

New York City Board of Correction  
Weekly COVID-19 Update  
*Week of September 26 – October 2, 2020*

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# I. Population Change

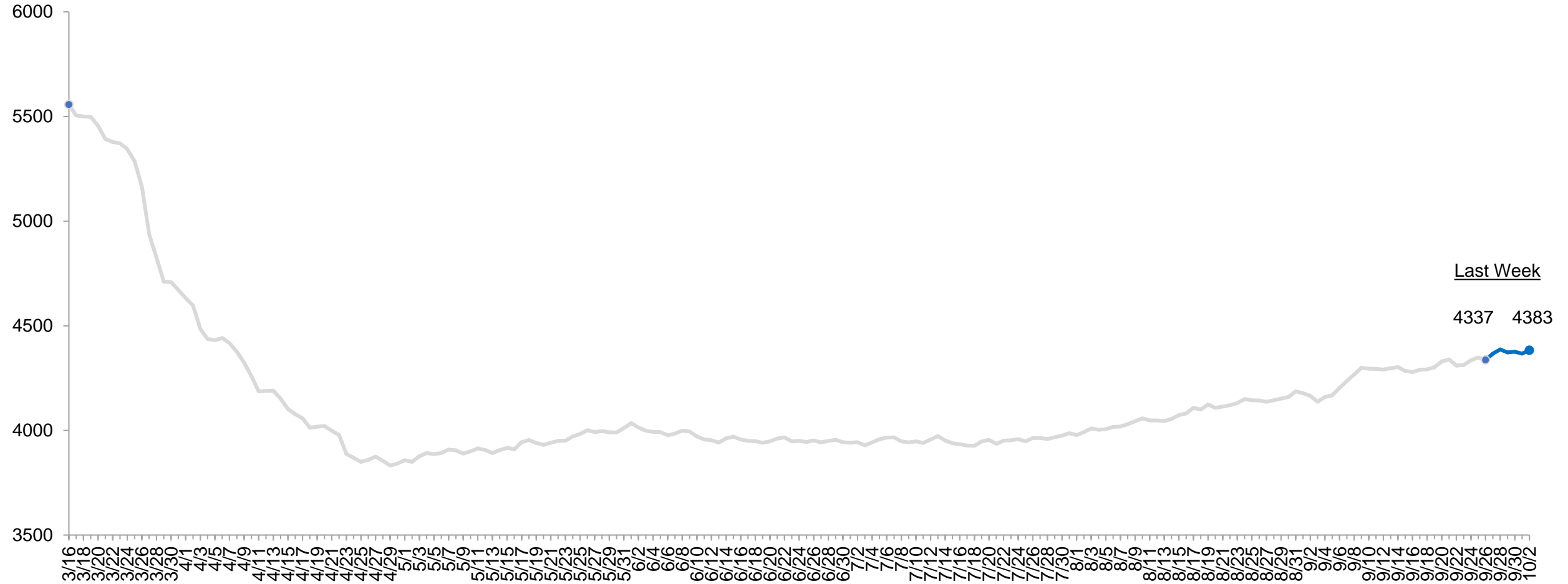
March 16 – October 2, 2020

# I. Population Change: DOC Population in Custody & Breakdown by Custody Status, September 26 – October 2, 2020

BOC Analysis of DOC Population in Custody							
	9/26/2020 (Saturday)	9/27/2020 (Sunday)	9/28/2020 (Monday)	9/29/2020 (Tuesday)	9/30/2020 (Wednesday)	10/1/2020 (Thursday)	10/2/2020 (Friday)
<b>Total Population in Custody</b>	4337	4367	4387	4373	4376	4367	4383
<b>Total New Admissions (on previous day)</b>	41	29	39	43	39	59	43
Breakdown by Custody Status							
<b>Total Pretrial (includes detainees and detainees with open cases and a violation of parole)</b>	3917	3944	3969	3945	3943	3951	3961
<b>Total City Sentenced (includes city sentenced and city sentenced with open cases and a violation of parole warrant)</b>	106	106	105	103	103	103	103
<b>Total Held on Technical Parole Violation (with no open case)</b>	172	175	180	195	199	195	201
<b>Other (includes newly state sentenced, state ready inmates, and state prisoners with a court order)</b>	142	142	133	130	131	118	118

