

FY 2021-22: DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
Summary: As Passed by the Senate
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	FY 2020-21 YTD as of 2/11/21	FY 2021-22 Executive	FY 2021-22 House	FY 2021-22 Senate	FY 2021-22 Conference	Difference: Senate From FY 2020-21 YTD	
						Amount	%
IDG/IDT	\$0	\$0		\$0		\$0	--
Federal	196,370,900	5,364,100		5,364,100		(191,006,800)	(97.3)
Local	9,680,600	9,646,100		9,646,100		(34,500)	(0.4)
Private	0	0		0		0	--
Restricted	45,478,500	45,493,400		45,493,400		14,900	0.0
GF/GP	1,809,258,400	2,018,523,400		2,003,785,300		194,526,900	10.8
Gross	\$2,060,788,400	\$2,079,027,000		\$2,064,288,900		\$3,500,500	0.2
FTEs	13,702.8	13,500.4		12,605.7		(1,097.1)	(8.0)

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Notes: (1) FY 2020-21 year-to-date figures include mid-year budget adjustments through February 11, 2021. (2) Appropriation figures for all years include all proposed appropriation amounts, including amounts designated as "one-time."

Overview

The Michigan Department of Corrections (MDOC) is responsible for operation and maintenance of the state's 28 correctional facilities that house felony offenders sentenced to prison. This includes provision of physical and mental health care, education, food service, transportation, and reintegration programming. The department is also responsible for supervision of all parolees and probationers under the department's jurisdiction and has oversight over community corrections programs and other programs designed to encourage alternatives to prison placement for appropriate offenders. As of May 1, 2021, the department was responsible for 77,808 Michigan offenders: 32,841 prisoners, 32,565 probationers, and 12,402 parolees. From 1 year ago, the total number of offenders decreased by 12,652, or by 14.0%. The number of prisoners decreased by 4,144, or 11.2%, the number of probationers decreased by 8,010, or 19.7%, and the number of parolees decreased by 498, or 3.9%.

Major Budget Changes from FY 2020-21 YTD Appropriations

1. Restore GF for Payroll for Frontline Workers – Fund Shift

Executive restores \$191.0 million GF/GP that was reduced from the FY 2020-21 budget and replaced with federal Coronavirus Relief Fund revenue. Federal funding was allocated to support payroll costs for frontline workers throughout the department, but primarily at correctional facilities. Federal funding has been exhausted and GF/GP needs to be restored for ongoing departmental payroll costs. Senate concurs.

	FY 2020-21 Year-to-Date (as of 2/11/21)	FY 2021-22 Senate Change
Gross	\$0	\$0
Federal	191,000,000	(191,000,000)
GF/GP	(\$191,000,000)	\$191,000,000

2. John and Jane Does v Department of Corrections Settlement

Executive includes \$40.0 million GF/GP to support the final 2 payments of the *John and Jane Does v Department of Corrections* settlement agreement. The remaining payments will be made on October 15, 2021 (\$25.0 million) and on October 15, 2022 (\$15.0 million). The case involved approximately 1,300 members that were incarcerated October 2010 through the date of the settlement, March 2020. The lawsuits claimed a variety of injuries including sexual assault and harassment, inappropriate use of segregation, and deprivation of educational and rehabilitative experiences due to the young age of the members. The case settled for \$80.0 million total inclusive of attorney fees and costs. Senate includes funding to support the payment due on October 15, 2021.

