

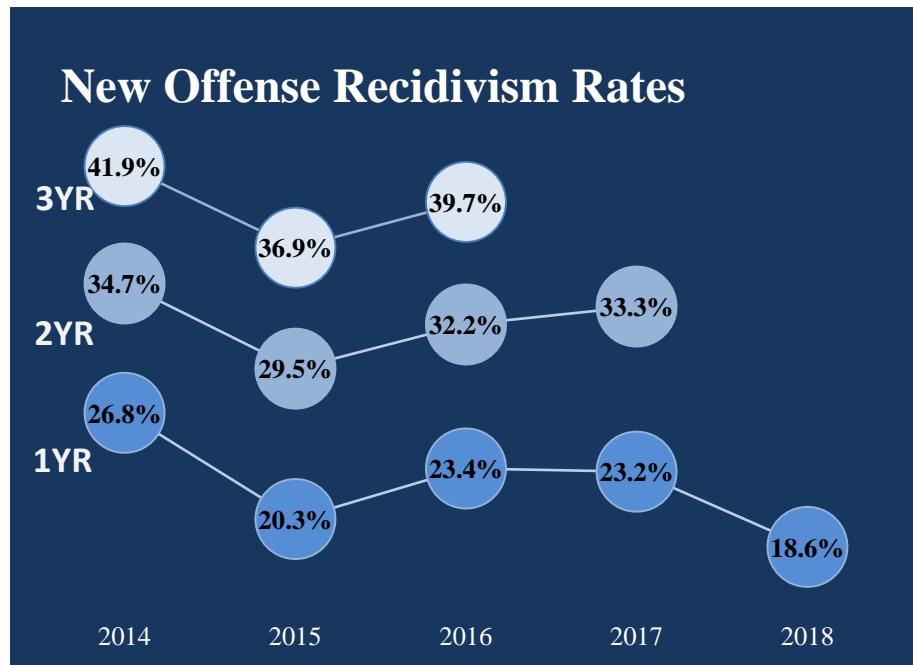
2020 ADJC RECIDIVISM FACT SHEET

This fact sheet presents selected recidivism data for the 2014 – 2018 release cohorts. Recidivism is an outcome measure for the Arizona Department of Juvenile Corrections (ADJC) and is defined as *a return to ADJC custody through parole revocation or recommitment or commitment to the Arizona Department of Corrections, Rehabilitation and Reentry (ADC) following the release from a first time commitment to secure care.*

2018 One Year New Offense Recidivism Rate is 18.6%
178 Releases

32 Returns (26 as a juvenile (14.6%), 6 as an adult (3.4%))

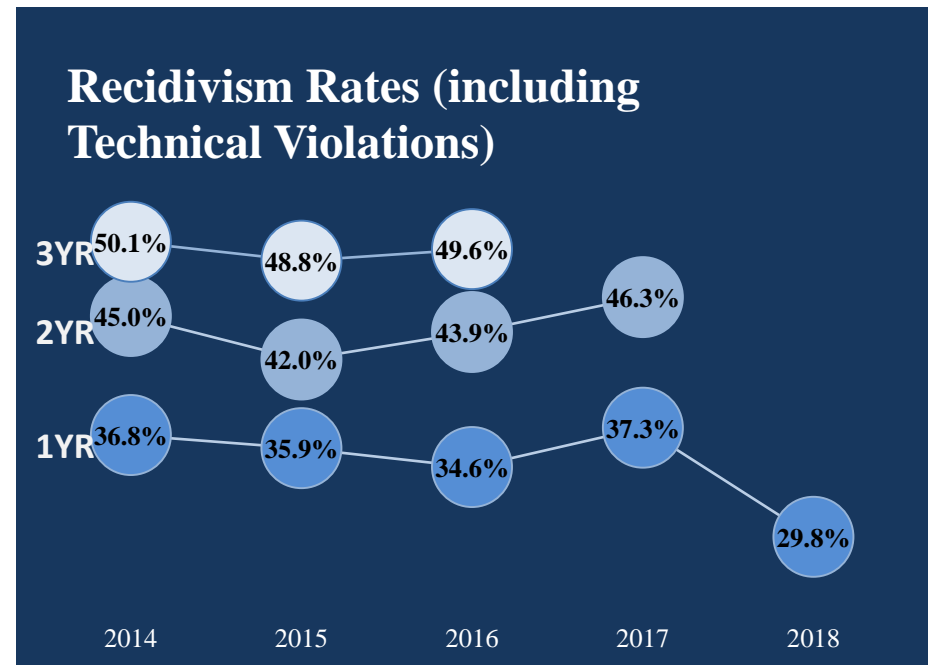
Within three years of release, 60.3% of all juveniles did not recidivate with a new offense.



2018 One Year Total Recidivism Rate is 29.8%
178 Releases

53 Returns (46 as a juvenile (25.8%), 6 as an adult (3.4%))

Within three years of release, 50.4% of all juveniles did not recidivate with a new offense or a technical violation.



METHODOLOGY

ADJC's Continuous Improvement Bureau tracks recidivism of juveniles, ages 14 through 18, who are released from secure care. Recidivism is measured by the occurrence of a new, subsequent offense or technical violation leading to another commitment at one, two and three years following release from secure care. Offenses committed prior to the juvenile's first commitment to secure care are excluded. The date of return to secure care or admission to adult prison is used as the recidivism date. Rates are calculated by dividing the number of juveniles in a specific cohort who were returned to custody within one, two, or three years by the total number of juveniles released in the respective cohort. Data used to calculate recidivism are obtained from ADJC records as well as ADC and the Arizona Department of Public Safety (DPS) records.