

The Virginia Department of Corrections Fairfax District 29 State Probation

How our efforts benefit the
residents of Fairfax County

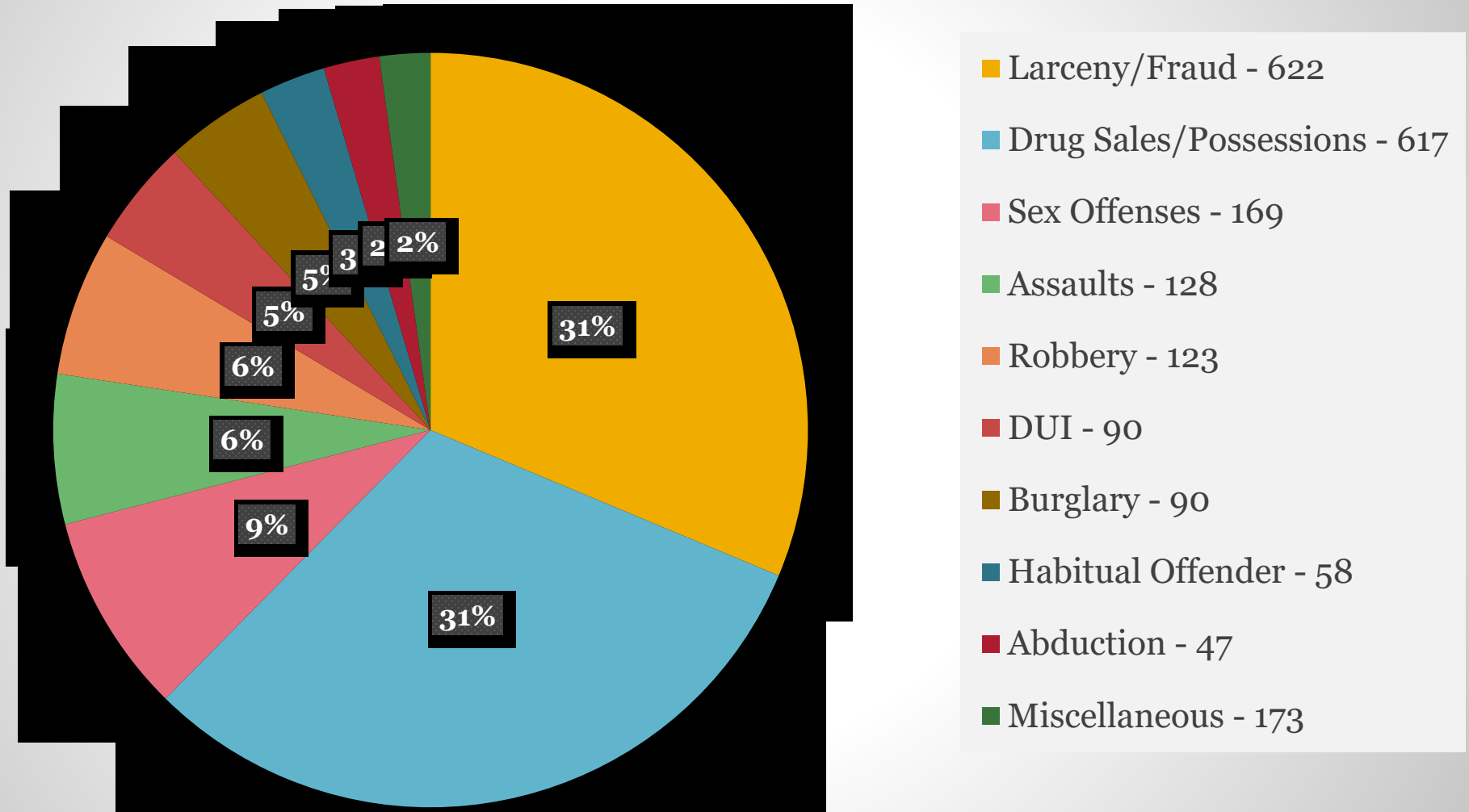
District 29 Fairfax Probation Office

- State probation officers
- Supervise residents of Fairfax Co. including out-of-state and other probation districts transferring in
- Circuit Court convictions only / mostly felonies

Just who do we supervise?

- Sex Offenders
- Murderers
- Gang
- Assaults
- Drugs
- And everything else in between!

