | -24% |
| Sub-total | 4,316 | 4,401 | 4,869 | 5,282 | 6,539 | 7,367 | 8,560 | 7,978 | 8,293 | 8,446 | 4,130 | 96% |
| Medium Security | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No Force Used | 2,261 | 2,902 | 3,821 | 4,148 | 4,102 | 4,143 | 4,925 | 4,904 | 4,214 | 3,969 | 1,708 | 76% |
| Body Hold | 128 | 167 | 225 | 180 | 179 | 192 | 168 | 138 | 166 | 213 | 85 | 66% |
| Mechanic Restraint | 24 | 37 | 39 | 24 | 31 | 21 | 29 | 17 | 22 | 23 | -1 | -4% |
| Shield | 3 | 4 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 7 | 6 | 3 | 7 | 10 | 7 | 233% |
| Strike | 21 | 20 | 30 | 17 | 20 | 23 | 10 | 12 | 18 | 17 | -4 | -19% |
| Chemical Agents | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 41 | 159 | 492 | 559 | 523 | 788 | 787 | 78,700% |
| Baton | 3 | 12 | 14 | 6 | 6 | 4 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 3 | 100% |
| Other | 7 | 3 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 1 | -6 | -86% |
| Sub-total | 2,448 | 3,146 | 4,137 | 4,388 | 4,382 | 4,555 | 5,641 | 5,637 | 4,955 | 5,027 | 2,579 | 105% |
| Minimum Security | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No Force Used | 121 | 156 | 109 | 96 | 142 | 165 | 170 | 230 | 164 | 125 | 4 | 3% |
| Body Hold | 10 | 16 | 12 | 5 | 16 | 8 | 16 | 5 | 2 | 10 | 0 | 0% |
| Mechanic Restraint | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0% |
| Shield | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | -- |
| Strike | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0% |
| Chemical Agents | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 7 | 10 | 23 | 23 | -- |
| Baton | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -- |
| Firearm | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -- |
| Sub-total | 134 | 175 | 124 | 104 | 165 | 175 | 187 | 242 | 176 | 162 | 28 | 21% |
| Other | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No Force Used | 42 | 65 | 45 | 63 | 77 | 63 | 69 | 66 | 40 | 7 | -35 | -83% |
| Body Hold | 7 | 9 | 5 | 7 | 15 | 17 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 0 | -7 | -100% |
| Mechanic Restraint | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | -3 | -100% |
| Strike | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | -2 | -100% |
| Chemical Agents | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | -- |
| Other | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 0 | -- |
| Sub-total | 54 | 76 | 55 | 72 | 98 | 82 | 82 | 79 | 47 | 7 | -47 | -87% |
| All Security Levels | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| No Force Used | 5,929 | 6,677 | 7,914 | 8,731 | 9,623 | 10,076 | 11,782 | 11,324 | 10,594 | 10,151 | 4,222 | 71% |
| Body Hold | 512 | 570 | 657 | 563 | 604 | 683 | 681 | 552 | 735 | 774 | 262 | 51% |
| Mechanic Restraint | 99 | 108 | 131 | 82 | 96 | 79 | 84 | 83 | 77 | 89 | -10 | -10% |
| Shield | 53 | 57 | 61 | 73 | 78 | 91 | 72 | 61 | 79 | 74 | 21 | 40% |
| Strike | 144 | 178 | 199 | 92 | 88 | 83 | 67 | 74 | 107 | 136 | -8 | -6% |
| Chemical Agents | 61 | 52 | 50 | 187 | 549 | 1,046 | 1,660 | 1,735 | 1,766 | 2,295 | 2,234 | 3,662% |
| Baton | 129 | 132 | 147 | 89 | 114 | 105 | 105 | 92 | 85 | 108 | -21 | -16% |
| Firearm | 1 | 2 | 6 | 2 | 5 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0% |
| Other | 24 | 22 | 20 | 27 | 27 | 16 | 15 | 14 | 27 | 14 | -10 | -42% |
| Grand Total | 6,952 | 7,798 | 9,185 | 9,846 | 11,184 | 12,179 | 14,470 | 13,936 | 13,471 | 13,642 | 6,690 | 96% |

Note: This table is based upon a count of the total number of incidents and the highest level of force used in each incident and is not a count of all the times that staff used force.

Table 9. Unusual Incident Type by Degree of Staff Injury: January - December 2022