Gross	NA	\$25,000,000
GF/GP	NA	\$25,000,000

Major Budget Changes from FY 2020-21 YTD Appropriations		FY 2020-21 Year-to-Date (as of 2/11/21)	FY 2021-22 Senate Change
3. Savings from Closure of the Detroit Reentry Center			
<u>Executive</u> reflects a net reduction of \$10.5 million GF/GP and 202.4 FTE positions resulting from closure of the Detroit Reentry Center on January 9, 2021. The savings amount is the net amount that results from reduced costs for operations and administration at the center, a shift of funding for the prisoner dialysis unit that was transferred to the Woodland Correctional Facility, and a shift of funding for the parole violators who were transferred to the Macomb Correctional Facility. <u>Senate</u> concurs.	FTE	202.4	(202.4)
	Gross	\$10,523,600	(\$10,523,600)
	GF/GP	\$10,523,600	(\$10,523,600)
4. Training for New Custody Staff			
<u>Executive</u> includes \$7.4 million GF/GP to train additional corrections officers in an effort to reduce the number of vacant positions and meet projected attrition needs. Funding supports salary and payroll costs of new officers while they participate in training, as well as costs for uniforms, training materials, certifications, food, travel, and lodging. In FY 2019-20, an average of 52 custody staff left the department each month. With \$7.4 million added to the FY 2020-21 base of \$13.9 million, and with expenditure of carried forward work project account funding from prior years, the department will be able to train an estimated 800 new officers in FY 2021-22. <u>Senate</u> concurs with including the funding but includes it as one-time funding instead of as ongoing funding.	Gross	\$13,850,100	\$7,373,700
	GF/GP	\$13,850,100	\$7,373,700
5. Employee Wellness Programming			
<u>Executive</u> includes \$809,400 GF/GP to support additional employee wellness resources and support services for department employees. <u>Senate</u> concurs.	FTE	6.0	0.0
	Gross	\$1,190,600	\$809,400
	GF/GP	\$1,190,600	\$809,400
6. Administrative Hearing Caseload Increase			
<u>Executive</u> restores \$204,000 of GF/GP that was reduced from the FY 2020-21 budget as part of statewide budget reductions. Funding would be used to support departmental billings for administrative hearings through the LARA Michigan Office of Administrative Hearings and Rules. The number of hearings increased by over 9% from 2019 to 2020. <u>Senate</u> does not restore funding.	Gross	\$3,200,300	\$0
	GF/GP	\$3,200,300	\$0
7. Transportation Costs for Prison Industries			
<u>Executive</u> includes an additional \$72,000 in state restricted funding authorization for Prison Industries Operations to cover increased transportation costs resulting from moving more of MSI-made goods sold to correctional facilities. <u>Senate</u> concurs.	Gross	NA	\$72,000
	Restricted	NA	72,000
	GF/GP	NA	\$0
8. Economic Adjustments			
<u>Executive</u> reflects a net reduction of \$4.7 million Gross (\$4.6 million GF/GP) for negotiated salary and wage increases (2.0% on October 1, 2021 and 1.0% on April 1, 2022), actuarially required retirement contributions, worker's compensation, building occupancy charges, and other economic adjustments. <u>Senate</u> concurs with all executive recommended economic adjustments except for the \$59,100 increase to the Unclassified Salaries line item. The Senate does not include that increase.	Gross	NA	(\$4,756,000)
	Federal	NA	(6,800)
	Local	NA	(34,500)
	Restricted	NA	(57,100)
	GF/GP	NA	(\$4,657,600)
9. Eliminate Current Year One-Time Funding			
<u>Executive</u> reduces the budget by \$15.0 million GF/GP to reflect elimination of one-time funding included in the FY 2020-21 budget. Eliminated funding was for the third payment of the <i>John and Jane Does v Department of Corrections</i> settlement agreement. <u>Senate</u> concurs.	Gross	\$15,000,000	(\$15,000,000)
	GF/GP	\$15,000,000	(\$15,000,000)

