

TREATMENT AND REENTRY PRACTICES FOR SEX OFFENDERS An Overview of States

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Executive Summary

Over the past 15 years, the response of the criminal justice system to people who have been convicted of a sex offense has become increasingly punitive, relying heavily on incarceration. Yet, a consequent increase in criminal justice costs has led some states to reconsider their response to sex offenders. Concerns about public safety and the protection of victims remain the primary focus, but many states have also invested in treatment and reentry programs as alternatives to incarceration for some people.

Although the content and structure of treatment and reentry programs vary considerably from one jurisdiction to another, few if any resources provide criminal justice officials and policymakers an overview of these programs or a comparative assessment of their effectiveness. This report attempts to address these issues by providing an overview and analysis of existing treatment and reentry practices for sex offenders who are involved with the criminal justice system. It focuses, specifically, on four broad areas of practice: treatment in prison, treatment under community supervision, reentry programming, and community supervision. Interviews with state officials and treatment providers from 37 states that responded to our survey revealed several findings:

- In both prison and community settings, the treatment of sex offenders is generally grounded in evidence-based practices, especially cognitive-behavioral therapy. In general, treatment is much more available in the community than in institutional settings.
- In most of the participating states, communitybased treatment for sex offenders is supported, at least in part, by collecting fees from those in treatment—a circumstance that may limit access to these programs.
- Standardized risk assessment tools such as the STATIC-99 are now widely used nationally in both prison- and community-based treatment programs. Needs assessment tools, especially

- the ACUTE, are becoming more prevalent in community supervision.
- No reentry initiatives were found that specifically target sex offenders. Although eligible for general reentry programming in most states, people convicted of a sexual offense have few, if any, options for reentry programming that addresses their unique needs.
- Correctional institutions and community supervision agencies in most states share information about the case histories and treatment plans of sex offenders who are returning to the community from prison. Research suggests that this type of inter-agency communication can help reduce recidivism.
- In general, community supervision agencies manage risk and provide services. Research suggests that this is an effective approach to reducing recidivism.
- A limited number of states are conducting research on their own treatment, reentry, and supervision initiatives. Almost no studies have examined these programs from a cost-benefit perspective.

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Introduction and Background

The sentencing and management of sex offenders is one of the most difficult and controversial issues facing the criminal justice system today. This is in large part due to the brutal nature of many sex crimes and the fact that many victims are children and other vulnerable people a combination that elicits highly emotional responses from the public.

Over the past 15 years, the criminal justice system's response to people who have been convicted of a sex offense has become increasingly punitive. In 2004, more than 150,000 people were incarcerated in state prisons for sex offenses, compared with 142,000 in 2002 and 110,000 in 1999. In many states, lengthy prison sentences are now the norm: according to one recent study, people who are incarcerated in connection with a sex offense spend about twice as long in prison as those who serve time for other crimes.² Also, an increasing number of local and state laws impose strict registration and residency requirements on people who have been convicted of a sex offense, even after they have served a prison sentence. There are now more than 636,000 registered sex offenders in the United States—one in 500 Americans.³ This number has doubled in the last decade.4

The punitive response of the past 15 years is not limited to sentencing laws and stricter registration requirements: the definition of what constitutes a sex offense has also been greatly expanded. (The beginning of this expansion coincided with the 1993 passage of Megan's Law, a federal regulation that directed states to release information to the public about known convicted sex offenders, and has continued through the passage of Jessica's Law in 2006, which introduced stricter penalties and restrictions for sex offenders.) Today, the term sex offense can include everything from child molestation to public urination.

The increasing reliance on incarceration as a response to sex offenses, together with expanded definitions of what constitutes a sex offense, has driven up criminal justice costs. This has led some states to reconsider their response to sex offenders. While concerns of public safety and the protection of victims remain the primary focus, a number of states—especially those with limited resources—have concluded that incarceration is simply not a viable long-term solution, at least not for all sex offenders.

In fact, most people who are convicted of a sex offense will be placed under community supervision at some point—either on probation immediately following sentencing or on parole after having served a jail or prison term. A 1997 study by the Bureau of Justice Statistics reports that of the approximately 234,000 adult sex offenders who are under the custody or control of correctional agencies on any given day in the United States, almost 60 percent are under some form of community supervision.⁵ Although there has been no follow-up study in recent years, this number has likely grown.

To cope with the large number of sex offenders under community supervision, a growing number of states are investing in treatment programs. Increasingly, these programs are also functioning as alternatives to incarceration.

However, the content and structure of treatment and reentry programs vary considerably from one jurisdiction to another, and there are few resources for criminal justice officials and policymakers who would like an overview of these programs nationwide. Both the Center for Sex Offender Management and the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers, an international non-profit

¹ W.J. Sabol, H. Couture, and P.M. Harrison, *Prisoners in 2006* (Washington, DC: Bureau of Justice Statistics, 2006); P. M. Harrison and A. J. Beck, Prisoners in 2004 (Washington, DC: Bureau of Justice Statistics, 2004); A. J. Beck and P. M. Harrison, Prisoners in 2000 (Washington, DC: Bureau of Justice Statistics, 2000).

² Lawrence A. Greenfield, Sex Offenses and Offenders: An Analysis of Data on Rape and Sexual Assault (Washington, DC: Bureau of Justice Statistics, 1997, NCJ 163392).

³ National Center for Missing & Exploited Children, Registered Sex Offenders in the United States per 100,000 Population (map), March 25, 2008.

⁴ Devon B. Adams, Summary of State Sex Offender Registries (Washington, DC: Bureau of Justice Statistics (Fact Sheet): March 2002, NCJ 192265).

⁵ Ibid.

organization, have produced publications on the treatment and management of sex offenders, but policymakers seeking to optimize their use of resources would profit from a survey of the programs that are currently in place across the United States. Similarly, their policy decisions would benefit from a comparative assessment of the effectiveness of current practices.

This report attempts to address these issues by providing an overview and analysis of existing treatment and reentry practices for sex offenders involved with the criminal justice system (as opposed to those who are civilly committed). Drawing on information that was collected by Vera researchers from policymakers and treatment providers in the 50 states and Washington, DC, it emphasizes the structure, content, and availability of those programs and, when applicable, compares current practices to research findings. Specifically, it focuses on four broad areas of practice: treatment in prison, treatment under community supervision, reentry programming, and community supervision.⁷

Note that this report does not provide an exhaustive catalog of what each state is doing in terms of treatment, reentry, and community supervision, nor does it provide a comprehensive overview of the legal context in which these services are being delivered.⁸ Rather, it aims to identify and analyze nationwide trends in treatment and reentry practices.

After a brief description of our methodology, we begin with a review of the latest research on treatment, reentry, and community supervision practices for sex offenders. Then, we present and analyze our findings from each of the four broad areas of practice, beginning with prison-based treatment and followed by community-based treatment, reentry programming, and

community supervision. We end with a discussion of overarching themes and conclusions.

Methodology

Vera researchers relied on qualitative methods to collect and analyze data for this report. Data was collected over a six-month study period through phone interviews with state officials and other policymakers who manage sex offenders.

For each of the four substantive areas mentioned earlier (prison-based treatment, community-based treatment, reentry, and community supervision), Vera researchers developed detailed interview questionnaires and identified at least one potential respondent from each state (for a minimum total of four contacts per state). Most respondents either worked in the Department of Corrections or another state agency or were treatment providers. Interview questions were open ended.

The overall response rate for all four substantive areas categories across all 51 jurisdictions was 65 percent.9 For each state, Vera researchers entered information into an answer template that covered all four substantive areas. Once this answer template was completed, it was sent back to the respondents to confirm that it was consistent with the information they had provided. The completed state templates are included as appendices in this report. They provide detailed information on both the treatment and reentry practices themselves as well as the context in which they were developed.

To identify larger patterns, Vera researchers conducted a qualitative data analysis. This qualitative analysis consisted in reviewing each state template and categorizing treatment and reentry practices according to topics of general interest, such as whether statewide standards exist or the number of treatment providers in a given state. These state overviews are also included in

⁶ Civil commitment is the court-ordered confinement and treatment of sex offenders who are deemed to represent a significant threat to public safety.

Sex offenders in the community also receive treatment under civil commitment. However, this study focuses exclusively on treatment in the criminal justice context.

⁸ To gain a better understanding of state legislation governing sex offender definitions, registration requirements, and sentencing practices, the Vera Institute has also issued a companion report, The Pursuit of Safety: Sex Offender Policy in the United States, that gives a national overview of these issues.

⁹ In social science research, a response rate above 50 percent is considered adequate for analysis and publishing (see Babbie 2005 for more information).

the appendices. Categorizing treatment and reentry practices in this manner provided researchers with a broad overview of the subjects.

This study has two methodological limitations. First, as is true of any study that relies on interview responses, some of those we contacted chose not to participate, with the result that there are gaps in our data. Our discussion of national trends and patterns here reflects only those states that responded to requests for phone interviews. Second, the trends identified in this report are based on information reported by state contacts. While Vera researchers made every effort to ensure that the information is accurate, this is a complex subject, and the open-ended nature of our interview questions left room for interpretation and (possibly) error.

Research on Treatment, Reentry, and Community Supervision **Practices**

In this section, we present an overview of recent research on treatment (both in prison and in the community), reentry, and community supervision practices for sex offenders. The aim is to provide a context for the assessment of current state practices described in subsequent sections of this report.

Broadly, the research on treatment methods has consistently found that cognitive-behavioral therapy (CBT), a treatment that relies on changing thought processes to help people understand and accept responsibility for their offenses, is the most effective approach to reducing sexual and overall recidivism. (This result applies to programs that provide CBT in prison as well as those that provide it in other settings.) In addition, the research on reentry and supervision practices has uncovered two salient findings: social support is key to making a successful transition back to society, and supervision is most effective when combined with specialized sex offender treatment services. Unfortunately, there has been little cost-benefit analysis of treatment and reentry programming, which

makes it difficult to assess the financial impact of these programs.

There are, however, a number of methodological issues associated with research on sex offenders that limit the applicability of these findings. For one, it is often difficult to find a control group with which to compare program participants—a necessary step if one is to know for certain a program's effect. Also, low baseline rates of sexual offense arrests and significant under-reporting of sexual offenses make it difficult for researchers to demonstrate statistically significant reductions in sexual offending as a result of treatment and reentry programs. 10

In the remainder of this section, we discuss in more detail research as it relates to each of the four broad areas of practice identified earlier: treatment in prison, community-based treatment, reentry programming, and community supervision.

PRISON- AND COMMUNITY-BASED TREATMENT

Treatment programs generally have three aims: First, they aim to help offenders take responsibility for their actions. Second, they aim to prevent relapse. Third, they aim to rehabilitate people who have been convicted of a sex offense. 11 Different programs pursue these goals in a variety of ways, ranging from CBT to chemical castration (the use of a hormonal medication such as Depo-Provera to temporarily reduce testosterone levels) to education. The appropriateness of any particular approach often depends on the nature of a person's offending behavior: a treatment that is geared toward pedophiles, for example, may not be appropriate for an adult rapist who exhibits more general criminal tendencies.

Treatment across settings. A 2002 meta-analysis of 43 studies on the psychological treatment of sex offenders found that the average rate of sexual recidivism for people in treatment (12.3 percent) was statistically

¹⁰ It becomes increasingly difficult to establish statistically significant differences as the number of outcome events decreases.

¹¹ Kurt Bumby, Understanding Treatment for Adults and Juveniles Who Have Committed Sex Offenses (Silver Spring, MD: Center for Sex Offender Management, 2006).

significantly lower than for those who did not receive treatment (16.8 percent). 12 The average rate of overall recidivism for those in treatment was also lower (27.9 percent, compared with 39.2 percent for people who were not in treatment). 13 Finally, the analysis found that CBT, which has become standard practice in almost every state, is much more effective than the treatments that were used before 1980. More recently, a review of 69 controlled outcome evaluations of sex offender treatment confirmed many documented earlier findings. It also found that treatment reduces sexual recidivism by an average of 37 percent and that hormonal therapy and CBT work best—although it was difficult to separate the effect of these treatments from other factors. 14 The report concluded that more rigorous studies were needed to determine the effectiveness of different treatments for different types of offenders.

Prison-based treatment. The research literature on the effectiveness of treatment programs for incarcerated offenders is fairly inconclusive. A 2003 study of 195 sex offenders who took part in a prison-based CBT program in Vermont found that people who completed the program were significantly less likely (5.4 percent) than those who dropped out (30.6 percent) or refused to participate (30.0 percent) to be charged with a sexual offense in a six-year follow-up period. 15 It also found that continuing with treatment after release from prison was significantly associated with lower recidivism of sexual offenses. However, this study did not use randomly assigned treatment or control groups, so despite the fact that researchers found no significant

differences in risk assessment scores between those who completed the program and those who did not, it is impossible to know for certain whether factors other than treatment affected the observed outcomes.¹⁶

In contrast, there are several studies which have examined specific treatment programs and concluded that they do not have a significant effect on recidivism rates. 17 Among these is a study in which prisoners who had volunteered to participate in California's Sex Offender Treatment and Evaluation Project (SOTEP) were randomly assigned to either SOTEP (which employed CBT and relapse prevention, a treatment that uses cognitive and behavioral techniques to help offenders identify and change negative behavioral patterns) or a control group. 18 Likewise, researchers from the Washington State Institute for Public Policy (WSIPP), which is well-known for both its metaanalyses and its research on treatment for sex offenders, found that a sex offender treatment program for inmates had little effect on recidivism rates for sexual and violent offenses—despite the fact that those who participated in the program did so voluntarily and were thus likely to be amenable to treatment.¹⁹

In spite of these inconclusive results regarding prison-based treatment in general, there is some evidence that CBT in particular is effective for lowering recidivism rates. In addition to the Vermont study

¹² Because meta-analyses incorporate numerous studies that measure recidivism differently, it is not possible to define recidivism more specifically.

R.K. Hanson, A. Gordon, A.J.R. Harris, J.K. Marques, W. Murphy, V.L. Quinsey, and M.C. Seto, "First Report of the Collaborative Outcome Data Project on the Effectiveness of Psychological Treatment for Sex Offenders," Sexual Abuse: A Journal of Research and Treatment, 14 (2002): 169-194.

14 F. Lösel and M. Schmucker, "The Effectiveness of Treatment for

Sexual Offenders: A Comprehensive Meta-Analysis," Journal of Experimental Criminology 1(2005): 117-146.

¹⁵ R.J. McGrath, G. Cumming, J.A. Livingston, and S. Hoke, "Outcome of a Treatment Program for Adult Sex Offenders: From Prison to Community," Journal of Interpersonal Violence 18, no 1 (2003): 3-17.

¹⁶ The use of comparison groups allows researchers to assess whether or not changes in outcomes following treatment would have occurred in the absence of treatment as well. Random assignment to treatment or comparison groups provides the strongest evidence of a treatment effect because it creates two groups that are comparable except for the treatment intervention.

¹⁷A. Mander, M. Atrops, A. Barnes, and R. Munafo, Sex Offender Treatment Program: Initial Recidivism Study (Anchorage, AK: Alaska Department of Corrections, 1996); and V.L.E. Quinsey, G.T. Harris, M.E. Rice, and C.A. Cormier, Violent Offenders: Appraising and Managing Risk (Washington, DC: APA, 1998).

¹⁸ J.K. Marques, M. Wiederanders, D.M. Day, C. Nelson, and A. Van Ommeren, "Effects of a Relapse Prevention Program on Sexual Recidivism: Final Results from California's Sex Offender Treatment and Evaluation Project (SOTEP). Sexual Abuse: A Journal of Research and Treatment 17 (2005): 79-107. Note that because random assignment fully controls for competing influences on recidivism, the absence of a significant difference between the two groups in this study can be interpreted as strong evidence that there was in fact no difference between them.

¹⁹ L. Song, and Roxanne Lieb, Washington State Sex Offenders: Overview of Recidivism Studies (Olympia, WA: Washington State Institute for Public Policy, 1995).

mentioned above, a 2000 study of high-risk sex offenders who volunteered for Canada's Clearwater Sex Offender Treatment Program, which used both CBT and a relapse prevention component, found that program participants had significantly lower reconviction rates than those in a comparison group. 20 Moreover, the difference in conviction rates was much larger for sexual reconvictions than for nonsexual reconvictions. Similarly, in a comprehensive meta-analysis, WSIPP researchers found that prison-based CBT reduced recidivism by an average of 14.9 percent.²¹

Therapeutic community programs, which emphasize group support in facilitating behavior change, have also been shown to exert a beneficial effect on sex offender recidivism. In 2003, the Colorado Division of Criminal Justice found that sex offenders who participated in their prison-based therapeutic community program were significantly less likely than sex offenders who did not participate in the program to recidivate across a number of measures.²² Moreover, the Colorado study found that longer periods of treatment in the therapeutic community led to lower recidivism rates upon release. Again, though, this evaluation did not use randomly assigned treatment and control groups, nor did it match people in the two groups on the basis of characteristics that may have influenced their decision to enroll in treatment. As a result, it is not possible to attribute the observed outcomes to the program with any certainty.

With regard to the cost of prison-based treatment programs, a cost-benefit analysis by the WSIPP found that these programs, when combined with aftercare, actually increase costs to taxpayers by an average of

\$3,258 per participant. In contrast, treatment delivered to juveniles in an institutional setting saved an average of \$7,829 per participant.²³ This was the only cost-benefit analysis we uncovered in our review.

Community-based treatment. The research on community-based treatment programs for sex offenders suggests, fairly consistently, that these programs are effective in reducing recidivism. In one study of 1,400 sex offenders who were sentenced to probation in Minnesota, researchers found that re-arrest rates for sexual offenses for those who completed treatment (5 percent) were lower than for those who began but did not complete treatment (11 percent) and those who never entered treatment (11 percent).²⁴ The Minnesota study also found that offenders who completed treatment were less likely to be re-arrested for any new offense (13 percent versus 45 percent for those who began but did not complete treatment, and 42 percent for those who never entered treatment).

In addition, there is evidence that treatment designed to address deviant feelings and behaviors specifically related to sexual offending has an effect on both sexual and nonsexual recidivism rates above and beyond the effects of general treatment, which addresses more general mental health and behavioral issues. For example, a 1998 study found that probation supervision combined with specialized sex offender treatment, as compared with probation supervision combined with only general mental health treatment, significantly reduced overall re-arrests (for both sexual and nonsexual offenses) among a group of sex offenders in rural Vermont.²⁵ However, neither the Minnesota nor the Vermont study used random assignment, so it is not possible to conclude with any certainty that the

²⁰ J. Looman, J. Abracen, and T. Nicholaichuk, "Recidivism among treated sexual offenders and matched controls," *Journal of Interpersonal Violence* 15, no. 3 (2000): 279-290; Polly Phipps, Kim Korinek, Steve Aos, and Roxanne Lieb, Research Findings on Adult Corrections Programs: A Review (Olympia, WA: Washington State Institute for Public Policy, 1999). Throughout this section, "significance" means statistical significance.

²¹ Steve Aos, Marna Miller, and Elizabeth Drake, *Evidence-Based* Public Policy Options to Reduce Future Prison Construction, Criminal Justice Costs, and Crime Rates (Olympia, WA: Washington State Institute for Public Policy, 2006).

²² Kerry Lowden, Nicole Hetz, Linda Harrison, Diane Patrick, Kim English, and Diane Pasini-Hill, Evaluation of Colorado's Therapeutic Community for Sex Offenders: A Report of Findings (Office of Research and Statistics, Division of Criminal Justice, 2003).

²³ Aos, Miller, and Drake, Evidence-Based Public Policy Options to Reduce Future Prison Construction, Criminal Justice Costs, and Crime Rates, 2006.

²⁴ Sex Offender Supervision: 2000 Report to the Legislature (St. Paul, MN: Minnesota Department of Corrections, 2000).

²⁵ R.J. McGrath, S.E. Hoke, and J.E. Vojtisek, "Cognitive-Behavioral Treatment of Sex Offenders: A Treatment Comparison and Long-Term Follow-Up Study," Criminal Justice and Behavior 25 (1998): 203-225.

reductions in re-arrests were due to treatment rather than other factors.

With regard to specific treatments, there is considerable evidence, grounded in methodologically sound research, that community-based CBT is effective in reducing overall recidivism. However, it remains unclear whether community-based CBT is effective in reducing sexual recidivism. In a systematic metaanalysis of sex offender programming that examined only those evaluations that used a well-matched comparison group, WSIPP researchers found that CBT significantly reduces recidivism (by an average of 31.2 percent across studies) among low-risk sex offenders on probation.²⁶ The WSIPP study did not, however, examine the impact of CBT on sexual recidivism.

It is difficult to assess the impact of medical treatments on sexual offending. This is primarily due to ethical restrictions that prevent researchers from randomly assigning people to procedures or treatments that are either potentially harmful or invasive. Nonetheless, there have been a handful of studies in this area. One of these, a study based on a sample of mostly pedophiles, found that people who volunteered for and were surgically castrated were significantly less likely to engage in recidivism of sexual offenses than volunteers who were not castrated.²⁷ In addition, a meta-analysis found that hormonal therapy was, on average, more effective in reducing sexual recidivism than psychosocial interventions—although other aspects of these programs may account for this effect.²⁸

REENTRY PROGRAMMING

Reentry programming aims to help sex offenders make the transition back into the community after they are released from prison. Although reentry in general is a major topic in the field of corrections, there has been relatively little research that focuses on the specific needs of sex offenders leaving prison. One of the few

studies that addresses the subject directly began by examining the general literature on successful reentry strategies for people convicted of a wide range of offenses. Then, arguing that these reentry strategies can be applied to sex offenders so long as one takes the unique needs of sex offenders into account, it identified several key factors in the successful reentry of sex offenders:

- 1. Institutional and community case managers collaborate to maintain a consistent approach.
- 2. Manage sex offenders in prison in a way that prepares them for release.
- 3. Consider the benefits of discretionary release policies.
- 4. Have case managers actively involved in facilitating the transition.
- 5. Recognize victims as important stakeholders.
- 6. Develop a community supervision approach for sex offenders that promotes successful outcomes in addition to risk management.²⁹

The Center for Sex Offender Management endorsed these strategies in a 2007 report.

A handful of studies have examined the impact of specific reentry models on sex offenders leaving prison. A 2005 study, for example, examined Circles of Support and Accountability (COSA), a program that originated in Canada and is becoming more prevalent in the United States. COSA encourages high-risk offenders to develop support networks in the community, consisting mostly of volunteers from faith-based organizations who visit them on a regular basis, following their release from prison. The researchers found that sex offenders who participated in COSA recidivated at a rate that was 31.6 percent lower than people in a matched group who did not participate.³⁰ Another study of COSA, this one from

Assessment, Treatment, and Supervision of Adult and Juvenile

²⁶ Steve Aos, Marna Miller, and Elizabeth Drake, Evidence-Based Adult Corrections Programs: What Works and What Does Not (Olympia, WA: Washington State Institute for Public Policy, 2006). bid.

²⁸ Lösel and Schmucker, 2005.

²⁹ K.M. Bumby, T.B. Talbot, and M.M. Carter, "Sex Offender Reentry: Facilitating Public Safety through Successful Transition and Community Reintegration," Criminal Justice and Behavior (in press). ³⁰ R.J. Wilson and J.E. Picheca, "Circles of Support and Accountability: Engaging the Community in Sexual Offender Management" in B.K. Schwartz (Ed.), The Sex Offender: Issues in

2007, concluded that the program led to a 70 percent reduction in re-arrests for sexual offenses and a 57 percent reduction in re-arrests for violent offenses.³¹

Finally, a number of studies suggest that many sex offenders leaving prison need community support to find a place to live, as strict residency requirements often make it difficult for them to find affordable housing.³²

COMMUNITY SUPERVISION

Community supervision refers to those forms of correctional supervision that do not involve incarceration, such as probation, parole, and community corrections. (Community corrections involves monitoring offenders independently of probation and parole. In general, community corrections agencies supervise offenders who have been diverted from prison but who represent a higher risk than people on probation.) The research on community supervision is similar to that on reentry in that it stresses the importance of social bonds and community support in reducing recidivism and rehabilitating offenders.

One of the most promising models of community supervision—and perhaps the most widely known in the sex offender management community—is the containment model, an evidence-based model developed by the Colorado Division of Criminal Justice in the 1980s. The containment model is grounded in five key principles, all of which support the notion that sexual reoffending can be minimized through internal and external controls:³³

1. The primary objectives of sex offender management are to enhance public safety,

Populations (pp 13.1-13.21) (Kingston, NJ: Civic Research Institute, 2005).

- ensure victim safety, and make reparation to victims.
- 2. Sex offender management should rely on interagency coordination, interdisciplinary partnership, and job specialization to provide a unified approach.
- 3. Offenders should be held accountable through individualized case management plans that use informal controls (which are learned and reinforced through treatment) as well as external controls (in particular the active involvement of family and law enforcement). Polygraphs should also be used to monitor these internal and external controls.
- 4. State and local criminal justice agencies and policymakers should work together to develop informed public policies.
- 5. Criminal justice agencies should develop quality control mechanisms to monitor the implementation of these strategies and to assess their effectiveness over time.

Each of these principles is grounded in the clinical treatment literature, and research on the containment model provides support for its effectiveness in reducing recidivism. Some of this research overlaps with the treatment literature discussed earlier—for example, the Colorado therapeutic community program that was found to reduce recidivism was grounded in the containment approach. In addition, a 2001 Oregon study found that people on probation and parole who took part in a program that combined treatment, polygraph monitoring, and specialized supervision were 40 percent less likely to be convicted of a new felony than people on probation and parole in a neighboring county who did not receive the same combination of services.³⁴ Other state-specific analyses have found that sex offenders who are supervised under the containment model have low

³¹ R.J. Wilson, J.E. Picheca, and M. Prinzo, "Evaluating the Effectiveness of Professionally Facilitated Volunteerism in the Community-Based Management of High-Risk Sexual Offenders: Part Two—A Comparison of Recidivism Rates, The Howard Journal, 46, no. 4 (2007): 327-337.

³² Joan Petersilia, When Prisoners Come Home: Parole and Prisoner Reentry (New York, NY: New York Open Society Institute, 2003). 33 K. English, S. Pullen, and L. Jones, Managing Adult Sex Offenders in the Community: A Containment Approach (Washington, DC: National Institute of Justice, Research in Brief, 1997).

³⁴ K.A. England, S. Olsen, T. Zakrajsek, P. Murray, and R. Ireson, "Cognitive/Behavioral Treatment for Sexual Offenders: An Examination of Recidivism," Sexual Abuse: A Journal of Treatment and Practice 13, no. 4 (2001): 223-231.

felony re-arrest rates (6 percent in one study). However, none of these state-specific studies used comparison groups, so it is difficult to attribute this outcome with any certainty to the containment model.³⁵

Other research suggests that strong social support can play a crucial role in preventing recidivism. For example, a 2004 study of sex offenders sentenced to probation for child molestation found that people who had strong support from family and friends were less likely to have their probation status revoked for either a technical violation or a new arrest and that people with strong support whose status was revoked generally lasted longer on probation than people without such support.³⁶ The study also found that people who were employed were less likely to violate the terms of probation.³⁷ These findings are consistent with a body of research that highlights the shortcomings associated with a straight risk management approach (that is, an approach that emphasizes monitoring offenders without attempting to address their needs). According to some studies, risk management strategies have a negligible impact on recidivism rates among the *general* offender population when they are used in isolation; additional research suggests that this is true of sex offenders as well.³⁸

On a different note, a recent study in Vermont examined the impact of polygraph techniques on recidivism rates among 208 adult male sex offenders who were both receiving treatment and under community supervision. Half of the people in this sample group were subject to polygraph monitoring. Researchers found that although significantly fewer people in the group that was subject to polygraph monitoring were charged with nonsexual violent offenses, there were no significant

differences between the two groups with respect to the number of people charged with sexual offenses; the number of people charged with sexual or violent offenses; or the number of people charged with criminal offenses in general.³⁹

Recent Trends in Treatment, Reentry, and Community **Supervision Practices**

This section summarizes recent trends in each of the four substantive areas outlined earlier—prison-based treatment, community-based treatment, reentry, and community supervision—as revealed by our survey. When applicable, we assess these trends in light of extant research. A detailed, state-by-state overview of current practices for each substantive area can be found in the appendices.

PRISON-BASED TREATMENT

Our analysis of prison-based treatment indicates that while few states are able to provide treatment to all imprisoned sex offenders who are eligible, the treatment services that are currently in place are grounded in evidence-based approaches such as CBT and relapse prevention. There is less emphasis on drug therapy and polygraph monitoring, which have not yet been adequately evaluated by researchers. Our qualitative analysis of survey data identified four trends: the limited availability of prison-based treatment; the widespread use of evidence-based treatment; the growing use of treatment standards; and the widespread use of risk (but not needs) assessments.

Limited availability. Prison-based treatment for sex offenders is available in most states. In general, though, the treatment capacity of prisons and jails is quite

³⁵ Division of Probation Services, *Special Analysis* (Denver, CO: State Court Administrators Office, Judicial Branch, 2007); M. Walsh, "Overview of the IPSO Program—Intensive Parole for Sex Offenders - in Framingham Massachusetts, Presentation by the parole board chair to the National Governors Association policy meeting on sexual offenders. November 15, 2005. San Francisco, CA.

This includes revocations for technical violations and new arrests.

³⁷ John R. Hepburn, and Marie L. Griffin, "The Effect of Social Bonds on Successful Adjustment to Probation: An Event History Analysis," Criminal Justice Review, 29, no. 1 (2004).

³⁸ Kurt Bumy, Tom Talbot, and Madeline Carter, Managing the Challenges of Sex Offender Reentry (Silver Spring, MD: Center for Sex Offender Management, 2007).

³⁹ R.J. McGrath, G.E. Cumming, S.E. Hoke, and M.O. Bonn-Miller, "Outcomes in a Community Sex Offender Treatment Program: A Comparison Between Polygraphed and Matched Non-polygraphed Offenders," Sex Abuse 19 (2007): 381-393.

limited, especially when compared with communitybased programs. Across the 37 states that responded to our survey of prison-based treatment, we found that the percentage of imprisoned sex offenders in treatment at any given time ranged from 1 to 33 percent. Interviews with policymakers and treatment providers suggest that limited institutional capacity was the primary reason these figures were so low. Only one state (Pennsylvania) reported that treatment is available in all facilities; in contrast, 13 states reported that treatment was either unavailable altogether or available in only one facility. Our findings also suggest that it is especially difficult for female sex offenders to access treatment. Fewer than half of the participating states reported that treatment is available in at least one women's prison. (We did not, however, directly ask about the availability of treatment in women's prisons, so the actual number may be higher.)

In light of the limited availability of prison-based treatment programs, it is not surprising that very few states require all incarcerated sex offenders to undergo treatment. Indiana, Iowa, Missouri, and New Jersey were the only states that reported mandatory treatment in prison without any qualifiers. (In other words, all incarcerated sex offenders in those states are presumably required to undergo treatment.) Other states provide treatment to select groups of sex offenders, or offer education that does not technically qualify as treatment. Montana, for example, requires all people convicted of a sex offense to participate in a 15-week group educational program with a sex therapist prior to being screened for further treatment; Ohio mandates treatment for all medium- and high-risk sex offenders, as defined by scores on the STATIC-99 risk instrument.⁴⁰

Evidence-based treatment methods. Our survey indicates that most prison-based treatment programs rely heavily on CBT, a treatment that, as noted earlier, is supported by research.

Very few states employ drug therapy as part of prison-based treatment on anything other than a case-bycase basis. Among those states that do administer drugs, most use anti-depressants such as selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors (SSRIs), as opposed to chemical castration or other types of hormonal therapy—the types of drug therapy that are generally associated with medical treatment of sex offenders in the research literature. Because very few studies have examined the role of anti-depressants in prison-based treatment for sex offenders, it is difficult to draw conclusions about the impact of current drug therapy practices.

While polygraphs are more prevalent than drug therapy in the context of prison-based treatment, they are hardly widespread. Fewer than half of the states that responded to our survey reported using polygraphs in some capacity in prison-based treatment programs. Unfortunately, as noted earlier, there is very little research (as of spring 2008 we were unable to find a single study) that examines the impact of polygraph monitoring on sexual recidivism.

A few states reported assigning people to different treatment programs based on their level of risk. This practice is consistent with criminological research, which shows that, in the general population of offenders, those who are higher risk achieve better outcomes when they receive more intensive programming, and those who are lower risk do better in less intensive programming.⁴¹

Finally, a number of states have treatment programs that employ either multiple treatment components or a progressive series of phases (or both). Most multi-phase programs begin with an educational component. The content and purpose of this educational component varies from program to program: In Colorado and Montana, for example, the first phase of treatment involves providing an overview of the program so that participants know what to expect before they begin. In Ohio, on the other hand, the first phase consists of a "psychoeducation" program that explains to participants

⁴⁰ The STATIC-99 is an actuarial risk assessment instrument that predicts risk for sexual recidivism among adult males based on 10 factors that are stable over time.

⁴¹ D.A. Andrews and J. Bonta, *The Psychology of Criminal Conduct*. 3rd edition (Cincinnati, OH: Anderson, 2003).

the nature of their mental illness to help them prevent relapse.

Standards for treatment. Most states have standards that define the parameters of treatment programming, although only 15 of the 37 states that responded to our survey reported that their standards had been developed by independent bodies outside of the department of corrections. The existence of treatment standards is significant because it creates a system of accountability among criminal justice agencies and providers and encourages them to use evidence-based techniques. Independent standards provide an additional level of oversight and, thus, encourage criminal justice agencies and treatment providers to adopt responsible and effective approaches to treatment. Moreover, the fact that independent standards are usually drafted by mental health professionals and other authorities suggests that such standards are more likely to be effective than standards created by correctional officials. Among the states with standards that were created by independent, legislatively created bodies are Colorado, Connecticut, Kentucky, and Texas. 42 Several other states—among them Washington, Vermont, and Montana—have standards that were created by independent bodies that were not legislatively created.

Risk and needs assessments. A great majority of participating states use at least one actuarial risk assessment instrument for predicting sexual recidivism among people incarcerated for sex offenses. Such tools have the advantage of determining risk through statistical relationships, rather than through subjective clinical judgments. The most widely used risk assessment instrument is a standardized instrument known as the

STATIC-99. In general, standardized instruments are more common than customized instruments, though it remains unclear to what extent such standardized instruments have been validated for the particular uses individual states put them to.

Only five states (Colorado, Illinois, Utah, Vermont, and Wisconsin) reported having developed customized risk assessment tools based on statistical data drawn from local sex offender populations. 43 Two of the most widely recognized customized state tools are the Minnesota Sex Offender Screening Tool (MnSOST-R) and the Vermont Assessment of Sex Offender Risk (VASOR), both of which are being used in a number of other states.

Although the use of risk assessment tools is fairly widespread, only a few states use actuarial needs assessments in prison. (The two types of instruments serve very different purposes in the context of prisonbased treatment: risk assessments are primarily used to predict the likelihood that a sex offender will recidivate; needs assessments provide information about "dynamic" factors—such as alcoholism and negative moods—that change over time. Information about dynamic factors can then be used to craft individual treatment plans with targeted interventions that can be re-evaluated over time.) Only about one-quarter of states reported using a standardized needs assessment instrument in prison settings; Vermont is the only state that has developed its own needs assessment instrument. 44 The Vermont instrument is distinct from other needs assessment instruments in that it can be used not only to identify possible interventions, but also to assess progress in treatment.

⁴² Both Delaware and New Mexico recently passed legislation to create sex offender management boards (SOMB) for the purpose of drafting treatment standards. In addition, California and West Virginia are currently developing standards tied to legislative initiatives: California has a SOMB and recently created a treatment committee, which submitted a report to the state legislature in early 2008. In West Virginia, the Department of Health and Human Resources is developing standards to meet requirements of the 2006 Child Protective Act.

⁴³ Minnesota has one as well—the MnSOST-R—but did not participate in the study.

44The MnSOST-R includes some dynamic factors, but in this report,

needs assessment instruments have been defined as those that contain ACUTE dynamic factors. Among those that are commonly recognized are the ACUTE, Vermont Treatment Needs and Progress Scale, Multiphasic Sex Inventory (MSI), Psychological Inventory of Criminal Thinking Styles (PICS), Sex Offender Need Assessment Rating (SONAR), and COMPAS.

COMMUNITY-BASED TREATMENT

In most states, the treatment that is provided for sex offenders under community supervision is, like that which is available for incarcerated sex offenders, grounded in evidence-based approaches such as CBT. Most states also reported efforts to ensure that consistent treatment is available for people returning home from prison. In general, sex offenders in the community have greater access to treatment than those in prison, although in many states access to treatment is at least partially paid for by offender fees.

There are many different community-based treatment programs for sex offenders. At the county level, where most probation is administered, there can be considerable variation in the content and structure of these programs. To simplify the process of gathering information on community-based treatment, we focused exclusively on programs at the state level, most of which target people on parole.

Evidence-based treatment. As was the case for prisonbased treatment programs, almost all community-based treatment programs use CBT to some extent; many also use relapse prevention, arousal control (a technique for reducing deviant sexual urges), and victim empathy (a technique that helps sex offenders become aware of the impact of their actions on victims.) Again, the prevalence of CBT is consistent with research that shows this method is effective in reducing recidivism.