| Incident Type | No Injury | | Minor | | Moderate | | Serious | | Severe | | Total Staff |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|----------|-------------|---------------|
| | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | # | % | |
| Accident | 1,434 | 95.6% | 7 | 0.5% | 15 | 1.0% | 42 | 2.8% | 2 | 0.1% | 1,500 |
| Assault on Incarcerated Individuals | 5,444 | 97.9% | 114 | 2.0% | 4 | 0.1% | 1 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 5,563 |
| Assault on Other | 54 | 96.4% | 2 | 3.6% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 56 |
| Assault on Staff | 6,279 | 72.9% | 2,174 | 25.2% | 124 | 1.4% | 41 | 0.5% | 1 | 0.0% | 8,619 |
| Contagious Disease | 2,364 | 100.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 2,364 |
| Contraband | 9,715 | 99.1% | 84 | 0.9% | 2 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 9,801 |
| Death | 1,965 | 99.6% | 8 | 0.4% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 1,973 |
| Disruption of Facility | 192 | 100.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 192 |
| Disruptive Behavior | 11,041 | 89.9% | 1,209 | 9.8% | 23 | 0.2% | 12 | 0.1% | 0 | 0.0% | 12,285 |
| Employee Job Action | 8 | 100.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 8 |
| Employee Misconduct | 314 | 99.1% | 3 | 0.9% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 317 |
| Escape Attempt | 42 | 93.3% | 3 | 6.7% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 45 |
| Fire | 188 | 75.8% | 45 | 18.1% | 15 | 6.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 248 |
| Incarcerated Individual Disturbance | 6 | 100.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 6 |
| Mass Demonstration | 129 | 100.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 129 |
| Narcan Use | 1,832 | 99.3% | 13 | 0.7% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 1,845 |
| Property Destroyed | 31 | 100.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 31 |
| Property Lost or Stolen | 328 | 100.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 328 |
| Self-Inflicted Injury | 242 | 99.2% | 2 | 0.8% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 244 |
| Sexual Misconduct | 70 | 95.9% | 3 | 4.1% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 73 |
| Suicide Attempt | 958 | 98.3% | 17 | 1.7% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 975 |
| Temp Release Related | 57 | 100.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 57 |
| Visitor Arrest | 1,973 | 99.9% | 1 | 0.1% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 1,974 |
| Weapons Used by Staff | 6,135 | 99.8% | 10 | 0.2% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 1 | 0.0% | 6,146 |
| Other Incidents | 2,131 | 95.3% | 48 | 2.1% | 56 | 2.5% | 2 | 0.1% | 0 | 0.0% | 2,237 |
| Total | 52,932 | 92.8% | 3,743 | 6.6% | 239 | 0.4% | 98 | 0.2% | 4 | 0.0% | 57,016 |

Table 9 details the injuries to DOCCS staff members, including both the number of staff members injured and the extent of their injuries. Most of the previous tables in this report have been incident-based; this section and the one that follows are individual-based. Each number in Table 9 represents a staff member who was listed in an unusual incident. Staff members can respond to multiple incidents and be counted more than once. This means that instead of the total column representing the total number of incidents, it represents the total number of staff members who were involved in an incident or incident category.

Minor injuries are those that require either no treatment, minimal treatment (scratch, bruise, aches/pain) or precautionary treatment. Moderate injuries are those such as lacerations, concussions, 2nd degree burns, serious sprains, dislocation, and muscle or ligament damage. Serious injuries are those that require transport to an outside hospital but are not considered life-threatening at the preliminary report. Severe injuries are those that cause obvious disfigurement, protracted impairment of health, loss or impairment of organ function, amputation, and injuries that risk cause of death.

The majority of staff involved in incidents (93%) were not injured. Assaults on staff had the highest number of staff injuries (2,340). Of those 2,340 injuries, 93% (2,174) resulted in only minor injuries. Accidents had the highest number of serious and severe injuries (44) of any incident type.

**Table 10. Unusual Incident Type by Degree of Incarcerated Individual Injury:
January - December 2022**

| Incident Type | No Injury | Minor | Moderate | Serious | Severe | Total Individuals |
|-------------------------------------|------------------|--------------|-----------------|----------------|---------------|--------------------------|
| Accident | 25 | 3 | 65 | 224 | 1 | 318 |
| Assault on Incarcerated Individuals | 1,168 | 1,228 | 502 | 130 | 4 | 3,032 |
| Assault on Other | 8 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 |
| Assault on Staff | 1,014 | 611 | 24 | 21 | 0 | 1,670 |
| Contagious Disease | 3,431 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3,432 |
| Contraband | 3,059 | 86 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 3,148 |
| Death | 124 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 127 |
| Disruption of Facility | 16 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 |
| Disruptive Behavior | 2,704 | 1,271 | 73 | 222 | 0 | 4,270 |
| Escape Attempt | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Fire | 52 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 55 |
| Incarcerated Individual Disturbance | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 17 |
| Mass Demonstration | 249 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 249 |
| Narcan Use | 478 | 18 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 498 |
| Property Destroyed | 7 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 8 |
| Property Lost or Stolen | 14 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14 |
| Self-Inflicted Injury | 1 | 9 | 39 | 4 | 1 | 54 |
| Sexual Misconduct | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| Suicide Attempt | 76 | 57 | 32 | 12 | 2 | 179 |
| Temp Release Related | 18 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| Visitor Arrest | 395 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 396 |
| Weapons Used by Staff | 3,740 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3,749 |
| Other Incidents | 449 | 12 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 465 |
| Total | 17,067 | 3,314 | 742 | 616 | 11 | 21,750 |
| Percent | 78% | 15% | 3% | 3% | 0% | 100% |

Table 10 details the injuries to DOCCS incarcerated individuals, including the number of incarcerated individuals injured and the extent of their injuries. Most of the previous tables in this report have been incident-based; this section is individual-based. Each number in Table 10 represents an incarcerated individual who was listed in an unusual incident. Incarcerated individuals can be attached to multiple incidents and be counted more than once. This means that instead of the total column representing the total number of incidents, it represents the total number of incarcerated individuals who were involved in an incident or incident category.

Most incarcerated individuals (78%) involved in unusual incidents received no injuries. Assaults on incarcerated individuals had the highest number of incarcerated individual injuries (1,864), while accidents had the highest number of serious and severe injuries (225).

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