New York City Department of Correction Quarterly Report on TGNBI Individuals in Custody FY26 Q1

Pursuant to Local Law 115 of 2023, the Department is required to report on a quarterly basis an aggregate report on individuals in custody who identify as transgender, non-binary, and intersex (TGNBI). Per Department policy, gender identity is self-reported. TGNBI individuals may apply to be housed in the women's facility in the Special Considerations Unit (SCU), a housing area designated for TGNBI individuals; a general population unit in the women's facility; or placement in a men's facility. Housing applications are used strictly for the purpose of making housing determinations and not for the purpose of determining an individual's gender identity. Individuals in custody receive access to programming and services that align with their stated gender identity regardless of where they are housed. Final housing determinations are made on a case-by-case basis in a manner that ensures the individual's health and safety and abates any management or security concerns. If an individual who identifies to the Department as transgender, intersex, or gender non-binary does not agree with the initial housing determination made based on their application or is removed from their housing placement for security reasons, they can request reconsideration of their housing placement.

In order to prevent disclosure of identifying information, if any category contains between one and five persons, or contains an amount that would allow another category that contains between one and five persons to be deduced, the number has been replaced with a symbol.

	Department-wide Housing Placement ADP By Facility							
Facility	New Admission	Mental Health ¹	Restrictive Housing	Protective Custody	General Population	SCU ²	Other ³	Total
BHPW	0	0	0	0	0	0	56	56
EHPW	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	11
EMTC	416	126	0	0	810	0	173	1,526
GRVC	0	483	0	0	485	0	30	999
NIC	0	11	0	0	169	0	109	288
OBCC	0	251	0	40	1,079	0	218	1,588
RESH	0	0	160	0	416	0	3	579
RMSC	43	105	0	13	234	4	38	436
RNDC	0	97	0	126	704	0	205	1,132
WF	0	0	0	0	698	0	76	775
Total	459	1,074	160	178	4,599	4	919	7,389

¹ Includes all forms of mental health housing, including mental observation, PACE, and CAPS.

² There were 10 total individuals housed in the SCU during the reporting period.

³ Includes, but is not limited to, hospital wards, infirmaries, nurseries, and receiving rooms.

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Individuals in Custody Who Identify as TGNBI				
Gender Identity ⁴	ADP	Percent		
Transgender	40.8	0.6%		
Woman	40.6			
Transgender Man	11.8	0.2%		
Non-Binary	~~	~~		
Intersex	~~	~~		
Total	58.3	0.8%		

	TGNBI Housing Placement ADP By Facility						
Facility	Trans Woman	Trans Man	Non- Binary	Intersex	TGNBI Total	Grand Total	Percent
BHPW	~	0.0	0.0	0.0	~	55.9	0.3%
EHPW	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.5	0.2%
EMTC	~	0.0	~~	~~	~	1,525.7	0.0%
GRVC	5.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.3	999.1	0.5%
NIC	~~	0.0	0.0	0.0	~~	288.0	0.3%
OBCC	11.6	~~	~~	0.0	13.3	1,588.4	0.8%
RESH	~~	0.0	0.0	0.0	~~	578.9	0.2%
RMSC ⁵	19.3	11.6	~~	0.0	33.8	435.5	7.8%
RNDC	~~	0.0	~~	0.0	~~	1,131.5	0.3%
WF	~	0.0	0.0	~~	~	774.6	0.0%
Total	40.8	11.8	5.8	~~	58.9	7,389.1	0.8%

Denials of Applications for Gender-Aligned Housing				
Gender Identity ⁴	Number of Applications	Number of Denials	Percent	
Transgender Woman	55	27	49%	
Transgender Man	8	~~	13%	
Non-Binary	~~	~~	100%	
Intersex	~~	~~	~~	
Total	69	34	49%	

⁴ Gender identity is self-reported by the individual in custody.

⁵ During the reporting period, there were no TGNBI individuals whose security classification increased after moving from a men's to a women's facility.

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Denials for Applications for SCU ⁶				
Gender Identity	Number of Applicants	Number of Denials	Percent	
Transgender Woman	36	18	50%	
Transgender Man	~~	~~	~~	
Non-Binary	6	6	100%	
Intersex	~~	~~	~~	
Total	45	27	60%	

TGNBI Individuals Involuntarily Removed from Gender-Aligned Facility			
Gender Identity Number			
Transgender Woman	~~		
Transgender Man	0		
Non-Binary	~~		
Intersex	0		
Total ~~			

TGNBI Individuals who Filed Complaints ⁷			
Gender Identity	Number		
Transgender Woman	25		
Transgender Man	~~		
Non-Binary	6		
Intersex	~~		
Total	33		

⁶ Individuals denied placement in the SCU may still be placed in a housing unit in a gender-aligned facility.

⁷ Complaints filed anonymously and/or confidentially cannot be tracked based on individual demographic information and are not represented.