Community-based treatment programs are also similar to prison-based treatment programs in their reluctance to use drug therapy on anything other than a case-by-case basis. Although officials in about half of the states that responded to our survey reported that drug therapy is sometimes used for sex offenders under community supervision, most also noted that it is not a standard component of treatment. A number of states reported using hormonal drug therapy in addition to chemical drug therapy—almost always only rarely or on a case-by-case basis.

On the other hand, the use of polygraph tests appears to be much more prevalent in community-based

programs than in prison-based programs. Thirty-two out of 36 states that responded reported using polygraphs in some capacity for sex offenders on community supervision. A few states reported using them for multiple purposes, including assessing the offender's ability to admit the full extent of his or her crime; assessing the offender's criminal history; obtaining information about victims; and assessing the extent to which an offender is complying with treatment and supervision requirements (the most common use). As noted earlier, there is little evidence that polygraphs are effective in reducing recidivism rates, so it is unclear whether or not these practices should be expanded.

Consistency between prison-based and communitybased treatment programs. In most states, correctional institutions and community supervision agencies share information about the case histories and treatment plans of sex offenders who are returning to the community from prison. By communicating in this manner, these states aim to ensure that treatment is provided consistently during the transition period—a goal that is consistent with the unified approach to sex offender management emphasized in the containment model. The majority of states that took part in our survey reported that even in cases where a person begins treatment in prison but does not continue treatment under community supervision, prison officials and community supervision officials communicate about the person's prison-based treatment. In Montana, for example, community treatment providers generally call prison case managers to learn more about a person's treatment while in prison, while in Colorado prison-based treatment providers send treatment records on to community-based providers as a part of the standard discharge procedure.

Greater availability but limited state funding. Our data also suggest that treatment is more readily available under community supervision than in institutional settings. This is to be expected, given the higher risk of recidivism among offenders who re-integrate into society. All of the states that participated in our

community treatment interview reported that treatment is available in some capacity for sex offenders under community supervision; about two-thirds described the distribution of treatment providers as "statewide."

The number of treatment providers varied greatly from one state to another, ranging from three (in both Arkansas and Washington, DC) to 427 (in Texas). There was also a great deal of variation in treatment settings. Most states contract with private providers in some capacity; some states contract with a single provider, others work with an assortment of different providers. An example of the former is Connecticut, which contracts with the Connection Inc.'s Center for the Treatment of Problem Sexual Behavior (CTPSB) to provide all treatment to people on probation and parole. (CTPSB employs a staff of 30). Examples of the latter include Washington and Ohio. In Washington, treatment is provided by both the Department of Corrections and private contractors. In Ohio, there are two types of residential programming for sex offenders in the community: halfway houses that provide sex offenderspecific programming (in addition to other types of programming) for offenders on probation and parole, and community-based correctional facilities, which provide diversionary programs for low-risk sex offenders on probation.

For many community-based treatment programs, funding appears to be a significant concern. Most states reported that at least some funding comes directly from offenders; around one-quarter of states reported that offender fees are the only source of funding for community-based treatment. In these states, access to community-based treatment is at least partially dependent on the sex offender's ability to pay for it.

REENTRY PROGRAMMING

Given that most sex offenders who are sentenced to prison are eventually released into the community, reentry programming has recently become a topic of significant interest in the field of sex offender management. Yet, our review has revealed that reentry programming for sex offenders in the United States is

limited. Although sex offenders in most states are eligible for general reentry programs, only about a third of participating states reported that they have reentry programming that targets the specific needs of this population. In addition, the role of faith-based organizations in providing reentry programs for sex offenders is not especially prominent. On the other hand, case managers—people assigned to help sex offenders plan and carry out reentry plans—are becoming more common in prisons.

Lack of sex-offender specific initiatives. Especially striking was the finding that many states do not have reentry initiatives for sex offenders. 45 Most states reported that they provide at least some services for offenders (including sex offenders) during reentry, but only around half reported having specific reentry initiatives to coordinate the delivery of those services. None reported having a reentry initiative specifically for sex offenders. Both Colorado and Ohio reported that they use the COSA model (discussed earlier in the section on reentry programming), but because COSA focuses on post-release support, it is not, technically speaking, a reentry initiative. Finally, we found that in most states that provide services to sex offenders at some point during reentry, those services are available in all prisons throughout the state.

Case managers in prison and community settings.

Our review also indicates that case managers—people assigned to help sex offenders plan and carry out individual reentry plans—are almost as widely available in prisons as they are in the community. This is a very positive development; as mentioned earlier, collaboration between institutional and community case managers has been identified as one of the key components of successful reentry. About half of the states we interviewed reported that some sort of case

⁴⁵ For the purposes of this report, a reentry initiative is distinct from reentry programming in that it represents a comprehensive effort to provide well-coordinated services to people who are making the transition home from prison. In general, reentry initiatives regulate the provision of services both before and after release.

manager is assigned to offenders while they are still in prison. Our survey also indicates that this practice is not limited to states with a particular reentry initiative in place. Montana, for example, does not have a reentry initiative; nonetheless, probation officers begin working with offenders to prepare them for reentry about 90 days prior to release. In many states, the role of post-release case manager is filled by probation and/or parole officers, although some states (such as Pennsylvania and Utah) employ specialized case managers for that purpose. 46 In Washington State, some service providers begin working with offenders six to twelve months before release and continue working with them in the community.

Role of faith-based organizations. Our data suggest that in most jurisdictions, faith-based organizations do not play a central role in the provision of post-release reentry services for the general population of offenders. While a number of states have adopted the COSA model, which, as discussed earlier, makes extensive use of volunteers from faith-based organizations to support and monitor sex offenders returning to the community, very few states cited COSA as a reentry initiative. Indeed, the role of faith-based organizations in reentry appears difficult to measure. Most interview respondents could only estimate the involvement of faith-based organizations in very general terms (e.g., some, limited), and Vera researchers were unable to obtain precise data about the proportion of service providers that are faithbased. That said, respondents from a few states did report that faith-based organizations either play or are expected to begin to play a significant role in the provision of reentry services. In Ohio, for example, a law (HB 113) was recently passed that requires the Department of Rehabilitation and Corrections to work with faith-based organizations to develop prison-based mentorship reentry programs. Respondents from

⁴⁶ In both Pennsylvania and Utah, sex offenders are assigned to a "transitional coordinator," a parole agent charged with helping the newly released person re-integrate into the community immediately upon release from state prison. After 90 days, the person's case is then transferred to a general parole agent.

Washington reported that at least half of all nonprofit reentry service providers are faith-based, and in Michigan, faith-based organizations play a role in the development of reentry policy through county-level reentry steering committees. In Delaware, nonprofit organizations generally do not provide services to sex offenders; however, the few that do are faith-based.

COMMUNITY SUPERVISION

The last of the four substantive areas on which we surveyed policymakers and treatment providers was the supervision of sex offenders in the community. As in previous sections, our discussion here is limited to supervision at the state level. In some states, that means both probation and parole. In other states (such as Kansas), it also means community corrections agencies separate from probation and parole. In still other states, where probation is administered at the county-level, it means parole alone. And in a few states (Pennsylvania is an example), probation and parole are administered at both the state and county level. In order to simplify our discussion, we do not distinguish here between parolebased practices and probation-based practices on the state level. For more information on these issues, please refer to the individual state appendices.

Our review indicates that needs assessments are increasingly being administered to sex offenders under community supervision. In addition, we found that in most states, community supervision agencies pursue two goals: managing risk and providing services. Research suggests that this is an effective approach to reducing recidivism.

Increasing use of needs assessments. There is a growing use of needs assessment instruments for sex offenders under community supervision. One prominent example is the ACUTE, which was adapted from the Sex Offender Need Assessment Rating (another needs assessment tool) and includes seven scales of acute

dynamic factors, which change rapidly. 47 As mentioned earlier, the use of such tools is a positive development, as they can track changes in dynamic risk factors over time and modify supervision practices according to changes in risk levels. More than half of the states that responded to our survey reported that they use actuarial needs assessment tools to manage sex offenders under community supervision—a figure that is much higher than the proportion of states that use these tools in prison settings. 48 As previously mentioned. Vermont has developed a customized instrument that assesses both needs and treatment progress, and this instrument has recently been adopted in West Virginia as well.

In addition to needs assessments, almost all of the states we surveyed administer at least one type of actuarial risk assessment to sex offenders under community supervision. The STATIC-99 is the most prevalent risk assessment tool: 24 out of the 29 states we interviewed reported using it in some capacity. Only three states reported having developed customized risk assessment tools for sex offenders under community supervision, although customized tools are used more frequently in the community than in prison. The customized risk assessment tools that were developed in Colorado and Vermont, as discussed earlier, are administered both in prison and to those under community supervision. Additionally, the Iowa Department of Corrections is in the process of developing a customized tool called the ISORA 8 for sex offenders on both probation and parole.⁴⁹

Focus on treatment and monitoring. Our review also revealed that most states have specialized provisions for

⁴⁷ ACUTE dynamic factors are distinct from stable dynamic factors, which change over longer periods of time.

sex offenders under community supervision. Specialized provisions are supervision conditions—such as restrictions on an offender's contact with minors—that apply specifically to sex offenders. In general, they aim to enhance community supervision and reduce exposure to cues that are likely to trigger deviant behavior. In many states, specialized provisions are reserved for specialized caseloads that include only sex offenders.⁵⁰ (Probation and parole officers who administer these caseloads have generally undergone specialized training.)

In addition, more than half of the states that reported back have lifetime supervision (mandatory supervision for the rest of a person's life). In most cases, this sanction is only used for high-risk or violent sex offenders: In Iowa, for example, only people who are convicted of a Class C felony sex offense or higher are eligible for lifetime supervision.

Our review does not indicate that specialized provisions, specialized caseloads, and lifetime supervision have displaced efforts to provide services, however. As noted earlier, most of the states that responded to our survey reported that treatment has become an important part of community supervision. This finding is consistent with research showing that community supervision that combines surveillance and intensive supervision with treatment and rehabilitation services is more effective at reducing recidivism than surveillance alone, both among the general offending population and among sex offenders.⁵¹

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⁴⁸ Again, needs assessment instruments are defined as those that contain ACUTE dynamic factors. These include the ACUTE, Vermont Treatment Needs and Progress Scale, Multiphasic Sex Inventory (MSI), Psychological Inventory of Criminal Thinking Styles (PICS), Sex Offender Need Assessment Rating (SONAR), and COMPAS.

⁴⁹ Alabama; Kansas; Montana; Washington, DC; and Wyoming also reported having customized risk assessment tools under community supervision, but they described them as general risk assessment instruments, rather than sex offender-specific.

⁵⁰ Some states do not have specialized caseloads for *all* sex offenders under community supervision, but this is usually because not all jurisdictions have enough sex offenders to warrant specialized caseloads. Additionally, some states require only those sex offenders who meet certain risk or offense criteria to be supervised on specialized caseloads. For example, in Indiana, if an offender on parole is originally convicted of or has a history of at least one of a specific subset of offenses, including, rape, criminal deviant conduct, molestation, or failure to register, he or she is required to be supervised under the Sex Offender Management and Monitoring Program.

⁵¹ S. Aos, P. Phipps, R. Barnoski, and R. Lieb, *Evidence-Based Adult* Corrections Programs: What Works and What Does Not. Document number 06-01-1201. (Olympia, WA: Washington State Institute for Public Policy, 2006); R.J. McGrath, G.F. Cumming, J.A. Livingston, and S.E. Hoke, "Outcome of a Treatment Program for Adult Sex Offenders: From Prison to Community," Journal of Interpersonal Violence, 18 (2003): 3-17.

Conclusions

Our findings can be summarized as follows:

- In both institutional (prison-based) and community settings, the treatment of sex offenders is generally grounded in evidencebased practices, especially cognitive-behavioral therapy (CBT). In general, treatment is much more available in the community than in institutional settings.
- In a majority of participating states, communitybased treatment for sex offenders is supported, at least in part, by collecting fees from those in treatment—a circumstance that may limit access to these programs.
- Standardized risk assessment tools such as the STATIC-99 are now widely used in both prisonbased and community-based treatment programs across the nation. However, a lack of data prevented us from determining the number of states that have validated these tools for their local populations.
- Needs assessment tools, especially the ACUTE, are becoming more prevalent in community supervision.
- We found no reentry initiatives that specifically target sex offenders. Although sex offenders in most states are eligible for general reentry programming, there are few reentry programs that address the unique needs of this population. One exception is Circles of Support and Accountability (COSA), a program that encourages high-risk offenders to develop support networks in the community. COSA has been piloted in several states.
- In most states, correctional institutions and community supervision agencies share information about the case histories and treatment plans of sex offenders who are returning to the community from prison.

- Research suggests that this type of inter-agency communication can help reduce recidivism.
- In general, community supervision agencies both manage risk and provide services. Research suggests that this is an effective approach to reducing recidivism.
- A limited number of states are conducting research on their own treatment, reentry, and supervision initiatives. There have been almost no studies that examine these programs from a cost-benefit perspective.

The variety in treatment and reentry practices across different states (and even from one jurisdiction to another) makes it impractical to devise blanket recommendations from these findings. However, the need for more rigorous research on treatment and reentry practices for sex offenders is clear. Although the current body of research indicates that cognitive-behavioral therapy and the containment model of supervision are both effective in reducing recidivism, many questions remain unanswered: Many of the practices described in this report, for example, consist of multiple components, but it is unclear how each of the individual components affects recidivism or improves offender outcomes such as reintegration. Furthermore, there is very little research that provides a clear picture of what works for whom. Finally, it bears repeating that there is a noticeable lack of research on the cost-savings associated with treatment and reentry programs. Finding answers to these questions will help policymakers create more informed and more effective policies for the treatment and management of sex offenders.

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Appendix A: State Overview Tables of Prison-Based Treatment⁵²

Table 1: Availability of Prison-Based Treatment, by State

State	# of	Program	State treatment	# of sex	% of sex
	prisons	in	standard (aside	offenders	offenders
	with	female	from DOC)	in prison	in
	treatment	prison?			treatment
Alaska	0	-	-	-	-
Arizona	3	✓		5,216	8.6%
Arkansas	Not	Not		Not	7%
Aikaiisas	available	available		available	7 70
California	0			Over	_
Camonia	U	_	_	23,000	_
Colorado	5	✓	✓	Not	Not
Colorado	3	·	·	available	available
Connecticut	5	✓	✓	Not	1%
Connecticut	3			available	
Delaware	1			661	Not
				001	available
Florida	0	-	-	-	-
Georgia	0	-	-	-	-
Idaho	3			1,346	8%
Illinois	7	Not	✓	6,800	3%
Himois	,	available		·	370
Indiana	3	✓	✓	4,000	28%
Iowa	2		✓	1,396	30%
Kansas	4	✓		2,700	11%
Kentucky	5	✓	✓	2,178	20%
Maine	1			357	16%
Missouri	3	✓		Not	Not
WIISSOUT	3	·		available	available
Montana	1	√	✓	580	Not
	•			300	available
New	2			737	15%
Hampshire				,,,,	
New Jersey	1			685	Not
Tien beisey	-				available
New Mexico	3			670	16%
					1070
North	1			4,743	1.1%
Carolina	-				11170
Ohio	7			9,800	5%
	,				5,0
Oklahoma	4	✓		3,500	3%
Oregon	0	-	-	-	-
Pennsylvania	All 26	✓	√ 53	6,000	20%
•				1	NI 4
Rhode Island	Not		✓	400	Not
	available				available
South	1			2,800	1.7%
Carolina		✓	√		
South Dakota	4	✓	∀	804	13%
Texas ⁵⁴	3	· ·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	26,121	2%

The findings presented in all overview tables represent general characteristics of state practices but do not provide specific details about qualifying factors or circumstances. Please refer to individual state answer templates for more detailed information about each of the states.
 The DOC standard applies to programming for treatment in general, but Pennsylvania also has a separate set of standards governing treatment for sexually violent predators (SVP). These standards were developed by the Sex Offender Assessment Board (SOAB).

State	# of prisons with treatment	Program in female prison?	State treatment standard (aside from DOC)	# of sex offenders in prison	% of sex offenders in treatment
Utah	1		✓	1,860	Not available
Vermont	3	✓	✓	426	20%
Virginia	16			3,500	5%
Washington	2	✓	✓	3,187	6.5%
West Virginia	8	✓		5,869	Not available
Wisconsin	8			4,586	12%
Wyoming	1		✓	355	33%

 $^{^{\}rm 54}$ Responses for New Jersey and Texas reflect only intensive treatment.

Table 2: In-Prison Treatment Components, by State⁵⁵

State	Duration	CBT	Relapse prevention	Arousal control	Victim empathy	Psychoeducation	Drug therapy	Truth test
Alaska	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arizona	12-24 months	✓	✓					
Arkansas	12 months	✓						✓
California	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Colorado	20-24 months	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Connecticut	12 months	✓		✓	✓		✓	
Delaware	Not available	✓						
Florida	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Georgia	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Idaho	26 weeks - 8 months	✓						✓
Illinois	24 months ⁵⁶	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Indiana	2 months	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓
Iowa	14-16 months	√			✓			✓
Kansas	14.8 months	✓	✓					✓
Kentucky	24 months	√	✓		✓	✓		
Maine	48 months	✓		✓	✓			✓
Missouri	9-12 months	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
Montana	15 to 30 months							✓
New Hampshire	6 months minimum	√	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
New Jersey	Varies	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	
New Mexico	18 months	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	
North Carolina	5 months	✓	✓	✓	✓			
Ohio	15-22 months	✓	✓			✓	✓	
Oklahoma	12-16 months	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓
Oregon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pennsylvania	9 -27 months	✓	✓	✓				
Rhode Island	Varies	✓	✓					
South Carolina	20 months	✓	✓	✓	✓			
South Dakota	12 months							✓

⁵⁵ Table 2 lists only selected treatment components. Components were checked off if a state reported its use to some extent (however minimal). For more detail on content of programming and the frequency at which specific components are employed, please refer to individual state answer

⁵⁶ This figure is only for two of the treatment program. For the other programs, the duration of treatment varies.

State	Duration	CBT	Relapse prevention	Arousal control	Victim empathy	Psychoeducation	Drug therapy	Truth test
Texas ⁵⁷	18 months	✓	~		✓		•	
Utah	12-18 months	✓					✓	
Vermont	6-36 months	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	
Virginia	2-3 years	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓
Washington	13 months	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	
West Virginia	Varies	✓		✓	✓			
Wisconsin	6 months - 2 years	✓						✓
Wyoming	24 months	✓	✓		✓			✓

 $^{^{\}rm 57}$ Responses for Texas reflect only intensive treatment.

Table 3: Assessment Tools Administered in Prison, by State⁵⁸

State	STATIC-99	RRASOR	SONAR	LSI-R	MnSOST-R	VASOR	Needs	Customized tool
							assessment	
Arizona	✓						✓	
Arkansas	✓							
California	✓							
Colorado	✓		✓		✓		✓	✓
Connecticut	✓	✓						
Delaware				✓				
Georgia							✓	
Idaho	✓			✓				
Illinois	✓				✓			✓
Indiana	✓						✓	
Iowa ⁵⁹	✓			✓				
Kansas	✓			✓				
Kentucky	✓	✓						
Maine	✓	✓		✓				
Missouri	✓							
Montana	✓				✓			
New	✓					✓		
Hampshire	•					•		
New Mexico	✓					✓	✓	
North	✓						√	
Carolina							•	
Ohio	✓							
Oklahoma	✓			✓				
Oregon	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pennsylvania	✓							
Rhode Island	✓							
South Dakota	✓			✓	✓			
Texas ⁶⁰	✓				✓		✓	
Utah								✓
Vermont	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓
Virginia	✓			✓			✓	
Washington	✓	✓		✓	✓			
West Virginia		✓			✓			
Wisconsin								✓
Wyoming	✓							

⁵⁸ Table 3 includes only selected risk assessment tools. Because only a limited number of states employ actuarial needs assessment tools, they were not listed separately. For more information on the use of risk and needs assessment tools, please refer to the individual state answer templates.

59 Assessment tools are used but do not currently drive treatment decisions 60 Responses for Texas reflect only intensive treatment.

Appendix B: State Overview Tables of Community-Based Treatment

Table 4: Availability and Funding of Community-Based Treatment, by State

State	# of	Statewide	State funding	Offender	Other
	providers ⁶¹	distribution ⁶²		funding	funding ⁶³
Alaska	18	✓ *	✓	✓	
Arkansas	3		✓	✓	
California	Not available	Not available	✓	✓	✓
Colorado	179	✓	✓	✓	
Connecticut	16 ⁶⁴	✓	✓		
Delaware	Not available	✓		✓	
DC	3	✓			✓
Florida	60	✓		✓	
Georgia	34	✓		✓	
Idaho	12	✓		✓	✓
Illinois	400^{65}	✓	✓		✓
Indiana	45-50	✓	✓		
Iowa	15-20 ⁶⁶	✓ *	✓		
Kansas	13	Not available	✓	✓	
Kentucky	14 ⁶⁷	✓ *	✓	✓	
Maine	20	✓ *		✓	✓
Maryland	50	✓		✓	
Michigan	65	✓	✓	✓	
Missouri	56	✓ *		✓	
Montana	15	✓		✓	
New	NI 4 1111	NI.4		√	
Hampshire	Not available	Not available		Y	
New Mexico	60^{68}		✓	✓	
North Dakota	10		✓	✓	
Ohio	6		✓		
Oklahoma	Not available	Not available	✓	✓	
Oregon	Not available	✓	✓	✓	
Pennsylvania ⁶⁹	25	✓	✓	✓	
South Carolina	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available	Not available
South Dakota	7	✓	✓	✓	
Texas	427	✓	✓	✓	
	Several dozen			√	✓
Utah	to 100 or so			'	Y
Vermont	50	✓	✓	✓	✓
Virginia	26	✓	✓	✓	
Washington ⁷⁰	8 ⁷¹	✓	✓	✓	
West Virginia	7^{72}		✓	✓	
Wyoming	15			✓	

⁶¹ If a state contracts with one provider for all treatment services, the number in this column represents the number of office locations statewide (unless otherwise noted). 62 States that reported statewide availability but limited or no availability in rural areas were classified as having a statewide distribution. These

states are marked with an *. States that reported localized availability are left blank. ⁶³ This includes federal, grant, insurance, and provider funding.

⁶⁴ This number includes only state-contracted providers.

Two of these providers are state-sponsored, the rest are private providers.
 This estimate does not include DOC providers.

⁶⁷ This estimate does not includes state-sponsored providers, not private treatment providers.
68 This estimate includes juvenile providers.

⁶⁹ Information reflects only practices and characteristics of Sex Offender Assessment Board Programs for sexually violent predators.
⁷⁰ For Washington, information reflects only DOC practices, not those of private providers.

⁷¹ This number includes only DOC providers. Washington also has numerous private providers.

⁷² This number includes only DOC providers.

Table 5: Community-Based Treatment Components, by State⁷³

State	Duration	CBT	Relapse	Arousal	Victim	Psychoeducation	Drugs therapy	Truth test	Continuity ⁷⁴
			prevention	control	empathy				N. ·
Alaska	24 months	✓	✓		✓		✓		No prison treatment
Arkansas	24 months	✓					✓	✓	
California	18 months	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	No prison treatment
Colorado	30-48 months	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Connecticut	36 months	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
Delaware	Varies	✓					Not available	✓	
DC	18-24 months	✓					✓	✓	
Florida	30 months	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	No prison treatment
Georgia	Not available	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	No prison treatment
Idaho	30 months + aftercare	✓						✓	Varies
Illinois	24 months	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓
Indiana	Entire supervision	✓	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓
Iowa	Entire supervision	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓
Kansas	36 months	✓	✓					✓	✓
Kentucky	24 months	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	✓
Maine	Up to lifetime	✓						✓	Varies
Maryland	12-24 months		✓		✓		✓		
Michigan	12 months minimum	✓	✓					✓	✓
Missouri	36-48 months	✓						✓	✓
Montana	8-48 months	✓		✓			✓	✓	✓
New Hampshire								✓	

⁷³ Table 5 lists only selected treatment components. Components were checked off if a state reported its use to some extent (however minimal). For more detail on content of programming and the frequency at which specific components are employed, please refer to individual state answer templates.

⁷⁴ States were coded as having continuity if they reported that programming in the community followed from prison-based programming or that there is an exchange of information between institutional

and community agents.

State	Duration	CBT	Relapse prevention	Arousal control	Victim empathy	Psychoeducation	Drugs therapy	Truth test	Continuity ⁷⁴
New Mexico	Not available	✓	<i>✓</i>	<u>√</u>	<u>√</u>		✓	✓	
North Dakota	24 months minimum	✓	✓		✓	✓		✓	No prison treatment ⁷⁵
Ohio	9 months maximum	✓						✓	✓
Oregon	60 months						✓	✓	No prison treatment
Pennsylvania ⁷⁶	18 months	✓				✓	✓	✓	
South Dakota	36 months	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓	✓
Texas	Varies	✓	✓		✓		✓	✓	
Utah	18-36 months	✓	✓			✓		✓	✓
Vermont	24 months + 12 months aftercare	✓	✓	√	1		√	√	√
Virginia	24 months	✓	✓					✓	✓
Washington ⁷⁷	23 months	✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓
West Virginia	24 months							✓	✓
Wyoming	Not available							✓	✓

Most parolees in North Dakota do not receive treatment in prison. Those that do are recommended to continue with treatment on parole. Information reflects only practices and characteristics of Sex Offender Assessment Board Programs for sexually violent predators. For Washington, information reflects only DOC practices, not those of private providers.

Appendix C: State Overview Table of Reentry Programming

Table 6: Availability of Reentry Services, by State

State	Pre-release	Post-release	# of prisons	Specialized sex offender	Specific state	Pre-release	Post-release
	services	services	-	programming	initiative	case managers	case managers
Alaska	-	-	0	-	-	-	-
Arkansas ⁷⁸	✓						
California	-	-	0	-	-	-	-
Colorado	-	-	0	-	-	-	-
Connecticut	✓	✓	All	✓	✓	✓	✓
Delaware	✓		All				✓
Florida	✓	✓	Not available		✓	✓	Not available
Georgia	✓	✓	All		✓	✓	✓
Idaho	✓	✓	All	✓			✓
Indiana	✓	✓	All	✓	✓	✓	✓
Iowa	✓	✓	4 of 9	✓	✓	✓	✓
Kansas	✓	✓	All		✓	✓	✓
Massachusetts	✓	✓	All		✓	✓	✓
Michigan	✓	✓	14 out of 48	✓	✓	✓	✓
Missouri	✓	✓	11 of 20		✓	✓	✓
Montana	✓	✓	All			✓	✓
New Hampshire	✓	✓	All			✓	✓
New Mexico	✓	✓	All				✓
Ohio	✓	✓	All	✓	✓		✓
Oklahoma			All				
Oregon	✓	✓	Not available	✓	✓	✓	✓
Pennsylvania ⁷⁹	✓	✓	Not available			Not available	✓
Rhode Island	✓	✓	Not available		✓	✓	Not available
South Dakota	✓	✓	All	✓	✓	✓	✓
Texas			-	-	-	-	-
Utah	✓	✓	All	✓	✓	✓	✓
Vermont	✓	✓	All	✓	Not available	✓	✓
Virginia	✓	✓	All				✓

⁷⁸ Arkansas is in the process of creating a risk/needs assessment specifically for sex offenders—the instrument is in draft form and is not yet validated. ⁷⁹ Responses reflect only post-release services.

State	Pre-release services	Post-release services	# of prisons	Specialized sex offender programming	Specific state initiative	Pre-release case managers	Post-release case managers
Washington	✓	✓	All		✓	✓	✓
West Virginia	✓		All			✓	✓
Wyoming	✓	✓	All	✓	✓	✓	✓

Appendix D: State Overview Tables of Community Supervision Practices

Table 7: Assessment Instruments Administered on Community Supervision, by State

State	STATIC-99	RRASOR	SONAR	LSI-R	MnSOST-	VASOR	Needs	Customized
					R		assessment	tool
Alabama							✓	✓
Alaska	✓						✓	
Arizona	✓						✓	
California	✓							
Colorado	✓			✓	✓		✓	✓
Connecticut	✓			✓				
Delaware				✓				
DC	✓						✓	✓
Georgia	✓							
Idaho	✓			✓				
Iowa	✓			✓			✓	✓
Kansas				✓				✓
Maryland	✓							
Michigan	✓						✓	
Missouri	✓							
Montana							✓	✓
New Mexico	✓							
North Dakota	✓			✓	✓		✓	
Ohio	✓						✓	
Oregon	✓						✓	
Pennsylvania	✓			✓				
South Dakota	✓							
Texas ⁸⁰	✓						✓	
Utah	✓			✓				
Vermont	✓			✓			✓	✓
Virginia ⁸¹	✓							
Washington	✓			✓				
West Virginia							✓	
Wyoming	✓						✓	✓

⁸⁰ Responses for Texas reflect only intensive treatment.⁸¹ STATIC-99 is used only in related to civil commitment

Table 8: Specialized Supervision Options for Sex Offenders in the Community, by State⁸²

State	Lifetime supervision option	Specialized caseloads	Caseload size	Duration of supervision
Alabama		✓	Not available	Varies
Alaska		✓	58	12 years
Arkansas	√	✓	Not	Not
			available	available
California		√	20-70	3-10 years
Colorado	✓	✓	25	10 years maximum
Connecticut		✓	20-40	Varies
Delaware		✓	25	Varies
DC	✓	✓	25	2-5 years
Florida		✓	20	5-15 years
Georgia	✓	✓	160	Not
Georgia			maximum ⁸³	available
Idaho	✓	✓	40-75	45-64
T11' '	✓	✓	20	months
Illinois	✓	✓	20	1-3 years
Indiana	✓	✓	46	10 years maximum
Iowa	✓	✓	15-30	2 years – Life
Kansas	✓	✓	35	2 years
Maryland		✓	57	2 years
Michigan	✓ (GPS)	✓	35+	Varies
Missouri	✓	✓	45 maximum	5 years
Montana	✓	✓	40	Varies
New Mexico	✓	✓	22	5-20 years
North Dakota		✓	47 maximum	Varies
Ohio	✓	✓	50-55	2-5 years
Oregon	✓	✓	Below 60	3-6 years
Pennsylvania	✓	✓	50-60	Varies
South Dakota	√		Not	Not
South Dakota	•		available	available
Texas	✓	✓	10-40	Not available
Utah	✓	✓	40-80	36 months
Vermont	✓	✓	Not available	Varies
Virginia		✓	24-40	5 years
Washington	✓	✓	Not available	3 years
West Virginia	✓	✓	35-40	2 years
	,		22 .0	Not
Wyoming	✓			available

⁸² Components were checked off if a state reported its use to some extent (however minimal). For more detail on content of programming and the frequency at which specific components are employed, please refer to individual state answer templates.

⁸³ Refers to total contacts, not number of offenders, per PO.

Appendix E: Individual State Templates

Alabama Sex Offender **Treatment & Reentry Programs**

	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Not mandatory
Criteria for decisions	Judge determines supervision for probationers
	 Parole is based on the discretionary decision of the three member board
Lifetime supervision	No
Supervising agencies	
Population	 Probation: 1,242 (1,204 males, 38 females (official data from Administrative Office of Courts database) Parole: 183 (180 males, 3 females) (official data from Administrative Office of Courts database)
Funding	State funding
	Parolees pay \$30/month supervision fees
Classification system	
Year implemented/updated	2001
Required for	People placed on probation and parole are classified based on a risk/needs assessment instrument
Risk levels	Low, medium, high
Assessment	
Purposes	Determines risk and needs
Tools	Risk and needs assessment instrument developed specifically for Alabama Board of Parole and Pardons
Specialized caseloads	Birmingham and Mobile will sometimes have specialized caseloads if personnel are available
Provisions	Not available
Caseload	Not available
Supervisor requirements	Not available
Supervision	
Length	 No average supervision length Parole sentences are for the remainder of the sentence Probation sentences range from 1-15 years unless a person is sentenced under the Split Sentence Act, the period for a felony is 5 years and 2 years for a misdemeanor The Alabama Sentencing Commission has a bill in this year to apply the limit to split sentences as well
Services	Varies by county
Collaboration	Yes

Alaska Sex Offender **Treatment & Reentry Programs**

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	• Approximately 5 years ago (June 2003), the Department of Corrections administration closed all the institutional treatment programs—not just for sex offenders but for substance abuse as well
	• At one point, Department of Corrections had 3 institutional programs, but the Murkowski administration did not believe that treatment worked. There was also a budget crunch
	• Current administration believes in the need to have institutional treatment and is trying to reinstitute it but it will take some time
	Fiscal note to start programming currently before the legislature
State standard	The Alaska Department of Corrections Standards of Care still exists and provides basic expectations for programs, should they be restarted
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
TREATMENT—(COMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	Yes
Noncitizens	There is nothing prohibiting them from receiving treatment but most non-citizens tend to get deported once they are released from prison, so there is probably very few receiving treatment in the community
Gender	 Males and females, but not many female sex offenders on probation/parole in Alaska Usually females dealt with individually (not more than 5 or 6 at a time)
Criteria for eligibility	Generally mandatory, but because of a lack of availability, many judges will not
Cinera for enginesity	order it
	• If there is no treatment available in the community where the offender lives, the judge will not order it
Individualized treatment plans	• Individualized treatment plans generally decided by the treatment provider but in consultation with the parole officer
	• The treatment provider will usually have a "staffing session" with parole officers—usually there will be multiple treatment providers and parole officers—they will talk the case through and agree on a plan
Funding	 State funding through Department of Corrections Those who can afford their own are required to pay for their own
Population	800 statewide (estimate)
Probation	Not available
Parole	Not available
Other community corrections	Not available
Percentage in treatment	 Between 25% and 30% (estimate) mainly due to a lack of resources Not enough providers
Probation	Not available
Parole	Not available
Other community corrections	Not available
Treatment providers	
Number	 18 statewide (official number, Department of Corrections) Only 7 have full-fledged programs with group and individual and organized
	programs
	 3 or 4 only do assessments Some only individual work—usually not their primary work—psychologists who
Di di di	are brought in
Distribution	Only in cities

	• Of the 7 main programs, 3 are in Anchorage, 1 in Fairbanks, 1 in Juneau, (3 largest cities) 1 in Kenai and 1 in Ketchikan (smaller cites but still easy to get to)
	• There is a plan to get one provider based in one of the cities to go out to Bethel on a regular basis (isolated rural community with high sexual abuse problem)
Percentage with waiting list	100%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Completion rate	The range is approximately 40 to 60% (estimate)
Treatment modality	They have had standards for programs longer than any state except New Jersey—since 1988 While the provides over the control of the provides and the control of the co
	While the providers vary, they are all doing cognitive behavioral therapy, relapse prevention planning, and victim empathy
	Lots of individual planning—some domestic violence work
	Many have substance abuse problems and providers have them get treatment for those problems elsewhere
Drugs	Not directly
	• Make referrals to psychiatrists but it is hard to find those who will work with sex offenders—currently there are only 3 in the state
	• In the past, the drugs used tended to be anti-androgens; now there is some use of selective serotonin reuptake inhibitors (SSRIs)
Truth tests	Statute on polygraphs but not mandated for programs
	Logistics are still being worked out and standards have not been set yet
Individualized vs. manualized	Closer to individualized
	There are some core things shared but most treatment is individualized
Continuity of treatment	Not applicable (no prison-based treatment)
Average duration	Wide variation
Average duration	
	Minimum of about 18 months—used to be a year when they had prison treatment provide the prison of the prison
Dete and Descend	treatment—now about two year average (estimate) Minimal
Data and Research	
Туре	 The only treatment data is a 1997 study on men who were in institutional treatment A few numbers are collected and maintained by hand on community treatment No uniform data collection—trying to get things started up again but very difficult
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	1997 study on institutional treatment
	REENTRY
Availability	Alaska Department of Corrections currently does not have an organized reentry
•	program but is in the process of developing one
Pre-release	Not applicable
Post-release	Not applicable
Percentage of state prisons with services	Not applicable
Specific initiatives	
Specialized sex offender programming	• The only thing available is two psychologists that travel to the institutions—they
Specialized sex offender programming	try to get to as many sex offenders as possible before release but usually only get
	to about half of them (estimate)—about 100 each year (estimate)
	They do standard psychiatric tests and risk assessments
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	
Eligibility	Mandatory, generally
	• Some people who were given probation or parole but were rearrested for violations
	go back to prison and serve out the rest of the sentence (few individuals)
Criteria for decisions	Court and Parole Board
Lifetime supervision	No
Supervising agencies	Probation and Parole
	Small group on furlough from institutions
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Population	782 total—divided between Probation and Parole (estimate)
Funding	State
Classification system	 Risk assessment document from Minnesota or Wisconsin used for some time, though not validated for Alaska Trying to implement LSI-R statewide Classification is difficult—there is concern that if someone scores low, they will be overridden at a higher level Officers are reluctant not to supervise someone
Year implemented/updated	Not available
Required for	All those under supervision
Risk levels	Low, medium, high
Assessment	
Purposes	Trying to get probation to focus more resources and supervision on high risk and less on low risk—not yet seen as appropriate to not supervise low risk
Tools	 STATIC-99, Stable and ACUTE Parole and probation officers are trained to use these instruments Everyone is supervised by the same division and uses the same tools
Specialized caseloads	
Provisions	Some are supervised on specialized caseloads Not in all areas
Caseload	Average size is 58 (estimate)
Supervisor requirements	Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) training for sexual abusers, treatment for STATIC-99 and Stable
Supervision	
Length	12 years (estimate)
Services	Community-based treatment, polygraphs, housing when possible, employment
Collaboration	Yes
Data and Research	Minimal
Туре	 The only treatment data is a 1997 study on men that were in institutional treatment A few numbers are collected and maintained by hand on community treatment No uniform data collection—trying to get things started up again but very difficult
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	1997 study on institutional treatment