Current Offenses under Supervision in Fairfax County



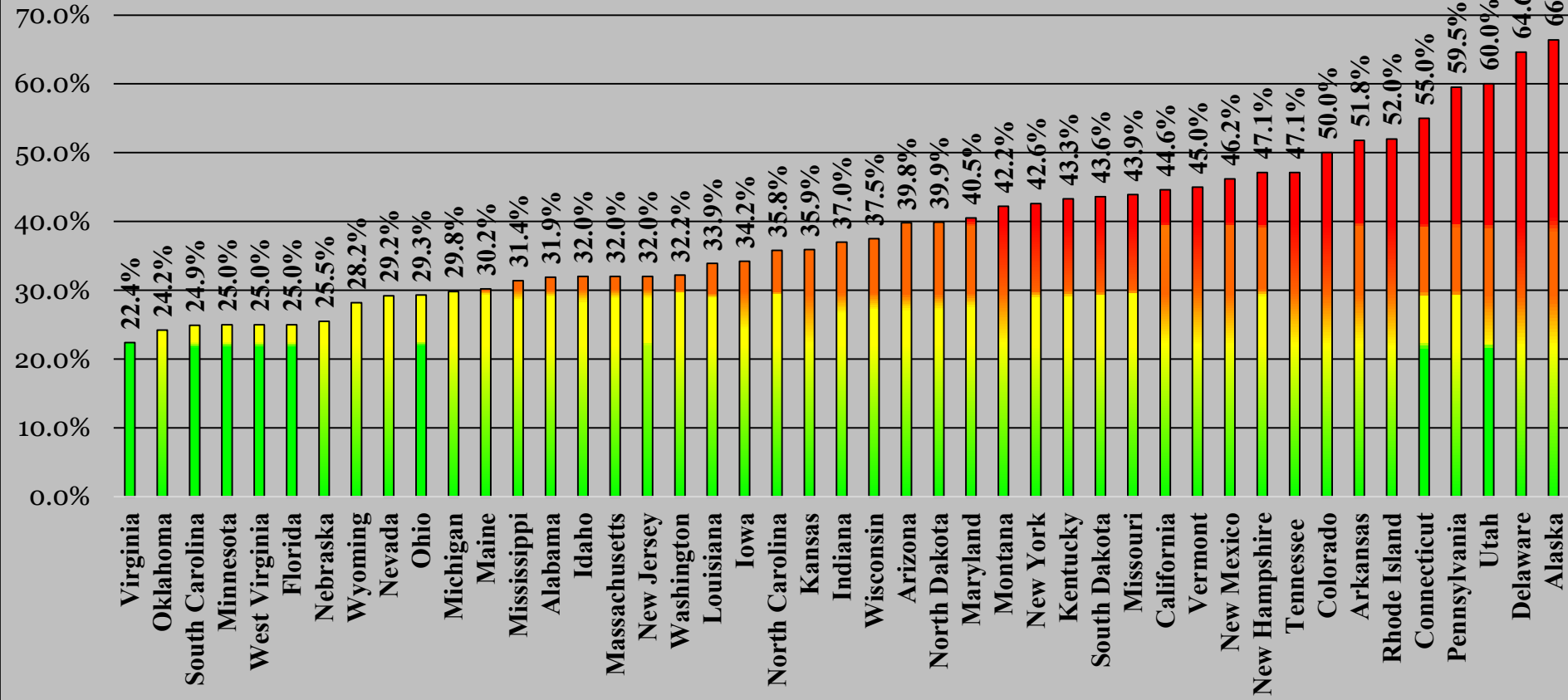
Implementing Evidence Based Practices in VADOC: *The Way We Do Business*



Recidivism Rates by Community Supervision Location

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| District 1 Richmond | 22.4% | District 20 Bedford | 12.8 |
| District 2 Norfolk | 25.1% | District 21 Fredericksburg | 26.4 |
| District 3 Portsmouth | 23.3% | District 22 Martinsville | 26.6 |
| District 4 Accomac | 15.8% | District 23 Virginia Beach | 21.3 |
| District 5 Gloucester | 21.5 | District 24 Farmville | 22.2 |
| District 6 Suffolk | 15.8 | District 25 Leesburg | 18.0 |
| District 7 Petersburg | 17.6 | District 26 Culpeper | 22.0 |
| District 8 South Boston | 15.0 | District 27 Chesterfield | 19.1 |
| District 9 Charlottesville | 19.8 | District 28 Radford | 29.3 |
| District 10 Arlington | 11.8 | District 29 Fairfax | 12.2 ** |
| District 11 Winchester | 19.4 | District 30 Hampton | 21.1 |
| District 12 Staunton | 24.8 | District 31 Chesapeake | 22.8 |
| District 13 Lynchburg | 19.0 | District 32 Henrico | 20.2 |
| District 14 Danville | 23.0 | District 33 Warsaw | 21.4 |
| District 15 Roanoke | 21.9 | District 34 Williamsburg | 24.9 |
| District 16 Wytheville | 20.8 | District 35 Manassas | 16.8 |
| District 17 Abingdon | 19.4 | District 36 Alexandria | 16.5 |
| District 18 Norton | 20.8 | District 42 Franklin | 23.5 |
| District 19 Newport News | 18.5 | District 43 Tazewell | 27.9 |

Three-Year Re-Incarceration Rates: A State Comparison



Important Collaborations that Benefit the County

- Reentry programs - VASAVOR
- Drug Court
- Diversion First
- George Mason University
- Fairfax County Re-entry Council

Why a Supplement?

- Vacancy/Turnover rate
- Impact on Staff and Offenders
- Important work not being done
- Cannot compete with local agencies

Compensation

- Let's compare
 - Starting salary for State Probation Officers - \$45,894.00
 - Starting salary for Local Probation Court Services is \$60,000 est.
 - Starting salary for Federal Probation Officers – \$55,000 to \$60,000

Benefits to Fairfax County

- D29 Probation Officers highly trained and skilled to be able to help offenders change behavior for long term success
- Collaborative approach to supervision, i.e. Drug Court, Diversion First, Reentry
- Proof that what we're doing is working
- Helping our offenders make positive life changes which will make Fairfax County a safer place to live
- Less victims
- Lower recidivism