

New York City Department of Correction

Quarterly Emergency Lock-In Report

FY25 Q4

This report provides information regarding the rate of emergency lock-ins that the New York City Department of Correction (“DOC” or “the Department”) is required to report pursuant to New York City Administrative Code §9-155. This reporting time frame is from April 1 to June 30, 2025.

1. The number of department-wide emergency lock-ins, in total and disaggregated by the reason for such emergency lock-in, as determined by the department.

During this timeframe, the Department did not have a department-wide emergency lock-in.

2. The number of facility emergency lock-ins disaggregated by facility, in total and disaggregated by the reason for such emergency lock-in, as determined by the Department.

Facility	Lock-In Reason ¹	# Lock-Ins
EMTC	Other ²	1
	TSO ³	1
GRVC	Other	1
RNDC	Other	1
	Slashing/Stabbing	1
	TSO	2

3. The number of lock-in extensions disaggregated by facility and housing area, in total and disaggregated by housing area type and reason for lock-in extension.

During this timeframe, the Department did not have any lock-in extensions.

4. The number of partial facility emergency lock-ins disaggregated by facility, in total and disaggregated by the reason for such emergency lock-in, as determined by the department.

Facility	Lock-In Reason	# Lock-Ins
EMTC	Investigation - Other	2
	Slashing/Stabbing	1

¹ Emergency Lock-Ins are tracked using the following categories: Assault on Staff, Escape, Fight, Tension, Search, Red Alert, Slashing/Stabbing, SRG Activity, Tactical Search Operation, UOF Investigation, Investigation-Other, and Other.

² Events that fall into the “Other” category include occurrences such as investigation into staffing levels and investigations into disturbances.

³ Tactical Search Operation

Facility	Lock-In Reason	# Lock-Ins
	TSO	5
GRVC	Investigation - Other	3
	Other	4
	Slashing/Stabbing	1
	TSO	3
	Investigation - Other	7
OBCC	Other	2
	Slashing/Stabbing	5
	TSO	9
	UOF Investigation	2
	Investigation - Other	1
RESH	Search	1
	TSO	3
	TSO	1
RMSC	TSO	1
RNDC	Investigation - Other	2
	Other	2
	Slashing/Stabbing	1
	TSO	10
WF	Investigation - Other	1
	TSO	1

5. The number of housing area emergency lock-ins disaggregated by facility and housing area, in total and disaggregated by the reason for such emergency lock-in, as determined by the department, and the housing area type.

Facility	Housing Area Type	Lock-In Reason	# Lock-Ins
EMTC	General Population	Assault on Staff	1
		Death of Incarcerated Individual	1
		Investigation - Other	3
		Other	1
		Slashing/Stabbing	11
GRVC	General Population	Investigation - Other	1
		Slashing/Stabbing	17
		UOF Investigation	6
NIC	General Population	Investigation - Other	1
		Slashing/Stabbing	2
OBCC	General Population	Assault on Staff	1
		Investigation - Other	29
		Other	14
		Slashing/Stabbing	46

Facility	Housing Area Type	Lock-In Reason	# Lock-Ins
		UOF Investigation	37
RESH	Restrictive	Slashing/Stabbing	28
		UOF Investigation	3
RMSC	General Population	Slashing/Stabbing	4
		UOF Investigation	8
RNDC	General Population	Investigation - Other	14
		Other	7
		Slashing/Stabbing	41
		TSO	1
		UOF Investigation	6
WF	General Population	Incarcerated Individual Fight	1
		Investigation - Other	3
		Other	2
		UOF Investigation	3

6. The mean and median number of incarcerated individuals housed in areas affected by housing area emergency lock-ins disaggregated by facility, in total and disaggregated by the housing area type.