Arizona Sex Offender **Treatment & Reentry Programs**

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	In certain facilities
	• Some sex offenders are in specialty housing units, others are not
State standard	No
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
Funding	State
Eligibility	All are eligible but not enough staff to offer it to all at the same time
	• At some point while in prison, all sex offenders will be offered treatment
Noncitizens	No
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Not mandatory, but available
Criteria for eligibility	 Not mandatory Identifies inmates that will be getting out within 3/4 years and once this group is identified, they will be offered treatment No offense type requirements
Population	The offense type requirements
Sex offenders in prison population	5,216 as of February 2008 (official, Department of Corrections)
Percentage in treatment	8.6%
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	• Three:
	 One yard is for pre-treatment—offenders who go through pre-treatment for a year before treatment Second yard is treatment yard (males) Third yard is for females (females may be in different facilities)
Average capacity	• Can have 200 inmates in active treatment
	• 100 in pre-treatment
	• 40 females
Percentage with waiting list	No waiting lists except for females
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:40 (estimate)
Average duration	• 1-2 years (estimate)
	• 1 year program but some may get longer
Enrollment date	Anywhere from 2-3 years
Content	Cognitive behavioral therapy, relapse prevention model
• Drugs	No
Truth tests	No
Individualized vs. manualized	Both—curriculum followed but there is individualized treatment based on unique characteristics of certain offenders
Treatment requirement for release	No
Completion rate	80% (estimate)
Provider certification	Minimum of a Master's Degree in Behavioral Health
Assessment	
Purposes	Determine risk and needs
Tools	STATIC-99, MCMI 3; Multiphasic sex inventory
Data and Research	
Туре	Not available
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	None

Arkansas Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	Treatment is available in state prisons
Funding	State funded
Eligibility	Every sex offender housed in Arkansas Department of Correction is eligible for
Lingionity	treatment
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Treatment is a voluntary program—mentally ill persons may apply and receive treatment
Criteria for eligibility	 Everyone is eligible Treatment is recommended if offenders are denied parole due to the severity of the crime, age of the victim, habitual criminality, injury to victims and if any weapons were used
Population	Wedpoils were used
Sex offenders in prison population	Not available
Percentage in treatment	 235 sex offenders enroll in treatment every three months (official Department of Correction figure) 45-60 graduate every three months (estimate)
Programs	15 66 graduite every and emonates (estimate)
Prisons with programs available	Not available
Average capacity	235
Percentage with waiting list	There is generally a waiting list to participate in programming (no percentage available)
Percentage with 25% empty slots	25% available at the end of a three month cycle
Average ratio of providers/offenders	Not available
Average duration	12 months (official Department of Correction figure)
Enrollment date	3 years prior to earliest transfer eligibility date
Content	Cognitive Behavioral Therapeutic Community Program
• Drugs	No drugs are administered
• Truth tests	 Polygraphs and voice stress tests are used Administered by the Sex Offenders Screening and Risk Assessment Program (SOSRA)
Individualized vs. manualized	The program is manualized, but does individualized treatment plans and counseling sessions with each sex offender
Treatment requirement for release	Not available
Completion rate	Not available
Provider certification	The state does not have specific standards at the current time
	It is expected that the state will institute standards within the next two years
Assessment	The state has a pre-assessment which provides a small amount of information to see if the inmate is interested in receiving treatment
Purposes	 To provide a glimpse of sex offender's criminal history To assess the sex offender's willingness to talk about his/her crime
Tools	Psychosexual Life History adult male form
	IMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability Noncitizans	Yes
Noncitizens	Yes Males and females
Gender Criterio for eligibility	Males and females Determined by judge or perele beard
Criteria for eligibility Individualized treatment plans	Determined by judge or parole board
Individualized treatment plans	• The sentencing judge or parole board stipulated specific requirements for a sex offender's treatment (e.g., length of time spent in treatment, type of treatment,

	etc.)
E 19	Treatment providers make decisions about individual treatment plans Office the first treatment plans
Funding	Offender-funded
Population Prohotion	902 (afficial)
Probation Parole	892 (official) 825 (official)
Other community corrections	Probation and parole are consolidated under the Department of Community
Other community corrections	Corrections
Percentage in treatment	Concetions
Probation	80% (estimate)
Parole	15% (estimate)
Other community corrections	5% come directly from court (estimate)
Treatment providers	5% come ancesty from court (estimate)
Number	3 (estimate)
Distribution	Not available in all regions throughout the state
Distribution	Available in localized areas
Percentage with waiting list	1 out of the 3 treatment providers (estimate)
Percentage with 25% empty slots	2 out of the 3 treatment providers (estimate)
Completion rate	83% (estimate)
Treatment modality	Cognitive behavioral therapy
Drugs	1 of the 3 providers administer anti-depressant drugs and impulse control drugs
Truth tests	Yes
Individualized vs. manualized	Combination of individualized and manualized plans
Continuity of treatment	Yes
Average duration	2 years
Data and Research	Yes, the state is looking to profile sex offenders
Type	Demographic information, number on community supervision, number of victims,
1,700	frequency, general psychosocial
Storage	Electronically
Maintenance	Department of Community Corrections and Arkansas Crime Information Center
Evaluation	In the process of using the data for evaluation
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
•	
Eligibility	• Community supervision is mandatory for sex offenders if they do not serve their
	entire sentence in prison
	• Duration of community supervision depends on how much time offender serves in
Criteria for decisions	prison Eligibility for services is decided and stipulated by a sentencing judge or the parole
Criteria for decisions	board
Lifetime supervision	• Yes
Encome super vision	Eligibility requirements not available
Supervising agencies	Probation and parole (consolidated under the Department of Community Corrections)
Population	See above for probation and parole
Funding	State funded
Assessment	The Sex Offender Screening and Risk Assessment (SOSRA) agency was created
Assessment	when the state passed legislation in 1997 that mandated community notification
	The Division of Community Corrections conducts a risk/needs assessment when
	offenders are sentenced or released to community supervision. The same tool is
	used for all sex offenders and is not specific to the sex offender population
Purposes	Assess risk when a sex offender is required to notify the community
Tools	STATIC-99
10015	 The Division of Community Corrections is working on a risk/needs assessment
	form specifically for sex offenders—the tool is in draft form and is not yet
	validated
Specialized caseloads	· siromoo

Provisions	 Sex offenders are required to be on electronic monitoring for a specified period when first sentenced or released to community supervision Sex offenders must also be placed on maximum supervision level for a specified amount of time when first sentenced or released to community supervision There is a sex offender aftercare program for certain sex offenders who are subjected to more stringent supervision requirements and program participation Sex offenders in the aftercare program are required to submit to polygraphs or voice stress tests every 6 months and must participate in group meetings two times a month
Caseload	Not available
Supervisor requirements	Specialized officers are regular probation/parole officers but receive additional training on handling sex offenders
Supervision	
Length	Not available
Services	 Sex offenders are eligible for any services that are available through the Department of Community Corrections The Department of Community Corrections offers drug treatment services and day reporting centers Referrals are provided to mental health treatment, sex offender treatment, education/job training
Collaboration	Yes
Data and Research	
Туре	Department of Community Corrections has a statewide data system
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Department of Community Corrections
Evaluation	None, data is mainly used for caseload management

California Sex Offender **Treatment & Reentry Programs**

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Prison-based treatment questions (except for	r those highlighted with an *) are answered based on the proposed program but are not
	instituted as of yet
Availability	No sex offender treatment programming in California prisons
·	• Only treatment available is for substance abuse, but this is not specific to sex
	offenders—more general treatment program for which all prisoners are eligible
	Most recently, the California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation
	(CDCR) received funding from the state legislature to hire research experts to
	develop a sex offender treatment model program for the state's prisons
	• Contracted out to develop a model for California at the end of summer 2007—
	patterned after Colorado model
	• Currently, budgeting is in process to fund this initiative, but it is unclear when the
	funding will actually be allocated—being developed for the current budget
	session, but it will more likely be approved in Fiscal Year 2008
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	No exclusion by any background characteristics
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Assumption is that they will be better served in mental health system but no
	decision yet
	Juvenile system refers mentally ill sex offenders to the mental health system
Criteria for eligibility	Not available
Population	*O 22 000 (titi)
Sex offenders in prison population	*Over 23,000 (estimate) Not available
Percentage in treatment	Not available
Programs	No. 21.11.
Prisons with programs available	Not available
Average capacity	Model program has capacity of just under 500 beds (does not mean this will be the actual capacity)
Percentage with waiting list	Not available
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Average ratio of providers/offenders	Not available
Average duration	Not available
Enrollment date	Not available
Content	Cognitive behavioral therapy with relapse prevention
• Drugs	Not precluded
Truth tests	Not available
Individualized vs. manualized	Not available
Treatment requirement for release	Not available
Completion rate	Not available
Provider certification	Not sure whether or not treatment will be provided through in-house staff or through
110videi certification	contracts with private providers
Assessment	*STATIC-99 is official risk assessment tool for California (in probation, prison, etc.)
120000000000000000000000000000000000000	*Individual agencies can use other instruments as well, but all treatment decisions are
	based on STATIC-99 scores
Purposes	Risk assessment score will be used to determine who gets priority for prison-based
*	treatment
Tools	*Legislation commissioned a 3-member board called State Authorized Risk
	Assessment Tools for Sex Offenders (SARATSO), with representatives from the
	Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation, Department of Mental Health, and the
	Attorney General's office to decide what tools to use
	*Statute lays out criteria for adoption of risk assessment tools (must be validated,
	cross-validated, and accepted across courts) and board is responsible for applying
	criteria

TREATMENT—CO	OMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	 Treatment is available, but availability varies across the state Of the 58 California counties, only 31 have treatment available and only 8 use polygraph tests
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Not mandatory for all sex offenders
	 At the county community level, courts and probation agencies decide who is required to attend treatment
	 At the state prison level, the STATIC-99 scores determine who is required to attend treatment Offenders who score 4 or higher on the STATIC-99 are placed on high-risk sex
	offender caseloads, and these offenders are eligible for treatment if they are supervised in areas with treatment available
	 California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) pays for high- risk sex offenders to enter treatment programs for 17 months—but 500-700 sex offenders are released per month, so many do not get treatment
	• New programming pending for up to 2,700 offenders on parole statewide
Individualized treatment plans	Treatment programs are developed by providers in conjunction with probation/parole officers
Funding	 3 levels of funding: 1) CDCR contracts with providers around the state that pay for high-risk parolees 2) Offenders on probation pay for treatment themselves 3) Providers are required to take on a certain percentage of indigent clients
	(percentage unknown but varies by county)
Donulation	MediCAL does not help with court-mandated treatment 90,000 sex offenders in the state
Population Probation	12,000 sex offenders in the state 12,000 sex offenders on probation (estimate)
Parole	10,000 sex offenders on parole (estimate)
Other community corrections	2 sex offenders on community supervision post-release from Colinga (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	CDCR contracts with providers to treat approximately 2,700 sex offenders per year
Probation	• 500-700 are released per month (very small percentage of parolees served) 7% of probationers
Parole	 1-3% of parolees receive treatment with sex offender-specific therapist 2,700 slots for sex offenders that are with contracted sex offender therapists All others required to participate in parole outpatient counseling—2-3 hours per month with providers that do not necessarily have training in sex offender treatment
Other community corrections	Not available
Treatment providers	
Number	 Number of providers is not enough for the number of sex offenders who need treatment Very few of the providers that are available specialize in sex offender treatment Only 3 counties have criteria for sex offender treatment providers (San Francisco, San Diego, and Orange)—funded through Center for Sex Offender Management (CSOM) grants
Distribution	Not available
Percentage with waiting list	Not available
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	 No state standard for treatment Both the California Coalition for Sexual Offending and the Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) support the use of empirically validated approaches such as cognitive behavioral therapy, relapse prevention, etc. (not

	chemical castration)
Drugs	Drugs are sometimes administered, depending on client
Diugs	 Medications are all voluntary—specific drug choices made by doctors
Truth tests	Polygraphs used in 8 of 31 counties with treatment programs
Truth Cots	Only 1 county has non-prosecution agreement
Individualized vs. manualized	Individualized—there are currently no criteria for providers or certification
marviduanzed vs. manuanzed	requirements for programs
	• There are "model programs" that have been identified in the state, but their models
	are not required
	Among the model programs are Sex Offender Rehabilitative Treatment Program
	(SORT), but there is no standard defined
Continuity of treatment	There is no prison treatment, although there is a proposal for such treatment
Average duration	CDCR contracts for a maximum of 17 months with providers
	This is determined by fiscal interests, not by treatment standards
Data and Research	State (i.e. CDRC, probation) does not collect treatment data
	• Individual providers do, but there has not been any analysis of provider data
Туре	Not available
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	One study underway using one county's data, but still in early phases
	REENTRY
Availability	No reentry programming in place right now
Availability	Context: 200% prison capacity; jails overcrowded as well
	 States contract with counties for jail funds—for counties to have access to jail
	funds, must have reentry facility
	• Goal is to have 500-bed facilities open across the state—these facilities would
	serve all types of offenders, but sex offenders would be housed separately
Pre-release	There are pre-release services
	 In reality, they are not used very often
Post-release	• STATIC-99 must be administered at 3 different points for sex offenders:
	o First, during pre-sentence investigation
	o Then again within 9 months of release from prison
	o Finally, a third time right before discharge from parole
	Also developing a dynamic risk assessment instrument
Percentage of state prisons with services	Not available
Specific initiatives	
Specialized sex offender programming	No
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	STATIC-99 administered to all sex offenders pre-release
	• The use of this tool was mandated by legislation—if a sex offender scores 4 or
	higher on assessment, then he/she becomes a candidate for high-risk sex offender
	caseload (HRSO)
	• Also screened for sexually violent predator (SVP) status via STATIC-99—if score
	4 or higher and have mental disorder, then meet criteria for SVP (see dmh.ca.gov
Emillion de la c	for full list of criteria)
Enrollment date	Not available
Services available	No housing services provided in-house Here of the services provided in-house provided in-house Here of the services provided in-house provided in-h
	Upon release sex offender has 6 days to find compliant housing (or register as transient/homeless)
Casa managamant	transient/homeless) Not available
Case management Post-release services	Not available
Case management	If sex offender meets criteria for SVP then admitted to Coalinga State Hospital for
Case management	mental health issues
Supervision	Not available
Supervision Service coordination	Not available
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Nonprofit involvement	Not available
Faith-based	Not available
	Not available
Role Services available	Not available
Services available	
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Supervision under parole and probation (and conditional release program CONREP)
Eligibility	
Criteria for decisions	Mandatory for all sex offenders at state level
	Most likely true at the county level as well (probation)—except for some
	misdemeanor sex offenders who are placed on summary probation (no direct
Lifetime supervision	contact) No, but lifetime Global Positioning System (GPS) monitoring option
Supervising agencies	No, but metine Global Fositioning System (GFS) monitoring option
Population	• 7,000-8,000 sex offenders on probation, all supervised at county level (estimate)
1 opulation	• 11,000 on parole, 8,000 of which are active in the state of California (estimate)
Funding	County funds probation
	State funds parole
Classification system	STATIC-99 required
·	• Other static tools used by individual agencies as well, but only STATIC-99 is
	required
Year implemented/updated	• Legislation passed in 11/2006 that required administration of STATIC-99
	• In 11/2007 board voted again to keep it officially recognized
Required for	3 points described above
Risk levels	• STATIC-99:
	1. High
	2. Moderately high
	3. Medium4. Moderately low
	5. Low
	• Risk levels vary for other tools
Assessment	
Purposes	Not available
Tools	STATIC-99 used across agencies and also in civil commitment program
	Some counties have developed own customized tool
Specialized caseloads	• If a county is large enough to warrant sex offender-specific caseloads, then most
	counties have done that
D	In rural areas, not enough sex offenders to warrant specialized caseloads
Provisions	Hard to summarize probation because counties are independent
Caseload	Hard to summarize probation because counties are independent For people any offendary will always be an minimum of high supervision (70:1).
	• For parole, sex offenders will always be on minimum of high supervision (70:1) o If on GPS, then 40:1
	o If high risk sex offender (HRSO) at least 40:1
	o If HRSO and GPS, then 20:1
Supervisor requirements	Nothing in statute requires additional certification for supervisors on probation or
r	parole, but there is specialized training from academy for parole officers
	Training requirements vary for probation officers depending on county
Supervision	
Length	• Up to 3 years in probation (estimate)
	• 3, 5 or 10 years for parole (depends on offense) (official numbers)
Services	Probation: treatment available in many counties, but in northern California may
	have to travel to another county to get treatment
	Other services vary
Collaboration	Parole: services vary—obtained through referrals Discussion takes place between supervisors and corvice providers, more
Collaboration	Discussion takes place between supervisors and service providers—more communication about sex offenders than general offenders
	Communication about Sex offenders than general offenders

Data and Research	
Туре	• Probation has basic recidivism data (includes all revocations and arrests—needs to
	be broken down)
	Parole has LEADS database
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	None

Colorado Sex Offender **Treatment & Reentry Programs**

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	Only in 2-3 facilities (estimate)
	There may be a Spanish-speaking program in a prison as well
State standard	Yes—standard covers both prison and community treatment—one part of the
	standard specifically references prison-based treatment
	• Go to www.dcj.state.co.us for standard—follow link for Sex Offender
	Management Board (SOMB)
Developed by whom?	• Sex Offender Management Board (SOMB)—established in Department of
	Criminal Justice (DCJ) via legislation in 1992
	• SOMB charged to develop standards and guidelines for the evaluation, treatment,
	and behavioral monitoring of sex offenders
	Required to write first version of standard by 1996 Standard most recently undeted in 2004
	Standard most recently updated in 2004 Pagently revised prison based treatment section, should be reflected in 2008.
Oversight by whom?	Recently revised prison-based treatment section, should be reflected in 2008 SOMB, also in pharms of selecting providers.
Oversight by whom:	 SOMB—also in charge of selecting providers Not directly in charge of structuring treatment programs, but all providers must
	meet treatment standards that are in place, so indirectly influences programming
Funding	State-funded through Department of Corrections (DOC)
Tunung	The recent increase in Colorado's prison population has led to diversion of
	resources away from sex offender services
	The state has developed a criminal justice commission that is charged with
	introducing reforms to minimize prison growth
Eligibility	Every sex offender eligible, but not everyone can get treatment when they want it
•	because there are limited slots available at a given time
	Offender must admit crime to participate in treatment
Noncitizens	Not entirely sure, but because treatment is available for noncitizens in the community
	it should be available for noncitizens in prison as well
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	• Handled the same way as everyone else—treatment is a voluntary program, but if
	an offender does not participate he/she does not get good time
	• In addition to sex offender treatment provided at selected prisons, there is also a
	separate mental health prison—mentally ill offenders must choose which type of
Cuitonio fon aliaihility	treatment is more important because they cannot be in both places at once
Criteria for eligibility	• Everyone is eligible but there is a waiting list that is prioritized by release date
	• Treatment administered when an offender gets within a couple of years of release date
Population	uate
Sex offenders in prison population	1,171 sex offenders under lifetime imprisonment through June 30, 2007 (official
Sex offenders in prison population	Department of Corrections number)
Percentage in treatment	• 157 of 1,171 lifetime-imprisoned offenders (13.4%) in treatment as of 6/30/07
	• 200-300 sex offenders total estimated to be in treatment (a really rough estimate)
Programs	Treatment programming divided into Phase I and Phase II
	Phase I is introduction to treatment programming
	Phase II is a therapeutic community model for advanced sex offender treatment
Prisons with programs available	5 prisons (Fremont Correctional Facility, Sterling Correctional Facility, Youthful
	Offender System, Colorado Territorial Correctional Facility, and Colorado
	Women's Correctional Facility) have Phase I programming
	• 2 of these prisons also offer Phase II, in addition to one other facility (Arrowhead
	Correctional Facility, Colorado Women's Correctional Facility, and Youthful
	Offender System)
Average capacity	When fully staffed, 700 total

	Right now working at half capacity due to staffing problems
Percentage with waiting list	100%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	Standards dictate maximum ratio, which is: 1:8
	 No group can exceed 12 sex offenders so absolute max is 2:12
Average duration	Phase I: 8-12 months (4.6 in FY 07)
	Phase II: 1 year (estimate) (7.6 in FY 07)
Enrollment date	2 years prior to release (estimate)
Content	Cognitive behavioral therapy, relapse prevention, impulse control, psychoeducation,
	gender role socialization, etc. (19 totalin Standards Section 3)
• Drugs	On a case-by-case basis
	No chemical castration
Truth tests	Polygraph used
 Individualized vs. manualized 	Individualization of treatment to each offender
Treatment requirement for release	Not required, but nonparticipation can have negative impact (i.e., required for release
	onto lifetime supervision for offenders who would otherwise be incarcerated)
Completion rate	Not available
Provider certification	Board has a standard—outlined in Section 4 of Standards (page 43)
	Part of standard dictates that a provider must have a certain number of clinical
	hours in which to co-facilitate with an experienced provider before they are
	allowed to facilitate on their own
Assessment	Risk and needs assessment conducted at intake in DOC; reassessed along the way
	on supervision as well
D	Assessment mainly for treatment purposes The description of the
Purposes	To place in treatment based on risk of sexual reoffense (to identify type of
	treatment that is appropriate)
T 1.	Not specifically looking for high-risk though, etc.
Tools	• In standards—on page 23.
Dete and Decemb	Colorado does not have a customized tool
Data and Research	No current data from DOC but evaluation conducted in 2003
Туре	• Level of treatment completed, outcomes such as recidivism released to parole, etc.
Chamara	 Sex offender crossover behavior—offending behavior, victim patterns, etc. Case files manually entered into database
Storage Maintenance	DOC has case files, database in Division of Criminal Justice
Evaluation Evaluation	Study in 2003 looking at outcomes for Sex Offender Treatment Program (not been
Evaluation	updated since then)
TREATMENT—COM	MUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	Yes—more availability in the community than in prison
Noncitizens	Not entirely sure, but because treatment is available for noncitizens in the community
	it should be available for noncitizens in prison as well
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	• Every sex offender eligible, but not everyone can get treatment when they want it
	because there are limited slots available at a given time
	Offender must admit crime to participate in treatment
Individualized treatment plans	Treatment provider is responsible for treatment
	• Team (provider, supervising officer, polygraph officer) collaborates on decisions
	about offenders (section 5 of standards—pg. 63)
Funding	Offender-funded
	• Funding in probation and parole that can be used when there is a need; also can be
D 14	used as an incentive if a district's budget permits
Population	0.000 11 (700 110 1) 7441 11 (771 110 110 110 110 110 110 110 110 110
Probation	• 2,088 adults (520 lifetime), 516 juveniles (official as of June 30, 2007)
	Numbers include both Intensive Supervision Probation (ISP) and regular
	supervision

	• Of 2,088 adult offenders, 1,026 are regular supervision, 1,062 are ISP
Parole	Not available
Other community corrections	Not available
Percentage in treatment	
Probation	 Vast majority (it is required on community supervision) (estimate) Not required to be on treatment for duration of supervision (i.e. if long sentence, do not have to be in treatment for all of it) Aftercare program in development
Parole	Not available
Other community corrections	Not available
Treatment providers	
Number	As of November 1, 2007, 179 treatment providers for adults
Distribution	Majority of judicial districts, but only about half of the counties have treatment providers
Percentage with waiting list	Probably none
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	Same as prison
Drugs	On a case-by-case basisNo chemical castration
Truth tests	Polygraph used
Individualized vs. manualized	Individualization of treatment to each offender
Continuity of treatment	Yes—prison provider sends info on treatment progress to community provider
Average duration	2.5-4 years
Data and Research	
Туре	 Outcomes, recidivism, technical violators, etc. Demographic info in DOC
Storage	Electronically
Maintenance	Probation, but probably not DOC
Evaluation	None
	REENTRY
Availability	 Most offenders do not come out into any sort of reentry program—most go onto parole and some into community corrections, but aside from supervision there is not a formal reentry initiative in place for sex offenders The state also uses a shared living arrangement program for sex offenders—program is developed by providers and used by the state Offenders live together, but not with supervisor—this will be assigned on a case-by-case basis Circles of Support and Accountability model (COSA)—community volunteers help provide support for sex offenders (program numbers are low though) COSA is a Canadian model developed in Mennonite Church
Pre-release	Case managers give offenders a list of resources but do not assist them with services
Post-release	Not available
Percentage of state prisons with services	Not available
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes—on probation, parole, and community corrections
Eligibility	Mandatory
Criteria for decisions	Not applicable
Lifetime supervision	 Yes Eligibility requirements described in Statute 18-1.3-1004 (indeterminate sentencing); eligibility determined by offense type/classification
Supervising agencies	
Population	Probation estimate: on June 30, 2007—1,066 on State Probation Specialized Programs Sex Offender Intensive Supervision Program (SOISP)

	• 1,026 on non-SOISP
Funding	State and local funding for probation
9	Parole funded by state
Classification system	Assessment at time of sentencing to determine level of supervision (see statute for
·	risk classification)
	Also assessed for sexually violent predator (SVP) status
	Additionally, probation uses the Oregon sex offender risk assessment instrument
	to classify people into supervision levels (minimum, medium, maximum within
	each regular and ISP supervision); reassess every 6 months
Year implemented/updated	Sexually Violent Predator statute enacted in 1999
Required for	Supervision classification
	• All sex offenders required to have pre-sentence investigation report (PSI) and risk
D'.1.11.	assessment at time of sentencing (release from prison)
Risk levels	 Regular supervision ISP
	(All sex offenders on specialized caseloads though)
	Also assessed for SVP status (based on risk assessment tool developed and validated
	in Colorado)
Assessment	Probationers—at sentencing; parolees assessed prior to release
Purposes	Risk assessment and treatment needs (e.g., assess if the person amenable to
•	treatment)
	• Treatment progress as well (on probation, offenders reassessed every 6 months)
Tools	Level of Service Inventory (LSI) and Oregon sex offender risk assessment for
	probationers (Oregon tool has not been validated in Colorado)
	Providers use instruments listed in standards [pg 23]
Specialized caseloads	Yes—on probation and parole
	Probation has Sex Offender Intensive Supervision Program (SOISP) for felons
	and lifetime supervision, as well as non-SOISP specialized caseloads
Provisions	GPS for some high-risk offenders
	SOISP program has three phases
Caseload	• 25 cases per officer on SOISP
	• Standard of 35 cases per officer on non-SOISP caseloads, but most caseloads are
G : ·	much higher
Supervisor requirements	Officers required to get specialized training The second of the se
	• Two training programs for probation officers: Intro to Sex Offender Management
	(24 hrs), Advanced Sex Offender Management training (72 hrs)
	• Training involves sex offender-specific topics, defensive training, motivational interviewing, cognitive overview, law and liability
Supervision	interviewing, cognitive overview, iaw and natinity
Length	Varies based on sentence—sex offenders cannot be released early
	Can be up to 10 or more years
Services	On probation, services available in the following areas: treatment, polygraphs,
	housing, transportation dollars, emergency healthcare, clothing, food vouchers
Collaboration	Between supervision and treatment but not between supervision and other agencies
	(i.e. no comprehensive discussions)
Data and Research	
Type	Probation has aggregate data on intakes, pre-sentence investigations (PSI),
	discharges, terminations, supervision level, revocation types, violation types, risk
	level
	• FY 2007: 1,013 adults and 204 juveniles had PSIs
	• 15,440 total adult offenders received PSIs (7% for sex offenders)
Storage	• 2,640 total juvenile offenders received PSIs (8% for sex offenders)
Storage Maintenance	Electronic probation data Probation
Evaluation	9 year follow-up looking at violence and re-arrest as predicted by sex offender risk
Evaluation	scale—was predictive
	searce was predictive

Connecticut Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	 Available in 6 facilities (including female and juvenile facilities) No specialized facilities for sex offenders, but these are facilities that house high-risk offenders (sex offenders are risk level 3 or higher)
State standard	 Implemented in 2000 by Sex Offender Policy and Advisory Committee (SOPAC) Sets out series of treatment standards that private providers must follow (state-employed providers are exempt)
Developed by whom?	SOPAC includes representatives from sex offender treatment, Department of Mental Health, Department of Children and Family Services, Judicial Department, Public Defenders, Psychiatric Security Review Board, Office of Policy & Management, Department of Mental Retardation, Sexual Abuse/Victim Advocacy (30-35 members total)
Oversight by whom?	Department of Correction (DOC) currently provides oversight, but the state is trying to put a risk board in place
Funding	 State-funded, through DOC No private contractors—DOC contracts with state employees of University of Connecticut Health Center for all treatment needs Because these are state employees they are not subject to treatment standards, but they tend to follow them pretty closely
Eligibility	 Voluntary treatment—individual must acknowledge a problem sexual behavior (no ABEL or polygraph) and have ability to function in a group (cognitively and behaviorally) Eligibility determined in-house—not enough resources for everyone so have to prioritize who gets treatment
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	 Not required for mentally ill Those who are seriously mentally ill (Axis 1 disorders) go to White Inc Forensic (on grounds of state hospital)
Criteria for eligibility	Not mandatory for all offenders (Supreme Court decision)
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	25% of prison population (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	1% (estimate)
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	6
Average capacity	6 staff total
Percentage with waiting list	All except women's program
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	Not available
Average duration	12 months, but varies greatly depending on where people are incarcerated and severity of risk level
Enrollment date	2+ years before release
Content	 Group-based treatment, with family sessions as an ancillary component Cognitive-behavioral therapy, victim empathy, arousal control
• Drugs	Provera and Lupron used, but more people on Prozac and other drugs
 Truth tests 	Not used in prison, but polygraphs used in community
 Individualized vs. manualized 	
Treatment requirement for release	Not required, but unlikely for someone to get parole if they do not go through treatment
Completion rate	
Provider certification	No certification requirements because prison treatment is administered by state

Assessment	
Purposes	Assessments are administered at intake (nothing administered at completion of
1 4.1 p 6.5 c 5	treatment)
Tools	STATIC-99, RRASOR, psychopathy checklist (PCL)
	• Instruments have not been validated on Connecticut population
Data and Research	
Type	Demographic data used mainly for tracking purposes
Storage	Paper files
Maintenance	DOC
Evaluation	None
TREATMENT—CO	MMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	Available on probation and parole (both are state-level)
11 validonity	Both use the same treatment provider (The Connection, Inc. Center for the
	Treatment of Problem Sexual Behavior)
Noncitizens	Yes—but hardly happens because they are being deported
Gender	Male and female
Criteria for eligibility	
Citiena for engionity	All offenders released from prison or sentenced to probation are to be evaluated https://doi.org/10.1007/j.j.j.j.j.j.j.j.j.j.j.j.j.j.j.j.j.j.j.
	 by provider If provider determines that an offender does not need treatment, then he/she is
In dividualized tweetment plans	dismissed from the requirement (as decided by supervisor and provider)
Individualized treatment plans	Developed by provider
Funding	Treatment on probation funded by Judicial Department
	Treatment on parole funded by Department of Correction, Department of Mental
	Health, Department of Mental Retardation
Population	
Probation	1,600 on probation (estimate)
Parole	120 on parole (estimate)
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Percentage in treatment	• 85-90% go through treatment (estimate)
	Many complete treatment before supervision is done, so at any given time the
	actual percentage in treatment will be lower
Probation	Not available
Parole	Not available
Other community corrections	Not available
Treatment providers	State contracts with one group to administer treatment to probationers and
	parolees (The Connection Inc, Center for the Treatment of Problem Sexual
	Behavior [CTPSB])
	• Contract has been in place for about 20 years.
	CTPSB employs a staff of 30 to do cognitive-behavioral treatment in community
	• There are times when an offender receives treatment from another provider,
	though. This usually happens under the following circumstances:
	Attorney cuts deal in court
	 Risk level is too low to warrant using CTPSB resources
	 Offender failed with CTPSB and court gave another chance
	CTPSB full in certain programming area
Number	25 providers in-house
	• 3 other programs statewide that see offenders (account for about 300 clients)
	Another dozen providers who do group treatment
Distribution	Statewide (16 sites around state)
Percentage with waiting list	No waiting list—as numbers increase, size of program increases
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not applicable
Completion rate	72% (estimate)
Treatment modality	Group-based treatment
	Cognitive behavioral therapy, relapse prevention, arousal control (through)
	medication), pro-social skill-building
	medication), pro-social skin-ounding

	Programming based on risk level (low, medium, high, each with different
Deugo	curriculum) Yes
Drugs Truth tests	 Yes—polygraphs (sexual history, maintenance and monitoring, and instant offense) CTPSB will work with clients up to 6 months regardless of whether or not they deny the offense—they are terminated if fail instant offense test after 6 months
Individualized vs. manualized	Manualized within risk level but not done in workbook style Individual treatment plans completed
Continuity of treatment	 Information sharing between prison and community supervision, but programming is not continuous Part of the reason is that the majority of people who come from prison have not had any treatment programming
Average duration	Average of 3 years (estimate)
Data and Research	
Туре	Not available
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	• CTPSB
Wantenance	Probation/Parole
Evaluation	Submit reports to funders but they are not available to the public
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	REENTRY
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	• 100% of facilities have some type of reentry services—required by the state
referringe of state prisons with services	 9 facilities provide very specific reentry skills
	• 6 facilities have job centers in conjunction with Department of Labor—where
C	offenders have access to jobs, develop resume, mock interviews, referrals
Specific initiatives	Comprehensive statewide reentry plan – developed by State Office of Planning Management and Criminal Parising Policy Advisory Committee
	and Management and Criminal Justice Policy Advisory Committee
	Overseen by State Office of Planning and Management
	Governing board: Criminal Justice Policy Advisory Committee (multi-agency)
	advisory)
Specialized sex offender programming	Yes, but not residential
Eligibility	
Population	Everyone eligible under Offender Accountability Plan
Pre-release	Do not track by offense type
Post-release	Do not track by offense type
State standard?	No—reentry is voluntary
Developed by whom?	Not available
Oversight by whom?	Not available
Funding	Department of Correction (DOC)
	• Probation
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	1. Board of Pardons and Parole (discretionary release for terms of greater than 2
	years)
	2. Commissioner of Corrections (for those with terms less than 2 years)
	Criteria: based on objective measurement (Salient Factor Score) and warden's decision (exercised on case-by-case basis)—done by contracted evaluation services
	• DOC does not include sex offenders in eligibility for discretionary release
	• Risk assessment instruments are used pre- and post-release:
	o Pre-release: STATIC 99, SOSP III (Sex Offender Screening Protocol –
	adjusted actuarial)-give overall risk assessment (high moderate, low

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Criteria for decisions Judicial decisions	Criteria for decisions	

Lifetime supervision	No, but there is a 35-year probation for 8-9 statutory offenses (including sexual assault in 1st degree, risk of injury to minor, etc)
Supervising agencies	 Probation and Parole Also Special Parole—if an offender is sentenced to special parole they can only serve a maximum of 5 years, including time spent in prison for violations, etc. (i.e. time does not stop at any point) Cannot have Special Parole and probation at the same time for the same charge
Population	 Probation: 1,162 high/medium risk sex offenders as of January 1, 2008 (official estimate from CMIS) Parole: 150 (estimate)
Funding	DOC for paroleJudicial for probation
Classification system	 Classification into risk levels using static and dynamic scores (University of Connecticut Health uses STATIC-99 and RRASOR; probation officers use LSI-R) Offenders reassessed every 3 months using dynamic and acute actuarial scores
Year implemented/updated	First implemented in 1995 Updated in 2005 In process of being updated again
Required for	All sex offenders
Risk levels	High, medium
Assessment	
Purposes	 Risk/needs classification Determination of treatment and supervision protocol
Tools	
Specialized caseloads	In both probation and parole
Provisions	 Smaller caseloads Collaboration between victim's advocate, probation officers, and treatment providers By statute, judge can impose electronic monitoring, GPS
Caseload	40 on probation (estimate)20 on parole (estimate)
Supervisor requirements	 At least 2 years experience preferred (if not then team up with more experienced supervisor) Bachelor's of Science degree Probation officers sit in on treatment groups as regularly as possible Officers participate in specialized training (32 hours initial)
Supervision	
Length	 10 years for probation Parole varies depending on how much time is owed
Services	 Same services that are available to general population, plus weekly specialized sex offender counseling Treatment includes rehabilitation and reasoning (taking responsibility for actions) AIC programs help with job placement, vocational training, substance programs
Collaboration	Yes—most offices have one team meeting per month (group meeting between all officers and all treatment providers, along with victim advocates, to go through all cases)
Data and Research	
Туре	 CMIS system If individual is on sex offender registry with conviction in past ten years, can be classified as a sex offender
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Probation data maintained by Court Support Services Division (CSSD)
Evaluation	No