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10. Technical Adjustments	Gross	NA	\$0
<u>Executive</u> makes internal FTE adjustments, funding adjustments, and transfers throughout the budget, which have no overall Gross or GF/GP impact. Adjustments are made to more accurately reflect employee counts and where expenditures occur. <u>Senate</u> concurs.	GF/GP	NA	\$0
11. Unclassified Positions	FTE	16.0	(4.0)
<u>Executive</u> makes no recommendation. <u>Senate</u> reduces the number of authorized unclassified positions by 4.0 positions.	Gross	\$1,971,300	\$0
	GF/GP	\$1,971,300	\$0
12. Goodwill Flip the Script	Gross	\$1,250,000	\$250,000
<u>Executive</u> makes no recommendation. <u>Senate</u> includes an additional \$250,000 GF/GP for the Goodwill Flip the Script program.	GF/GP	\$1,250,000	\$250,000
13. Community Corrections	Gross	\$13,198,100	(\$300,000)
<u>Executive</u> makes no recommendation. <u>Senate</u> reduces funding for the Community Corrections Comprehensive Plans and Services line item.	GF/GP	\$13,198,100	(\$300,000)
14. Chances for Life	Gross	NA	\$275,000
<u>Executive</u> makes no recommendation. <u>Senate</u> includes funding for the Chances for Life program, an evidence-based mentoring program that emphasizes job training, life skills, and family reintegration.	GF/GP	NA	\$275,000
15. Kalamazoo County Post Release Care Pilot Program	Gross	NA	\$300,000
<u>Executive</u> makes no recommendation. <u>Senate</u> includes funding for a pilot program to provide care management post-release which may include the development of prerelease mental health discharge plans for parolees in Kalamazoo County.	GF/GP	NA	\$300,000
16. Authorization for Classified FTE Positions	FTE	NA	(890.7)
<u>Executive</u> makes no recommendation. <u>Senate</u> reduces authorization for vacant classified FTE positions.	Gross	NA	\$0
	GF/GP	NA	\$0

Major Boilerplate Changes from FY 2020-21

GENERAL SECTIONS

Sec. 206. Disciplinary Action Against State Employees and Prisoners – RETAINED

Prohibits MDOC from taking disciplinary action against classified civil service employees or prisoners for communicating with legislators or their staff unless the communication is prohibited by law and MDOC is exercising its authority. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 210. Contingency Funding – DELETED

Appropriates up to \$2.5 million in federal contingency funds; authorizes expenditure of funds after legislative transfer to specific line items. Executive revises to appropriate up to \$10.0 million in federal, up to \$10.0 million in state restricted, up to \$2.0 million in local, and up to \$2.0 million in private contingency funds. Senate deletes.

Sec. 216. FTE Positions, Long-Term Vacancies, and Remote Work – RETAINED

Requires MDOC to report on the number of FTE positions in pay status by civil service classification, including an accounting of all vacant positions, all vacant and filled corrections officer positions by facility, all vacant healthcare-related positions, and all vacant positions being held open for temporarily non-active employees; requires a report on the number of full-time positions authorized compared to the actual number employed by line item, number of employees authorized to work remotely and number of employees working remotely, estimated cost savings achieved by remote work, and reduced use of office space associated with remote work. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 217. Coronavirus Relief Fund Appropriations – DELETED

Unappropriates any Coronavirus Relief Fund appropriations for which expenditures have not been incurred as of December 30 and reappropriates them for deposit into the Unemployment Compensation Fund to support costs incurred due to the COVID-19 pandemic. Executive deletes. Senate deletes.

Major Boilerplate Changes from FY 2020-21

Sec. 218. State Administrative Board Transfers – RETAINED

Authorizes the legislature, by a concurrent resolution adopted by a majority of members elected to and serving in each house, to inter-transfer funds if the State Administrative Board transfers funds. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 221. Receipt and Retention of Reports – RETAINED

Requires MDOC to follow federal and state guidelines for short-term and long-term retention of records; authorizes MDOC to electronically retain copies of reports unless otherwise required by federal and state guidelines. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 222. Report on Policy Changes Made to Implement Public Acts – RETAINED

Requires MDOC to report on each specific policy change made by the department to implement a public act affecting the department. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 225. Expending Available Work Project Authorization – DELETED

Prohibits appropriations that have unexpended work project authorization associated with them, to the extent possible, from being expended until all existing work project authorization for the same purpose is exhausted. Executive deletes. Senate deletes.

Sec. 239. Management-to-Staff Ratio – RETAINED

Expresses legislative intent that MDOC maintain a management-to-staff ratio of 1 supervisor to 8 employees at the central office in Lansing and at the northern and southern region administration offices. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 248. Consensus Revenue Estimating Conference (CREC) – RETAINED

Requires the Senate and House Fiscal Agencies and the State Budget Director, or the State Treasurer, to establish a projected prisoner population, and a projected number of available beds based on prisoner population, at the May 2021 CREC. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