Facility	Housing Area Type	Population Count (Mean)	Population Count (Median)
EMTC	General Population	51.7	54.0
GRVC	General Population	40.1	39.0
NIC	General Population	9.3	3.0
OBCC	General Population	45.6	47.0
RESH	Restrictive	13.8	14.0
RMSC	General Population	35.8	36.0
RNDC	General Population	21.1	23.0
WF	General Population	53.8	56.0

7. (a) The mean and median duration of emergency lock-ins disaggregated by department-wide emergency lock-ins, in total and disaggregated by the reason for such emergency lock-in, as determined by the department; (b) facility emergency lock-ins, in total and disaggregated by the reason for such emergency lock-in, as determined by the department; (c) partial facility emergency lock-ins, in total and disaggregated by the reason for such emergency lock-in, as determined by the department; (d) and housing area emergency lock-ins disaggregated by facility, in total and disaggregated by the reason for such emergency lock-in, as determined by the department, and housing area type.

(a) The mean and median duration of department-wide emergency.

During this timeframe, the Department did not have a department-wide emergency lock-in.

(b) Mean and median duration of facility emergency lock-in.

Facility	Lock-In Reason	Mean Duration (Hours)	Median Duration (Hours)
EMTC	Other	1.2	1.2
	TSO	5.0	5.0
GRVC	Other	5.0	5.0
RNDC	Other	5.0	5.0
	Slashing/Stabbing	6.0	6.0
	TSO	5.0	5.0

(c) Mean and median duration of partial facility emergency lock-in.

Facility	Lock-In Reason	Mean Duration (Hours)	Median Duration (Hours)
EMTC	Investigation - Other	4.5	4.5
	Slashing/Stabbing	7.3	7.2
	TSO	5.6	5.0
GRVC	Investigation - Other	6.3	7.0
	Other	4.0	3.5
	Slashing/Stabbing	3.2	3.2
	TSO	5.8	5.5
OBCC	Investigation - Other	4.9	7.0
	Other	3.5	3.5
	Slashing/Stabbing	4.2	5.0
	TSO	5.9	7.0
	UOF Investigation	6.0	6.0
RESH	Investigation - Other	7.0	7.0
	Search	5.0	5.0
	TSO	6.3	7.0
RMSC	TSO	7.0	7.0
RNDC	Investigation - Other	3.9	3.9
	Other	7.0	7.0
	Slashing/Stabbing	2.0	2.0
	TSO	5.9	6.0
WF	Investigation - Other	3.4	3.3
	TSO	3.4	3.4

(d) Mean and median duration of housing area (HA) emergency lock-in.

Facility	Housing Area Type	Lock-In Reason	Mean Duration (Hours)	Median Duration (Hours)
EMTC	General Population	Assault on Staff	7.0	7.0
		Death of Incarcerated Individual	6.0	6.0
		Investigation - Other	4.4	4.2
		Other	2.0	2.0
		Slashing/Stabbing	4.0	3.3
GRVC	General Population	Investigation - Other	5.0	5.0
		Slashing/Stabbing	3.6	2.5
		UOF Investigation	2.7	2.1
NIC	General Population	Investigation - Other	5.0	5.0
		Slashing/Stabbing	6.0	6.0
OBCC	General Population	Assault on Staff	2.0	2.0
		Investigation - Other	5.1	5.0
		Other	5.2	5.0
		Slashing/Stabbing	3.9	2.9
		UOF Investigation	4.5	5.0
RESH	Restrictive	Slashing/Stabbing	4.5	5.0
		UOF Investigation	4.5	5.0
RMSC	General Population	Slashing/Stabbing	1.9	2.0
		UOF Investigation	4.0	3.3
RNDC	General Population	Investigation - Other	4.6	5.0
		Other	2.9	2.0
		Slashing/Stabbing	3.6	2.0
		TSO	5.0	5.0
		UOF Investigation	4.7	5.2
WF	General Population	Incarcerated Individual Fight	4.8	4.8
		Investigation - Other	3.0	2.0
		Other	3.5	3.5
		UOF Investigation	2.9	2.3

8. The number of times mandated services are affected by an emergency lock-in or lock in extension, disaggregated by service type.

