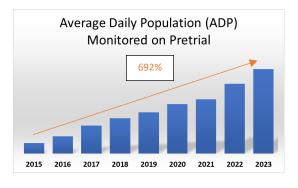
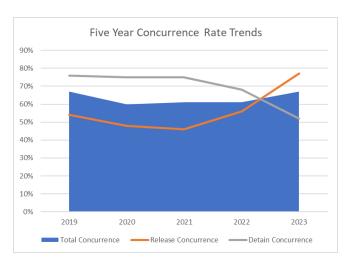
# Pretrial Division At-A-Glance (2023)

The Pretrial system reduces reliance on incarceration without compromising public safety, protects the public, ensures the rights of individuals to *least restrictive* practices, and is based on fair and equitable pretrial decision-making.

## **Pretrial Services**

- Nearly 1200 individuals were monitored in the community awaiting trial in 2023, with a Pretrial Average Daily Population (ADP) of 301 (up nearly 21% from 2022).
  - 82% Male/18% Female
  - 6% African American; 43% Latinx; 46% White; 5% Other
  - o Average age- 39 years old
- More than 2873 Public Safety Assessments (PSA) were completed to provide the court with release recommendations. Status Reports are also submitted for subsequent court appearances.
- More than 700 individuals were placed on electronic monitoring equipment.





## **PSA & Concurrence Rate**

Pretrial staff utilize the Public Safety Assessment-Court (PSA-Court) tool and a decision-making framework to inform judicial decision for release or detention pending case disposition.

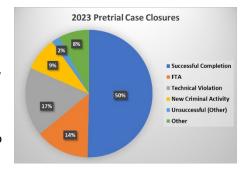
- > 67% Public Safety Assessment (PSA) Recommendations were followed by Judicial Officers; a 77% release concurrence rate and a 52% detain concurrence rate.
- > 15% Judicial Overide PSA recommendations to detain
- > 18% Judicial Overide PSA recommendations to release

# **Pre-Arraignment Release**

- ❖ 39 recommendations for Pre-Arraignment Release were made in 2023
- ❖ 36 individuals (92%) were successfully released before their arraignment hearing
- ❖ 25 (69%) of the pre-arraignment releases remained law-abiding and arrest free during the pretrial phase
- ❖ 18 (50%) individuals attended their first arraignment hearing
- The appearance and success rate for the pre-arraignment release population is 36%

### **Outcomes and Success**

- √ 91% Did not commit New Criminal Activity (NCA) (Decreased 1%)
  60 misdemeanor case closures (1 violent)
  49 felony case closures (10 violent)
- √ 86% Appeared for Court / 14% Failed to Appear for Court (Decreased 2% compared to 2022 rate)
- √ 83% Did not have a Technical Violation (Improved 5% compared to 2022 rate)
- ✓ 50% Successful Completion- Made all appearances, no violations, no new offenses. (*Decreased 8% compared to 2022 rate*).



### **Resource Links**

Release (napsa.org)

Advancing Pretrial Policy and Research (APPR) - The Center for Effective Public Policy (cepp.com)

Pretrial | National Institute of Corrections (nicic.gov)

Public Safety Assessment: A Risk Tool That Promotes... | Arnold Ventures

SB 129 (Chapter 69, Statutes of 2021) – Statewide Pretrial Program - Chief Probation Officers of California (cpoc.org)
Harvard Technical Assistance: Government Performance Lab (harvard.edu)