DEPARTMENTAL ADMINISTRATION AND SUPPORT

Sec. 302. Staff Retention Strategies – REVISED

Requires MDOC to report on staff retention strategies, including how to improve employee engagement, how to improve employee wellness, how to offer additional training and professional development, metrics used by MDOC to measure success of employee wellness programming, mechanisms by which to receive employee feedback, how MDOC considers suggestions made by employees, and steps taken and future plans for retention and improving employee wellness; requires MDOC to establish a Staff Recruitment and Retention Advisory Board to assist the department with shaping and enhancing effectiveness of staff recruiting and retention strategies; requires a status report on establishing the Staff Recruitment and Retention Advisory Board and on the board's initial plans. Executive revises to delete the listing of information that is to be included in the report and to delete the requirement to establish an advisory board. Senate revises to delete the requirement to establish an advisory board.

Sec. 304. Staff Suggestions – REVISED

Requires MDOC to maintain a staff savings initiative program for employees to submit suggestions for efficiencies for the department; requires MDOC to consider suggestions in a timely manner; requires a report on process improvements made based on suggestions. Executive deletes. Senate revises to require the department to reward in compensation an employee whose suggestion is implemented; reward would be up to 1% of any savings that result from implementation of a suggestion, up to a maximum of \$2,000.

Sec. 309. Maintenance and Utility Costs at Facilities – REVISED

Requires MDOC to report on maintenance and utility costs and plans for capital improvement costs for each correctional facility; for facilities closed prior to November 1, 2018, requires a list of costs associated with maintenance and upkeep of closed facilities, by facility, and estimated costs of demolition of closed facilities. Executive deletes. Senate revises reporting on facilities closed prior to November 1, 2018 to reporting on facilities closed prior to January 1, 2021.

Sec. 312. PTSD Outreach and Employee Wellness – DELETED

Requires appropriation to be used for PTSD outreach, treating mental health issues, and providing mental health programming for all department staff; requires \$50,000 to be used for conducting a comprehensive follow-up study to the initial study conducted in FY 2018-19; requires MDOC to report on results of the study and on programs established, level of employee involvement, and expenditures made for employee wellness programming. Executive deletes. Senate deletes.

Major Boilerplate Changes from FY 2020-21

Sec. 312. Employee Wellness – NEW

Requires MDOC to maintain employee wellness programming, including programming focused on post-traumatic stress disorder outreach. Executive includes new language. Senate includes new executive language and adds that funds also be used for treating mental health issues and for providing mental health programming for all department staff and former employees.

Sec. 314. Staff Overtime Hours – RETAINED

Requires MDOC to report on the number of overtime hours worked by all custody staff, by facility, including the number of mandatory overtime hours worked, number of voluntary overtime hours worked, reasons for overtime hours worked, and average number of overtime hours worked by active employees. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 315. 12-Hour Shifts for Corrections Officers – DELETED

Requires MDOC to conduct a survey of corrections officers at all facilities on whether officers want to have 12-hour shifts implemented; requires MDOC to report on results of the survey. Executive deletes. Senate deletes.

Sec. 317. New Corrections Officer Training Academy – DELETED

Requires MDOC to report on the status of the new training academy, including a listing of all structures and amenities on-site and expenditure data associated with structures and amenities on-site; lists all amenities the legislature intends for the new academy to have; requires a report on the projected cost of amenities that are listed but not included on-site; requires MDOC to name the facility and to solicit site name ideas from staff. Executive deletes. Senate deletes.

Sec. 318. Professional Development and Training for Staff – REVISED

Requires MDOC to report on programs that offer professional development and training opportunities for all levels of custody supervisors and first line managers, including an overview of existing programs, and a review of similar programs available in other organizations and in other states. Executive deletes. Senate revises to require trainings to include de-escalation techniques.

OFFENDER SUCCESS ADMINISTRATION

Sec. 402. Offender Success Expenditures – REVISED

Requires MDOC to report on actual prior-year and planned current-year offender success expenditures and allocations. Executive revises to delete requirement to report on planned expenditures. Senate revises to authorize department to collect cash or in-kind donations to supplement funds for prison education training, supplies, and materials necessary to complete academic- and job skills-related programs.