# I. Population Change: Total Population in DOC Custody

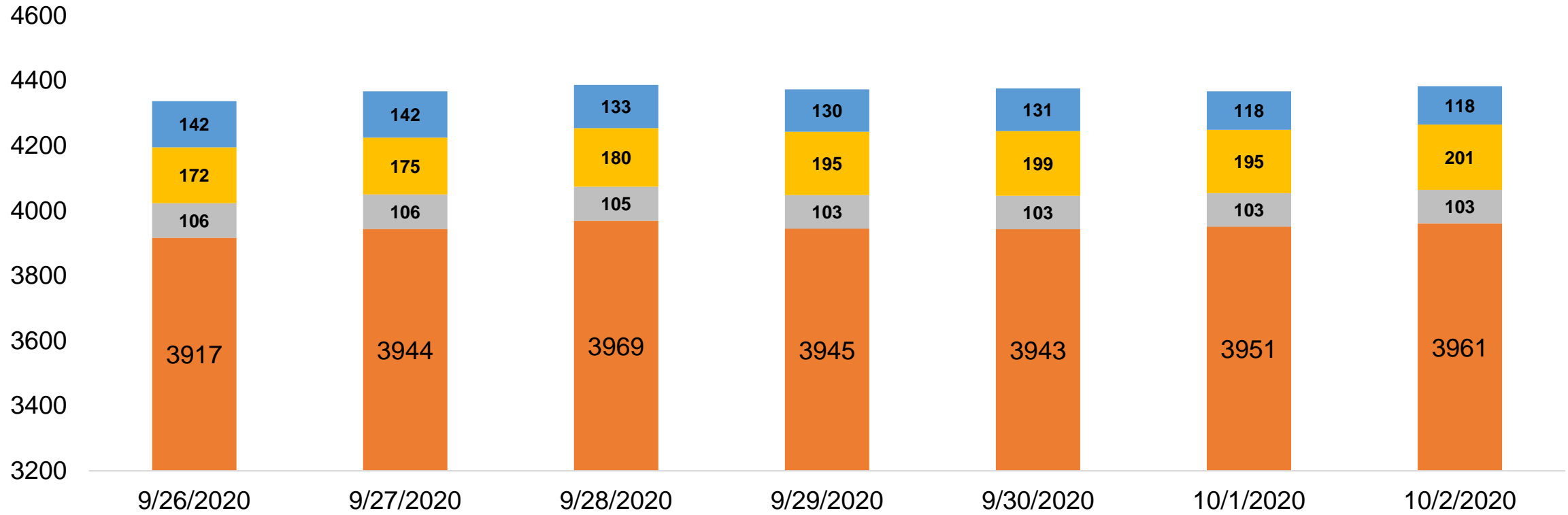
## Total Population in DOC Custody March 16 - October 2, 2020



SOURCE: DOC Inmates in Custody File, automated daily pull from the DOC Inmate Information System (IIS) at 11:00 am

# I. Population Change: DOC Population by Custody Status

## Total DOC Population by Custody Status, 9/26/2020-10/2/2020



■ Other  
(includes newly state sentenced, state ready inmates, and state prisoners with a court order)