Delaware Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	Treatment only in 1 prison (Delaware Correctional Center) out of 4 in the state (1 women's facility, 3 men's facilities)
State standard	State just passed legislation to create Sex Department of Correction (DOC) might have Sex Offender Management Board (SOMB), and part of that legislation requires the development of standards across prison and community—not in existence yet
Developed by whom?	Legislation passed at end of 2007
Oversight by whom?	DOC oversees prison treatment to date, but SOMB will take it over in the future
Funding	Stated funded through DOC
Eligibility	Available for all sex offenders, but due to lack of resources/space not everyone gets it
Noncitizens	Probably
Gender	Males
Mentally ill	Eligible for the same types of treatment as other sex offenders
Criteria for eligibility	Not applicable
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	661 as of April 21, 2008
Percentage in treatment	Not available
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	1
Average capacity	300
Percentage with waiting list	Usually a waiting list of 100
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:150
Average duration	24 months
Enrollment date	Usually begin treatment within 2 years of release date—ideally is 6 months prior to release
Content	Cognitive-behavioral therapy
o Drugs	Not used unless individual is involved in mental health treatment (diagnosed through mental health board)
 Truth tests 	Probably not
 Individualized vs. manualized 	Mixture
Treatment requirement for release	No—unless structured this way by sentencing order
Completion rate	Not available
Provider certification	 None currently, but there will be once a SOMB is established Correctional counselors administer treatment in prisons
Assessment	
Purposes	For risk more than needs, but just submitted grant to Bureau of Justice Assistance for needs assessment
Tools	 LSI-R (in community corrections too) In process of validating it
Data and Research	Yes—DACS system
Type	Demographic data, program completion
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	DOC
Evaluation	No evaluations on sex offender treatment, just substance abuse
	MUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	Available through private providers, but limited availability
Noncitizens	Probably
Gender	Males and females

Criteria for eligibility	Not inalidately right now, but may become mandatory under new registation
Individualized treatment plans	Developed by provider
Funding	Offender fees
Population	Probation and Parole are consolidated
	• 839 as of December 2007 (estimate)
Probation	As above
Parole	As above
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Percentage in treatment	28% as of December 2007 (estimate)
Probation	As above
Parole	As above
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Treatment providers	
Number	1 private contractor with multiple offices
Distribution	Statewide
Percentage with waiting list	Not available
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	Cognitive-behavioral therapy
Drugs	Not used as part of sex offender treatment—but some offenders may go to private
	providers on their own, and these providers may use drugs
Truth tests	Polygraph used
Individualized vs. manualized	Mixture but more individualized
Continuity of treatment	Probably not
Average duration	Varies
Data and Research	Can track those that go to treatment, but only private providers have specifics on
	treatment program
Type	Not available
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	Not available
	REENTRY
Availability	
Pre-release	No reentry initiative, but there are pre-release programs
1 10-101case	 No feeling initiative, but there are pre-ferease programs Offenders may or may not see a counselor
	No needs assessment
	• Reentry subcommittee looks at points in system where improvements are needed
Dest values	• 500 total served in a year (estimate)
Post-release id-	No 1000/
Percentage of state prisons with services	100%
Specific initiatives	No. 1. days (Co. 1. a) by a second consultance of the day of the day of
Specialized sex offender programming	No—but sex offenders have access to general pre-release services described below
Eligibility	Net contable
Population	Not available
Pre-release	All sex offenders are eligible for pre-release services
Post-release	Not applicable A second of the
State standard?	No, but there are policies within the Department of Correction (DOC)
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
Funding	State-funded through DOC
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	Delaware has truth-in-sentencing—offenders serve 85% of sentence (recalculated)
	for good time)

Not mandatory right now, but may become mandatory under new legislation

Criteria for eligibility

	less left in sentence
	Try to begin as close to release date as possible
Services available	
Services available	Life skills, anger management, cognitive-behavioral therapy, father readiness, agree modified by decision making strategies.
	career readiness, budgeting, decision-making strategies
	Specific services vary across prisons
Case management	None
Post-release services	Not applicable
Case management	Not applicable
o Supervision	Not applicable
o Service coordination	Not applicable
Nonprofit involvement	There are a number of local nonprofits that do post-release reentry services—most do not work directly with sex offender but a few do (under 10 slots available for
	sex offenders across the state)Nonprofits do not coordinate with state officials in service delivery
o Faith-based	The only nonprofits that serve sex offenders are faith-based
• Role	Case management—help offenders find housing, employment, etc.
	Mentoring/support
	Transportation services
Services available	Services are available for 6 months to 1 year
Data and Research	
Type	Not available
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	DOC has data on individuals in pre-release programming
	Nonprofits maintain info on post-release services
Evaluation	None—some nonprofits do their own research, but none on sex offenders
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes—under consolidated probation and parole
Eligibility	Not mandatory for sex offenders, depends on sentence
	Most sex offenders are required to be supervised in the community
Criteria for decisions	Judicial decision under sentencing guidelines
Lifetime supervision	No
Supervising agencies	
Population	Not available
Funding	State-funded through DOC
Classification system	Not available
Year implemented/updated	Not available
Required for	Not available
Risk levels	Not available
Assessment	
Purposes	To assess risk
Tools	LSI-R
Specialized caseloads	Yes
Provisions	Just passed legislation to put sex offenders on GPS
TIOVISIONS	 In addition to standard conditions of supervision, sex offenders may be subject to
	the following:
	1. Participate in sex offender assessment, evaluation, and treatment as
	determined by the Department of Correction. The offenders will be
	* *
	financially responsible for all examinations and treatment unless the
	Department of Correction finds the offender is financially unable to pay
	2. Prohibit access or possession of sexually explicit and/or obscene material
	unless approved by the Probation Officer Comply with all statutory requirements imposed upon individuals convicted.
	3. Comply with all statutory requirements imposed upon individuals convicted
	of a sex offense including but not limited to compliance with 11 Del. Code
	Section 8510 requiring the submission of photographs, fingerprints and
	identification, sex offender registration (11 Del. Code Section 4120),

Caseload	community notification (11 Del. Code Section 4121), and DNA collection (29 Del. Code Section 4713) and limitations regarding contact with school zones (11 Del. Code Section 1112) 4. Prohibit contact or residing with children under the age of 18 unless approved by the Probation Officer 5. Prohibit access, possession or control over or use of a computer device, modem or network interface device. Any device or storage medium of an offender whose use has been approved by the Department of Correction is subject to random examination by the Probation Officer to determine compliance with this requirement. Using a computer modem or network interface device for any purpose which might further sexual activity is strictly prohibited. If violation of this provision is found, the Department of Correction may seize the computer, related equipment and storage devices 6. To require submission to polygraph testing to assist in the treatment and supervision of the offender. The failure of a polygraph test alone may not be a basis to violate the offender's probation 7. Require no contact with the victim of the crime unless otherwise approved by the Probation Officer
Supervisor requirements	Specialized training through the Center for Sex Offender Management
Supervision	
Length	Varies by individual depending on sentence handed down
Services	 Nonprofits provide most services Sex offenders have access to services for general offender population such as education, vocational trainings, etc.—but there is nothing specifically geared toward sex offenders Housing services are more difficult to provide because sex offenders are not eligible for Section 8 housing
Collaboration	 Depends on probation officer Not much collaboration with service providers, but goal of SOMB is to tighten relations
Data and Research	
Туре	Demographics
Storage	Electronically
Maintenance	Probation Supervisor of sex offender unit keeps data on clients
Evaluation	No

Florida Sex Offender **Treatment & Reentry Programs**

TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED	
Availability	 No formally sanctioned sex offender treatment in prison There is some informal treatment in prison, but very limited – some clinicians may do informal treatment
TREATMENT—COM	MUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Mandatory for those with specified sex offenses: Lewd or Lascivious Offenses committed upon or in the presence of persons less than 16 years of age; Sexual Performance by a child; Selling or Buying of Minors (according to 948.30)
Individualized treatment plans	By private treatment providers
Funding	Individual
Population	
Probation	1,076
Parole	Not available
Other community corrections	142 on Community Control
Treatment providers	
Number	60 programs
Distribution	Statewide
Percentage with waiting list	0%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Completion rate Treatment modality	 Not available Most programs are cognitive behavioral therapy, relapse prevention, arousal
	 reconditioning, victim empathy, cognitive behavioral therapy to lower negative mood states, relationships Above varies because there is no standard. Legislation 948.30 required qualified practitioner to provide treatment for sex offenders People are urged to go to programs where therapists are members of Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA)
Drugs	Yes—anti-androgen law enacted in 1997 (Chemical Castration law 1997), but probably very rarely used
Truth tests	Yes—standard condition for sex offender probation
Individualized vs. manualized	Individualized
Continuity of treatment	Not applicable (no prison-based treatment)
Average duration	2.5 years
Data and Research	No
Туре	Not applicable
Storage	Not applicable
Maintenance	Not applicable
Evaluation	Not applicable
	REENTRY
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	Not available
Specific initiatives	Serious and Violent Reentry Initiative
Specialized sex offender programming	No
Eligibility	

Population	Anybody released from prison is eligible
Pre-release	Not available
Post-release	Not available
Funding	State Department of Corrections
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	Florida Parole Commissions
,	Based on sentencing guidelines, which are determined upon sentencing
	(determines release date)
Enrollment date	Upon entry to prison (discharge planning, education, vocational training, counseling
	on attitudes about supervision—currently pilot program to bring this to county jail—
	and education about conditions)
Services available	Not available
Case management	Sex offenders have specialized probation officers
Post-release services	
Case management	Professional correctional specialists
 Supervision 	Not same as prison case manager
	• Information exchanged on as-needed basis, but this probably very rarely happens
	Link in prison is classification officer
Service coordination	Not available
Nonprofit involvement	Yes, but not for sex offenders
Faith-based	Not available
• Role	Nonprofits offer full continuum of services: residential, outpatient counseling, food
	banks, employment assistance, etc.
Services available	Not available
Data and Research	Yes
Type	Entire status: employment, treatment, housing, etc
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Yes
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Not everyone is eligible
Criteria for decisions	Anybody who meets criteria as sexual offender or sexual predator and placed on
	community supervision on sex offense gets these conditions
	Court/judge determines
Lifetime supervision	No
Funding	State
Classification system	Risk classification based solely on conviction
Year implemented/updated	Not available
Required for	All
Risk levels	Sexual predator (for those convicted of 1 st degree or 2 separate 2 nd degree) and sex
	offender
Assessment	Mental health evaluation, assessment of risk
Purposes	Risk assessment
Tools	Not available
Specialized caseloads	Yes
Provisions	Senior staff, specialized training
Caseload Supervisor requirements	Up to 20 per officer Not available
Supervision Supervision	THOU AVAILABLE
Supervision Length	Varies—most from 5 to 15 years
Services	No formal services—up to offender and probation/parole officer to link with state
Scrvices	programs for employment, etc.
Collaboration	No case manager, just parole/probation officer
Condonation	 Up to their discretion how much case management activity they do
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	Frequent contact with therapist, etc.
Data and Research	Yes
Type	Not available
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Yes

Georgia Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

TREATMENT—COM	MUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Sentencing judges decide during the sentencing if the special condition of sex
, and the second second	offender treatment will be imposed
Individualized treatment plans	Sentencing judges decide during the sentencing, but treatment providers also make
_	the determination if left to them by the judges
Funding	Offender-funded
Population	
Probation	6,022 (official)
Parole	Not available
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Percentage in treatment	
Probation	72.7% (official, poll of the field)
Parole	Not available
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Treatment providers	
Number	34
Distribution	Statewide
Percentage with waiting list	0%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	Denial, sexual arousal control, cognitive restructuring, relapse prevention, knowledge
·	and skill, family and other social support network, empathy enhancement,
	interpersonal skills training, emotional management, contact with children, family
	reunification and visitation
Drugs	Chemical castration, if ordered by judge
Truth tests	Polygraphs
Individualized vs. manualized	Both—treatment providers have to follow minimum guidelines but they are allowed
	flexibility within those minimum guidelines
Continuity of treatment	Not applicable (no prison-based treatment)
Average duration	Not available
Data and Research	None collected
Type	Not applicable
Storage	Not applicable
Maintenance	Not applicable
Evaluation	Not applicable
	REENTRY
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	100% (official, scorecard, data warehouse)
Specific initiatives	National Institute of Correction's Transition from Prison to the Community
Specific initiatives	Initiative (http://www.nicic.org/TPCGeorgia)
	Fatherhood Initiative
	Serious and Violent Offender Reentry Initiative (SVORI)
	Georgia Reentry Impact Project (GRIP)
Specialized sex offender programming	No
Eligibility	All offenders are eligible for reentry services
Engionity	 All offenders are engine for feeling services Certain initiatives exclude sex offenders
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Population	 118 in the Reentry Skills-Building Program 59 in In House Transitional Centers
	• 2 in Transitional Centers
	 All of above are official numbers, DOC database
Pre-release	Not available
	Not available Not available
• Post-release State standard?	
Developed by whom?	No, but currently developing Standard Operation Procedures for Reentry Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Operation, Planning and Development Division
Pre-release programming	Operation, Framming and Development Division
Releasing authority and criteria	State Board of Pardons and Paroles
Releasing authority and efficia	Criteria: nature of offense, past criminal history, victim statements, pre-sentence
	investigations
Enrollment date	At intake
Services available	In-house transition centers, building cognitive skills, vocational education, and
Services available	substance abuse treatment, PIE (prison industry enhancement) programs—job
	skills training (http://www.nicic.org/TPCGeorgia), support and services to fathers
	 Drug treatment, sex offender treatment referrals
Case management	Counselors are assigned to inmates upon entry to a facility
Cust management	When on probation/parole, a specialized officer is assigned
Post-release services	When on producting pursies, a specialized officer is assigned
Case management	Not same case manager as in prison
	 After they are released they are assigned to a specialized probation/parole officer
	who has been trained in the offender's needs
Supervision	Not available
Service coordination	Parole/probation officer refers treatment that meets specific needs
Nonprofit involvement	Yes
Faith-based	50% (estimate)
Role	No-cost or reduced fees for treatment, residential, food and job assistance.
Services available	State and local agencies and community service providers offer assistance with
Services available	employment, housing and other needs
	Services available at least through probation/parole
Data and Research	Del rices a manete at reast amough procured parote
Туре	Class and program completion
Storage	Offender tracking system
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Yes
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Not mandatory
	Determined by State Law or Judges Order
Criteria for decisions	Community supervision is determined by the sentencing judge or the Georgia Board of Pardons and Parole
Lifetime supervision	Yes, offenders may receive lifetime supervision for the following offenses:
	Kidnapping (when victim is under 14), Rape, Aggravated Sodomy, Aggravated Child
	Molestation, Aggravated Sexual Battery
Supervising agencies	Sex offenders on probation are supervised by Specialized Supervision Officers who
	only deal with sex offenders and receive training on the supervision of those
	offenders
Population	• 6,022 on probation (official)
	Number not available for parole
Funding	State
Classification system	Yes
Year implemented/updated	Not available
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Required for	 All offenders required by law to register. All cases that were originally charged with an offense required to register by O.C.G.A. 42-1-12, but were reduced to a non-registerable offense Any offender sentenced for an offense required by O.C.G.A. 42-1-12 to register, but is not required to register due to date of conviction (or FOA status) All cases court-ordered to attend sex offender treatment and/or undergo a sex offender evaluation
Risk levels	Standard, Medium, High, Max
Assessment	Yes
Purposes	To determine the offender's propensity to re-offend
Tools	STATIC-99
Specialized caseloads	Yes
Provisions	Reduced caseload and contacts, additional special conditions
Caseload	 Based on contacts Officer can not exceed 160 total contacts per month Contacts include face to face contacts, collateral contacts (someone other than the offender, treatment providers, family, other law enforcement)
Supervisor requirements	Basic Sex Offender Management Training (new officers), annual Sex Offender Management Training
Supervision	
Length	Not available
Services	Sex Offender Treatment, Georgia Department of Labor
Collaboration	 Yes, they are given points of contact with each respective Sheriff's Office Department also partners with all levels of law enforcement (i.e. Georgia Department of Family and Children's Services)
Data and Research	
Туре	Total number of offenders, types of offenses, revocations
Storage	SCRIBE – Department's database
Maintenance	Georgia Department of Correction's Office of Planning and Analysis
Evaluation	Study on child sex offenders

Idaho Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	
State standard	Pre-treatment is available in some of the medium custody facilities Yes
Developed by whom?	Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) providers
Oversight by whom?	Department of Corrections (DOC)
Funding	State-funded through the Department of Corrections
Eligibility	All sex offenders are eligible
Noncitizens	Are eligible as long as there is no Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) hold
Gender	Males only
Mentally ill	Mentally ill offenders are eligible for treatment
Monday III	 May be excluded as a result of a psychological evaluation
Criteria for eligibility	Must be within 1 year of parole hearing date
Criteria for engionity	 Must agree to a degree of the offense (i.e. take responsibility)
	 Must agree to a degree of the offense (i.e. take responsibility) Must have a psychological evaluation
	Must agree to treatment
Population	1 viusi agree to treatment
Sex offenders in prison population	1,346 (official DOC number)
Percentage in treatment	• 19% of sex offenders are in institutional programs and education
r creentage in treatment	 8% of sex offenders are in sex offender-specific treatment/cognitive self-change
	programs
Programs	programs
Prisons with programs available	3 of 6 prisons have some treatment available
Average capacity	12-15 beds
Percentage with waiting list	100% (estimate)
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0% (estimate)
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:12 (estimate)
Average duration	Sex Offender Treatment Phase I: 8 months
Tivolage daration	Moral Recognition Therapy: 26 weeks
	 Cognitive Self-Change Phase I: Not available
Enrollment date	6-12 months prior to release (official DOC)
Content	Cognitive behavioral therapy
Drugs	No
Truth tests	Polygraph used
Individualized vs. manualized	Blend
Treatment requirement for release Completion rate	Not required 85% (official DOC)
Provider certification	ATS-certified
1 Tovider Certification	
	Master's level psychology or social work degree
	State license Continuing Education Units against
Aggaggment	20 Continuing Education Units per year
Assessment Purposes	To define risks and needs
1 utposes	
Tools	Treatability Prychological Assessments
1 0018	Psychological Assessments Personal Inventory
	Personal Inventory Mr SOST
	• MnSOST
	• Static-99
Date and Dagger:1:	• LSI-R
Data and Research	Complete in all the table to the control of the con
Туре	Some data is collected but the type was not specified

Storage	Central Integrated System
Maintenance	DOC
Evaluation	No
	MUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Sentencing Authority makes decisions about treatment
	• If the Sentencing Authority decrees that someone is not supervised as a sex offender, then he/she is not eligible for treatment
Individualized treatment plans	• DOC
	Treatment providers
Funding	Offender-funded
	Some grant money available
Population	
Probation	728 (official)
Parole	260 (official)
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Percentage in treatment	Numbers are not available for all districts – the numbers below apply to the Boise
	area (District 4) which manages one-third of all sex offenders on community
	supervision
Probation	94%
Parole	94%
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Treatment providers	
Number	12 (estimate)
Distribution	All 7 districts have providers
Percentage with waiting list	0%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0% (estimate)
Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	
Drugs	Some medical management
Truth tests	Polygraph used
Individualized vs. manualized	Blend
Continuity of treatment	 It depends on a variety of factors Some start over while some have to go back to the beginning
Average duration	• 2.5 years
	Aftercare is ongoing (in District 4, lasts for the entire supervision period)
Data and Research	
Туре	Some data is collected but the type was not specified
Storage	Central Integrated System
Maintenance	DOC
Evaluation	No
	REENTRY
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	Not available
Specific initiatives	Nothing specifically for sex offenders
	Reentry plays a small role in the work of the Idaho Criminal Justice Council, a
	group put together by the Governor's Office
	The legislature recently committed \$4.5 million to work on reentry substance
	abuse issues
Specialized sex offender programming	Yes

Eligibility	
Population	All sex offenders are eligible
•	Services are not mandatory
Pre-release	19% of sex offenders are in institutional programs and education
	• 8% of sex offenders are in sex offender-specific treatment/cognitive self-change
	programs
Post-release	• 24% are in internal programs
	External programs are not included so the total number who participate in reentry
	programs is likely higher
State standard?	No
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
Funding	Grant programs
	• State (very little)
	• Offenders
	Providers
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	Parole Commission
	Criteria: time served, behavior, treatment attended
	Parole Commission does not use assessment tools but will look at the results of
To the second	assessments done by DOC
Enrollment date Services available	6 months to 1 year (official)
Services available	• Sex Offender Treatment Phase – pre-treatment
	Pre-release Classes
Coor mone coment	Polygraph Fig. 1. Co. 1.
Case management	• Each offender is assigned a manager upon entry to the prison
	The case worker usually changes as they move from facility to facility
	 Many are social workers, but they do not have to be licensed There are no case workers specific to sex offenders
Post-release services	There are no case workers specific to sex offenders
Case management	Not the same case manager as in prison
Supervision	Sex Offender Specialized Caseload Officers (probation and parole officers)
Service coordination	File sharing, internal data sharing, and communication including by email about
Service coordination	cases
Nonprofit involvement	Yes
Faith-based	A small percentage of nonprofits are faith-based
	There is one organization based in Boise that plays an important role
Role	Generally they oversee their own programs
	Mainly offer help with housing (shelters and homes), clothing, job training etc.
Services available	Vocational rehabilitation
	Drug and alcohol treatment
	Cognitive core programming
	Transitional funds for housing
	Assistance with polygraph
	Anything else that offenders are eligible for as long as it doesn't violate anything
	in their sex offender agreement
Data and Research	
Туре	Some data is collected but the type was not specified
Storage	Central Integrated System
Maintenance	DOC
Evaluation	No
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Not mandatory

Criteria for decisions	Whether they are released to parole or because time expired
0110110110110101010101	Although rare, Judge may not order sex offender treatment
	Determined by court or Parole Commission
Lifetime supervision	Yes, for those receiving life sentences
Supervising agencies	Probation and Parole
Population Population	Probation: 728 (official)
1 opuluion	Parole: 260 (official)
Funding	Offenders (through cost of supervision)
	• State
	Some Grant Programs
Classification system	Yes
Year implemented/updated	Modified in February 2007
Required for	All offenders
Risk levels	Levels 1, 2, and 3 (with 3 being the highest)
Assessment	Yes
Purposes	Risk, needs, and treatability
Tools	• LSI-R
10015	• RRASOR
	• STATIC-99
	Treatment and Progress Scale (TPS)
Specialized caseloads	Yes
Provisions	Additional Training – higher standards
Caseload	• 40-75 (estimate)
- Cus 215 uu	• If the supervising officer is new, the numbers will be kept lower
	 Number depends on the risk levels of the offenders supervised
Supervisor requirements	20 hours of special sex offender training annually in addition to the 40 hours all
Supervisor requirements	officers are required to complete
Supervision	
Length	Between FY2000 and 2007, there were 1,278 sex offenders released from felony
	probation: 51% completed supervision and were discharged, spending an average
	of 64 months on supervision prior to discharge; 19% failed and were sent to
	retained jurisdiction (intermediate program lasting 120 days); 30% were revoked
	and sent to prison
	Between FY2000 and 2007, there were 661 sex offenders released from felony
	probation: 34% completed supervision and were discharged, spending an average
	of 45 months on supervision prior to discharge; 66% violated parole and were
	committed to parole violator status by Board (63% of these were revoked and the
~ .	remaining reinstated)
Services	Vocational rehabilitation
	Drug and alcohol treatment
	Cognitive core programming
	Transitional funds for housing
	Assistance with polygraph
	• Anything else that offenders are eligible for as long as it does not violate anything
~ "	in their sex offender agreement
Collaboration	Frequent collaboration
Data and Research	
Type	Some data is collected but the type was not specified
Storage	Central Integrated System
Maintenance	DOC
Evaluation	No

Illinois Sex Offender **Treatment & Reentry Programs**

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	 In 7 facilities throughout the state There are no specialized sex offender facilities; however, approximately 75% of the inmates at Big Muddy Correctional Facility are sex offenders. This facility also houses offenders who have been civilly committed as Sexually Dangerous
State standard	Yes, the Illinois Sex Offender Management Board produces the standards
Developed by whom?	Sex Offender Management Board developed all the standards and are based on the Colorado Sex Offender Management Board and Association for Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) standards
Oversight by whom?	Sex Offender Management Board
Funding	State funded
Eligibility	 Every sex offender is eligible for treatment if they want it Participation in treatment is voluntary
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	 Males and females Since there are a low number of female sex offenders, females mainly participate in individual treatment
Mentally ill	Handled the same way as everyone else—treatment is a voluntary program so mentally ill sex offenders are not required to receive treatment
Criteria for eligibility	Must admit or partially admit to sex offense in order to be eligible to receive treatment
Population Company Com	
Sex offenders in prison population	6,800 sex offenders in prison (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	3% in treatment (estimate)
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	• 7 prisons (names of all prisons not specified)
Average capacity	 Varies from program to program At Big Muddy River Correctional Facility the capacity is 93 sex offenders At Graham Correctional Center the capacity is 50 offenders The other 5 facilities have about 10 slots available at each site
Percentage with waiting list	Almost all programs have waiting lists
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	 No more than 10-12 individuals should participate in a group treatment session Sometimes there is one provider and some groups have co-therapists The group size should not exceed 12 regardless of the number of therapists
Average duration	 In the two larger programs listed above, treatment typically lasts for 2 years (estimate) The treatment duration at the five smaller programs varies
Enrollment date	In the two larger programs listed above, treatment begins approximately 2 years prior to an offender's release and usually no more than five years prior to the release date
Content	Cognitive behavioral therapy, arousal control techniques, relapse prevention, victim empathy, and psychoeducation programs
• Drugs	Not administered in prison-based treatment, but are sometimes administered in the state's civil commitment program
Truth tests	No
Individualized vs. manualized	Follows a basic manualized model, but treatment providers tailor the treatment to make it specific to the offender's needs and crime
Treatment requirement for release	Not required for release because treatment is completely voluntary
Completion rate	Not available
Provider certification	 The Illinois Sex Offender Management Board sets the standards for treatment providers In order to be approved to provide sex offender treatment, an applicant must: a) hold

Assessment	a bachelor's degree or higher in social work, psychology, marriage and family therapy, counseling, psychiatry, or other coursework within which degree the applicant can verify successful completion of coursework in assessment, social problems, abnormal psychology, counseling skills, or similar therapeutic discipline; b) have 400 hours of supervised experience in the treatment of sex offenders in the last 4 years, at least 200 of which are face-to-face therapy with sex offenders; and c) have at least 40 hours documented training in the specialty of sex offender assessment/treatment/management Offenders assessed for treatment needs
Purposes	To understand an offender's offense history, readiness for treatment, cognitive
Tools	 abilities and risk factors The Department of Corrections also conducts pre-release evaluations—this evaluation looks at how successful a parolee would be on supervision (e.g., is there family support, does the offender have a place to live, etc.) The pre-release report incorporates both static and dynamic factors of the offender STATIC-99, MnSOST-R
10013	
Data and Research	 There is also an Illinois-specific assessment Collect data on which offenders return to prison on violations and victims violations
	Not available
Type Storage	Not available Not available
Maintenance	Not available Not available
Evaluation Evaluation	No evaluations have been conducted
Evaluation	No evaluations have been conducted
TREATMENT	T—COMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on parole)
Availability	 Yes, there are two offices where the Illinois Department of Corrections provides sex offender treatment—one in Chicago and one in East St. Louis—these programs are funded by the Illinois Department of Corrections The state also has a contractual program in Carbondale The state does not have programs in other areas—offenders who live in other areas have to go to private treatment providers
Noncitizens	Yes, for those who are not deported
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Not available
Individualized treatment plans	 Treatment providers make decisions about individualized treatment plans—whether it be a state or privately funded program The parole agent and the treatment provider work together within a containment model to create the treatment plan
Funding	Combination of state and private funding
Population	
Probation	Not applicable
Parole	1,100 (estimate)
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Percentage in treatment	
Probation	Not applicable
Parole	 85% in treatment The 15% who are not in treatment either have some intense levels of mental illness that prevent them from being able to participate in treatment or may have just been released from prison and have yet to be evaluated for treatment
	Also, some areas of the state (remote and rural) do not have qualified treatment providers to conduct sex offender-specific therapy
Other community corrections	Also, some areas of the state (remote and rural) do not have qualified treatment
Other community corrections Treatment providers	Also, some areas of the state (remote and rural) do not have qualified treatment providers to conduct sex offender-specific therapy
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Treatment providers Number Distribution	Also, some areas of the state (remote and rural) do not have qualified treatment providers to conduct sex offender-specific therapy Not applicable 400 (estimate) Located throughout the state
Treatment providers Number	Also, some areas of the state (remote and rural) do not have qualified treatment providers to conduct sex offender-specific therapy Not applicable 400 (estimate)

Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	Similar to in-prison treatment
110000000000000000000000000000000000000	Community-based treatment also includes some adjunct family therapy and
	individual counseling if appropriate
Drugs	Not available
Truth tests	Polygraphs are administered
Individualized vs. manualized	Same as in-prison treatment (combination of individualized and manualized plans)
Continuity of treatment	• There is an effort to coordinate treatment as offenders transition into the community
	• Offenders sign a release for therapists to provide information about their treatment to
	the parole department and to community treatment providers
Average duration	2 years (estimate)
Data and Research	Minimal data is collected by the Illinois Department of Corrections because a majority
	of the offenders are in private programs
Туре	Not applicable
Storage	Not applicable
Maintenance	Not applicable
Evaluation	Not applicable
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION (refers to parole)
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Mandatory
Criteria for decisions	Not available
Lifetime supervision	For offenders convicted of Predatory Criminal Sexual Assault, Aggravated Criminal
	Sexual Assault, and Criminal Sexual Assault and were convicted on or after
	December 13, 2005
	• The Prisoner Review Board decides on length of parole for these offenders and it can
	range from 3 years to life
Supervising agencies	
Population	See above for parole
Funding	State-funded
Assessment	Community treatment providers conduct an assessment when an offender enrolls in
Purposes	To assess level of risk, need for treatment, level of service provided
Tools	Varies by provider
Specialized caseloads	Yes
Provisions	Offenders on specialized caseloads have very specific conditions of parole including
TTOVISIONS	electronic detention, Global Positioning System (GPS) monitoring, residency
	restrictions, and strict provisions for contact with children
Caseload	20 cases per officer on average
Supervisor requirements	Officers required to participate in 80 hours of training on sex offender supervision
•	Provides information on sex offender treatment, community sex offender
	management strategies, legislation specific to sex offenders, surveillance, victim
	issues, etc.
	Ongoing training is provided after the 80 hours
Supervision	
Length	Duration of parole
	Generally 1-3 years, but can extend to lifetime as indicated above
Services	Not available
Collaboration	• Supervisors work with treatment staff as a part of the department's containment team
	model
	• The department tries to get as many people involved to provide wraparound services
Data and Research	for offenders
	Maintain data on regidiviers
Туре	Maintain data on recidivism Do not collect any data at the individual level.
Storage	Do not collect any data at the individual level Not available
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Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	Not available

Indiana Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	 Treatment is available in three correctional facilities: Plainfield Correctional Facility, Miami Correctional Facility, Rockville Correctional Facility (female facility) All services are provided by Liberty Behavioral Health (LBH)—private contractor that has been providing services to sex offenders since 1999 Liberty contract covers prison-based and community-based treatment (continuous program) Other offenders have access to treatment as well, but not in main group program
State standard	Liberty Behavioral Health has a list of performance indicators in contract with state
Developed by whom?	Liberty Behavioral Health
Oversight by whom?	Department of Corrections (DOC)
Funding	State-funded through DOC
Eligibility	Available to all sex offenders
Noncitizens	Yes (even those not in the country legally)
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	 Dealt with on an individual basis If mental illness precludes an individual from receiving treatment, then he/she does not receive it All others are eligible
Criteria for eligibility	 Prison-based treatment is mandated by statute: offenders who refuse to participate could receive a discipline report and hearing If offender is found at hearing to be in violation of disciplinary code, and continues to refuse treatment, he/she could lose earned credit time and have restrictions on visitation
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	4,000 (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	 At any given time, there are 1,000 in treatment at Plainfield, but only 100 in treatment at Miami Long-term plan is to implement the new program in both prisons so that both can accommodate 1,000 patients at a time Everyone is seen in some capacity before they are released, but not intensively at one facility
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	3 (2 male, 1 female)
Average capacity	Not available
Percentage with waiting list	Not available
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Average ratio of providers/offenders	Each provider has group of about 10 offenders (estimate)
Average duration	 2 months (18 hours per week) Over the next year, when everyone in facilities gets treatment, duration will be length of stay
Enrollment date	Varies—sometimes right before release
Content	Cognitive-behavioral therapy with relapse prevention, arousal management, interpersonal skills, psychoeducational component
• Drugs	No
• Truth tests	Polygraph
 Individualized vs. manualized 	Manualized within risk groups (i.e. low risk gets less treatment than high risk)
Treatment requirement for release	No
Completion rate	Not available
Provider certification	• 2 levels of providers:

	1. Counselor 1: must be licensed as a mental health provider
	2. Counselor 2: not required to be licensed, but must have degree in social
	work/psychology or sex offender treatment experience
	Counselor 1 works with higher risk offenders
	Counselor 2 conducts psychoeducation groups and process groups
Assessment	
Purposes	Risk assessment and other treatment needs
Tools	STATIC-99 used for risk assessment
	MSI-II, psychological inventory of criminal thinking styles (PICS) conducted at
	intake for treatment needs
	STABLE occasionally used for risk assessment
	STABLE and STATIC actuarial
	PICS and MSI have been validated
Data and Research	
Type	LBH has utilization data (i.e. individual is in treatment, individual refused
	treatment), but not much data on progress
	No demographic data (although DOC probably keeps that)
Storage	Paper and electronic
Maintenance	Liberty Health
	Sometimes in department databases
	DOC maintains some records
Evaluation	Recidivism data on men released into community-based treatment
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TREATMENT—	COMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on parole)
Availability	Liberty Behavioral Health contracts with the DOC to provide prison and
	community-based treatment to sex offenders—community treatment is consistent
	with the parameters of prison treatment
	Mandatory for all sex offenders on parole
Noncitizens	Not available
Gender	Not available
Criteria for eligibility	Not available
Individualized treatment plans	Not available
Funding	State funded through DOC
Population	
Probation	Not available
Parole	Currently 700 parolees (estimate)
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Percentage in treatment	11
Probation	Not available
Parole	98% (estimate)
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Treatment providers	Liberty Behavioral Health subcontracts with providers across the state, who go
	through credential process to ensure that they meet treatment standards
Number	45-50 (estimate)
Distribution	Statewide
Percentage with waiting list	0%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
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Completion rate	
Completion rate Treatment modality	Not available
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Treatment modality	Not available Cognitive-behavioral therapy with relapse prevention, arousal management, interpersonal skills, psychoeducational component
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Data and Research	• LBH has utilization data (i.e. individual is in treatment, individual refused
	treatment), but not much data on progress
	No demographic data (although DOC probably keeps that)
Type	Paper and electronic
Storage	• Liberty Health
	Sometimes in department databases
76.1	DOC maintains some records
Maintenance	Recidivism data on men released into community-based treatment
Evaluation	Annual recidivism study examines how many parolees violate or recidivate with new sex crime
	REENTRY
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes—Community Transition Program, Work Release, Community Corrections,
	Parole and Probation Supervision
Percentage of state prisons with services	100% (official statistic, from pre-release reentry programs)
Specific initiatives	Transition From Prison to Community Initiative (TPCI)
Specialized sex offender programming	Yes—sex offender treatment is mandated and if sex offender refuses then disciplingly action is taken.
	disciplinary action is takenAs part of treatment, offender is required to plan for release—this includes
	education on residence restriction and registration responsibilities
Eligibility	Participation is required for all sex offenders
Population	1 and openion is required for an sex offenders
Pre-release	500 sex offenders within 6 months of release (estimate from Indiana Department of
The release	Corrections Planning Division)
Post-release	725 sex offenders under parole eligible for post-release (estimate from Indiana
	Department of Corrections Planning Division)
State standard?	Yes
Developed by whom?	Department of Corrections Policy and Statute
Oversight by whom?	Director of Reentry and the Indiana Department of Corrections (IDOC) Executive Staff
Funding	State funded, majority comes through IDOC budget
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	Indiana Department of Corrections—based on state statuteSTATIC-99 is risk indicator
Enrollment date	Evaluations and assessments begin at intake
Services available	Education, placement planning, sex offender-specific treatment
Case management	Case managers are IDOC employees that are members of the Unit Team Offender Management system used by IDOC
	Assigned upon arrival in correctional facility
Post-release services	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Case management	Not available
o Supervision	Parole supervision provided by IDOC, while probation and community
	corrections provided by courts
	• Different case managers than those assigned in prison, but unit team will hand off
	to community supervision team when offender is released to supervision
	Parole supervision and containment team (treatment) have access to reentry
G	accountability plan and treatment summary report
Service coordination Nonprefit involvement	Post-release supervisors also coordinate services
Nonprofit involvement	Limited participation Not available
• Faith-based	
• Role	Not available
Services available	Treatment, polygraph, financial assistance, referral services for employment, housing assistance, medical services, mental health services
	While on parole, the offender will be monitored by the containment team, and as

	the offender becomes stable and adjusted in the community fewer services are needed
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION (Refers to Parole)
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	 Not mandatory for sex offenders to be on parole—function of the sentence imposed by the court If an offender comes to the DOC with suspended time that offender may not be on parole—due to the probation sentence (suspended time) If an offender is given a straight executed sentence then he comes to parole—this is the majority of cases If certain types of sex offenders are released onto parole, they must be supervised in a specialized Sex Offender Management Program (SOMP—see below)
Criteria for decisions	 If sex offender is released onto parole for one of the following crimes, must be supervised in SOMP: Rape, Criminal Deviant Conduct, Molesting, Exploitation, Pornography, Sexual Battery, Sexual Misconduct with a Minor, Incest, Public Indecency, Prostitution with a Minor, Failure to Register as a Sex Offender (this list is not exhaustive) In addition, if released onto parole for non-sexual offense but have history of one of the above offenses, placed on SOMP If sex offender maxes out in prison, not required to be on post-release supervision
Lifetime supervision	Yes—but brand new and only one person on it
Supervising agencies	Parole
Population	Not available
Funding	State
Classification system	Yes
Year implemented/updated	Not available
Required for	All sex offenders released onto parole
Risk levels	Low, medium, high
Assessment	
Purposes	Assess risk
Tools	 STATIC-99 while in institutional facility Parole uses stable tally sheet within first 30 days of release and once every 6 months, and acute tally done every face-to-face visit (both are mandatory)
Specialized caseloads	Yes
Provisions	 More face-to-face visits and collateral contacts Some are supervised on GPS More contact between agent and counselor
Caseload	 46 on specialized caseload in Evansville, but not every office has specialized caseloads Some sex offenders get placed in regular caseloads, but supervisor must have specialized training
Supervisor requirements	 3-day training Shadow specialized agent before get own caseload Yearly continuing education
Supervision	
Length	Depends a lot on the initial sentence, but can be supervised for up to ten years if sentence does not prohibit it
Services	Sex offenders have access to all services available to general offender population, plus sex offender counseling
Collaboration	Yes—with employment agencies and other service agencies
Data and Research	
Туре	 Individual offices maintain own data Also centralized data repository for the state Data on risk levels, employment, demographic information, etc.
Storage	Electronic