Sec. 405. Substance Abuse Testing and Treatment – REVISED

Requires MDOC to report on expenditures for substance abuse testing and treatment services, program objectives, outcome measures, and results, including the impact on offender and programmatic success. Executive deletes. Senate revises to require that report include information on number of prisoners that received medication assisted therapies, length of time on the therapy, and number of prisoners that have been successfully weaned from their addiction.

Sec. 408. Recidivism Measurement – REVISED

Requires MDOC to measure recidivism rates of offenders. Executive revises to require MDOC to measure the reincarceration recidivism rates of offenders based on available data. Senate concurs with executive revision.

Sec. 409. Workforce Development Program – REVISED

Requires MDOC to work with the Department of Labor and Economic Opportunity and local entities to design services and offender success vocational education programs for prisoners in an effort to encourage employment of prisoners upon release from prison; requires a report on the results of the workforce development program. Executive revises to require MDOC to ensure that the program provides relevant professional development opportunities to prisoners that are high quality, demand driven, locally receptive, and responsive to the needs of the communities where prisoners are expected to reside upon release from prison; and to delete the reporting requirement. Senate concurs with executive and adds requirement that department offer workforce development programming upon entry to any prisoner that expresses a commitment to rehabilitation.

Major Boilerplate Changes from FY 2020-21

Sec. 410. Community Corrections Comprehensive Plans and Services – RETAINED

Specifies purpose of and requirements for community corrections comprehensive plans (e.g., reduce admissions to prisons, improve utilization of jail facilities, contribute to offender success); lists award criteria for community corrections planning and residential services funds (e.g., trends in prison commitment rates, jail utilization, community corrections program capacity and utilization; impact and outcome of policies and procedures of programs on offender success); limits residential services per diem reimbursement rate to \$55.50; lists allowable uses of program funding for Drunk Driver Jail Reduction and Community Treatment Program (e.g., reimbursing counties for transportation, treatment costs, housing felony drunk drivers during period of assessment for treatment and case planning); provides for reimbursement for housing at a rate of \$43.50 per day per offender for up to five days. Executive revises to delete purpose of and requirements for community corrections comprehensive plans and listing of award criteria for community corrections planning and residential services funds. Senate retains current law.

Sec. 411. Comprehensive Corrections Plans – RETAINED

Establishes further requirements for comprehensive corrections plans, such as information on sanctions and services available and utilized, local communities' plans to respond to sentencing guidelines, and strategies to collaborate with state and local alcohol and drug treatment agencies. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 413. Public Safety Initiative – RETAINED

Requires law enforcement agencies receiving funding to report on expenditures made from the appropriation; requires a report that includes the purpose for which expenditures were made, amounts of expenditures by purpose, specific services provided, and number of individuals served; authorizes Senate and House Subcommittees on Corrections to request law enforcement agencies to appear before subcommittees to discuss the report. Executive revises reporting requirement from annually to quarterly. Senate retains current law.

Sec. 414(7). County Jail Cooperation with Federal Officials on Immigration Status of Individuals – DELETED

Prohibits eligibility for reimbursement from the state for housing offenders who otherwise would be sentenced to prison if a county enacts or enforces laws, ordinances, policies, or rules that limit or prohibit communication and cooperation with federal officials concerning the immigration status of individuals in the state. Executive deletes. Senate deletes.

Sec. 417. Reports on Community Programs – DELETED

Requires MDOC to report on program objectives and outcome measures, the number of offenders completing programs, number of offenders successfully remaining in the community 3 years following completion, expenditures, impact on jail utilization, impact on prison admission, and other relevant information on the Drunk Driver Jail Reduction and Community Treatment Program and on any new initiatives aimed at controlling prison population growth. Executive deletes. Senate deletes.

Sec. 419. Offender Data Reports – REVISED

Requires MDOC to provide weekly electronic mail reports on prisoner populations by security level by facility, prison facility capacities, and parolee and probationer populations; requires MDOC to provide monthly electronic mail reports on end-of-the month prisoner, probationer, and parolee populations, operating capacities at facilities, number of in currently closed housing units by facility, populations in county jails, prisoner intakes, returns, and exits, prisoners classified as past their earliest release dates, and parole board activity. Executive revises to delete the requirement for weekly reports. Senate concurs with executive revision.