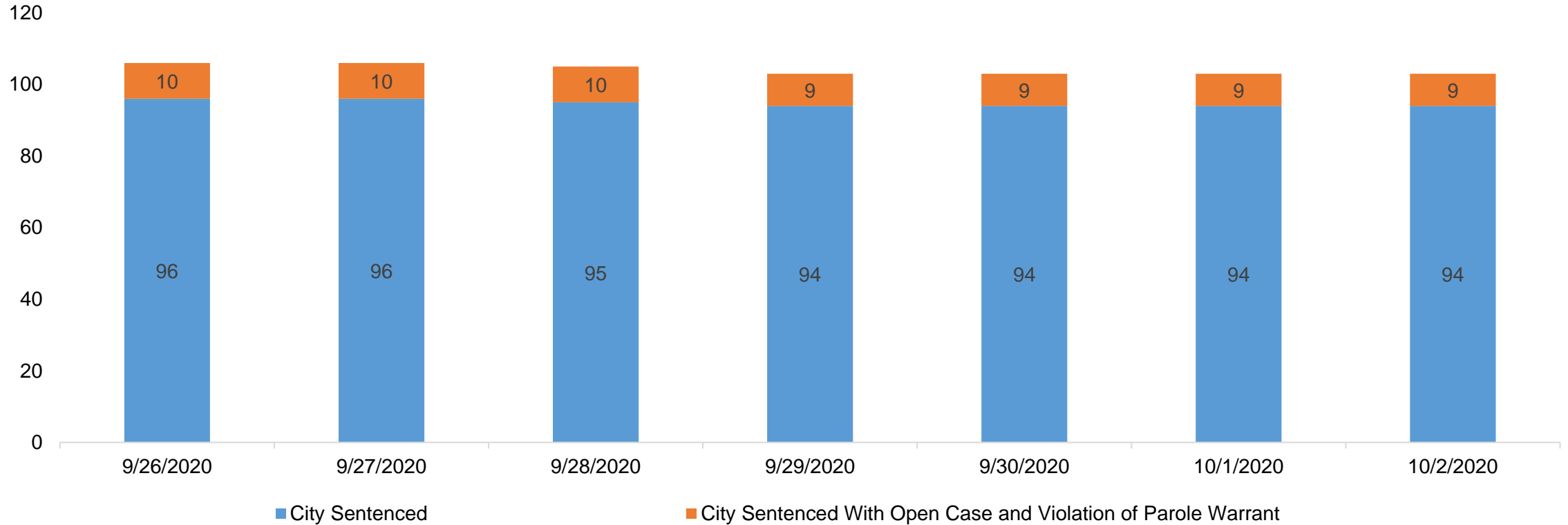
■ Total Held on Technical Parole Violation  
(with no open case)

■ Total City Sentenced  
(includes subset of city sentenced with violation of parole warrant)

■ Total Pretrial  
(includes subset of detainees with open cases and a violation of parole)

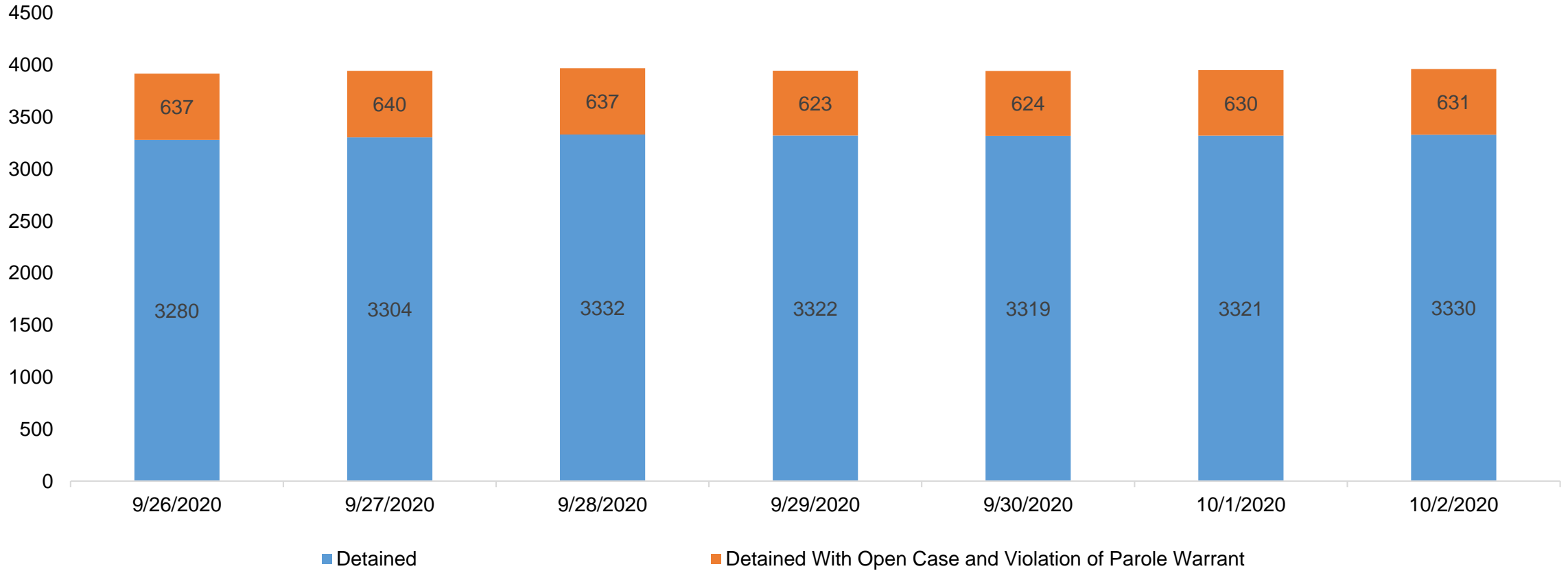
# I. Population Change: City Sentenced Population by Custody Status