Maintenance	Parole offices
Evaluation	Evansville Parole Office is conducting a GPS study

Iowa Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	Available in 2 facilities
117 111111711171	Mount Pleasant houses most of the treatment programs
	Department of Corrections (DOC) has just opened a satellite program in another
	facility—at the moment it is very small as it is brand new
State standard	Yes
Developed by whom?	Iowa Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA)
Oversight by whom?	Not available
Funding	State-funded through the DOC
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Yes
Criteria for eligibility	Mandatory for all sex offenders
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	1,396 statewide (including 650 in Mount Pleasant)
Percentage in treatment	30%
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	2 prisons
Average capacity	Standard Sex Offender Treatment Program (SOTP): 281 beds
	Short-term Programming: 25 beds
	Spanish Speaking: 15 beds
	• Special Needs: 63 beds
	 New Satellite Program: 25 beds (all special needs)
Percentage with waiting list	Usually 100, but because it is new the Satellite Program currently has no waiting list
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:25
Average duration	14-16 months
Enrollment date	24-30 months prior to release
Content	Cognitive behavioral therapy with victim empathy, anger management, relationships
Drugs	No
Truth tests	Polygraphs used extensively
Individualized vs. manualized	Manualized
Treatment requirement for release	Yes
Completion rate	35%
Provider certification	Not available
Assessment	Not currently
Assessment	LSI-R and STATIC-99 are used but they do not drive treatment
	The mere fact of having committed a sex offense or that there was a sexual
	component to an offense determines treatment
	 Moving towards using tools for dosage etc.
Purnoses	Not applicable
Purposes Tools	Not applicable Not applicable
Data and Research	Two applicable
Type	Not available
Storage	Iowa Corrections Offender Network (ICON)
Maintenance	DOC
Evaluation	No No
	IMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	Yes

Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
	There are fewer females so treatment is slightly different—more individual
	and less group treatment
Criteria for eligibility	Generally treatment is mandatory but some may be precluded due to physical
	limitations
Individualized treatment plans	• There are 8 districts and each runs their own programs (there are similarities and
	differences)
	• The 8 th district (and some others) use treatment teams
	Other districts have community treatment providers and those provides make desiring the graphy as
Funding	decisions themselves • State-funded
runding	
Population	 Each district provides services that the state reimburses them for 860 (estimate)—mostly probationers
1 opulation	• In 2006, there were 856
Probation	Not available
Parole	100 (estimate)
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Percentage in treatment	Out of 856 in 2006, 607 (71%) were in treatment
Tercentage in treatment	Reasons why someone might be in treatment include disability/mental health, not
	being on supervision for current sex offense, treatment not required by court
Probation	Not available
Parole	Not available
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Treatment providers	
Number	DOC runs a lot of programs itself
	• 15-20 external providers
Distribution	Mostly in urban areas
	Some offenders are required to travel to attend programs
Percentage with waiting list	• For DOC programs, no waiting lists, but there may be a wait for counseling
	services
	Information not available for external providers
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate	Not available
	• Usually people are in treatment the entire time they are on supervision—if they
	fail to complete, they are returned to prison
Treatment modality	Cognitive behavioral therapy-based but currently use a relapse model
	Starting to change to a Good Life model
	Each district will decide what they want to do The state of the
<i>D</i>	They use a modified National Institute of Corrections (NIC) curriculum
Drugs	Seldom used
Touth touts	Iowa does have a hormonal treatment law but it is seldom ordered by courts Polygraphs used extensively.
Truth tests Individualized vs. manualized	Polygraphs used extensively In most districts, more individualized but there is a standard curriculum that is
murviduanzed vs. manuanzed	supposed to be followed
Continuity of treatment	Yes
Average duration	Most districts require treatment or maintenance for the entire period of supervision
Data and Research	The state of the s
Type	
Storage	Iowa Corrections Offender Network (ICON)
Maintenance	DOC
Evaluation	No
	REENTRY
Availability	
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Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	4 of 9 facilities
Specific initiatives	Modeled after NIC Transition from Prison to the Community
Specialized sex offender programming	Yes, some
Eligibility	Offenders serving life sentences are ineligible
Population	Not available
Pre-release	Not available
Post-release	Not available
State standard?	No, case management policy
Developed by whom?	DOC
Oversight by whom?	DOC
Funding	State-funded through DOC
Pre-release programming	Same Tanded unrough 2 0 0
Releasing authority and criteria	Iowa Board of Parole
	 Criteria: Use own risk assessment and rely on case manager's progress reports which utilize some combination of LIS-R, RRASOR, and STATIC-99
Enrollment date	Philosophically, at admission
	 Realistically, focused on a transition period beginning 6 months from release which is when much of the programming/services take place
Services available	Treatment program itself
	Gradual and structured release—move to minimum security and work release
	before release to the community
Case management	Yes, specially trained case managers assigned at admission
Post-release services	
Case management	Specially trained probation and parole officers in each district, different from the ones in prison
 Supervision 	Yes
Service coordination	Yes, written and the same database is used in prison and outside so all those records are available (progress reports, risk assessments, etc.)
Nonprofit involvement	Some involvement
 Faith-based 	No official number but some are involved
• Role	 Circles of Support Mentoring
Services available	Continuing Treatment
	Polygraph
	• GPS
	• Employment
	Mental health services if needed
	Move people to parole or back to institution if relapse concerns
Data and Research	
Туре	
Storage	Iowa Corrections Offender Network (ICON)
Maintenance	DOC
Evaluation	No
COMMUNITY SUPERVISION	
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Mandatory for all sex offenders when ordered by the court
Criteria for decisions	Not applicable
Lifetime supervision	Yes, for those whose offense is a C Felony or above
Supervising agencies	·
Population	Probation : Traditional—399; Interstate Compact—28
	• Parole : Traditional—28; Interstate Compact—9
	State Work Release (supervised by Probation/Parole Officer): 10
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Funding	State funding through DOC
	Offender supervision fees
Classification system	
Year implemented/updated	• Iowa Risk Assessment: started in 1982; modified in 1986 and 1991
	• STATIC-99: started in 1999
	• LSI-R: started in 2000
Required for	All sex offenders
Risk levels	Low, Medium and High
Assessment	
Purposes	 Determine amenability for treatment Evaluate their level of risk to recidivate, both specifically for sexual offending and general recidivism. Provide treatment and supervision staff with client specific risk/need areas from which to base treatment intervention
Tools	 Used to assess risk in the psychosexual evaluation: LSI-R, Jesness, STATIC-99, ISORA 8 (currently in the research phase of development), MMPI-2, STABLE 2000 / 2004, ACUTE 2000 / 2004, SVR-20, PCL-R, Marlow Crowne Social Desirability Scale (MCSDS), Shipley Institute of Living Scale-R, Michigan Alcoholism Screening Test Used to assess risk during treatment: Polygraph, Penile Plethysmograph, Burt Rape Myths Acceptance Scale, Bumby Cognitive Distortion, Nowicki-Strickland Internal / External Scale, Stages of Change Scale, Abel & Becker Cognitions Scale, Wilson Sexual Fantasy Questionnaire, Carich-Adkerson Victim Empathy & Remorse Self-Report Inventory Used to assess ongoing levels of risk: Polygraph, STABLE 2000, Pre and Posttest of curriculum material Own customized tool—ISORA 8 (currently in research/validation phase of development)
Specialized caseloads	at the plants
Provisions	Series of special conditions including mandatory electronic monitoring
Caseload	15-30, varies by district
Supervisor requirements	Iowa ATSA certification
•	Training or knowledge about sex offender specific laws in Iowa
Supervision	·
Length	2 years to Life
Services	Group sex offender treatment
	Individual treatment, if needed.
	Couples therapy, if requested
	Family reunification
	Psychological testing
	Job Club (job seeking services)
	Referrals to substance abuse treatment and services
Collaboration	• Yes
	 Agents frequently consult with outside treatment providers, facilitators at group homes and staff at local residential facilities Agents also often work closely with employers to enable continued treatment without interfering with employment
Data and Research	
Type	Rates of recidivism and characteristics correlated with recidivism
Storage	Iowa Corrections Offender Network (ICON)
Maintenance	DOC
Evaluation	No

Kansas Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	Yes
State standard	Department of Corrections offers a grant to program to provide services
Suite Suitair a	One organization provides all services
Developed by whom?	Douglas County Citizens Committee on Alcoholism (DCCCA) set standard
Beveloped by Wildin.	through application
	Department of Corrections can provide the standard
Oversight by whom?	Deputy Secretary of Programs, Research, Support & Staff Development,
5 ,	Department of Corrections
	Conducts audits
Funding	Department of Corrections
Eligibility	Only certain sex offenders
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Yes
Criteria for eligibility	Not available
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	2,700 (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	11%
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	Lansing Correctional Facility, Hutchinson Correctional Facility, Norton Correctional
	Facility, Topeka Correctional Facility (women's)
Average capacity	Capacity by prison:
	• Lansing: 140
	• Hutchinson: 120
	• Norton: 40
	• Topeka: 12
Percentage with waiting list	100%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	100%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:20
Average duration Enrollment date	15 months 36 months
	Cognitive behavior modification, relapse prevention, Good Lives Model
Content	No
DrugsTruth tests	Polygraph, penile plethysmograph, visual reaction time
~	Individualized
Treatment requirement for release	• Under previous law, offenders are not paroled until they complete treatment
Community in marks	Under current law, offenders can refuse treatment
Completion rate Provider certification	95%
Provider certification	Master's Degree or higher in Social Work, Psychology, Marriage/Family Counseling, or counseling certification
Assessment	Continued review and training required
Purposes	Not available
Tools	MMPI, STATIC-99, LSI, Psychological Assessment
1 0013	No tool specific for the state
Data and Research	• 130 tool specific for the state
Type	Demographic, completion rates, termination rate/reason, utilization, recidivism
1,100	(reconviction or sex offense or return to institution in three years)
Storage	OMIS (Department of Corrections data system)
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
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Evaluation	Annually by Department of Corrections Annual Program Review
TREATMENT—COM	MUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	Yes
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Mandatory
Individualized treatment plans	Plan is initially made in the institution—then out-patient providers reassess
Funding	Department of Corrections and offender co-pay
Population	750 (estimate)
Probation	40 (estimate)
Parole	700 (estimate)
Other CC	10 (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	75%
Probation	Not available
Parole	Not available
Other CC	Not available
Treatment providers	
Number	1—the Douglas County Citizens Committee on Alcoholism (has state contract)
Distribution	13 outpatient offices within 50 miles of all offenders
Percentage with waiting list	0%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Completion rate	Not available (difficult to measure because offenders undergo contact review and
	may go in and out of treatment depending on Risk Assessment and Responsivity Rate)
Treatment modality	Cognitive behavioral modification, relapse prevention, Good Lives Model, risk reduction, successful living plan
Drugs	No
Truth tests	Polygraph, penile plethysmograph, visual reaction time
Individualized vs. manualized	Individualized
Continuity of treatment	Yes
Average duration	36 months
Data and Research	
Туре	Demographic, completion (release from treatment), revocation reason, end of sentence
Storage	TOADS data system
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Annual Program Evaluation Report
	REENTRY
Availability	Available to all offenders
	Targeted to those who are high risk and will be entering major urban areas
	Pilots sites in Topeka, Wichita, and Kansas City
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	All 8 facilities
Specific initiatives	Working with the National Institution of Corrections, JEHT Foundation, and the Council on State Governments
Specialized sex offender programming	No, program depends on LSI-R score
Eligibility	Eligible: Any inmate who scores high LSI-R score with 1 year to serve
	 Ineligible: Any inmate who scores in the low to moderate range or any inmate with less than nine months to serve
Population	Not available
Pre-release	300 (estimate)
Post-release Post-release	Less than 25% of those who score as high risk
• FUSI-TETEASE	Less than 2370 of those who score as high fisk

Funding	• State, JEHT Foundation
D	National Institute of Corrections provides technical assistance
Pre-release programming	Control of the last the second of the second
Releasing authority and criteria	• Sentenced under indeterminate sentencing: Parole Board makes decisions and sets forth criteria
	Sentenced under determinate sentencing: determine in statute
Enrollment date	One year prior to release date
Services available	Depending on LSI-R score: employment, housing, mental health treatment, substance abuse treatment
Case management	 Reentry case managers are available in each prison Assigned to prisoners one year prior to release date Coordinate with parole officers after release for a minimum of six months
Post-release services	
Case management	Parole officer in coordination with reentry case manager and Douglas County Citizens Committee on Alcoholism (DCCCA)
 Supervision 	Not available
 Service coordination 	Douglas County Citizens Committee on Alcoholism (DCCCA)
Nonprofit involvement	Yes
 Faith-based 	Not available
• Role	Assistance-based community services
Services available	Treatment from Douglas County Citizens Committee on Alcoholism (DCCCA)
Data and Research	
Туре	Assessment, case management notes
Storage	TOADS
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Yes, but not sex offender-specific
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Mandatory as sentenced
Criteria for decisions	Not available
Lifetime supervision	Yes, for certain offenders sentenced after July 2007 (defined in statute)
Supervising agencies	Probation, Parole/Post-Release Supervision, and Community Corrections
Population	 Parole/Post-Release Supervision: 1,512 (estimate) Community Corrections: 1,500
Funding	 Department of Corrections funds Parole and Community Corrections Judiciary funds Probation
Classification system	 Judiciary funds Probation Classification of offenders in prison is done through a validated classification instrument
	 Classification of offenders on community supervision is done using the LSI-R Sex offenders are managed based on diagnostic tools used by treatment provider who shares the recommendations for risk management and community supervision with the supervising parole officer Probationary supervision is based on order from the court, which may include information from a community provider assessment of the sex offender and recommendations for supervision/risk management
Year implemented/updated	 Department of Corrections implemented the LSI-R in 2003 Community Corrections implemented the LSI-R in 2004 Probation is slated to implement the LSI-R in 2009
Required for	All inmates
Risk levels	Low, moderate, high
Assessment	Reassessment of sex offenders occurs whenever there is a change in status/risk level based on behaviors demonstrated by the offender or at regular intervals beginning at intake, six months later and then annually unless changes occur to require a reassessment

Purposes	To determine risk and needs
	Assist case management
Tools	LSI-R and Douglas County Citizens Committee on Alcoholism (DCCCA) tools
Specialized caseloads	Yes, wherever possible
	Not in rural areas
Provisions	Not available
Caseload	35
Supervisor requirements	Team case management, handling behavior, noticing triggers, when to use electronic
	monitoring
Supervision	
Length	• 2 years on average
	Supervision terms for post-release from prison are based on sentence
	• Supervision length may be as long as a lifetime or as short as one year depending
	on time served and sentence structure
Services	Same as regular offenders
Collaboration	Yes, there is a reentry manager
Data and Research	
Туре	Assessment, case notes
Storage	TOADS
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Yes, but not sex offender-specific

Kentucky Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	 In 5 correctional facilities: Kentucky State Reformatory, Luther Luckett Correctional Complex, Western Kentucky Correctional Complex, Kentucky State Penitentiary and the Kentucky Correctional Institute for women 4 of the above are men's facilities and 1 is a women's facility These are not specialized facilities, they are for the general population
State standard	Yes
Developed by whom?	 Developed by statute KRS 197.400-440 Established a specialized sex offender program for state prisons
Oversight by whom?	Provided by the Department of Corrections Licensed Psychologist Program Administrator
Funding	State-funded
Eligibility	 Treatment is generally available for all sex offenders The only sex offenders who are not eligible to receive treatment are those diagnosed with mental retardation and/or offenders with an active psychosis Lifers or death row inmates may not be eligible because of their length of stay in prison A person my reject treatment or may not be admitted into treatment if s/he does not admit to committing the sex offense
Noncitizens	Yes, noncitizens get treatment, but may be deported after serving their sentence
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Mentally ill inmates who are treated and are not diagnosed with an active psychosis are eligible for treatment
Criteria for eligibility	 Not mandatory—individuals can refuse treatment Treatment is tied to inmates' good time and seeing the parole board
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	2,178 at the end of 2007 (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	 20% (at any given point in time) Eventually almost all sex offenders in prison will at least attempt treatment
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	5 prisons (listed above)
Average capacity	165 (estimate)
Percentage with waiting list Percentage with 25% empty slots	Approximately 40-50 people are waiting to get into treatment at anytime 0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	50:1 (as stipulated in statute)
Average duration	2 years (estimate)
Enrollment date	Have to be within 4 years of earliest possible release date—this is the reason why lifers and death row inmates may not receive treatment as listed above (estimate)
Content	Cognitive behavioral therapy, relapse prevention There are two phases of treatment: • During Phase I offenders participate in the following therapy sessions/groups: psychoeducational, family patterns, human sexuality, social skills • During Phase II offenders participate in the following therapy sessions/groups: basic ownership, autobiography, advanced ownership, victim personalization, relapse prevention planning
• Drugs	No, drugs are not administered
Truth tests	No polygraphs or voice tests are administered
Individualized vs. manualized	 Blend of both individualized and manualized treatment plans The department has manuals to standardize treatment, but it is trying to shift to more individualized plans

Treatment requirement for release	 Not required, but participation in treatment is tied to good time and when the offender sees the parole board If the offender refuses treatment, s/he would serve their full sentence Post-release registration is tied to the initial conviction and is not influenced by treatment outcome
Completion rate	70% (estimate)
Provider certification	, ,
Provider cerunication	 Treatment providers in prison generally have a bachelor's degree The Sex Offender Risk Assessment Advisory Board (SORAAB) conducts a training every spring and the department head requires that staff attend the training—but participation in the training is not mandatory based on department regulations or statute
Assessment	 Prior to sentencing, the Sex Offender Risk Assessment Unit, which covers the entire state, conducts a Comprehensive Sex Offender Pre-Sentence Evaluation (CSOPE) which is conducted by psychologists and is done in addition to a regular pre-sentence investigation report This information is shared with the Department of Corrections Sex Offender Treatment Program
Purposes	 To assess risk To assess amenability to treatment
Tools	STATIC-99, MnSOST, RRASOR, VRAG, PCL-R Kentucky does not have a customized tool
Data and Research	Two separate data systems: demographic and program evaluation
Type	Administrative data
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	 Study on the state's program conducted in 1997 and a follow-up in 2000 that showed the program was effective (Barnes and Peterson) Above study was included in Hanson's meta-analysis report in 2002
TREATMENT—C	COMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	Yes
Noncitizens	No
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	 Treatment is mandatory—if offenders do not participate they can be revoked Stipulated in probation/parole processes statute
Individualized treatment plans	 Treatment provider is responsible for treatment Treatment provider and the probation/parole officer are a part of a team and they share information back and forth with each other about each case
Funding	 State funded In the past few years the Department of Corrections has started to collect nominal fees (\$5/month for indigent offenders and \$20/month for non-indigent) from the individuals receiving treatment
Population	1000 (1)
Probation	 1,200 (estimate) Above number includes probation and parole but the vast majority are on probation Very few sex offenders are paroled each year
Parole	See above
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Percentage in treatment	250/ (actimata)
Probation	35% (estimate)
Parole Other community commentions	Not applicable
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Treatment providers Number	14 state an annual munidans (afficial December of Committee of Committ
Mannoci	 14 state-sponsored providers (official Department of Corrections number) Above number does not include private providers

Distribution	Treatment providers are generally available statewide with the exception of two regions
Percentage with waiting list	No waiting lists for state providers because they would be referred to private providers if they did not have availability
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Completion rate	60% (estimate)
Treatment modality	 Same as prison—only additional components are partner alert sessions where offenders bring a support partner to group The support partner works with the offender and speaks to any warning signs
Drugs	No
Truth tests	Polygraphs
Individualized vs. manualized	Same as in-prison treatment
Continuity of treatment	Yes, community providers conduct an assessment of where the offender is at in terms of treatment progress so as not to duplicate what has already been done in prison
Average duration	30 months (estimate)
Data and Research	Two separate data systems: demographic and program evaluation
Туре	Administrative data
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	 Study on the state's program conducted in 1997 and a follow-up in 2000 that showed the program was effective (Barnes and Peterson) Above study was included in Hanson's meta-analysis report in 2002
	REENTRY
Availability	 There is reentry programming in the state but nothing systematic in place The reentry programming is currently undergoing an extreme evaluation
Pre-release	 Some pre-release services available—availability depends on the institution In some institutions a veterans' program comes in and talks about services available to veterans when released from prison The social security office also speaks to inmates about how to apply for disability, etc.
Post-release	Not available
Percentage of state prisons with services	Not available
Specific initiatives	Tion with the control of the control
Specialized sex offender programming	 No specialized sex offender program There was some emergency assistance funding that was provided for sex offender management services and problems associated with residency restrictions but the money is going to be gone by the end of the summer 2008
Eligibility	Anyone serving in a state institution
Population	Not available
Pre-release	Not available
Post-release	Not available
State standard?	No state standard for reentry programming
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
Funding	Not applicable—there really is no funding
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	Parole board is the releasing authorityCriteria not available
Enrollment date	3 months prior to release (estimate)
Services available	Not available
Case management	 Every inmate has a case manager (not specific to reentry) State employs pre-release coordinators who run "prison to street" programs
Post-release services	
Case management	Not available
Supervision	Not available
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Service coordination	Not available
Nonprofit involvement	Minimal
Faith-based	Some—mostly occurs in more urban parts of the state
• Role	Not available
Services available	Same services that are available for the general offending population
	Sex offenders participate in sex offender treatment
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	 Yes—probation, parole, sex offender conditional discharge Sex offender conditional discharge means that the offender is released on his/her minimum expiration date and then is supervised in the community for a period of 5 years—during this 5 year period, the offender participates in treatment as well
Eligibility	Community supervision is not mandatory if the offender serves the full sentence
Criteria for decisions	Not available
Lifetime supervision	No
Supervising agencies	Probation, parole, conditional discharge
Population	• 1,419 as of March 2008 (official number, Department of Corrections monthly data entry summary)
Funding	 State pays for community supervision Sliding scale for treatment Private programs charge different amounts
Classification system	Yes
Year implemented/updated	Not available
Required for	All offenders
Risk levels	 For sex offenders: high, moderate, low Other offenders: all of the above and administrative level of supervision—sex offenders are generally not at this level
Assessment	 Assessed when community supervision begins Information from in-prison treatment staff is passed onto community supervision agents
Purposes	Not available
Tools	Same tool used for sex offenders as other offenders—tool does not have a name but has been validated
Specialized caseloads	Yes—it has been in place for 2 years
Provisions	Higher level of supervisionSmaller caseloads
Caseload	 65 cases per officer (estimate) Standard of 35 cases per officer on non-SOISP caseloads, but most caseloads are much higher
Supervisor requirements	The state is in the process of getting policies approved for preliminary training and some additional training for officers
Supervision	
Length	4-5 years (estimate)
Services	 Sex offender treatment Referrals made for vocational training and other services
Collaboration	Collaboration is a critical element—case managers collaborate with in-prison treatment staff, private providers, state-sponsored providers, etc.
Data and Research	
Туре	 No individual data is stored The department transferred to a unified case management system about two years ago—still in a state of transition
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	Not available

Maine Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED	
Availability	 60 bed Therapeutic Community (only sex offenders in one facility) It is available to all prisoners but if they are accepted they must be transferred to that facility
State standard	No
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Department of Corrections (DOC) tries to follow Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA) guidelines
Funding	State-funded through DOC
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	 Males only There are only 150 females in total incarcerated statewide so not a critical mass of sex offenders
Mentally ill	Same process as other offenders—offered unless the illness precludes appropriate treatment
Criteria for eligibility	 Medium custody facility so not available for anyone who is closed custody If part of case plan, becomes mandatory (after screening and assessment) if they meet custody classification Not compelled—right to refuse but subject to sanctions if refuse treatment that is mandated in their case plan (e.g. not eligible for community programs, paid jobs, furloughs etc.)
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	357 (official)
Percentage in treatment	16% (official)
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	1
Average capacity	60 beds
Percentage with waiting list	100%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:15
Average duration	48 months
Enrollment date	48 months prior to release – try to time it so there is transition to community after program completed
Content	 Cognitive behavioral therapy with some victim empathy, biofeedback, arousal control Use both groups and individual treatment (in tandem)
 Drugs 	Historically no, but not ruled out
Truth tests	Polygraphs
Individualized vs. manualized	Manualized
Treatment requirement for release	 No, because of determinate sentencing No impact on classification but might in the future—legislature is looking at it (along with other aspects of sex offender laws and policies)
Completion rate	Too early to tell (only in operation for 3 years)
Provider certification	 Have to be licensed clinicians Director is a PhD psychiatrist and the rest have Master's degrees or higher No certification required Attend annual ATSA conferences Ongoing in-service work
Assessment	Yes
Purposes	Risk, needs and responsivity

Tools	• STATIC 99
	• RRASOR
	• LSI-R
Data and Research	A significant amount is collected and/or the provider has been asked to collect
Type	Admissions and terminations
	 Average number of participants, number of group sessions, number of prisoners dropping out, or refusing treatment, number of readmissions, phase of treatment, number of successful completions
	 Staffing vacancies, number of aftercare groups conducted, number of releases to community, number of prisoners in transition to community, number of prisoners participating in reentry who were released, number of transition plans submitted to parole officer, number of those returned by parole officer, number of comprehensive assessments Some individual level factors, number and seriousness of disciplinary reports
	 Compare intensive phase with pre-program behavior Number of sex offenders successfully integrated into the community, number of program completers compared with non-completers who re-offend—sex offenses and non-sex offenses
Storago	Electronic
Storage Maintenance	DOC and provider (kept separately)
	None
Evaluation	None
TREATMENT—COM	MMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Not mandatory—at the court's discretion
Ů,	 No parole but split sentence with probation (judicial parole) and court decides the conditions of supervision
Individualized treatment plans	Collaboration between probation/parole officer and treatment and containment team (made up of law enforcement, victims' services, etc.)
Funding	 Primarily offender funded Some federal funding designated for indigents now that childless adults no longer eligible for Medicaid
Population	
Probation	692 (official)
Parole	Not applicable
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Percentage in treatment	
Probation	95-98% (estimate from probation/parole officers)
Parole	Not applicable
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Treatment providers	
Number	20 (estimate)
Distribution	Available in different regions but there are certain rural areas where services are not available
Percentage with waiting list	Not available
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	 Varies by program Some of them are evidence-based with manualized curriculums and cognitive behavioral therapy while others are not They try to refer to the better programs but that's not always possible
Drugs	Not to his knowledge
Truth tests	Polygraphs
Individualized vs. manualized	Manualized (some)
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Continuity of treatment	Generally
	One of the benefits they have is that the largest community provider is the same company that does the prison-based treatment
Average duration	Varies—lifetime for some
	Some will continue treatment when their probation period ends
Data and Research	Not collected—no capacity
Type	Not applicable
Storage	Not applicable
Maintenance	Not applicable
Evaluation	Not applicable

Maryland Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

TREATMENT—CO	OMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	 Treatment is provided to offenders in the community, but there is little that the state pays for and provides When a court order requires an individual to get treatment, it is the responsibility of the probation/parole agent or the individual to find the appropriate treatment/resource
Noncitizens	Not sure
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	 Determined by judge or parole board Both the judge and the parole board can add specific stipulations about treatment
Individualized treatment plans	Treatment plans are conducted by the treatment providerThe state does not tell providers how to do the work
Funding	 Majority of treatment is paid for by the individual The state funds one small out-patient program—the Special Offender Clinic that is now 27 years old and was originally focused on domestic violence
Population	
Probation	1,000-1,500—accounts for both parole and probation (estimate)
Parole	See above
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Percentage in treatment	
Probation	20%accounts for both parole and probation (estimate)
Parole	See above
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Treatment providers	70
Number Distribution	
	 Treatment available throughout the state but more concentrated in certain areas 12-15 (of the 23 counties in the state) have at least one provider (estimate)
Percentage with waiting list	Baltimore county may have a waiting list but in other places it is unlikely
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Completion rate	65% (not an average of all programs throughout the state)
Treatment modality	Relapse prevention, victim empathy, healthy sexuality
Drugs	 Only one program in the state administers anti-androgen medications If patients are in need of medication, they are referred to the above provider for a prescription
Truth tests	No
Individualized vs. manualized	Combination of individualized and manualized plans
Continuity of treatment	Very little treatment is available in prison so there is practically nothing to match
Average duration	1-2 years for adults (estimate)2 years for adolescents (estimate)
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes—probation and parole
Eligibility	 Judges and parole commissioners Legislative stipulations
Criteria for decisions	Not available
Lifetime supervision	No
Supervising agencies	Probation and parole (consolidated under the Division of Parole and Probation)
Population	Parole: 97
	• Probation: 1,325
	Other: 519 (probation before judgment, pretrial, etc.)
	All above are official Division of Parole and Probation numbers

Funding	State funded
	Offender pays a fee
Assessment	 The Sex Offender Screening and Risk Assessment (SOSRA) agency was created when the state passed legislation in 1997 that mandated community notification The Division of Community Corrections conducts a risk/needs assessment when offenders are sentenced or released to community supervision. The same tool is used for all sex offenders and is not specific to the sex offender population
Classification system	
Year implemented/updated	2007
Required for	Not available
Risk levels	 Levels 1, 2, 3 (1 and 2 intensive) 3 is intermediate Specific to sex offenders
Purposes	 To provide information on when to enhance treatment and supervision Determine risk
Tools	 STATIC-99 for the first 30 days ACUTE completed every 90 days thereafter
Specialized caseloads	Yes
Provisions	Enhanced supervision
Caseload	57 (estimate)
Supervisor requirements	Undergo training in the Collaborative Offender Management and Enforced Treatment
Supervision	
Length	35 months (estimate)
Services	 Sex offender treatment, drug treatment, education/GED, job placement, mental health treatment Refer sex offenders for transitional housing
Collaboration	 Yes—there is team called COMET that follows the containment model Team includes parole/probation agents, supervisors, state's attorney, Baltimore City Police Department Sex Offender Unit and treatment providers—soon to include polygraphers as well

Massachusetts Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

R	EENTRY (Refers to state-level practices)
Availability	 Reentry services involve the Department of Corrections (DOC), parole, and local jails DOC and parole initiatives are coordinated at the state level Practices vary at the local level—different sheriff agencies do different things
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes—8 reentry centers focused in urban areas
Percentage of state prisons with services	100%every state facility has reentry programming
Specific initiatives	Parole initiative is "Regional Reentry Centers"
Specialized sex offender programming	Yes—Intensive Parole for Sex Offenders (IPSO)
Eligibility	 Everyone who discharges from state prison is offered the services of a reentry center (except for those discharged with probation only and youths)—but this is voluntary, not required Reentry centers target state offenders with no supervision ties, county offenders with no supervision ties, and offenders coming out on parole Sex offenders are not eligible for transitional housing services
Population	
Pre-release	Not available
Post-release	Not available
State standard?	Two independent state standards (DOC/parole)—but they are coordinated
Developed by whom?	Individually developed, but each agency participates in the other's process
Oversight by whom?	Executive Office of Public Safety
Funding	 Primarily state-funded, but supplemented by grants In 2004, MA received funding from VOTIS (Violent Offender Truth in Sentencing) and SVORI (Serious and Violent Offender Reentry Initiative)
Pre-release programming	Mainly provided by DOC, except for employment portfolio
Releasing authority and criteria	 Parole Board (all members appointed by Governor); Decisions based on 2 criteria: 1. Is release compatible with community safety? 2. What is the risk for recidivism? (in process of validating COMPAS for Massachusetts)
Enrollment date	6 months prior to release or time permitting
Services available	 Employment portfolio Discharge planning based on individual needs Must have approved home plan and approved work plan before release
Case management	 Team approach Parole and DOC case managers
Post-release services	
Case management	Parole officers and probation officers (or both)
o Supervision	Parole officers and probation officers (or both)
o Service coordination	 Information exchange between DOC and parole Parole officers play a role in service coordination as well
Nonprofit involvement	Yes
o Faith-based	Involved in service delivery for sex offenders, but do not comprise a large proportion of service providers for sex offenders
o Role	Service delivery—housing, transportation
Services available	 Reentry centers are not residential—just day treatment Two reentry officers in each center Services include employment assistance (including portfolio development), vocational, substance abuse, mental health, transportation, child support mediation sessions, help obtaining state identification)

	 Housing program does not serve sex offenders though If reentry centers cannot provide services, give referrals to other community organizations
Data and Research	
Туре	Demographics, offenses, recidivism, substance abuse, mental health, housing sustainability
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Parole—has many university partners as well
Evaluation	IPSO mandated evaluation

Michigan Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

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Availability	On probation and parole
Noncitizens	Yes, if not being deported
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	• For probationers, dependent on whether judge orders it (rare for judge not to order it)
	Mandatory for parolees
Individualized treatment plans	 Yearlong treatment is required by state standard Must do assessment—treatment is individualized to an extent within the template
Funding	 Department of Corrections (DOC) funding Co-pay system whereby offender pays portion—this is a sliding scale where offenders pay based on their income
Population	
Probation	Approximately 3,000 (rough estimate)
Parole	950
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Percentage in treatment	
Probation	All sex offenders will be in treatment at some point, but it may not be funded by DOC
Parole	All sex offenders on parole required to attend treatment
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Treatment providers	All locally-based
Number	65
Distribution	Less availability in rural areas because do not have much of a sex offender population or providers in these areas
Percentage with waiting list	No waiting due to lack of funding
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate	77% of parolees (official statistic but dated) 68% of probationers (official statistic but dated)
Treatment modality	Relapse prevention, cognitive-behavioral therapy
Drugs	No chemicals or drugs
Truth tests	Polygraph exams are used in Detroit, Kalamazoo, Muskegon, and Flint—but not statewide Private Statewide
T. 1' '11 - 1' - 1 1' - 1	Primarily maintenance exams
Individualized vs. manualized	 Individualized within the state template All must develop relapse prevention plan, identify triggers and thinking errors, etc.
Continuity of treatment	Community treatment is consistent with prison-based treatment and meant to pick up where prison treatment left off
Average duration	At least a year
Data and Research	Beginning in October 2008, the state will develop a systematic model of data collection
Туре	Not available
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	No studies on treatment, but there has been a polygraph study that has not yet been released Output Description:
	 Study is a randomized design and found that the polygraph did not deter new offenses