Sec. 423. Collaboration with Michigan Restaurant Association – DELETED

Requires MDOC to collaborate with the Michigan Restaurant Association on job placement for individuals on probation and parole. Executive deletes. Senate deletes.

Sec. 424. Enhanced Food Technology Program – NEW

Requires MDOC to maintain the Enhanced Food Technology program that provides on-the-job training in prison kitchens that will lead to food service training credentials recognized by the restaurant industry. Executive includes new language. Senate includes new language.

FIELD OPERATIONS ADMINISTRATION

Sec. 602. Electronic Monitoring Contracts – DELETED

Expresses intent of the legislature that MDOC not extend any contracts for electronic monitoring devices, and that a complete review of all providers and technology be conducted to determine efficacy. Executive deletes. House deletes.

Sec. 603. Curfew Monitoring Program Costs – REVISED

Requires MDOC to administer curfew monitoring program intended to reduce prison admissions and improve jail utilization; requires MDOC to provide counties with curfew monitoring equipment and administrative oversight for a fee; prohibits access to program for counties with outstanding charges over 60 days. Executive revises language to coincide with recently enacted legislation. Senate concurs with executive revisions.

Major Boilerplate Changes from FY 2020-21

Sec. 604. Criminal Justice Reinvestment – REVISED

Requires funding for criminal justice reinvestment to be used for data collection and evidence-based programs designed to reduce recidivism among probationers and parolees; allocates \$600,000 to an organization that provides programming and job training services to county jail inmates to prepare them for employment upon release from jail. Executive revises to delete the specific \$600,000 allocation. Senate revises to require department to report on programs, including reincarceration recidivism rates of participants, employment rates, participants completing the program, and cost of program per participant.

Sec. 605. Chance for Life Program – DELETED

Requires MDOC to allocate \$250,000 to issue a request for proposal for a vendor to provide evidence-based mentoring, employment soft skills training, and job placement assistance for offenders released from prison. Executive deletes. Senate deletes.

Sec. 611. Annual Program Reports – RETAINED

Specifies content to be included in reports by MDOC on residential reentry, electronic monitoring, and special alternative incarceration programs (e.g., successful and unsuccessful terminations, end of month populations, length of placements, returns to prison, cost effectiveness of programs). Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 612. Violators of Parole and Probation – RETAINED

Requires MDOC to review and revise proposals for alternatives to prison for technical violators of parole and probation; requires a report on the number of probationers and parolees returned to or sent to prison for new crimes, number of probationers and parolees returned to or sent to prison for technical violations, educational history of offenders, number of offenders who participated in reentry programs, and number of offenders who participated in substance abuse treatment programs, mental health programs, or both. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 613. Placement of Parolees with Chronic Technical Violations – DELETED

Requires MDOC to give priority to placing parolees with chronic technical violations in intensive detention programs that offer specific programming to address behavioral needs and to work on a plan to help assure success of parolees upon release. Executive deletes. Senate deletes.

Sec. 617. Residential Alternative to Prison Program – RETAINED

Requires MDOC to provide vocational, educational, and cognitive programming in a secure environment to enhance existing alternative sentencing options, increase employment readiness and successful placement rates, and reduce new criminal behavior for the West Michigan probation violator population; lists goals and metrics the department is required to meet. Executive revises to delete list of goals and metrics. Senate retains list of goals and metrics.

HEALTH CARE

Sec. 802. Health Care Timeliness and Expenditures – REVISED

Requires MDOC to report on expenditures, allocations, status of payments, and projected expenditures from accounts for prisoner health care, mental health care, pharmaceutical services, and durable medical equipment; requires a report on pharmaceutical prescribing practices, including a detailed accounting of expenditures on antipsychotic medications and any changes made to prescription drug formularies. Executive deletes. Senate revises to require the department to provide a feasibility study on practices the department can implement to defray the cost of medications, including the feasibility of procuring medications directly from the manufacturer.

Sec. 807. Hepatitis C – REVISED

Requires funding for Hepatitis C to be used for purchase of specialty medication for treatment of Hepatitis C; requires report on amount spent on specialty medication, number of prisoners treated, amount of rebates received, and outstanding rebates expected to be received. Executive retains. Senate revises to require the department to report on number of offenders requiring treatment broken down by number that have been retreated while incarcerated and number that have been treated, released, and retreated upon reincarceration.