## City Sentenced Population by Custody Status 9/26/2020 - 10/2/2020



# I. Population Change: Pretrial Population by Custody Status

## Pretrial Population by Custody Status 9/26/2020 - 10/2/2020





# I. Population Change: DOC Population in Custody & Key Demographics, September 26 – October 2, 2020

BOC Analysis of DOC Population in Custody							
	9/26/2020	9/27/2020	9/28/2020	9/29/2020	9/30/2020	10/1/2020	10/2/2020
Total Population in Custody	4337	4367	4387	4373	4376	4367	4383
Key Demographics NOTE: Categories listed below are not mutually exclusive							
Female	148	148	157	156	151	156	154
Male	4079	4078	4202	4155	4118	4183	4154
Transgender Female	21	21	21	20	20	21	20
Transgender Male	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Gender Non-Conforming	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Intersex	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Unknown Gender	86	117	4	39	84	4	52
Young Adults (Ages 18-21)	398	402	402	400	398	396	398
Total 50+ yrs old	611	614	613	616	615	617	623
Total 50+ yrs old with a Technical Parole Violation	36	36	40	38	40	37	43
M Designation (Brad H/ Receiving Mental Health Services)	2320	2323	2316	2323	2320	2304	2311
Total in North Infirmary Command (NIC) (male infirmary patients)	52	52	51	50	50	52	48
Total Rose M. Singer Center (RMSC) Infirmary (female infirmary patients)	10	10	11	10	10	9	9