Mandated Service	Service Type	Mandated Count
Educational Services	Cancelled	12
	Delayed	54

Mandated Service	Service Type	Mandated Count
Law Library	Cancelled	18
	Delayed	97
Recreation	Cancelled	40
	Delayed	152
Religious Services	Cancelled	24
	Delayed	82
Sick Call ⁴	Cancelled	7
	Delayed	18
Visits	Cancelled	26
	Delayed	79

9. The mean and median duration of continuous lock-ins⁵ disaggregated by facility, in total and disaggregated by the reason for such emergency lock-in, as determined by the department, and the housing area type.

Facility	Housing Area Type	Lock-In Reason	Mean Duration (Hours)	Median Duration (Hours)
EMTC	General Population	Assault on Staff	7.0	7.0
		Death of Incarcerated Individual	6.0	6.0
		Investigation - Other	4.6	5.0
		Other	1.2	1.2
		Slashing/Stabbing	6.2	7.3
		TSO	5.5	5.0
GRVC	General Population	Investigation - Other	6.5	7.0
		Other	4.2	5.0
		Slashing/Stabbing	3.2	2.2
		TSO	5.8	5.5
		UOF Investigation	2.6	2.0
NIC	General Population	Investigation - Other	5.0	5.0
		Slashing/Stabbing	6.0	6.0
OBCC		Assault on Staff	2.0	2.0

⁴ The sick call triage hotline is always available during lock-out hours. An emergency lock-in would not prevent access to the hotline unless access to phones had been restricted as a part of the emergency lock-in measure. Nevertheless, emergency lock-ins do not prevent medical services and anyone with a medical need can still access the clinic during an emergency lock-in.

⁵ Pursuant to Local Law 164 of 2018, a continuous lock-in as used in this report refers to any period of time during which incarcerated individuals are confined to their cells or beds due to the combination of an emergency lock-in and either a scheduled lock-in or a lock-in extension, or both. For the purposes of this metric, these 24-hour lock-in periods are continuous lock-ins, including both scheduled lock-ins and emergency-lock-in periods.

Facility	Housing Area Type	Lock-In Reason	Mean Duration (Hours)	Median Duration (Hours)
	General Population	Investigation - Other	4.8	7.0
		Other	4.1	5.0
		Slashing/Stabbing	4.0	5.0
		TSO	6.0	7.0
		UOF Investigation	5.2	5.0
RESH	General Population	Search	5.0	5.0
	Restrictive	Investigation - Other	7.0	7.0
		Search	5.0	5.0
		Slashing/Stabbing	4.6	5.0
		TSO	6.4	7.0
		UOF Investigation	3.9	3.5
RMSC	General Population	Slashing/Stabbing	1.9	2.0
		TSO	7.0	7.0
		UOF Investigation	4.0	3.3
RNDC	General Population	Investigation - Other	4.0	5.0
		Other	6.1	7.0
		Slashing/Stabbing	3.9	2.0
		TSO	5.7	5.0
		UOF Investigation	4.7	5.2
WF	General Population	Incarcerated Individual Fight	4.8	4.8
		Investigation - Other	3.3	3.4
		Other	5.0	5.0
		TSO	3.4	3.4
		UOF Investigation	2.9	2.3

10. The number of times that the duration of a continuous lock-in exceeds 24 hours, disaggregated by facility, in total and disaggregated by the reason for such emergency lock-in, as determined by the department, and the housing area type.

Facility	Housing Area Type	Lock-In Reasons	# Exceeds 24 Hours
OBCC	General Population	Slashing/Stabbing	1
		UOF Investigation	2
RESH	Restrictive	Slashing/Stabbing	2
RNDC	General Population	Investigation - Other	1
		Slashing/Stabbing	3

In comparison to the previous reporting period, the number of department-wide lockdowns, lock-in extensions and continuous lock-ins exceeding 24 hours remained the same. The number of housing area lock-ins, partial facility lock-ins, and mandated services affected by an emergency lock-in increased. The number of facility lock-ins decreased.

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