Sec. 810. Kalamazoo County Post Release Care Pilot Program – NEW

Requires MDOC to initiate a pilot program to provide care management to parolees post-release, which may include the development of prerelease mental health discharge plans for parolees in Kalamazoo County. Executive does not include new language. Senate includes new language.

Sec. 812. Medicaid Utilization by Prisoners – RETAINED

Requires MDOC and DHHS to exchange information regarding newly committed prisoners who may be Medicaid-eligible; requires MDOC to assist outgoing prisoners with Medicaid enrollment; requires report on utilization of Medicaid benefits for prisoners. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Major Boilerplate Changes from FY 2020-21

CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES ADMINISTRATION

Sec. 901. Enhanced Food Technology Program – DELETED

Requires MDOC to expand the enhanced food technology education program to at least 700 inmates annually; requires inmates participating in the program to complete 408 hours of on-the-job training in a prison kitchen. Executive deletes. Senate deletes.

Sec. 907a. Information for Prisoners on Academic and Vocational Education Programming – NEW

Requires MDOC to provide all prisoners, upon intake, with information on academic and vocational education programming that is available, how to access the programming, requirements for admittance to programming, and expected outcomes of participation. Executive does not include new language. Senate includes new language.

Sec. 908. Online High School Diploma and Career Certificate Program – RETAINED

Authorizes MDOC to establish a pilot online high school diploma and career certificate program to serve up to 400 inmates through a provider that offers career-based online high school diplomas designed to prepare adult inmates for transition into the workplace. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 912. Institutional Staffing – RETAINED

Requires MDOC to report quarterly on ratios of corrections officers to prisoners, shift command staff to line custody staff, and noncustody institutional staff to prisoners for each correctional institution. Executive revises to annual reporting. Senate retains.

Sec. 940. Use of State-Owned Facilities – RETAINED

Requires for-profit entities using state-owned facilities to pay fair market value for use of facilities and to make payments in lieu of taxes to local jurisdictions equivalent to what local units would receive if facilities were privately owned. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 942. Auditor General and Corrections Ombudsman Access to Contracted Facilities – RETAINED

Requires any contract with a public or private party to operate a facility to house Michigan prisoners to include a provision allowing access to the facility and appropriate records by the Auditor General and the Legislative Corrections Ombudsman. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 943. Savings from Prison Closures – REVISED

Requires MDOC to report on actual and projected savings achieved by closing correctional facilities, starting with closure of the Pugsley Correctional Facility, which closed in September 2016. Executive deletes. Senate revises reporting through closure of the Detroit Reentry Center.

Sec. 944. Economic Impact of Prison Closures – RETAINED

Requires MDOC, when planning to close a correctional facility, to consider the potential economic impact of the prison closure on the community where the facility is located. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 946. Investment in Communities After Facility Closure – REVISED

Expresses intent of the legislature that MDOC consult with the legislature and other appropriate state agencies to develop a framework to provide investment in communities that have formerly operational state correctional facilities that have been closed; requires framework to include plans to ensure that vacant state correctional facilities do not become a nuisance or danger to the community. Executive revises to delete "intent of the legislature" and require consultation. Senate concurs with executive revisions.

MISCELLANEOUS

Sec. 1011. Religious Cable Programming – RETAINED

Authorizes MDOC to accept in-kind services and equipment donations to facilitate the addition of a cable network that provides religious programming for prisoners; prohibits the addition of channels from costing the state. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

Sec. 1013. Faith-Based Reentry Programs – RETAINED

Authorizes priority to be given to funding reentry or rehabilitation programs that have been demonstrated to reduce prison violence and recidivism, including faith-based initiatives. Executive deletes. Senate retains.

ONE-TIME APPROPRIATIONS

Sec. 1101. John and Jane Does v MDOC Settlement Work Project Designation – NOT INCLUDED

Designates unexpended funds as a work project appropriation; authorizes funds to carry forward and to be available for the same purpose in the following fiscal year. Executive includes new language. Senate does not include new language.