# I. Population Change: DOC Population in Custody & Population Breakdown by Race/Ethnicity

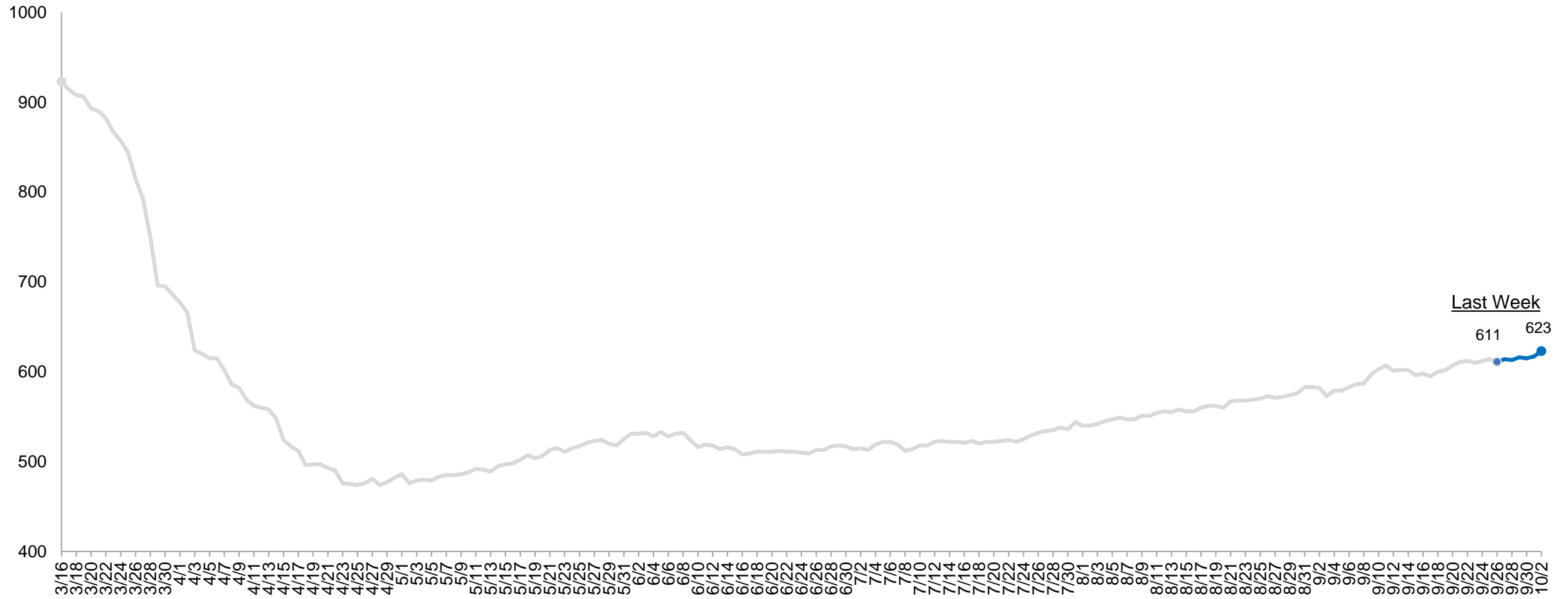
**Breakdown of Population by Race/Ethnicity and Type of Housing  
10/1/2020 (as of 11:00 am)**

Race/Ethnicity	Total Population in DOC Custody	% of DOC Population	Total Population in Confirmed or Symptomatic Units	% of Confirmed or Symptomatic Population	Total Population in Likely Exposed but Asymptomatic Units	% of Likely Exposed but Asymptomatic Population
Asian	93	2.1%	≤10	--	≤10	--
Asian Hispanic	0	0.0%	≤10	--	≤10	--
Black	2433	55.7%	18	62.1%	29	56.9%
Black Hispanic	130	3.0%	≤10	--	≤10	--
Hispanic	1110	25.4%	≤10	--	13	25.5%
Native	9	0.2%	≤10	--	≤10	--
Native Hispanic	1	0.0%	≤10	--	≤10	--
Other	113	2.6%	≤10	--	≤10	--
Unknown	5	0.1%	≤10	--	≤10	--
White	269	6.2%	≤10	--	≤10	--
White Hispanic	200	4.6%	≤10	--	≤10	--
Declined to Self-Report	4	0.1%	≤10	--	≤10	--
<b>Total:</b>	<b>4367</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>100%</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>100%</b>

NOTE: BOC analysis is based on the housing areas for confirmed COVID-19 patients, symptomatic patients, and likely exposed but asymptomatic units reported by DOC on the previous day (9/30/2020 at 4:52 pm), the DOC Inmates in Custody File on 10/1/2020, which is automated pull from the DOC Inmate Information System (IIS) at 11:00 am, and the Cross-Section file on 10/1/2020. Individuals housed in confirmed and symptomatic units may include new admissions who have refused testing, and those who are housed in the Communicable Disease Units (CDUs) for non-COVID reasons. People housed in CDUs share no communal space.

# I. Population Change: Population of 50+-Year-Olds in Custody

## Total Population of 50+-Year-Olds in Custody, 3/16/2020 - 10/2/2020



SOURCE: DOC Inmates in Custody File, automated daily pull from the DOC Inmate Information System (IIS) at 11:00 am