Avoilability	• Departure offerts began in 2002
Availability	 Reentry efforts began in 2003 Culminated in Michigan Prisoner Reentry Initiative (MPRI)—an inter-
	departmental collaboration
	Reentry is statewide but not fully implemented for all three phases, which means
	that percentages and numbers will increase gradually over time
	Once the initiative is up to scale, every prisoner will be in MPRI from the point of
	reception to prison
	Content of programming will vary by risk level—goal is a system that is responsive to individuals
Pre-release	Yes—particularly in in-reach facilities, which house moderate and high-risk
200 2000	offenders
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	• 14 in-reach facilities out of 48 prisons
	Transition 60% of returning prisoner population
Specific initiatives	• MPRI—3 phase process:
	1. Phase I: Lasts until positive parole decision—this is when assessments are done
	2. Phase II: Transferred to special facility before release to develop unified case
	plan
	3. Phase III: Release
	Parole Board decides who is moderate to high risk and thus eligible for in-reach
	Once in in-reach, get assessment by COMPAS (eventually COMPAS will be used)
	to assess risk level)
Specialized sex offender programming	Yes—sex offender treatment (6 month cognitive-behavioral therapy mandatory for
	all sex offenders)
Eligibility	About half of sex offenders in prison are eligible for sex offender programming (the
	rest are too far removed or already had it)
Population	
• Pre-release	• At any given time, at least 750 sex offenders are in formal treatment
	Can simultaneously be involved in other training as well
Post-release	Almost all offenders under supervision are in treatment
State standard?	Minimum standards for MPRI—built in as conditions of funding
Developed by whom?	Not Available
Oversight by whom?	Planning Community Development Administration and Correctional Facilities Administration
Funding	Administration
Pre-release programming	Phase I being launched with women's program first
Releasing authority and criteria	Parole Board (part of DOC) is releasing authority
	 Decisions informed by Michigan Parole Guidelines instrument—not developed as
	risk instrument, but has been validated against recidivism criteria
	o Sorts into low, average, and high probability of parole.
	Rest of decision based on case review and interview
	In process of incorporating COMPAS into release decisions
Enrollment date	Transferred to in-reach prison 60 days prior to release
Services available	Cognitive-behavioral therapy, and other services as needed
	Special program for youths adjudicated as juveniles (will be able to do Phase
	I/Phase II)
	Launching new program for offenders with medical illness
Case management	Assistant Resident Unit Supervisors manage cases during Phase I
	Institutional Parole agents manage cases during Phase II (in-reach facilities)
Post-release services	Phase III delivered upon release onto parole; \$33 million for reentry
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	MPRI not domain-specific—funds can be used for anything
	CASOM being piloted in Kalamazoo County
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	Available for duration of parole—especially MPRI
	• If there is an ongoing need for services, offenders are referred to agencies that can
G.	provide care (typical parole term is 2 years)
Case management	Collaborative case management team—cross-training for case managers and
	community providers
	Parole agent is lead case manager
	Reentry steering committees also exist at the county or multi-county level
g	Case management review at least every 6 months
• Supervision	Specialized caseloads for sex offenders
Service coordination	Not Available
Nonprofit involvement	18 administrative agencies administer funds to local jurisdictions
	Selection is based on how closely practices conform to evidence-based practices
	Nonprofits provide most services (very few state-sponsored services)
Faith-based	25% (estimate)
• Role	Service delivery
	Also involved in policy—faith-based providers sit on reentry steering committees
Services available	Phase III delivered upon release onto parole
	Services provided as needed through contracts with local agencies
	Working to standardize treatment
	There will be a Corrections Program Checklist beginning in 2009
Data and Research	
Type	• CMIS is the current system—only picks people up when they go to prison
	All data will be moved to OMNI—which begins at court disposition
	• OMNI is the primary data base for the Department—contains everything in CMIS
	and additional data
	Data available include comprehensive criminal histories, behavioral misconduct,
	training, educational assessment, MMPI, demographics, family background,
g.	release date, parole decisions, performance
Storage	Electronic POG and its in ONDH and GMG
Maintenance Evaluation	DOC maintains OMNI and CMIS Used for tracking but have not done evaluations due to lock of recovered
Evaluation	Used for tracking but have not done evaluations due to lack of resources
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Available but not mandatory
	Supervision under consolidated probation and parole administration
Eligibility	Determined by judges
	• Mandatory incarceration for Criminal Sexual Conduct in 2 nd Degree, and Criminal
	Sexual Conduct in 3 rd degree
	No mandatory post-release supervision for sex offenders
Criteria for decisions	
Lifetime supervision	Amendment just passed to Michigan Compiled Law (MCL) 771.2a.—offenders
	convicted of certain listed offenses must be on probation for a minimum of 5
	years
	Also recent legislation that requires, for offenses committed on or after August
	28, 2006, lifetime electronic monitoring of paroled or discharged sex offenders
	who are sentenced to prison for MCL 750.520b, Criminal Sexual Conduct (CSC)
	in the first degree, or MCL 750.520c(1)(a), CSC in the sentencing degree
	(including conspiracy)
	Under this new legislation, lifetime electronic monitoring is also required for
	individuals convicted for MCL 750.520c, CSC in the third degree, if the offender
	was 17 years of age or older and the victim was less than 13 years of age at the
g	time of offense (including conspiracy)
Supervising agencies	Probation and Parole (consolidated)
Population	5,004 probationers and parolees serving on sex offense or with a history of sexual
From diagram	offending (official statistic from month-end report in 2005)
Funding	General state funds through DOC

Classification system	 No sex-offender specific tools to classify sex offenders into risk level—but Probation and Parole has grant from Center for Sex Offender Management (CSOM) to pilot VASOR in one county Currently use COMPAS (but no sex offender-specific tool)
Year implemented/updated	1970s
Tear implemented/updated	 Sex offender-specific tools being piloted now
Required for	Referrals and assessments
Risk levels	Sex offenders automatically go to maximum supervision, regardless of what risk
KISK IEVEIS	assessment tools show
Assessment	
Purposes	Determine supervision level
Tools	VASOR, COMPASS, STATIC-99
	 Polygraph used for initial community supervision assessment, history, compliance/maintenance
Specialized caseloads	• Yes—if there are enough sex offenders in an area to make up a caseload (mostly urban areas)
	 In smaller rural areas, there are specialized caseloads, but they contain a mix of sex offenders and other offenders
Provisions	GPS, electronic monitoring on parole
	 Polygraph used in three counties that cover a substantial portion of the supervision population
Caseload	35+ for specialized sex offender caseloads
Supervisor requirements	Polygraph examiners go through special training for sex offenders
	 Supervision agents are selected for specialized caseloads based on interest—receive additional training and GPS training
Supervision	
Length	Depends on sentence (determined by judge and Parole Board)
Services	Treatment, but not much else—depends on the area
	MPRI forms collaborative groups with communities—work with parolees to address criminogenic needs
Collaboration	Referrals to services, but restrictions on housing make it difficult to provide assistance
Data and Research	OMNI is statewide system
Туре	Not available
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	 Study on polygraph and group treatment will be completed in September 2008—examines effect of these combined services on violation behavior Also piloting VASOR in Probation and Parole—funded through Center for Sex Offender Management

Missouri Sex Offender **Treatment & Reentry Programs**

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	State law mandates treatment in the prison
State standard	
Developed by whom?	New provider
Oversight by whom?	Department of Corrections (DOC)
Funding	State funded through DOC
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	Not available
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Yes
Criteria for eligibility	State law mandates treatment in the prison
Population Population	blace it is mandates treatment in the prison
Sex offenders in prison population	Not available
Percentage in treatment	Not available
Programs	1 tot u tunuoro
Prisons with programs available	• 3 (2 male, 1 female)
Trisons with programs available	 Farmington has the largest portion of sex offenders: Missouri Sex Offender Program (MOSOP) Vendalia: Women's Eastern Reception Center Bontair Facility: Eastern Reception
Average capacity	Not available
Percentage with waiting list	100%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	Not available
Average duration	MOSOP—9 months to 1 year
Enrollment date	18 months before release date
Content	To months before release date
• Drugs	No
Truth tests	No
Individualized vs. manualized	Manualized
	Yes
Treatment requirement for release Completion rate	Not available
Provider certification	Not available Not available
Assessment	Yes—but no customized tool
Purposes	Risk assessment, identify level of deviancy and victim preference
Tools Date and Besserah	STATIC 99, Hair Psychopathy, Abel Screen
Data and Research	Not available
Type	Not available
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	Not available
TREATMENT—COMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)	
Availability	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Mandatory for all sex offenders
Individualized treatment plans	Containment model—therapist and parole officer work together
Funding	Mainly the sex offenders themselves
Population	
Probation	Not available

Parole	Not available
Other community corrections	Not available
Percentage in treatment	
Probation	95% (estimate)—varies statewide
Parole	As above
Other community corrections	As above
Treatment providers	
Number	56 that have been approved by the DOC
Distribution	Concentrated in metropolitan areas
	Many in St. Louis—fewer in rural areas
Percentage with waiting list	None (estimate)
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	Cognitive behavioral therapy
Drugs	No
Truth tests	Polygraphs
Individualized vs. manualized	More individualized
Continuity of treatment	Yes, community therapists have access to MOSOP records in prison
Average duration	3-4 years, but sometimes up to five years (estimate)
Data and Research	-
Туре	Not available
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	Not available
	REENTRY
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes—many services
Post-release	In some areas
	Kansas City and St. Louis initiatives
	There is a lot of partnering with faith-based organizations
Percentage of state prisons with services	• 11 of 20 institutions currently have it (low and medium security)
ge F	Moving towards expanding to all institutions
Specific initiatives	• Since 2004, reentry has been done by the DOC
specific initiatives	With an inter-agency team, the DOC tailored the National Institute of Corrections
	Transition from Prison to the Community Initiative model to Missouri's needs
	Governor signed Executive Order in 2006 making the team permanent—with
	charge of integrating practices and principles across state government
	Currently called Missouri Reentry Process (MRP)
Specialized sex offender programming	No, can only access same reentry services as other offenders
Eligibility	All sex offenders
Population	
	Not available
Pre-release	Not available Not available
Pre-release Post-release	Not available
Post-release	
Post-release State standard?	Not available Not available
• Post-release State standard? Developed by whom?	Not available Not available DOC and some outside contractors developed core programming
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Post-release State standard? Developed by whom? Oversight by whom?	Not available Not available DOC and some outside contractors developed core programming State MRP Steering Team – state agencies, community providers, ex-offenders, law enforcement, etc.
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Post-release State standard? Developed by whom? Oversight by whom? Funding	Not available Not available DOC and some outside contractors developed core programming State MRP Steering Team – state agencies, community providers, ex-offenders, law enforcement, etc. DOC funds pre-release programming • Parole Board
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Post-release State standard? Developed by whom? Oversight by whom? Funding Pre-release programming	Not available Not available DOC and some outside contractors developed core programming State MRP Steering Team – state agencies, community providers, ex-offenders, law enforcement, etc. DOC funds pre-release programming • Parole Board

	When services expanded to all institutions, higher security inmates will be offered
Services available	services too (currently no access to transitional units) Transition planning in the areas of employment, soft and hard skills, parenting, cognitive skills, etc.
Case management	Case manager assigned when person begins prison sentence
Post-release services	 Assigned a new case manager and team when he/she moves into transitional stage No specific post-release programs
Case management	No specific post-release programs
Supervision	Parole officers
Service coordination	Parole officer is under DOC so receive a lot of information from prison case
	managers—including Transitional Accountability Plan
Nonprofit involvement	 In the last five years, they have really become increasingly involved Currently substantially involved
Faith-based	High level of involvement from faith-based organizations (estimate)
• Role	Direct services including mentoring, some case management, housing, etc.
Services available	 No services funded by DOC One project in St Louis that provides services to those who complete sentence without any post-release supervision
Data and Research	
Type	Data on all offenders including return rates, etc.
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	DOC
Evaluation	 No—but may be developing a report card with outcomes Sex offenders will be one category in the report card
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	
Criteria for decisions	Mandatory for all sex offenders
Lifetime supervision	Yes – for a specific population that will be coming out on parole (all are still incarcerated)
Supervising agencies	Probation and parole
Population	Not available
Funding	 Intervention fee paid by all those supervised including sex offenders Also DOC funding
Classification system	
Year implemented/updated	Risk system was developed at least 19 years agoNeeds system has been updated more recently
Required for	All sex offenders
Risk levels	Minimum, regular, enhanced—sex offenders always regular level or higher Dangerous Felons classification as well—includes some sex offenders (sodomy, forcible rape)
Assessment	
Purposes	Risk assessment
Tools	 STATIC-99 for offenders going through Sentencing Assessment Report Providers use own assessment tools for those in treatment
Specialized caseloads	
Provisions	 In many areas Not in some of the rural areas because not feasible
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	Not available for parole
Services	Electronic Monitoring, GPS, Community Supervision Centers, Residential Center,
	mandatory treatment, family groups
Collaboration	Yes—important component of Missouri supervision
Data and Research	
Type	Not available
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	Not available

Montana Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	Available in Montana state prison
	No treatment in regional prisons
State standard	Yes
Developed by whom?	Montana State Offender Treatment Association (MSOTA)
Oversight by whom?	Montana State Offender Treatment Association (MSOTA)
Funding	Montana Department of Corrections
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	Yes, although most are deported before treatment commences
Gender	Mostly males
	• Fewer than 10 female sex offenders in Montana Women's Prison
Mentally ill	Participate in a special needs sex offender group
Criteria for eligibility	Available for all sex offenders
Chieffa for engionity	 Mandatory for all sex offenders to complete Phase I (16 week educational group)
Population	- Mandatory for an sex offenders to complete Finase I (10 week educational group)
Sex offenders in prison population	580 (official)
Percentage in treatment	Not available
Programs	1 vot available
Prisons with programs available	1—Montana State Prison
Average capacity	Not available
Percentage with waiting list	Not available
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:7-8
Average duration	Phase I: 16 weeks
Average duration	Phase II: open-ended (usually 15 to 30 months)
Enrollment date	Prioritized by earliest potential release dates
Content	Not available
• Drugs	No—drugs are only available 2 weeks before leaving treatment
Truth tests	32 polygraphs per year under contract
Individualized vs. manualized	Both—therapist tailors treatment to individual needs
Treatment requirement for release	Yes—for releases onto probation and parole Garantei and formula and parole
	Completion of program not always a factor in post-release classification—Parole Completion of program not always a factor in post-release classification—Parole
Completion note	board decides using risk instruments
Completion rate	• 30% of entries
	About 50 per year complete Phase II
72 17 1100 11	• 90% of those in Phase I are required to complete Phase II (estimate)
Provider certification	Must be licensed by Montana State Offender Treatment Association
	Must have master's degree in social work, psychology, or counseling and
	appropriate state license to perform mental health therapy
	• Must complete 2,000 hours of supervised experience in evaluation and treatment
	of a sex offender
	Must pass written and oral exams and submit work samples reviewed by
	membership committee
Assessment	
Purposes	• Assess risk
	Community notification
Tools	Static-99, MnSOST-R
Data and Research	
Туре	Completion of treatment, reincarceration, etc
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Department of Corrections

Evaluation	Treatment evaluations	
COMMUNITY-BASED TREATMENT		
Availability		
Noncitizens	Yes	
Gender	Males and females	
Criteria for eligibility	Not mandatory but majority go into community treatment	
Cinterna for Englandy	If an individual goes through Phase I, II, and III in prison treatment, may not need	
	community treatment	
Individualized treatment plans	Developed by treatment provider and probation officer	
Funding	Offender	
Population		
Probation	621 (official as of 3/20/08)	
Parole	93 (official as of 3/20/08)	
Other community corrections	2 on Department of Corrections Intensive Supervision Probation (ISP) (official as of	
·	3/20/08)	
Treatment providers		
Number	15 active licensed providers	
Distribution	Statewide	
Percentage with waiting list	0%	
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%	
Completion rate	Not available	
Treatment modality	Cognitive-behavioral therapy, arousal therapy, etc	
	No set treatment modality	
Drugs	Available but rarely used	
Truth tests	Montana Sex Offender Treatment Association requires all sex offenders do	
	polygraph once every 12 months	
Individualized vs. manualized	Both	
Continuity of treatment	Yes—treatment providers usually receive information on treatment in prison from	
	the institution	
Average duration	8 months to 4 years	
Data and Research		
Type	Demographics, etc	
Storage	Electronic	
Maintenance	Montana Department of Corrections	
Evaluation	No formal studies	
	REENTRY	
Availability		
Pre-release	Yes	
Post-release	Yes	
Percentage of state prisons with services	100%	
Specific initiatives	No	
Specialized sex offender programming	No	
Eligibility	All sex offenders are eligible	
Population		
Pre-release	Not available	
Post-release	Not available	
State standard?	No	
Developed by whom?	Not applicable	
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable	
Funding	Department of Corrections	
Pre-release programming		
Releasing authority and criteria	Parole Board	
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	• Decisions based on offender's compliance with court conditions (treatment, GED,	
	chemical dependency treatment, etc) and assessment tools (MnSOST-R, STATIC-	

	99)
Enrollment date	Preparation starts at intake
Emonment date	Most services begin upon release
Services available	2 pre-release centers accept sex offenders
Services available	Private centers are similar to regular prerelease
Case management	Probation officers in prison help with transition (about 90 days prior to release)
Post-release services	1 Tobation officers in prison neip with transition (about 70 days prior to recuse)
Case management	
Supervision	Probation officers—not same as prison case manager
- Supervision	 Probation officers receive information on risk level, treatment completed in prison,
	treatment needs in community
Service coordination	Post-release supervisors coordinate services for sex offenders
201 130 00010111111011	Some work closely with sex offender therapists in community, but varies by
	location
Nonprofit involvement	Yes
Faith-based	Majority are not faith-based
• Role	Not available
Services available	Services available, but for a limited time
Data and Research	
Type	Not available
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	Not available
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Not mandatory
Criteria for decisions	Sex offenders under parole, probation or conditional release are supervised
Lifetime supervision	Yes—for sex offenders who qualify under state statute MCA 45-5-503 (4)(b) and 45-5-507 (5) (b)
Supervising agencies	
Population	• Probation: 621 (official as of 3/20/08)
	• Parole: 93 (official as of 3/20/08)
	• Other: 2 on Department of Corrections Intensive Supervision Probation, (official as of 3/20/08)
Funding	Montana State Legislature
Classification system	
Year implemented/updated	Tier-level system enacted by Montana Legislature in 1997
Required for	All offenders required to register
Risk levels	• Tier 1 (low risk)
	• Tier 2 (moderate risk)
	• Tier 3 (high risk or sexually violent predator)
Assessment	
Purposes	To determine appropriate supervision level and to assist supervising officer in
	identifying needs
	Sex offenders reassessed every 6 months
Tools	Standard risk/needs assessment developed by Department of Corrections
	Not sex-offender specific tool
	Same tools used by parole and probation
Specialized caseloads	Yes
Provisions	Officers receive additional training
	Work with treatment providers, law enforcement, family members, and employers
	to ensure more appropriate supervision for offender
Caseload	Should be 40, but can be higher in certain areas of state
Supervisor requirements	Officers encouraged to attend specialized training for sex offender supervision

Supervision	
Length	Varies
Services	 Most sex offenders required to attend sex offender treatment or aftercare in community Employment and housing assistance
Collaboration	Case managers encouraged to work with treatment providers, employers, law enforcement officials, family members, and anyone involved with sex offenders in community
Data and Research	
Type	Demographics
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Montana Department of Corrections
Evaluation	No formal studies

New Hampshire Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	Available only in specialized facilities for sex offenders
State standard	No
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
Funding	State
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Yes, but not required
Criteria for eligibility	 Not mandatory for all sex offenders, but they are unlikely to be paroled if they do not complete recommended form of treatment Determined through actuarial risk assessments, court/sentencing recommendations
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	737 (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	15%
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	2
Average capacity	• 72 in intensive treatment
	• 12 in cognitive-behavioral therapy
	• 12 in relapse prevention
	• 3 in female facility
Percentage with waiting list	50% (estimate)
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0% (official)
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:22
Average duration	About 18 months for intensive treatment
	6 months for cognitive-behavioral therapy
	Female group and relapse prevention are open-ended
Enrollment date	Approximately 24 months prior to release date
Content	Process-oriented groups, psychoeducational groups, cognitive-behavioral therapy,
	relapse prevention, victim empathy training, arousal control, social skills training,
	sexual education/awareness, individualized treatment planning
• Drugs	Only medication for mental health issues available
Truth tests	Polygraphs
Individualized vs. manualized	Individualized
Treatment requirement for release	No, but individuals who do not complete treatment are unlikely to be paroled
1	Not a factor in post-release classification
Completion rate	Not available
Provider certification	Masters degree and 2 years post graduate experience
2 2 0 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	Sex offender-specific training and experience
Assessment	Son stranger specific duming and experience
Purposes	Assess risk level, treatment planning, assess individual needs
Tools	Clinical interview, actuarial risk assessment, dynamic risk assessment, STATIC-99,
	TNPS, VASOR (Vermont Assessment of Sex Offender Risk)
Data and Research	
Type	Not available
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	Not available

COMMUNITY-BASED TREATMENT	
Availability	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Not mandatory for all sex offenders
	Court or Parole Board order or Parole/Probation Officer makes decisions
Individualized treatment plans	Treatment providers decides treatment plan—sometimes with input of
individualized treatment plans	parole/probation officers
Funding	Offender
Population	597 total (estimate)
Probation	Not available
Parole	Not available
Other	Not available
Treatment modality	Not available
Drugs	Not available
Truth tests	Polygraphs
Individualized vs. manualized	Both
Continuity of treatment	Depends on treatment provider
Average duration	Not available
Data and Research	Not available
	Not applicable
Type	Not applicable
Storage	Not applicable
Maintenance	Not applicable
Evaluation	Not applicable
	REENTRY
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	100%
Specific initiatives	No
Specialized sex offender programming	No
Eligibility	All releasing offenders have access to case counselors/case managers to assist with
•	release plans
Population	
Pre-release	Not available
Post-release	Not available
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	Parole Board
	 Release decisions based on institutional behavior, program completion, risk to
	public, minimum parole date
Enrollment date	2 months prior to release date
Services available	Access to same services as other offenders
Case management	Case managers assigned based on housing unit
Post-release services	Cube managers assigned based on nousing unit
Case management	Probation/parole Officers supervise sex offenders in reentry programs after
Case management	release from prison
Supervision	Probation/parole officer
Service coordination	Probation/parole officer receives information regarding housing, employment,
Scrvice coordination	education, program requirements
Nonprofit involvement	Yes, but limited
Faith-based	Not available
Role Services available	Some provide transitional living arrangements (28-day programs) Services available until the maximum sentence date
	Services available until the maximum sentence date
Data and Research	

Type	Not applicable
Storage	Not applicable
Maintenance	Not applicable
Evaluation	Not applicable
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Not mandatory
Criteria for decisions	Judge or Parole Board decides
Lifetime supervision	Yes—for those convicted of aggravated felonious sexual assault with victim under 13 years of age
Supervising agencies	
Population	597 total
Funding	State
Assessment	
Purposes	To ascertain level of supervision and to develop a case plan
Tools	• LSI-R, RRASOR
	Same tools used by parole and probation
Specialized caseloads	No
Provisions	Not applicable
Caseload	Not applicable
Supervisor requirements	Not applicable
Supervision	
Length	Varies by offense classification (misdemeanor or felony)
	• 2 years average for misdemeanor
	• 5 years average for felony
	May be longer for parolees
Services	Outpatient sex offender treatment
Collaboration	Yes—probation/parole officers make referrals for treatment, monitor progress in
	treatment, and exchange information with treatment providers
Data and Research	
Туре	Demographic, physical, offense, sentencing, supervisory notes, status
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	New Hampshire Department of Corrections
Evaluation	No

New Jersey Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	Treatment provided in Adult Diagnostic and Treatment Center—accepts only
11.41.41.41.41.41	compulsive and repetitive sex offenders
State standard	No
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
Funding	Department of Corrections
	• Subcontracts
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Available but not required
Criteria for eligibility	Available for all sex offenders as long as they are amenable, willing, compulsive, and
	repetitive
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	685 (official)
Percentage in treatment	Not available
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	• 1 sex offender facility for males
	Another facility that treats female sex offenders (Edna Mahan Correctional
	Facility)
Average capacity	Not available
Percentage with waiting list	0%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:40 (estimate)
Average duration	Varies (several months to several decades)
Enrollment date	Intake
Content	Integrated treatment model includes relapse prevention, cognitive-behavioral therapy, victim empathy, social skills, arousal reconditioning, therapeutic community
 Drugs 	Some on anti-androgens
	Small number on SSRIs
Truth tests	None
 Individualized vs. manualized 	Individualized
Treatment requirement for release	No
Completion rate	Not applicable
Provider certification	Master's degree or higher in psychology or Master's degree in social work
	No certification required
	Continued training for social workers
Assessment	
Purposes	For sentencing
Tools	Personality Assessment Inventory, House-Tree-Person, Shipley Institute of Living Scale
	No customized state tool
Data and Research	
Туре	Not applicable
Storage	Not applicable
Maintenance	Not applicable
Evaluation	Not applicable

North Carolina Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	One prison-based program
State standard	No No
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
Funding	Department of Corrections
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males only
Mentally ill	Not required, but can attend if they are stable
Criteria for eligibility	Optional and voluntary for those who admit to sex offense
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	4,743 as of 2/29/08 (official)
Percentage in treatment	Not available
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	1
Average capacity	56 per year (official)
Percentage with waiting list	100% (about 250 individuals on waiting list)
Percentage with 25% empty slots	None
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:8 (official)
Average duration	5 months
Enrollment date	Varies
Content	Cognitive-behavioral therapy, relapse prevention, arousal control, behavior modification, empathy training, skill building
• Drugs	No
Truth tests	No
Individualized vs. manualized	Both
Treatment requirement for release	Not available
Completion rate	95% of eligible offenders completed (official)
Provider certification	No certification, but standards
	Must be licensed in North Carolina
	• Therapists must be able to do group therapy, work with inmates, and be willing to
	train in sex offender specific treatment for several years
Assessment	umm in son offender specific dediction for several years
Purposes	To provide background information and devise individual treatment plans
Tools	STATIC-99, MSI
10010	State-developed tool: A Personal History Inventory (instrument used to gather information and guide an interview)
Data and Research	
Туре	Test results
Storage	Paper and electronic
Maintenance	Sexual Offender Accountability and Responsibility (SOAR) program
Evaluation	No

North Dakota Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Assessment	
Purposes	Not available
Tools	MnSOST-R and STATIC-99 were validated on the prison and probation populations in 2003
TREATMENT—COM	MUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	 Human Service Centers (under Department of Health and Human Services) treat low and moderate risk offenders Rule-CPC program (under Department of Human Services) treats high risk offenders Provided through contract with Massachusetts counseling business
Noncitizens	Yes—unless deported
Gender	Available for males, but not much available for females
Criteria for eligibility	 Not mandatory—must be court-ordered or have conditions of supervision amended Probation—probation officers will usually recommend that sex offender conditions be imposed during pre-sentence investigation, but judges do not have to abide by it Parole—parolees must participate in sex offender treatment program, but most sex offenders in prison are not paroled
Individualized treatment plans	 Therapist makes individualized treatment plan in conjunction with probation officer The Stable and LSI-R are reassessed every 6 months. The ACUTE is completed on a monthly basis Stable factors reassessed every 6 months
Funding	 Treatment provided by the Human Service Centers is funded by the State Offenders are charged on a sliding fee scale Rule-CPC funded through a grant provided to the Department of Human Services No charge for offenders participating in Rule-CPC programming
Population	- 170 charge for offenders participating in Rule of C programming
Probation	350 (estimate)
Parole	Less than 10—most sex offenders are not paroled
Other community corrections	 Community Service Agencies in the state may supervise misdemeanor cases One Community Service Agency has 5 or fewer misdemeanor sex offenders on their caseload
Percentage in treatment	
Probation	50 (estimate)
Parole	Not available
Other community corrections	 More than 50 high risk sex offenders and/or those with adult victims involved in treatment with Rule-CPC Number of sex offenders involved in treatment programs through the regional human service centers not available
Treatment providers	
Number	 5 human service regions provide treatment to all sex offenders except for high risk offender and those with adult victims Rule-CPC: 5 locations in North Dakota with local therapists
Distribution	 In most populated areas: Human Service Centers—Fargo, Bismarck, Dickinson, Minot, Grand Forks Rule-CPC—Fargo, Jamestown, Bismarck, Minot, Grand Forks
Percentage with waiting list	No waiting list for Rule-CPC

	Probably short waiting list for Human Service Centers
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate	Only a few offenders in Rule-CPC have been revoked
r	Human Service Centers—completion rate not available
Treatment modality	Rule-CPC includes cognitive-behavioral therapy, educational program, relapse
	prevention, victim empathy
	Human Service Centers include cognitive-behavioral therapy, relapse prevention
	Also an educational program in at least one Human Service Center for sex
	offenders who do not need intensive outpatient treatment
Drugs	No, but will be available soon
Truth tests	Human Service Centers use polygraphs
	Rule-CPC uses polygraphs and plethysmographs
Individualized vs. manualized	Individualized
Continuity of treatment	Most sex offenders in prison do not receive parole
	• If an offender was in a prison treatment program, he/she is often referred to the
	Human Service Center for follow-up treatment
A 1	Community and prison treatment are more similar than dissimilar
Average duration	At least a couple of years
Data and Research Type	Number of referrals, number involved in treatment programming, treatment progress,
Туре	demographics
Storage	Electronic and paper
Maintenance	Rule-CPC and Human Service Centers
Evaluation	Too soon to evaluate Rule-CPC
	• Individual Human Service Centers may be doing own evaluations
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Very few sex offenders are paroled
Criteria for decisions Lifetime supervision	Not available No
Supervising agencies	Probation and parole
Population	Very few sex offenders on parole
Topulation	• 350 on probation (estimate)
Funding	State
Classification system	Silico
Year implemented/updated	Implemented in 1990's
Required for	All sex offenders
Risk levels	Low, moderate, and high risk
	• Risk is determined by the SORAC committee (reports to Attorney General)
	• Parole/probation officers use the MnSOST-R, STATIC 99 to determine risk
	levels. They also use the Stable and ACUTE to assess risk and implement a case
	supervision plan to address the areas of risk.
Assessment	
Purposes	Treatment and programming decisions, community notification, level of
	supervision, placement on GPS, etc
Taala	SORAC committee has overwrite authority on assessment scores
Tools	MnSOST-R, STATIC 99, Stable, ACUTE, LSI-R Stable and LSI-R administrated to the control of the control
	Stable and LSI-R administered every 6 months ACUTE administered every months
Specialized applieds	ACUTE administered every month
Specialized caseloads	• 7 sex offender specialists who only supervise sex offenders • In grand group, one officer is assigned to have all sex offenders on assolved but
	 In rural areas, one officer is assigned to have all sex offenders on caseload, but majority of caseload is non-sex offender
Provisions	20 specialized sex offender conditions in addition to 25 general conditions
TOTISIONS	 Sex offender conditions include no contact with minors, no loitering, etc
1	- Sea offender conditions include no contact with fillions, no folicing, etc

Caseload	30-40
Supervisor requirements	Training (minimum of 800 hours) and 5 years experience in field
Supervision	
Length	Varies
Services	Treatment, vocational training, chemical dependency treatment, psychiatric services, employment through job services
Collaboration	 Yes—between case managers and HSC Also Sex Offender Containment Task Forces in Fargo, Jamestown, Bismarck, Minot, and Grand Forks Task forces were originally set up by the DOCR to determine which sex offenders would need to be placed on GPS but they now play a role in systemic decisions and information sharing Task forces usually include representatives from law enforcement, parole/probation officers, state attorney, victim advocates, treatment providers,
Data and Research	social services, etc
Type	Demographic, court orders
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	 Probation, Courts, and Department of Corrections have different systems Also centralized data system DOCSTARS
Evaluation	 CPAI (Correctional Programs Assessment Inventory) No evaluations of sex offender treatment programs in the community

Oklahoma Sex Offender **Treatment & Reentry Programs**

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	Available
State standard	No
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
Funding	State funding through Department of Corrections
Eligibility	State funding through Department of Corrections
Noncitizens	Deportable detainees not prioritized because of limited slots
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Not mandatory but could be sentenced with stipulation that if treatment is
monany m	completed ,he/she can be released onto probation early
	Program at medium male facility for developmentally disabled mentally ill
	• Intermediate Mental Health Unit for those who are severely mentally ill—focuses
	on stabilizing mental health
Criteria for eligibility	Voluntary
Population Population	, orange
Sex offenders in prison population	3,500 (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	3%
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	4 facilities (2 male, 2 female)
Average capacity	• Males: 80
	• Females: 10
Percentage with waiting list	100%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	• Male facilities: 1:20 or 1:40 depending on facility
provide supportation of providers	• Female facilities: 1:10
Average duration	Males: 12-16 months
Tiverage duration	• Females: not available
Enrollment date	12-16 months prior to release date
Content	Cognitive-behavioral therapy, arousal control, relapse prevention, contingency
Content	planning, role plays, victim empathy (limited)
• Drugs	No
Truth tests	Polygraphs
Individualized vs. manualized	Manualized
Treatment requirement for release	No
Completion rate	25% (estimate)
Provider certification	All staff, including community corrections staff, must be Licensed Professional
1 Tovider certification	Counselors, Licensed Behavioral Practitioners, Licensed Clinical Social Workers
Assessment	Counselors, Electised Behavioral Fractioners, Electised Clinical Social Workers
Purposes	Assess risk, develop case plans, and monitor treatment progress (assessment starts)
Turposes	in local jails before sending individuals to prison)
	Once in sex offender program, tools also inform treatment planning
Tools	Psycho-social assessments, LSI-R, STATIC-99, Buss-Durkee, arousal checklists
Data and Research	- 1 by the social assessments, LSI K, STATIC-77, Duss-Durket, arousal checklists
Type	Collect information within programs on instruments to assess progress in treatment
- 7 PV	• Department of Corrections collects program participation data (i.e., what kind of
	treatment, when completed, what type of termination, etc.), and demographics
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Survival analysis after release into community (both general offenders and sex
2 raidation	offenders)
	one macro

REENTRY	
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	100% have at least some pre-release services
Specific initiatives	No
Specialized sex offender programming	Specialized caseloads that work with other service providers and groups
Eligibility	All sex offenders
Population	Not available
Pre-release	Not available
Post-release	Not available
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	Not available
Enrollment date	Not available
Services available	Ensure that all inmates have identification, Medicaid, employment services
Case management	Not available

Oregon Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED	
Availability	Not available
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	4,165 (official as of 3/08)
Percentage in treatment	Not available
	COMMUNITY-BASED TREATMENT
	COMMONITI-DASED TREATMENT
Availability	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Not available
Individualized treatment plans	Parole officers, Parole Board, Local Supervisory Authority decide on plans
Funding	State and mostly offender
Population	4,322 (official as of 11/07)
Probation	Not available
Parole	Not available
Other community corrections	Not available
Percentage in treatment	99%, since treatment is ongoing
Probation	Not available
Parole	Not available
Other community corrections	Not available
Treatment providers	
Number	Numerous
Distribution	Statewide
Percentage with waiting list	Not available
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate	Not available—for each individual, completion occurs when supervision expires
Treatment modality	Containment approach—partnership between parole officer, therapist, and
·	polygraphist
Drugs	Piloting Depo Provera, but very rarely used
	SSRIs are more commonly used
Truth tests	Polygraph testing is mandatory for every offender every 6 months and more often if
	issues arise
Individualized vs. manualized	Not available
Continuity of treatment	Not applicable (no prison-based program)
Average duration	5 years
Data and Research	
Type	Any data that is needed can be extracted
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Prison and community corrections share the same system
Evaluation	Evaluations of recidivism, success, etc
	REENTRY
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	Not available
Specific initiatives	Yes—National Institute of Corrections Transition from Prison to the Community (TPC) Initiative
Specialized sex offender programming	Yes
Eligibility	Sex offenders with a score of 6 or higher on STATIC-99 are eligible for reentry

	services
Population	Approximately 60
Pre-release	Not available
Post-release	Not available
State standard?	Yes
Developed by whom?	Not available
Oversight by whom?	National Institute of Corrections Transition from Prison to the Community
Funding	Department of Corrections and Community Corrections agencies
Pre-release programming	Department of corrections and community corrections agencies
Releasing authority and criteria	Determinate and indeterminate sentencing
Enrollment date	At least 6 months prior to release date
Services available	Not available
Case management	Yes
Post-release services	103
Case management	Parole officer—not prison case manager
Cuse management	Exchange of information between managers
2 Companyision	Not available
Supervision Service coordination	Not available Not available
Service coordination Nonprofit involvement	Yes
1	Not available
• Faith-based	
• Role	Not available
Services available	Not available
Data and Research	
Type	Housing, employment, education, release plan, program entry, participation in
	cognitive programs, participation in alcohol/drug programs, program completion,
	supervision completion
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Oregon Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Not available
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Community supervision is mandatory
Criteria for decisions	Not available
Lifetime supervision	Yes—for offenders classified as sexually violent and dangerous
Supervising agencies	Not available
Population	Not available
Funding	Combination of state, local, levy, and offender funds (varies by county)
Classification system	Combination of state, local, lovy, and offender funds (varies by county)
Year implemented/updated	Use of Stable/ACUTE tools began on 12/1/07
Tear implemented/updated	 Use of STATIC-99 began in 2004
Required for	Individuals sentenced for Sodomy I, Sex Abuse I, Rape I, Unlawful Sexual
Required for	Penetration (any degrees or attempts), Public Indecency, Private Indecency, and On-
	Line Corruption of a Child
Risk levels	Not available
Assessment	INOL AVAIIAUIC
	Not available
Purposes Tools	
TOOIS	Stable/ACUTE sex offender assessment tool and STATIC-99 Same tools used by good and probability.
Constallar I I	Same tools used by parole and probation
Specialized caseloads	Yes, generally
Provisions	Specialized training for officers
	Membership and participation in the Sex Offender Supervision Network, which
	establishes statewide protocol—comprised of sex offender parole officers,
	therapists, institution counselors, etc
Caseload	Varies, but mostly below 60 (estimate)