## II. Correctional Health Services (CHS) and Department of Correction (DOC) Updates to the Board of Correction (BOC)

March 17 – October 2, 2020

## II. CHS and DOC Updates to BOC: Summary Table, September 26 – October 2, 2020

Correctional Health Services (CHS) and Department of Correction (DOC) Updates to the Board of Correction (BOC)							
	Date Reported <sup>1</sup>						
	9/26/2021	9/27/2021	9/28/2021	9/29/2021	9/30/2021	10/1/2021	10/2/2021
<b>Current patients with confirmed COVID-19<sup>2</sup></b>	245	245	247	245	244	244	242
<b>Current patients with confirmed COVID-19 and active infection<sup>3</sup></b>	N/A	N/A	2	N/A	2	N/A	2
<b>Deaths in custody (in hospital; cumulative)<sup>4</sup></b>	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
<b>CHS staff newly under quarantine/isolation</b>	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
<b>CHS staff with confirmed COVID-19 (cumulative)</b>	209	209	209	209	209	209	209
<b>Total DOC staff with confirmed COVID-19 (cumulative)</b>	1432	1432	1432	1432	1432	1432	1433
<b>Uniform DOC staff with confirmed COVID-19 (cumulative)</b>	1321	1321	1321	1321	1321	1321	1321
<b>Non-uniform DOC staff with confirmed COVID-19 (cumulative)</b>	111	111	111	111	111	111	112

<sup>1</sup> Data reported by CHS reflects data from the prior day.

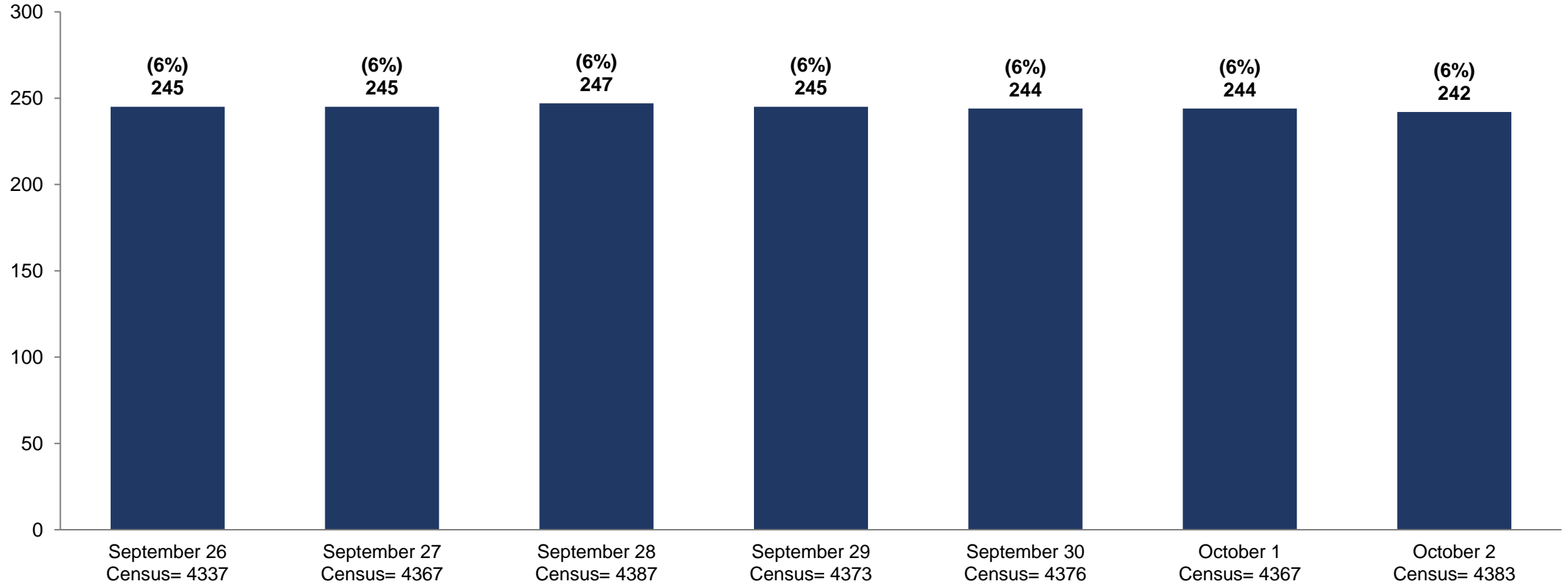
<sup>2</sup> This metric includes hospitalized as well as recovered patients.