Supervisor requirements	Not available
Supervision	
Length	• 5-6 years for probation (official)
	• 3 years for post-prison supervision (official)
Services	Probation, parole, and post-prison supervision
Collaboration	Yes
Data and Research	
Type	Not available
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	Not available

Pennsylvania Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	Available in all prison facilities excluding boot camp (26 total)
State standard	No
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Department of Corrections standard for programming
Funding	State
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	 Treatment program depends on level of functioning Special needs programming available for impaired offenders (including those with mental retardation and other disabilities)
Criteria for eligibility	 Available to all sex offenders, including those with special needs Offenders placed in treatment based on willingness to participate Prioritize individuals who are closest to minimum expiration date
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	 About 14% of population (6,000) is serving time for a sex offense (estimate) At any given time 5,995-6,015 with a current sex offense (official) When factor in offenders with prior sex offenses, about 20% are sex offenders (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	 About 35-40% of sex offenders choose not to participate (usually those with short sentences) At any given time, 20% in treatment
Programs	• At any given time, 20% in treatment
Prisons with programs available	All (26)
Average capacity	Varies by risk level of program
	• Approximately 100 per program (1100 total at any given time)
Percentage with waiting list	Not available
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:300 (including non-sex offenders)
Average duration	 Low risk: 9 months Moderate-high risk: 27 months Therapeutic community: 1 year
Enrollment date	Standard is to start the number of months that program lasts before earliest release date
Content	 Use Medlin model 7 modules total—grounded in cognitive-behavioral therapy, arousal control, relapse prevention, etc Offender accumulates points based on quality of participation 2 levels of programming—one for moderate-high risk, one for low risk All 7 modules for moderate-high risk 3 modules for low risk
 Drugs 	No
• Truth tests	No
Individualized vs. manualized	Manualized, although moving toward individualized in therapeutic communities
Treatment requirement for release	Treatment required for parole
Completion rate	50%
Provider certification	 Programming run by psychological services staff No certification required, but training program must be completed within 6 months of start

Assessment	
Purposes	Get baseline risk with STATIC-99
Tarposes	May adjust level depending on other risk factors not included in STATIC-99
Tools	STATIC-99
Data and Research	STATIC-99
Type	Tracks treatment participation, who is on waiting list, and who has refused
1,100	treatment
	Includes demographics, criminal history
Storage	Not applicable
Maintenance	Not applicable
Evaluation	Not yet
TREATMENT—COMP	MUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	
Noncitizens	Not available
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Mandatory in some counties but not others
	Criteria for eligibility also varies by county
	All sex offenders referred for evaluation at state level and treatment if indicated by
	evaluation
Individualized treatment plans	Only state standards for treatment of sexually violent predators—set out by Sex
	Offender Assessment Board (SOAB)
	Sexually violent predators required to attend treatment once a month for life
	SOAB standards call for collaborative effort between providers and case managers
	Aside from treatment for sexually violent predators, practices vary by county
Funding	Mostly offender
	Some system-funded programs
Treatment providers	The information below reflects only SOAB-approved programs for sexually violent
	predators
Number	• 25 providers approved by SOAB; some have programs in multiple counties, but
	SOAB has not approved providers in all 67 counties
	Other providers treat sex offenders who are not sexually violent predators, but
	SOAB is not authorized to audit these providers
Distribution	Statewide
Percentage with waiting list	1 provider with waiting list
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	This information reflects only SOAB-approved programs
	All providers approved by SOAB use cognitive-behavioral therapy (standards)
	apply to both state and county supervision)
	Most have psychoeducational component and group modality
	• 2-3 SOAB-approved programs have psychiatrists on staff so no need to collaborate
_	with anyone for medication administration
Drugs	Yes, may be part of the program
Truth tests	Polygraph
Individualized vs. manualized	Individualized
Continuity of treatment	• Information exchange does not occur routinely, but prison and community
	corrections treatment professionals are working to establish a system of file-
	sharing to promote continuity of care
Avarage duration	Medlin model used in prison, but most community providers do not use it Varies, about 18 months
Average duration	varies, about 18 months
Data and Research	Not available
Type	Not available Electronic
Storage Maintenance	SOAB has database of convicted sex offenders assessed since 1996
iviaintenance	
	Data is currently being transferred to web-based application hosted by the

	Pennsylvania Justice Network
	This will allow for analysis of sex offender data
Evaluation	No
D (undulon	REENTRY
	(Refers to state parole practices)
Availability	Reentry courts in two counties (York and Lackawanna)—modeled after drug
	courts
	Program will likely expand to other counties
Pre-release	Not available
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	Not available
Specific initiatives	Not available
Specialized sex offender programming	Identified by Department of Corrections on "hard-to-place" list
Eligibility	All sex offenders are eligible
Population	Not available
Pre-release	Not available
Post-release	Not available
State standard?	No official state criteria
	Board of Probation and Parole works with Department of Corrections to maintain
	unofficial standards
Developed by whom?	Board of Pardons and Parole and Department of Corrections
Oversight by whom?	Board of Pardons and Parole and Department of Corrections
Funding	• State
	Philadelphia also has grant funding from Blueprint project for employment reentry
	programming for medium and high risk offenders—building maintenance program teaches vocational skills
Post-release services	teaches vocational skins
Case management	Transitional Coordinator Parole Agents supervise newly released state prison cases
Cuse management	for up to 90 days before they are transferred to general caseload—agents help with
	transition to community supervision, parole condition compliance, accessing
	benefits and finding employment
	Also Assessment, Sanctioning and Community Resource Agents—do not carry
	caseloads are experts in assessments (LSI-R and STATIC-99), identify additional
	community resources, ensure that graduated sanctions are utilized, and conduct
	cognitive-behavioral education offender groups
Supervision	Mainly parole but some state probation
 Service coordination 	Parole agent becomes part of treatment team for offender
	Institutional parole agents provide information on treatment history and current
	needs of offender to field parole supervision staff—to be used in Transitional
XX (0.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1.1	Accountability Plan
Nonprofit involvement	Some nonprofits in Philadelphiamainly faith-based
• Faith-based	In Philadelphia, most nonprofit service providers are faith-based
• Role	Mainly mentoring One in the interest of the last state and interest of the last stat
Services available	Organization in Berks County that provides housing assistance Definition of the desired of the desire
Services available	Referrals for life skills cognitive-behavioral therapy program, anger management, description descriptio
	drug and alcohol treatment
	 Parole is starting to do cognitive groups Crossroads Curriculum—offered by National Curriculum Training Institute
	(NCTI) and approved by the American Probation and Parole Association
	Several Parole Agents trained and certified by NCTI to facilitate offender groups
	in over 20 subject areas that include life skills, domestic violence, anger
	management, felony offenses, etc
Data and Research	
Type	Assessments, supervision fees, treatment referrals, employment, housing stability,
	technical parole violations, successful parole outcomes
Storage	Electronic

Maintenance	Research Division of Parole Board	
Evaluation	Not yet—but reports that track outcomes	
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION	
(Refers to probation and parole)		
Availability	Yes	
Eligibility	Not mandatory—depends on sentence	
Criteria for decisions	Not available	
Lifetime supervision	Yes	
Supervising agencies	Probation and Parole (state and county)	
Population		
Funding	State supervision is state-funded	
	County supervision is county-funded	
	County probation departments also have grant-in-aid from state	
Classification system		
Year implemented/updated	2000 (estimate)	
Required for	All offenders	
Risk levels	Low, medium, high, enhanced	
Assessment		
Purposes	Classify offenders into risk levels and supervision levels	
	• Supervision staff can override assessment risk level recommendation, but sex	
	offenders cannot be supervised below medium level	
	• The supervision level directs number of contacts, urine tests, etc required each	
	month	
Tools	STATIC-99, LSI-R	
Specialized caseloads	Yes	
Provisions	Sex offender protocol	
Caseload	50-60	
Supervisor requirements	• Trained by SOAB (part of Parole Board)	
	Trained by Center for Sex Offender Management	
Supervision		
Length	Depends on sentence	
Services	Not available	
Collaboration	Not available	
Data and Research		
Type	Assessments, supervision fees, treatment referrals, employment, housing stability,	
	technical parole violations, successful parole outcomes	
Storage	Electronic	
Maintenance	Research Division of Parole Board	
Evaluation	Not yet—but reports that track outcomes	

Rhode Island Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	 Program in medium security facility, where most sex offenders serve majority of sentence Due to staff limitations, intervention at other security levels is limited to program orientation, evaluation, and time limited educational classes
State standard	Yes
Developed by whom?	Guidelines developed by Rhode Island Sex Offender Task Force/Center for Sex Offender Management (CSOM) (based on Colorado guidelines)
Oversight by whom?	Department of Corrections, Director of Behavioral Health
Funding	State
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	 Primarily males Not enough females to operate program Females who meet program criteria are provided individual time-limited interventions if available
Mentally ill	May participate if illness is managed
Criteria for eligibility	 Not mandatory for all sex offenders Some are ordered by sentencing court to attend sex offender treatment Parole Board guidelines require successful participation in treatment to qualify for serious parole consideration
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	400 sentenced (estimate)50 pre-trial (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	 84 slots available for ongoing treatment in medium security specialized unit 6 slots available in maximum security unit psychoeducational class
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	Not available
Average capacity	Not available
Percentage with waiting list	None
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Average ratio of providers/offenders	 1 full-time provider Volunteer staff provide classes for program participants
Average duration	Depends on severity of offense, criminal record, risk level, cooperativeness, progress, length of sentence
Enrollment date	As soon as space is available
Content	Relapse prevention, cognitive distortion, identifying and changing interpersonal contributing factors to crimes, assertiveness/skill building, etc
 Drugs 	No-medication only available for mental illness
Truth tests	No
 Individualized vs. manualized 	Individualized
Treatment requirement for release	 No—treatment is ongoing into community recovery For release, sex offender must demonstrate substantive change in contributing factors to crimes and adequate level of awareness
Completion rate	No formal completionAverage number of parole releases per year is 6 (estimate)
Provider certification	No formal licensing or certification requirements
Assessment	
Purposes	Not available
Tools	STATIC-99 used over course of program
Data and Research	

Туре	Recidivism	
Storage	Not available	
Maintenance	Sex Offender Treatment Program (SOTP)	
Evaluation	Not available	
TREATMENT—COMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)		
Availability	Yes	
Noncitizens	Not available	
Gender	Males and females	
Criteria for eligibility	Not available	
REENTRY		
Availability		
Pre-release	Yes	
Post-release	Yes	
Percentage of state prisons with services	Not available	
Specific initiatives	Yes, - National Institute of Corrections Transition from Prison to the Community (TPC) Initiative	
Specialized sex offender programming	No—awaiting approval for funding to provide reentry classes to sex offenders who refuse to participate in Sex Offender Treatment Program	
Eligibility	All offenders who participate in the Sex Offender Treatment Program are eligible	
Population	Not available	
Pre-release	Not available	
Post-release	Not available	
Pre-release programming		
Releasing authority and criteria	 Parole Board STATIC-00, Sex Offender Treatment Program reports factor into release decisions 	
Enrollment date	Approximately one year prior to release date	
Services available	Not available	
Case management	Yes—discharge planner	
COMMUNITY SUPERVISION		
Supervision		
Length	Not available	
Services	Employment, education, housing, treatment, and other community needs	
Collaboration	Yes—with discharge planners	

South Carolina Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	Available in one treatment facility
Funding	State
Eligibility	State
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males only
Mentally ill	No No
Criteria for eligibility	Not mandatory for all sex offenders
Cincina for engionity	 Available to all sex offenders who meet the following criteria:
	o Offender must be within 5 years of release date
	o Offender must be sentenced for an offense that is reviewable by the Sexual
	Violent Predator Act
	o Offender must be free in system for three years
	 Offender must be able to read at a 5th grade level or higher Offender must be ambulatory (unit on 2nd floor–not wheelchair accessible)
	o Offender must be ambulatory (unit on 2 nd floor–not wheelchair accessible)
	 Offender's mental health status must be stable
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	2,800 (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	1.7%
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	1
Average capacity	46
Percentage with waiting list	100%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:46
Average duration	20 months (official)
Enrollment date	36 months, average
Content	• Phase 1: education
	Phase 2: cognitive-behavioral therapy (assault cycle groups, arousal
	reconditioning, relationship skills, victim empathy, relapse prevention)
• Drugs	No
Truth tests	No
Individualized vs. manualized	Manualized
Treatment requirement for release	No
Completion rate	70%
Provider certification	Bachelor's degree and continuing training
Assessment	
Purposes	Not applicable
Tools	Not applicable
Data and Research	
Type	Not applicable
Storage	Not applicable
Maintenance	Not applicable
Evaluation	Not applicable

South Dakota Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	3 main facilities for adult males
·	Available in women's prison as well
State standard	Standardized program but standards not legislatively mandated
	No Sex Offender Management Board
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
Funding	State
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	No
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	If person is mentally competent than can participate
·	 If person needs treatment for mental illness, that is prioritized over sex offender treatment Special needs sex offenders are maintained
Criteria for eligibility	Must be part of intensive treatment plan
	 Both convicted sex offenders and cases that plead down from sex offenses are screened for mandatory treatment Treatment excludes individuals on hold in Immigration and Customs Enforcement facilities, individuals with a life sentence, single misdemeanor cases, individuals with 6 years or longer between sex offenses
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	 804 total (official as of 4/1/08) 493 convicted of sex offense, 311 who pleaded down from sex offense (official)
Percentage in treatment	13%
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	4 (1 is women's prison)
Average capacity	 60 at low-medium (estimate) 30 at high-medium (estimate) 10 at maximum security (estimate)
Percentage with waiting list	0%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:10
Average duration	12 months (official)
Enrollment date	12 months (official)
Content	Not available
 Drugs 	Not available
Truth tests	Polygraphs
Individualized vs. manualized	Not available
Treatment requirement for release	No
Completion rate	Not available
Provider certification	Licensing is not required
Assessment	
Purposes	To decide treatment regimen (low, moderate, high, and extreme)
Tools	LSI-R, ABEL, PSCAN
Data and Research	
Туре	Demographics, crime codes, treatment completion, risk levels, info on victims, etc
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Sex Offender Management Program (SOMP)
Evaluation	Numbers are reported

TREATMENT—COMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)	
Availability	
Noncitizens	No
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Mandatory for sex offenders under community supervision if assessed as needing
Criteria for engionity	it
	If current offense is sex offense, then offender will most likely be required to
	attend treatment
	Department of Corrections (DOC) and SOMP decide eligibility
Individualized treatment plans	SOMP staff
Funding	State, offender
Population	State, offender
Probation	Not available
Parole	225
Other community corrections	Not available
Percentage in treatment	Two available
Probation Probation	Not available
Parole	56%
Other community corrections	Not available
Treatment providers	Two available
Number	7 providers—some provide services in more than 1 community
Distribution	Statewide
Percentage with waiting list	Not available
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate	36 of 225 completed as of last month
Treatment modality	Level 1—cognitive restructuring, relapse prevention, weekly groups, ABEL
•	assessment, polygraph monitoring, arousal control techniques, some GPS, psychopharmacological and/or chemical interventions • Level 2—cognitive restructuring, relapse prevention, weekly or biweekly groups,
-	polygraph monitoring
Drugs	Yes
Truth tests	Polygraphs
Individualized vs. manualized	Not available
Continuity of treatment	Yes
Average duration	36 months
Data and Research	N P . 11
Type	Not applicable
Storage	Not applicable
Maintenance	Not applicable
Evaluation	Not applicable
	REENTRY
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	100%
Specific initiatives	Yes, through Department of Education
Specialized sex offender programming	Yes—through STOP program
	Modules include family history, sexual terminology, sexual anatomy and
	diagramming, disclosure assignments
Eligibility	All sex offenders entering community are eligible
Population	22 total
Pre-release	7 (technically on parole but still housed in prison)
Post-release	15 (in minimum custody unit)
State standard?	Community Transition Program
Suit suituitu.	- Community Transition Program

	Work with difficult to transition, those without families
	• Teach basic survival skills (6 weeks of classroom education), then job assistance
D 1 11 1 0	through trustee facility
Developed by whom?	Not available
Oversight by whom?	Department of Corrections, Board of Pardons and Parole, SOMP
Funding	State, grants
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	Board of Pardons and Paroles
	Department of Corrections makes decisions for sex offenders not released onto
	parole
	• Release decisions based on risk level—assessed using LSI-R, RRASOR, STATIC-
T 11 1 .	99, ABEL, MnSOST-R
Enrollment date	2 months prior to release date
Services available	Depends on risk level and living situation upon release
	Alcohol/drug treatment, mental health, etc
Case management	Transitional case managers
Post-release services	
Case management	Parole services case manager—not same as prison case manager
	Prison case manager passes entire file to parole case manager upon release
Supervision	Not available
Service coordination	Yes
Nonprofit involvement	No
 Faith-based 	Not applicable
• Role	Not applicable
Services available	• Individual and group counseling, polygraph testing, assessment, personality tests
	Available until discharge
Data and Research	
Type	Demographics, crime code, treatment compliance, treatment of days in contacting
	treatment provider
Storage	Electronic—Parole Adult Tracking System (PATS)
Maintenance	Board of Pardons and Parole
Evaluation	Yes
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION (Refers to Parole)
	Yes
Availability	1
Eligibility Criteria for decisions	Supervision is mandatory
	Not applicable
Lifetime supervision	• Yes—all sex offenders are eligible
	Decisions not necessarily based on offense severity
g	Some are under registration laws and residence laws for lifetime
Supervising agencies	Parole
Population	225 on parole
Funding Classification system	State
Classification system	Net available
Year implemented/updated	Not available
Required for	All sex offenders
Risk levels	• Intensive, maximum, moderate, minimum, and paper only (just a monthly progress
	report)
	Sex offenders can only get about mid range
Assessment	Yes
Purposes	To assess changes in risk level, classification
Tools	• ABEL, STATIC-99
	• MnSOST-R
	Community Risk Assessment Scale
Specialized caseloads	Some parole officers carry sex offenders on caseload, but retain non-sex offenders as

	well
Provisions	Experienced staff
Caseload	Not available
Supervisor requirements	Additional training
Supervision	
Length	5 years (estimate)
Services	Group counseling, individual counseling, reassessments, polygraphs, mental health
	services
Collaboration	Yes
Data and Research	
Type	Not applicable
Storage	Not applicable
Maintenance	Not applicable
Evaluation	Not applicable

Texas Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	 Available in 3 facilities—2 male, 1 female Prisoners move from other facilities to specialized facilities for treatment
	• 2 programs:
	o 18-month intensive treatment
	 4-month education program for low risk offenders
State standard	Treatment standards have existed since the early 1990's
Developed by whom?	• Council on Sex Offender Treatment (CSOT, 7-member board)
	Developed by cooperative effort of different agencies
	CSOT responsible for licensing sex offender treatment providers in the state
Oversight by whom?	• CSOT—continual review process
	• 3 revision processes since 1997, but no direct oversight of agencies
Funding	State
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	Yes, unless they have an order of deportation
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Ineligible if in special care facility, but otherwise eligible
Criteria for eligibility	Offenders in minimum custody with a current sex offense
D 14	If selected for treatment, it is required
Population	26.121 11
Sex offenders in prison population	• 26,121 with current sex offense (official as of July 2007)
	• 34,078 with current or prior sex offense (official as of July 2007)
Percentage in treatment	• 484 treatment beds
	• 111 education beds
D	• 28 beds for female offenders
Programs Prisons with programs available	3 (1 women's)
Average capacity	• Male prisons: 204 beds; 252 beds
Average capacity	• Female prison: 28 beds
Percentage with waiting list	100%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:25 (estimate)
Average duration	• 18 months for treatment program
Triolage duration	4 months for education program
Enrollment date	Eligible within last 18-24 months before release date
Content	Accepting responsibility for deviant behavior, victim empathy, cognitive-
20	behavioral therapy, relapse prevention
	• Education program curriculum includes topics such as healthy sexuality, cognitive
	restructuring, etc
• Drugs	No
Truth tests	No
Individualized vs. manualized	General structure within which individual programs are created
Treatment requirement for release	Depends on offender release type—Board of Pardons and Parole may vote that
1	offender must successfully complete assigned treatment program in order to be
	released by specified date
Completion rate	In last 2 fiscal years, 83% of offenders who entered treatment successfully completed
	it or were still successfully completing treatment at time of treatment
Provider certification	Must receive license—Department of Corrections has until 2010 to comply
	Must have another mental health license (Master's level or higher)
	Must complete certain number of hours of specialized training

Assessment	All sex offenders are assessed (including those in civil commitment)
Purposes	At treatment, used to get a snapshot of individual risk and needs
ruiposes	At civil commitment, used to determine whether or not further evaluation is
	needed
	• In general, tools used for risk assessment
Tools	
10018	• At treatment—PAI (Personality Assessment Inventory—standardized for
	incarcerated offenders), clinical interview, MnSOST, STATIC-99, MSI, Sex
	offender incomplete sentence blank
	• For registration—since 1999 Texas has used STATIC-99, but moving toward a
	dynamic instrument that incorporates STATIC-99, PCLR (hair psychopathy
	checklist), LSI-R
D (1D 1	All tools have been validated
Data and Research	
Туре	Demographics, offense, evaluation, length of time in treatment, treatment
a.	components, custody information, disciplinary issues
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Criminal Justice Policy Council study looks at impact of programming
	State auditor's report measures recidivism for sex offenders in treatment
TREATMENT—COMMUNITY BASE	D (Refers to treatment on probation, parole/mandatory supervision, and civil commitment)
Availability	V
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Mandatory for all sex offenders under community supervision
	Texas is only state with outpatient civil commitment
Individualized treatment plans	State standardized plan tailored to individual needs
Funding	Probation/Parole—offenders required to pay for services
	Civil commitment—Department of State Health Services
Population	
Probation	Not available
Parole	3,773 (official as of 10/2007)
Other community corrections	Civil commitment—35 of 84 sexually violent predators being treatment in the
	community
Treatment providers	
Number	427 providers licensed by DSHS (must have license to treat sex offenders)
Distribution	Statewide, but more providers in metropolitan areas than rural areas
Percentage with waiting list	0%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	All have slots available
Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	State standard requires arousal control, cognitive-behavioral therapy, sexual
·	offense sequence and reoffense prevention, victim empathy, increasing social
	competency, comorbid diagnosis, support system, adjunct therapy if needed
	• Civil commitment employs assessments at onset and release using STATIC-99,
	MnSOST-R, PCLR
Drugs	Biomedical approaches can be used (especially with sexually violent predators)
<u> </u>	SSRIs, Depo Provera used most frequently
	Chemical/physical castration used upon offender request
Truth tests	4 types of polygraph tests—Instant offense, maintenance, monitoring, sexual
	history
	Plethysmographs used in civil commitment
Individualized vs. manualized	Both—general state standard is individualized to offender needs
Continuity of treatment	Most sex offenders do not receive treatment in prison
Community of incamment	<u> </u>
Avamaga duratian	• For those that have, there is an effort to make it continuous
Average duration	Varies—average for probationer is 1 year to 4 years
Data and Research	

Туре	Not applicable
Storage	Not applicable
Maintenance	Agencies maintain own data
Evaluation	• 2005 legislation requires Council to study tools that best predict sex offender
	recidivism
	• Study based on probationers with sex offenses and 5-10 years of supervision
	• Results should be available by 2009
	REENTRY
Availability	Reentry programming for sex offenders limited to pre-release treatment
COMMUNI	TY SUPERVISION (refers to probation and parole)
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Parole—depends on sentence
Criteria for decisions	Not available
Lifetime supervision	Yes, but only if offender gets lifetime sentence and is paroled
Supervising agencies	Probation (county-level) and parole (state-level)
Population	• Probation—12,910 sex offenders as of 8/31/06
	Parole—see above
Funding	Probation—county-funded
	Parole—state-funded
Classification system	Use STATIC-99 for classification until new system is in place
Year implemented/updated	2003
Required for	All sex offenders supervised on specialized caseload
	Risk assessment mandated for registration and supervision purposes
Risk levels	• 3 tiers (all higher than standard supervision):
	• Low: 2 face-to-face contacts, 2 collateral contacts (treatment provider,
	spouse)
	Medium: 3 face-to-face contacts, 2 collateral contacts
	High: 4 face-to-face contacts, 2 collateral contacts
	• Also Super Intensive Supervision Program (SISP)—includes non-sex offenders as
	well (requires 6 face-to-face contacts, 2 collateral contacts, monitoring component—GPS, active or passive)
Assessment	component—of S, active of passive)
Purposes	Registration and supervision
Tools	STATIC-99
Specialized caseloads	Yes
Provisions	Treatment, no contact with victim or children, no entry in child safety zones, no
	entry, polygraph, other discretionary provisions
Caseload	30:1 (40:1 for SISP)
Supervisor requirements	• 40 hours of training (special training for SISP)
	No additional certification requirements
Supervision	
Length	Not available
Services	Most required to attend treatment—halfway houses, education (for offenders
	below certain education level)
	Referrals to substance abuse services, family violence services, etc.
Collaboration	Yes—between case manager, treatment provider, polygraph tester
Data and Research	
Type	Demographics, offense, conditions, etc.
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Parole Division has Offender Information Management System
Evaluation	Policy council does descriptive analysis

Utah Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED	
Availability	Available in certain facilities
State standard	Yes
Developed by whom?	Association for the Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA)
Oversight by whom?	Legislature and multi-disciplinary Sex Offender Task Force
	Prison programming staff oversees actual prison treatment programming
Funding	Not available
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	Yes, but depends on deportation status
Gender	Males and females (as needed for females)
Mentally ill	Yes
Criteria for eligibility	Mandatory for all sex offenders
e ,	• Small group of offenders (i.e. third degree felons) are assessed as not needing
	treatment
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	1,860 (official as of 8/07)
Percentage in treatment	Not available
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	1 prison, 1 county jail
Average capacity	• 222 currently enrolled
	• 55 will be enrolled within next few months
Percentage with waiting list	1 (1,351 currently waiting, excluding those on INS and those not flagged yet)
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:232
Average duration	12-18 months
Enrollment date	18 months prior to release date
Content	Cognitive-behavioral therapy (group only)
• Drugs	Impulse control drugs can be administered, but are very rarely used
21450	Psychotropic drugs available for mental illness
Truth tests	No, but trying to implement polygraphs in prison
Individualized vs. manualized	Both—core requirements for all, but therapist may tailor treatment to individual
Treatment requirement for release	Yes—unless determined as ready to continue in a less restrictive program
Completion rate	• 70 graduates in 2007
Completion rate	 Most who did not complete the treatment program still had their needs
	successfully met
Provider certification	Standards for treatment providers certified by Task Force—reviewed every 3 years
r Tovider Certification	
Aggaggmant	Continuing training—10 hours per year minimum
Assessment	To determine which and a offer denie willing and made for treatment to determine
Purposes	To determine whether the offender is willing and ready for treatment, to determine academic ability
Tools	
10018	State-developed tool for pre-treatment assessment Plan to implement psychosogypul avaluation
	Plan to implement psychosexual evaluation
TREATMENT—COMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)	
Availability	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Not mandatory for all sex offenders, but almost all cases require evaluation and
	treatment
Individualized treatment plans	Usually the provider
	• Court or Parole Board can order an "intensive" course of treatment for certain

	offenses
Funding	Offender pays for private treatment
	If offender cannot afford to pay in private sector, there are a couple of state
	programs in heavily populated areas (such as Salt Lake County) that can assist
Population	
Probation	842 (official)
Parole	725 (official)
Other community corrections	Not available
Treatment providers	
Number	About 100 licensed providers (estimate)
Distribution	Statewide, but few in rural areas
Percentage with waiting list	Four half-way houses with inpatient sex offender programs are likely to have waiting lists
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	 Cognitive-behavioral approach with relapse prevention Individual, group, and psychoeducational sessions
Drugs	No, but psychotropic drugs are available for those with mental illness
Truth tests	Polygraphs required as part of treatment and community supervision
Individualized vs. manualized	Individualized
Continuity of treatment	Yes—prison providers complete a termination summary on progress of the offender for community providers
Average duration	18-36 months (estimate)
Data and Research	
Туре	Basic data
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Utah Department of Corrections has F-Track system
Evaluation	Not available
	REENTRY
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	100%
Specific initiatives	Participant in National Institute of Corrections study called Women Offender Caseload Management Model (WOCMM) for female inmates We have a supplied to the control of the control o
	Women's prison has program called Your Parole Requires Extensive Preparation (Y-PREP)
	 Men's and Women's Summit groups incorporate services from community programs and volunteer services across state
	• Transition Parole Agents provide a higher level of service for parolees during first 90 days of release
Specialized sex offender programming	Yes, initiative to lower recidivism
Eligibility	
Population	All offenders released onto parole
Pre-release	Not available
Post-release	Not available
Funding	 State Offender pays for treatment in community whenever possible
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	Utah Board of Pardons and Parole
	Release decisions based on Criminal History Assessment Matrix, severity of
	crime, victims, time served, programming completed while incarcerated, good behavior, assessment scores
	 Assessment tools used are Criminal History Assessment Matrix, STATIC-99, MnSOST-R

Enrollment date	Release services begin 3-6 months prior to release date
Services available	If sex offender required to complete Community Correctional Center program,
	offered transitional housing at Community Correctional Center
Case management	Institutional Parole Officers assigned 6 months prior to release
Post-release services	
Case management	Transitional Parole Officers for 90 days (or until stable)—then transferred to standard
	parole officers, halfway houses, intense supervised parole
Supervision	Specialized parole officers—receive information in case file, programming information, parole agreement, any disciplinary action, etc
Service coordination	Not available
Nonprofit involvement	Yes
Faith-based	10% of nonprofits that provide reentry services are faith-based (estimate)
• Role	Service provision
Services available	Housing, employment services, treatment programming, counseling
Data and Research	
Туре	Information on recidivism
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Yes – to evaluate recidivism
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Not mandatory, but will be required in most cases
Criteria for decisions	Judges and Parole Board decide
	Have the option of requiring incarceration until end of sentence, but community
	supervision is utilized in almost all cases
Lifetime supervision	Option is available
Supervising agencies	
Population	• Probation—842 (official)
	• Parole—725 (official)
Funding	State
Classification system	
Year implemented/updated	Around 2003
Required for	All sex offenders
Risk levels	• Intensive, High, Moderate, Low
	• All sex offenders are held to highest level of supervision for first year of
	community supervision
	Reductions in standards may be requested after first year
Assessment	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •
Purposes	Measure improvement in dynamic areas (work, personal relationships, treatment, financial, etc)
Tools	Assessed every 6 months with LSI (only measuring traditional risks, not sex offender risk)
	 Department of Corrections does not formally utilize any tool designed to measure
	specific sexual risk
	Providers use own risk assessment tools
Specialized caseloads	Yes
Provisions	Specific training in sex offender management
11071310113	Specific training in sex offender management Smaller caseloads
Caseload	40-80, depending on location (estimate)
Supervisor requirements	Ongoing training available in highly populated areas but not rural areas
Supervision Supervision	Ongoing training available in inginy populated areas but not fural areas
Length	Probation—average of 36 months but ranges from 1 to 5 years (estimate)
Longui	
Compined	Parole—3 years to lifetime supervision (estimate) Treatment with private providers or with state providers (for law income offenders)
Services Collaboration	Treatment with private providers or with state providers (for low income offenders) Ves. perole officers work closely with individual and group therepiets other local
Collaboration	Yes—parole officers work closely with individual and group therapists, other local

	law enforcement, prosecutors, defense lawyers, victim reparations case managers, social workers, Child Services workers, local government leaders, legislators, media, community groups, sex offender registration authorities, etc
Data and Research	
Туре	 Vehicle information, family, health, education status, DNA, scars/marks, date of birth, legal status, employment Sex offender-specific data—nature of offense, age of victim, victim approach, offense location, sexual behavior, physical description, voice sound, etc
Storage	Electronic correctional databases—F-Track and O-Track
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Yes

Vermont Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	 Two facilities offer treatment for males—sex offenders transferred into these facilities for treatment One facility for females
State standard	Yes
Developed by whom?	 No sex offender treatment board Program started in 1982 with inpatient treatment providers and some out-patient treatment providers
Oversight by whom?	 Department of Corrections has decision-making authority Covers correctional facilities, probation, parole (all are located in Department of Corrections)
Funding	State
Eligibility	
Noncitizens	Yes—except for people who are about to be extradited
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Participate in group treatment with non-mentally ill sex offenders
	Also individualized program for offenders who cannot handle group environment
Criteria for eligibility	 Must be convicted of sexual offense or sexually related offense, must take some degree of responsibility for offense, must be open to treatment, and must not have detainer Entry is prioritized by minimum release date Offenders are divided into 3 levels of programming based on risk/need: Low risk—6 months
	o Moderate risk—12-18 months
5	o High/Violent—24-36 months
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	426 (official as of 6/30/07)
Percentage in treatment	• 83 (estimate)
<u> </u>	Females on an as needed basis
Programs	2 1 6 777
Prisons with programs available	 2 male facilities 1 female facility
Average capacity	90 (total capacity for all 3 programs)
Percentage with waiting list	Not available
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Average ratio of providers/offenders	Varies by program—6.5 clinicians
Average duration	 Low risk—6 months Moderate risk—14 months High/violent risk—24 months
Enrollment date	Calculated by subtracting duration of treatment from minimum release date
Content	Cognitive-behavioral therapy, relapse prevention, victim empathy, arousal conditioning, etc
• Drugs	SSRIs and Luperon
Truth tests	No
Individualized vs. manualized	Manualized
Treatment requirement for release	Corrections will not recommend parole at minimum release date unless treated
Completion rate	 Total completion rate since 1996 (all 3 levels): 69% (official) 2002 high risk—74%
	• 2003 moderate risk—74%
Provider certification	All providers must have Master's degree in social work/psychology, but no special requirements for treating sex offenders.

Assessment	
Purposes	Risk assessment, treatment progress
Tools	 Risk assessed using RRASOR, STATIC-99, Vermont Assessment of Sex Offender Risk (VASOR—state customized tool) For moderate-high risk sex offenders, also use PCLR (psychopathy checklist) for intensive program (LSI of 23 or higher) Abel and Becker cognitive distortion scale, BURT rapist attitude scale, Michigan alcohol screen test, Wilson sex fantasy questionnaire, penile plethysmograph
	 Vermont also has state customized treatment progress scale for evaluating dynamic factors
Data and Research	
Туре	Demographics, risk scores, treatment progress scores
Storage	Electronic and paper files
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Community- and prison-based treatment evaluations
TREATMENT—CO	OMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	Mandatory (98% of sex offenders on probation and 100% on parole required to participate)
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Must take responsibility for the sexual offense
Individualized treatment plans	Provider determines risk level, but guidelines determine substance of program
Funding	Offender, insurance, state
Population	CO1 (. CC .: 1 C C/20/07)
Probation	601 (official as of 6/30/07) 52 (official as of 6/30/07)
Parole Other community corrections	Furlough status—109 (official as of 6/30/07)
Percentage in treatment	 About 350 offenders in treatment at any given time (estimate) A lot of offenders have completed treatment and remain on supervision so this does not reflect the percentage of supervisees that participate in treatment
Probation	Not available
Parole	Not available
Other CC	Not available
Treatment providers	
Number	12 (estimate)
Distribution	Statewide
Percentage with waiting list	0%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	Same as prison treatment
Drugs Truth tests	Yes Polygraph yeard to determine compliance with symposision requirements
Individualized vs. manualized	Polygraph used to determine compliance with supervision requirements Manualized
Continuity of treatment	Yes
Average duration	24 months followed by 1 year of aftercare (for both probationers and parolees)
Data and Research	2. Montais 1910 (193 b) 1 year of artereure (191 both probationers and paroleos)
Type	Same as prison-based treatment
Storage	Electronic and paper
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Yes
	REENTRY
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes (but no halfway houses for sex offenders)

Percentage of state prisons with services	100%
Specific initiatives	Not available
Specialized sex offender programming	Yes—Community Justice Program, but no longer funded
Eligibility	
Population	Any sex offender who has gone through treatment is eligible
	• 94 on furlough in June 2007
Pre-release	Not available
Post-release	Not available
State standard?	All programs are same
Developed by whom?	Department of Corrections
Oversight by whom?	Department of Corrections
Funding	State
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	Department of Corrections has authority to release on furlough
Enrollment date	6 months prior to anticipated release date
Services available	Main focus is to develop social support system
	• Also housing, employment services
Case management	Case manager assigned at intake
	Each prison has a designated case manager
Post-release services	- Each prison has a designated case manager
Case management	Probation/parole officers—collaborate with prison case manager
o Supervision	Probation/parole officers
Service coordination	Not available
Nonprofit involvement	Some
o Faith-based	Yes
o Role	Service providers (some have shelters)
Services available	Housing, social support, rehabilitation services
Sor roos aranese	 No halfway houses—Department of Corrections funding can be used to help with
	initial housing costs if necessary
Data and Research	,
Туре	Not applicable
Storage	Not applicable
Maintenance	Not applicable
Evaluation	Not applicable
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Mandatory for all sex offenders
Criteria for decisions	Not applicable
Lifetime supervision	Yes—determined by court
Supervising agencies	Probation and parole (parole officers supervise furlough)
Population Population	Not available
Funding	State
Classification system	
Year implemented/updated	Not available
Required for	Not available
Risk levels	Low-moderate, moderate-high, high
Assessment	
Purposes	Assess risk, treatment progress
Tools	Same tools used as in prison-based treatment
Specialized caseloads	Yes
Provisions	Polygraph, but no GPS or electronic monitoring
Caseload	Not available
Supervisor requirements	Specialized training
Supervision	
Length	Varies

Services	Housing, social support, rehabilitation services
	 No halfway houses, but Department of Corrections funding can be used to help
	with initial housing costs if necessary
Collaboration	Not available

Virginia Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	 One intensive residential treatment program for medium to high risk sex offenders (SORT) 15 designated sites provide less intensive services
State standard	No
Developed by whom?	Not applicable

Oversight by whom?	Department of Corrections (DOC)
Funding	 Residential program is on a specific legislative budget The rest is funded by DOC
Eligibility	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	 Only males have access to residential treatment Limited treatment for females
Mentally ill	Screened for stability before entering treatment
Criteria for eligibility	 Intensive program—eligibility based on time in system, medium to high risk of re-offense, behavior record Other programs—everyone is screened Once eligible, treatment is compulsory—lose ability to earn good time if refuse
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	3,500 (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	 20% in some sort of programming (estimate) Probably only 5% in sex offender-specific programming (estimate)
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	16
Average capacity	 SORT—78 active, 42 pending Other programs—8-12 per group, 1 group per facility
Percentage with waiting list	100% (estimate)
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0% (estimate)
Average ratio of providers/offenders	 SORT- 1:11 (includes mental health professionals, social workers, risk assessment administrators) Varies for other programs
Average duration	 SORT-2-3 years (estimate), with maximum of 6 years Other programs-up to one year, but new groups will be 12-18 weeks
Enrollment date	 SORT–preference is to begin 3-6 years before release date Other programs vary
Content	SORT—relapse prevention, covert sensitization, cognitive-behavioral therapy, arousal control
• Drugs	• Only in SORT—use SSRIs, but not very often (only 4 of 52 admissions in 2007 received SSRIs)
Truth tests	Polygraphs used only in SORT
 Individualized vs. manualized 	SORT is individualized
Treatment requirement for release	Not available
Completion rate	 62% in 2007 Of 50 discharged cases—1 administrative removal, 28 paroled, 4 refused programming, 11 treatment removals/expulsions, 3 removals for security reasons, 3 sexually violent predators were civilly committed
Provider certification	 Qualified Mental Health Practitioners In general, master's level education If working with sex offenders, must be state-certified (or working on it), or under the supervision of someone who is certified Must be certified within a year of start date in residential program Department of Corrections has American Correctional Association standards as well –40 hours of training a year
Assessment	and the state of t
Purposes	 SORT—pre-screening to assess risk level If medium to high risk, assessed for risk and needs Other programs—to prioritize cases, assess sexual interest Some clinical override allowed
Tools	 SORT—Stable (but staff only use as guideline) Other programs—STATIC-99, LSI-R, MSI, MMPI
Data and Research	

Туре	Not available	
Storage	Electronic	
Maintenance	Department of Research and Development	
Evaluation	Process evaluation on SORT	
TREATMENT—COMP	MUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)	
Availability		
Noncitizens	Yes—but most of the time they would be detained by Immigration and Customs Enforcement	
Gender	Males and females	
Criteria for eligibility	Most sex offenders must successfully complete treatment as a condition of their probation	
Individualized treatment plans	Parole officer and treatment provider make treatment decisions, sometimes with input from others	
Funding	 DOC Co-pay from offenders in some districts 	
Population	2,400 as of March 4, 2008 (estimate)	
Probation	Not available	
Parole	Not available	
Other community corrections	Not available	
Percentage in treatment	Not available	
Probation	Not available	
Parole	Not available	
Other community corrections	Not available	
Treatment providers		
Number	New contract began in October 2007—26 providers on contract	
Distribution	Statewide	
Percentage with waiting list	Some	
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available	
Completion rate	Not available	
Treatment modality	Cognitive-behavioral therapy, relapse prevention	
Drugs	No No	
Truth tests	Polygraphs	
Individualized vs. manualized	 Treatment plans should be individualized Some group treatment is manualized 	
Continuity of treatment	Only one prison treatment program (SORT)—if individual released from SORT then community treatment is consistent	
Average duration	Varies	
Data and Research		
Type	Yes	
Storage	Electronic	
Maintenance	DOC—Research and Evaluation Department	
Evaluation	Some analysis in containment sites	
REENTRY		
Availability		
Pre-release	Yes	
Post-release	Yes—most are provided by non-governmental agencies through Department of Criminal Justice Services funding	
Percentage of state prisons with services	 All have programming to an extent Productive Citizenship offered in all facilities but there are waiting lists so not all inmates will receive it 	
Specific initiatives	 Virginia Reentry Policy Academy (established in June 2006) Outgrowth of work with National Governor's Association 	
Specialized sex offender programming	No	
Eligibility	All sex offenders are eligible	

Population	Not available
Pre-release	Not available
	Not available
• Post-release	
State standard?	No-but under development by the Sex Offender Steering Committee (SOSC)
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
Funding	Pre-release—State general funds
D 1	Post-release—Department of Criminal Justice Services
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	• For those sentenced pre-1995, Parole Board is releasing authority
	Offenders sentenced since 1995—released by DOC when time completed
	Upon release, sex offenders are assessed using the STATIC-99 to determine
	whether or not they should be considered for civil commitment
Enrollment date	Depends on availability
	Want to begin prioritizing people who are near release date
Services available	Productive Citizenship curriculum has 15 sessions—general introduction,
	communication and problem solving, values, dealing with emotion, healthy living,
	healthy sexuality, employment, banking and money management, securing
	housing and transportation, family matter, active parenting, family legal issues,
	substance abuse, resources ad referral, and making it on supervision
	Breaking Barriers workshop—based on cognitive-behavioral model
	• Sex Offender Awareness Program (SOAP)–15-session psychoeducational
	program offered at designated sites
Case management	Institutional counselors assigned at admission
Post-release services	
Case management	Containment model in 17 sites
o Supervision	District parole officer—works with other agencies
 Service coordination 	Collaboration on home plan for sex offender—counselor sends updated home
	plan to parole officer through community release unit
	Also 5 reentry specialists who work in institution and community setting
Nonprofit involvement	Yes
o Faith-based	DOC may contract with faith-based services if they comply with program standards
o Role	Provide referrals to other agencies—mainly for employment services (interview skills,
	life skills, help purchase job-related equipment, transportation, etc.)
Services available	See above
Data and Research	
Type	Offender-Based State Correctional Information System contains data on program
	participation
	EIS is where counselors enter home plans
	In process of developing a system that interfaces data between agencies
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	DOC
Evaluation	Research and Management Section does some analysis
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Majority of sex offenders are under some type of supervision
Criteria for decisions	Determined at sentencing
	Parole was abolished in 1999—majority of currently supervised sex offenders
	entered supervision since them
Lifetime supervision	No
Supervising agencies	Probation and Parole
Population	2,400
Funding	DOC
Classification system	Not based on risk
Year implemented/updated	Not available
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Required for	Not available
Risk levels	Not available
Assessment	
Purposes	Assess risk
Tools	All sex offenders released from prison with a predicate offense for Civil
	Commitment are assessed using the STATIC-99
Specialized caseloads	In some larger districts
Provisions	Not available
Caseload	Varies by district
	• Senior should carry no more than 24 cases
	• Field officers should carry no more than 40 cases
Supervisor requirements	Required to complete courses that include Introduction to Supervision of Sex
	Offenders, Supervision Practices in the Community, Self-Defense
Supervision	
Length	5 years average (estimate)
Services	Substance abuse services, sex offender treatment, polygraph, job training
Collaboration	Yes
Data and Research	
Туре	Yes
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	DOC–Research and Evaluation Department
Evaluation	As described above

Washington, DC Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

TREATMENT—C	OMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	Yes
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Not mandatory
Cintin for enginesity	Decisions about treatment are based on assessments of risk and needs
	All offenders are referred for assessment with a provider based on criminal
	history and the provider assesses whether or not treatment is necessary
Funding	Federal funding
Population	500 on probation and parole (estimate)
Probation	500 on probation and parote (estimate)
Parole	
Other CC	
Percentage in treatment	65-70% (estimate)
Probation Probation	03-70% (cstillate)
Parole	
Other CC	
Treatment providers	
Number	Three contracted providers
Distribution	Not available
	0%
Percentage with waiting list	
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	Supervise under containment model including supervision, treatment, monitoring
	and polygraph
	Cognitive behavioral treatment
	• Provider services must be consistent with Association for the Treatment of Sexual
-	Abusers and Center for Sex Offender Management approach
Drugs	Available on an as needed basis but not widely used
Truth tests	Polygraphs used in assessment and throughout treatment process
Individualized vs. manualized	Individualized
Continuity of treatment	Limited information from Bureau of Prisons
	Court Services Offender Supervision Agency starts fresh with their own
	assessments and treatment plans
Average duration	18-24 months
Data and Research	
Type	Collect information on demographics
	Beginning to track treatment characteristics
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Court Services Offender Supervision Agency
Evaluation	None
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Court Services Offender Supervision Agency supervises all offenders placed on
	probation by the Superior Court of the District of Columbia
	Parole pursuant to the District of Columbia Code
Eligibility	Not mandatory, depends on sentencing
- Anglosiney	 Not mandatory, depends on sentencing If probation case does not finish treatment, there is the option of getting probation
	extended to complete treatment
Criteria for decisions	Judicial discretion
Criteria for decisions	Judiciai discretion

Lifetime supervision	Probation: 5 year limit
	Lifetime supervision is an option for parole
Supervising agencies	Court Services Offender Supervision Agency supervises all offenders placed on probation
Population	500 on probation and parole (estimate)
Funding	Federal funding (refers to adult probation and parole only)
Classification system	
Year implemented/updated	District of Columbia has its own auto screener since 2004 (for risk and needs)
Required for	All sex offenders
Risk levels	Two different systems:
	• For registration: A, B, C, D
	For supervision: Intensive, Maximum, Medium, or Minimum
Assessment	
Purposes	For registration and supervision
Tools	Auto screener looks at dynamic and static needs
	It is in the process of being validated
Specialized caseloads	Yes
Provisions	Global Positioning System (GPS), Electronic Monitoring, computer search
	conditions, special conditions around contact with minors
	 Conditions vary by releasing authority or based on assessment outcome
	No standardized list
Caseload	1:25
Supervisor requirements	Receive special training
Supervision	
Length	• Probation: 2 years (estimate)
	Parole: 5 years (estimate)
Services	Vocational Occupation Unit provides GED, vocational skills, life skills, domestic
	violence treatment
	Treatment referred to outside agency
	Mental health services provide through the Department of Mental Health
Collaboration	Yes

Washington Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	
State standard	No management board—but standard in place for programs and outcomes measured
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
Funding	Legislature
Eligibility	Available for all sex offenders but not all sex offenders receive treatment due to
	limited resources
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Male and females
Mentally ill	Available to them but they are not required to participate
Criteria for eligibility	Decisions about who to place in treatment are based on risk assessment scores on
	RRASOR, MnSOST-R, and STATIC-99
Population	Offender must also have minimum of 12 months left to serve
Sex offenders in prison population	3,187 of 18,209 state prisoners (17.5%) were sentenced for sex offenses (official)
Percentage in treatment	• 200 active treatment beds full for males
rercentage in treatment	8-10 women in treatment
	• Treatment extends outside of prison as well—currently about 15% of the total
D.	treatment population is still in prison (official)
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	Two (one male, one female)
Average capacity	• 200 for males
	8-10 for females
Percentage with waiting list	Both prisons have a waiting list
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:13 (official)
Average duration	13 months average (for both males and females)
Enrollment date	20 months prior to earliest release date (official)
Content	• Relapse prevention, cognitive-behavioral therapy, arousal reconditioning, victim empathy (limited), plethysmograph
	Both group and individual treatment
	Intake plans based on risk and needs
o Drugs	Medication provided when necessary, but not through sex offender treatment
O Diago	program
o Truth tests	No polygraphs
Individualized vs. manualized	Individualized
Treatment requirement for release	Offenders under the Indeterminate Sentence Review Board (ISRB) are required to
	attend treatment, but other sex offenders are not
	 For sex offenders in general, participation in treatment may influence parole
	board decision
Completion rate	92% (official)
Provider certification	No certification or registration requirement for treatment providers, but it may
1 Tovider certification	come up in legislation this year
	Currently there are minimum qualifications which reflect community standards
	for certified sex offender providers
Assessment	for certified sex offender providers
_	Prioritize individuals for treatment
Purposes	
Tools	Identify notification level for each offender LSLP_STATIC 00_PRASOR_MESOST_P Identify notification level for each offender LSLP_STATIC 00_PRASOR_MESOST_P
Tools Date and Research	LSI-R, STATIC-99, RRASOR, MnSOST-R
Data and Research	

Туре	Demographics, completion rates, time in treatment—mainly for tracking purposes		
Storage	Electronic		
Maintenance	Department of Corrections (DOC)		
Evaluation	Washington State Institute for Public Policy conducts evaluations for the state		
TREATMENT—COMN	TREATMENT—COMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)		
Availability	3 types of community-based treatment:		
•	1. Treatment continues from prison in DOC program		
	2. Treatment by private providers paid for by DOC		
	3. Treatment by private providers paid for by offender		
Noncitizens	Yes—unless deported		
Gender	Males and females		
Criteria for eligibility	If treated in prison, expected to continue treatment in the community		
	Most offenders have treatment as stipulation in sentence		
Individualized treatment plans	Provider makes decisions about length of treatment, etc.		
Funding	Three streams:		
	1. Legislative funding to continue with prison treatment program		
	2. DOC funding for treatment from private providers		
	3. Offenders pay on their own		
Population	Probation and parole are consolidated		
Probation	Not applicable		
Parole	Not applicable		
Other community corrections	Community Corrections—3,344 of 27,650 cases (12.1%) are sex offenders (estimate)		
Percentage in treatment			
Probation	Not applicable		
Parole	Not applicable		
Other community corrections	30% (estimate)		
Treatment providers	Private providers must be certified to serve sex offenders		
	Also must have continuing education, tests, etc		
Number	• For DOC program that continues from prison treatment—eight state staff with one		
	supervisor		
	Private providers are numerous		
Distribution	Statewide		
Percentage with waiting list	Not available		
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available		
Completion rate	Not available		
Treatment modality	• For DOC program that continues from prison treatment—content is same as in		
	prison		
	Content varies among private providers (applies to all subheadings in this		
Donas	category)		
Drugs Truth toots	No drugs for DOC program		
Truth tests Individualized vs. manualized	DOC uses polygraph and plethysmograph DOC is individualized		
Continuity of treatment Average duration	Yes (for DOC program) 23 months (estimate)		
Data and Research	See prison-based treatment		
Type	See prison-based treatment See prison-based treatment		
Storage	See prison-based treatment See prison-based treatment		
Maintenance	See prison-based treatment		
Evaluation	See prison-based treatment		
Dyandarion	REENTRY		
Availability			
Pre-release	Yes		
Post-release	Yes		
Percentage of state prisons with services	Every facility offers some reentry programming		
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Specific initiatives	 Legislature and DOC each have an initiative—DOC initiative is called The Reentry Initiative DOC recently received \$25 million from the legislature to enhance services and change reentry programming
Specialized sex offender programming	General reentry programming applies to sex offenders, but there is a special focus on better managing sex offenders
Eligibility	
Population	All offenders
 Pre-release 	Not available
 Post-release 	Not available
State standard?	Yes—in development
Developed by whom?	DOC
Oversight by whom?	DOC, legislature
Funding	Legislative funding
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	 2 authorities: 1. DOC 2. ISRB—has jurisdiction over some offenders with offenses prior to 1984 (only about 140 offenders left in system) In 2001 new legislation created determinate-plus sentencing for persistent sex offenders—ISRB determines release for these offenders based on instruments listed in prison section and polygraph test
Enrollment date	 In theory, pre-release programming starts the day the offender begins his/her sentence Mandated to start as early as 2 years prior to release
Services available	 Life skills, job assistance, family services, substance abuse services, mental health programming Content of programming varies by the security level of the facility—maximum security prisons focus more on violence reduction Family-based programming is restricted in certain situations
Case management	 Classification counselors assigned in prison Assigned 18-20 months before earliest release date
Post-release services	
Case management	 Community Corrections officer manages post-release cases Some service providers come into prison to work with offender 6-12 months before release, and they continue after release as well (this includes treatment providers, reentry specialists, mental health providers)
Supervision	Community Corrections/Parole
o Service coordination	Information sharing between pre- and post-prison case managersProviders coordinate services
Nonprofit involvement	Yes
o Faith-based o Role	At least half of nonprofits who provide reentry services are faith-based (estimate) Sexual assault advocates—involved in placement and reentry Others offer specific services, including housing services
Services available	Same services that are available to all offenders—life skills, chemical dependency, resume development, etc
Data and Research	
Туре	Starting to collect data on new reentry initiative—but data is limited at this point
Storage	DOC
Maintenance	Electronic
Evaluation	Not available COMMUNITY CHIPEDVICION
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	 Depends on when they were sentenced Offenders sentenced after 1990 are supervised post-release

Criteria for decisions	Not applicable
Lifetime supervision	Yes
Supervising agencies	Community Corrections (Probation/Parole)—supervises only felons
Population	3,333 sex offenders (7.8% of total population) (official)
Funding	Legislature
Classification system	
Year implemented/updated	There will be new risk instrument in the spring of 2008
Required for	All sex offenders coming from institutions into the community
	Classification also required for sex offenders who go straight onto probation, but done by local law enforcement
Risk levels	Notification:
	Level 1: in-family offender, information not released to media, just local law
	enforcement
	Level 2: moderate risk—can be released on statewide registry
	Level 3: high risk—media release, direct mailings
	• Cutpoints for each level are based on actuarial assessments (LSI-R, MnSOST-R, RRASOR, STATIC-99)
Assessment	
Purposes	Risk classification, registration and notification requirements, determine who is
	predatory
Tools	Same tools as in prison
Specialized caseloads	• In urban areas, where populations are more dense, they have specialized caseloads
	 No specialized caseloads in rural areas because not enough sex offenders under supervision
Provisions	More supervision, GPS
Caseload	Varies
Supervisor requirements	No additional certification—but sex offender supervisors receive additional training
Supervision	
Length	Three years on average (official number)
	Determinate-plus cases will be lifetime supervision
Services	Treatment, cognitive-behavioral therapy, mental health programs, job services, life skills
Collaboration	Yes
Data and Research	
Type	Monitoring and tracking data available
	Trying to supplement this data with acute information on homelessness, etc.
	(collected through hand surveys)
Storage	DOC
Maintenance	Electronic
Evaluation	Yes—through Government Accountability and Performance program

West Virginia Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

	TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED
Availability	Yes
State standard	Standard being developed by Department of Health and Human Resources (DHHR) in compliance with the Child Protective Act passed in 10/06
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
Funding	Through contract services
Eligibility	Available for all sex offenders
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Yes
Criteria for eligibility	 Not mandatory for all sex offenders Phase 1 recommended for all sex offenders as part of Individualized Program Plan
Population	That Tree in the series of the
Sex offenders in prison population	5,869 (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	Not available
Programs Programs	
Prisons with programs available	8 (official, Department of Programs)
Average capacity	12 (official, Program Mentor/Department in-house standard from programming)
Percentage with waiting list	90% (estimate)
Percentage with 25% empty slots	10% (estimate)
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:12 (estimate)
Average duration	4 phases
	 Phase 2: ongoing until granted parole or within 6 months of discharge Phase 3: starts when granted parole within mandatory holding period or when offender is within 6 months of discharging sentence
Enrollment date	Over one year—often more (estimate)
Content	Cognitive behavioral therapy, arousal control, victim empathy, sexual education, social skills, anger management, legal issues including registry requirements, motivation for offense
• Drugs	No
Truth tests	No
Individualized vs. manualized	Manualized
Treatment requirement for release	No
Completion rate	46.9% (official, 2006-2007 Annual Report)
Provider certification	Provider must be employed by West Virginia Department of Corrections or contracted service provider
	Department of Corrections certifies providers
	• Includes continuing review
	• Includes continuing training—all providers must attend mandatory 32 hours
	annual training and are encouraged to attend the 2 day follow-up retreat
Assessment	Sex offenders not assessed for treatment—assessed during classification
Purposes	For inclusion in psychological evaluation
Tools	RRASOR, MnSOST
Data and Research	
Type	Enrollment/completion stats
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	West Virginia Department of Corrections
Evaluation	None

Availability	
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Mandatory for all sex offenders until released by provider
Individualized treatment plans	Contract providers
Funding	Sex offender management fund
	• Supervision fees
	• Private pay
Population	(Following numbers are for Department of Corrections only)
Probation	49 (estimate)
Parole	77 (estimate)
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Percentage in treatment	100% of those supervised by Department of Corrections
Probation	100%
Parole	100%
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Treatment providers	**
Number	Exact number not available—Department of Corrections employs 7 contract
	providers
Distribution	Localized, only available in larger cities
Percentage with waiting list	None (official, contractual documents)
Percentage with 25% empty slots	None (official, contractual documents)
Completion rate	Not available
Treatment modality	
Drugs	No
Truth tests	Yes
Individualized vs. manualized	Not available
Continuity of treatment	Yes
Average duration	2 years in parole, could be longer if they do not successfully complete the program
	REENTRY
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	100%
Specific initiatives	No
Specialized sex offender programming	No
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	West Virginia Parole Board
	Criteria decision based on criminal history and behavior while in prison
Enrollment date	6 months
Services available	Three levels of sex offender classes offered
Case management	All prisoners are assigned case workers, whether they take programming or not
Post-release services	
Case management	If on parole, then parole officers
Supervision	Not available
Service coordination	Not available
Nonprofit involvement	Yes
Faith-based	Not available
• Role	Medical issues, mentoring
Services available	While on parole, they can get sex offender counseling
Data and Research	Yes
Туре	Program attendance
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Not available

	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Not mandatory
Criteria for decisions	 No supervision for prisoners who discharge their sentences West Virginia State Judges or those states sending offenders to West Virginia decide
Lifetime supervision	Yes, for sexually violent predators
Supervising agencies	Enhanced supervision, electronic monitoring, polygraph, treatment
Population	 Total: 126 Probation: 49 (estimate) Parole: 77 (estimate)
Funding	Sex offender management fund, parole supervision fees collected
Classification system	Yes
Year implemented/updated	Implemented 2006Modified August 2007
Required for	All
Risk levels	Low, moderate, high
Assessment	Yes
Purposes	Assess risk and treatment
Tools	SOTNPS by treatment provider
Specialized caseloads	Yes
Provisions	Increased contacts, electronic monitoring, polygraph, mandated treatment
Caseload	35-40, estimate
Supervisor requirements	Electronic monitoring, sex offender policy
Supervision	
Length	2 years (estimate)
Services	Treatment and counseling either by agency contracted staff or private pay providers
Collaboration	Yes
Data and Research	
Туре	Records of polygraphs and results, electronic monitoring duration, treatment and completion
Storage	Electronic
Maintenance	Department of Corrections for Department of Corrections offenders
Evaluation	Yes, evaluation compliance to sex offender specific laws and policy

Wisconsin Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED	
Availability	Yes, in certain facilities (treatment and program facilities)
State standard	Yes
Developed by whom?	Not available
Oversight by whom?	Not available
Funding	State
Eligibility	Not available for all sex offenders
Englosity	 For some, recommend lower level of treatment in community (i.e. education, aftercare); higher risk offenders are eligible
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Mentally ill	Not required
Criteria for eligibility	Recommended for some
	• Sex offenders have the option of refusing
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	As of April 18, 2008, 4,600, or 20-25% of prison population for hands-on offense (estimate)
Percentage in treatment	 About 12% (based on official data but estimate) Does not count people who are in for life sentences (treatment only starts within last 5 years of sentence) or offenders who refuse treatment
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	8 facilities
Average capacity	12 offenders per program—there may be multiple programs per facility
Percentage with waiting list	100%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	1:6 (2:12)
Average duration	From 6 months to 2 years
Enrollment date	• Shorter term: within about 36 months
	• Longer term: within about 5 years before sentence is complete
Content	Cognitive behavioral therapy, Thornton's approach
• Drugs	No, though psychotropics available to treat mental illness
Truth tests	Yes, polygraphs in 2 of the programs (both are from long term programs)
Individualized vs. manualized	Manualized
Treatment requirement for release	No
Completion rate	• Short term: 80-85%
•	• Long term: 80%
Provider certification	None required
Assessment	
Purposes	To determine risk level and pervasiveness—this will determine course of treatment (short term versus long term)
Tools	None—in house assessment procedure based on PRASOR and STATIC-99
Data and Research	
Type	Varies between programs
Storage	Varies between programs
Maintenance	Varies between programs
Evaluation	Margaret Alexander, 1999
	REENTRY
Availability	 Reentry is a philosophy—not a program Technically, everything the Department does from the point of intake through discharge is to prepare offenders for reentry

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Pre-release	Pre-release curriculum offered to all inmates
	o Has 10 modules: wellness, health, personal development, family support,
	education, employment, financial literacy, housing, transportation,
	transitional preparation
	Provides inmates with portfolios to store critical documents (resumes, identification, etc.)
	identification, etc.)
	• 5 year strategic business plan: assessment, case planning, program and
D 1	intervention, data collection and measurement, and organization and philosophy
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	• 100%
	• Approximately 23,000 adult males (unified correction system; includes total inmate population male and female adults—sex offenders comprise 20% of total population)
Specific initiatives	Reentry Initiative
Specific initiatives	• Strategic Business Plan (what we need to do for next 5 years)
	• Initiatives with Department of Transportation
	Department of Health and Family Services – focusing on specific population like women with children
	Department of Workforce Development,
	• Process for offenders to apply for food share benefits, mentor programs,
	identification programs, linkages to Social Security Administration (SSA), driver's
	license initiatives, employment programs, etc.
	Public information document
Specialized sex offender programming	Services individualized for inmates based on risk and need
	• Curriculum offered to sex offenders but are tailored to sex offender risk and needs
	Notification and registration services provided
Eligibility	Everyone eligible
Population	100% of sex offenders are in reentry programs
Pre-release	Not available
Post-release	Not available
State standard?	 Policies and procedures cover both institution and community corrections Relationship with SSA, Department of Veteran Affairs—there are standards for all treatment programs in institutions
	• Some are Executive Directives from Secretary of Department, Administrator of Adult Institutions, Community Corrections Administrative Directives, signed by administrator
Developed by whom?	Varies
Oversight by whom?	Varies
Funding	State, volunteer partnerships, federal grants (no funding for sex offenders through federal grants)
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	Parole Commission (under old law) and courts (with the passing of truth in sentencing)
	Criteria based on release dates
	• Tools used: RRASOR, STATIC-99, MnSOST
Enrollment date	At intake
Services available	Drug treatment, housing, cognitive behavioral therapy, sex offender treatment
	program
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	Evidenced-based practices—intensive sex offender treatment Intervention strategies governd to words release prevention related to directing
	Intervention strategies geared towards relapse prevention related to directing
	• Intervention strategies geared towards relapse prevention related to directing prisoner to reentry
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Case management	 Intervention strategies geared towards relapse prevention related to directing prisoner to reentry All treatment is centered around relapse prevention All inmates have social workers
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Post-release services	
Case management	Case managers
Supervision	Exchange of information
Service coordination	Yes
Nonprofit involvement	Yes
Faith-based	Not available
Role	Varies
Services available	Group therapy, individual therapy, sex education/sexual values clarification/sexual
Services available	dysfunction prevention, social skills training, assertiveness training, cognitive
	restructuring, victim impact/victimization awareness, covert sensitization,
	masturbatory satiation, relapse prevention.
Data and Research	Yes
Type	Demographics, case, assessment, criminal history, sex offender registry, psychosocial
Storage	Not available
Maintenance	Not available
Evaluation	Yes
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Not mandatory—under old law, some offenders come out on parole upon
	completing sentence
	• Under new law there is always a period of supervision
Criteria for decisions	Not available
Lifetime supervision	Yes, law passed in 1997
	Some based on conviction
Supervising agencies	
Population	• 5,093 under active supervision and on registry
	• Sex offenders supervised based on behavior, not on registry
	• 7,200 are sex offenders—in those not just required to register
	• Probation: 3 out of 4
	• Parole: 1 out of 4
Funding	State
Classification system	Only type of classification is notification levels (only certain sex offenders require
<u> </u>	notification)
Year implemented/updated	Not available
Required for	Not available
Risk levels	Not available
Assessment	
Purposes	Supervision and risk of reoffending RRASOR, STATIC-99, MnSOST

Wyoming Sex Offender Treatment & Reentry Programs

TREATMENT—PRISON-BASED	
Availability	Yes—at male facilities
	No discrete female sex offender treatment program because of low numbers
	Evaluation is only service available at women's prison
State standard	- Dividuation is only service available at women's prison
Developed by whom?	Association for Treatment of Sexual Abusers (ATSA)
Oversight by whom?	Wyoming Department of Corrections
Funding	Wyoming Department of Corrections Wyoming Department of Corrections
Eligibility	Available for all sex offenders
nigionity	Some sex offenders are incarcerated in out-of-state facilities—treatment is not
	available for those offenders incarcerated out-of-state
Noncitizens	Yes (if Immigration and Customs Enforcement does not immediately pick them up)
Gender	Males are eligible
Gender	
	Evaluation only for females, and on individualized bases due to mental health evaluation
N 11 . 111	For female offenders, parole has requirement to seek treatment
Mentally ill	Yes—with consultation with mental health staff and ongoing coordination
Criteria for eligibility	 Not mandatory for all sex offenders—only if they are assessed as needing it is treatment required
	• Criteria not necessarily based on index offense (i.e. if convicted of sex offense in
	past, then evaluated through sex offender specific evaluation—includes STATIC-
	99)
	• If offenders refuse, it affects their parole status
Population	
Sex offenders in prison population	355 (official from MIS based on sentencing and treatment data)
Percentage in treatment	33%
Programs	
Prisons with programs available	3 (official)
Average capacity	Total between 210 and 230 (the 3 facilities have capacity for 75, 60, and 75)
Percentage with waiting list	0%
Percentage with 25% empty slots	0%
Average ratio of providers/offenders	About 1:55 in one facility
	• 1:35 at other facility
Average duration	About 24 months
Enrollment date	Within 2 years of projected release date
Content	Cognitive behavioral therapy, relapse prevention, workbook component, core
Content	treatment component, reentry transition stage, Robert Longo workbook (Who am I
	and Why am I in Treatment), understanding offense cycle, relapse prevention
	planning, release planning, victim empathy, work issues, men's identity issues,
	domestic violence, managing stress, substance abuse, human sexuality
• Drugs	No; psychotropics available to treat mental illness
21480	Yes – polygraphs and plethysmograph
• Truth tests	Manualized
Individualized vs. manualized Transfer and transfer	
Treatment requirement for release	Technically no, but does affect parole status
Completion rate	Not available
Provider certification	No legislatively created standard
	• Requirements: advanced degrees, license, background, 2,000 hours of sex offender
	clinical experience, 500 hours in sex offender specific evaluation, 1,000 hours in
	sex offender specific provision of treatment
	• Continuing training: 40 hours of sex offender specific continuing education per
	year

Assessment	
Purposes	Assess risk and treatment need
Tools	STATIC-99, intake interview, structured clinical interview, official version of
	crime, NCIC checksGeneral: memory, reading test, head injury; ABEL screen, plethysmograph,
	polygraph, HARE, MILAN, California Psychological Inventory, WAIS, etc
Data and Research	No data specific sex offender information collected
	Currently implementing new probation and parole database
Туре	Basic demographic, treatment involvement, response to treatment
Storage	Electronic
	Paper files for specific sex offender information
Maintenance	Wyoming Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Generally, yes—no sex offender specific
	• 2000/2001 needs assessment done for sex offender
TREATMENT—C	OMMUNITY BASED (Refers to treatment on probation and parole)
Availability	Available, however sex offender specific treatment is not readily available in all
	districts (depends on rural areas, population, service availability)
Noncitizens	Yes
Gender	Males and females
Criteria for eligibility	Not mandatory for sex offender under community supervision
	Judge makes determination
Individualized treatment plans	Developed by mental health provider in conjunction with supervising agency
Funding	Offenders are responsible for payment—based on sliding scale
Population	245 (65 : 1.1
Probation	245 (official, by field count)
Parole	50 (official, by field count)
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Percentage in treatment Probation	61.6% (official)
Parole	58% (official)
Other community corrections	Not applicable
Treatment providers	1vot applicable
Number	• 15 have sex offender specific treatment programs, operational and localized and
rumber	associated with community mental health centers
	Official number, internal survey
Distribution	Localized and associated with community mental health centers
Percentage with waiting list	Not available
Percentage with 25% empty slots	Not available
Completion rate Treatment modality	Not available • Group/individual treatment options
Treatment modality	Sex offender treatment are usually individual treatment
Denoc	No drugs administered, though psychotropics available to treat mental illness
Drugs Truth tests	Yes
Individualized vs. manualized	Individualized
Continuity of treatment	Yes, available upon parole plan
Average duration	Not available
Data and Research	No data specific sex offender information collected
Dana ana Mescai Cli	Currently implementing new probation and parole database
Type	Basic demographic, treatment involvement, response to treatment
Storage	Electronic
	Paper files for specific sex offender information
Maintenance	Wyoming Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Generally, yes—no sex offender specific
	• 2000/2001 needs assessment done for sex offender

REENTRY	
Availability	
Pre-release	Yes
Post-release	Yes
Percentage of state prisons with services	100% (3 facilities)
Specific initiatives	Series of Violent Offenders and Prisoner Reentry
	 Housing placement and additional forensic evaluation for higher risk
	• Several staff initiatives developed as result of first 2 initiatives—really identifying
	higher risk offenders, specifically sex offender population
Specialized sex offender programming	Yes
Eligibility	Technically all are eligible for parole, based on need
	Prioritize high risk and high need
Population	Not available
Pre-release	Not available
Post-release	Not available
State standard?	No, but guidelines developed
Developed by whom?	Not applicable
Oversight by whom?	Not applicable
Funding	State and federal grants
Pre-release programming	
Releasing authority and criteria	Wyoming Parole Board
	Criteria: served appropriate amount of sentence, demonstrated adaptive changes
F 11 (1)	Assessment tools: STATIC-99, COMPASS, status reports
Enrollment date	At least 1 year prior to reentry
Services available	Reentry specific programming (housing, vocational, facilitating continuity of formal
	treatment programs – substance abuse, mental health treatment, identification cards, SSI, rehabilitation)
Case management	Yes, for higher risk they have an additional higher risk case manager
Post-release services	1 cs, for higher risk they have an additional higher risk case manager
Case management	Upon release, field services (if have additional parole), if they do not have parole
	but have needs in community then provide connections to community providers,
	but not necessarily followed up
	Joint reentry initiative—Department of Health and Department of Corrections—
	serious and mentally ill offenders identified a year out, ongoing case management,
	representative of Department of Health, services maintained
	• Department of Health follows offenders for 3 months after
 Supervision 	No prison case manager
Service coordination	Yes, exchange of information
Nonprofit involvement	Yes
Faith-based	Very small percentage (maybe 5%)
• Role	Direct service provision
Services available	Mental health, substance abuse, sex offender treatment, job service
Data and Research	No data specific sex offender information collected
	Currently implementing new probation and parole database
Туре	Basic demographic, treatment involvement, response to treatment
Storage	Electronic
	Paper files for specific sex offender information
Maintenance	Wyoming Department of Corrections
Evaluation	• Generally, yes—no sex offender specific
	• 2000/2001 needs assessment done for sex offender
	COMMUNITY SUPERVISION
Availability	Yes
Eligibility	Community supervision not mandatory

Criteria for decisions	Made by local district court
	 Department of Corrections Field Services make pre-sentence reports
Lifetime supervision	• Yes
	Based upon offense and determined by sentencing court
Supervising agencies	
Population	Probation: 245 (official)
	• Parole: 50 (official)
Funding	State
Classification system	
Year implemented/updated	Sex offender specific instrument—effective 2007
Required for	All, unless sex offense is not classified offense—would not be required to be
	supervised
Risk levels	High, medium and low
Assessment	Yes
Purposes	Supervision strategy
Tools	 Jackson County, STATIC-99, psychosexual evaluation, COMPAS
	Jackson County and COMPAS also used by parole/probation
Specialized caseloads	Not across department
	• In 2 offices, but these also have regular cases on caseload
Provisions	Not available
Caseload	Not available
Supervisor requirements	Not available
Supervision	
Length	Not available
Services	Sex offender specific treatment not available in all areas of Wyoming
	Based on low population, service availability, size of state
Collaboration	Yes
Data and Research	No data specific sex offender information collected
	 Currently implementing new probation and parole database
Type	Basic demographic, treatment involvement, response to treatment
Storage	Electronic
	 Paper files for specific sex offender information
Maintenance	Wyoming Department of Corrections
Evaluation	Generally, yes—no sex offender specific
	• 2000/2001 needs assessment done for sex offender