<sup>3</sup> This metric is sourced from the "CHS COVID-19 Data Snapshot." As of August 21st, this snapshot has been posted on the CHS homepage every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

<sup>4</sup> The number of CHS patient deaths does not include patients who may have been diagnosed and treated while in custody and died post-release.

## II. CHS and DOC Updates to BOC: People in Custody by COVID-19 Status<sup>1</sup>

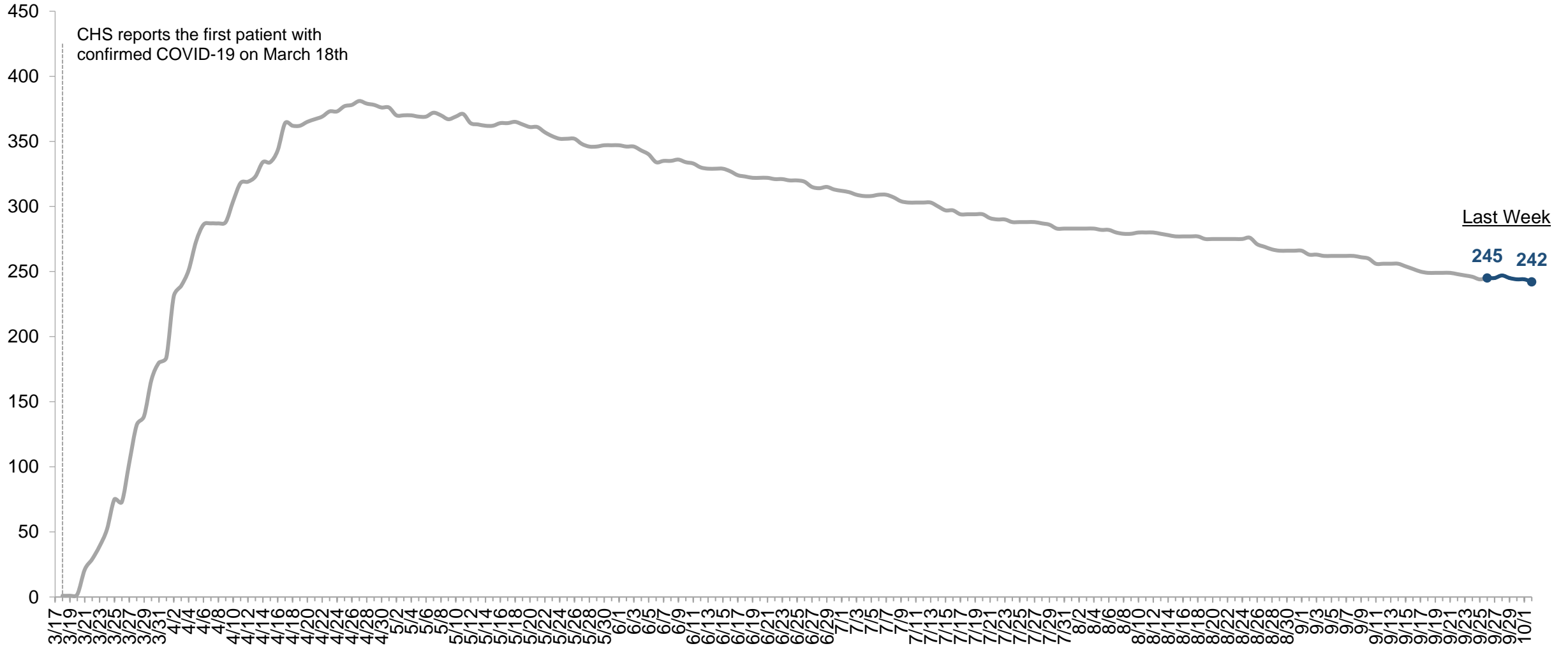
Number and Percent of Patients with Confirmed COVID-19  
September 26 - October 2, 2020



<sup>1</sup> The figures above reflect the number of confirmed COVID-19 patients who were currently incarcerated as of each date.

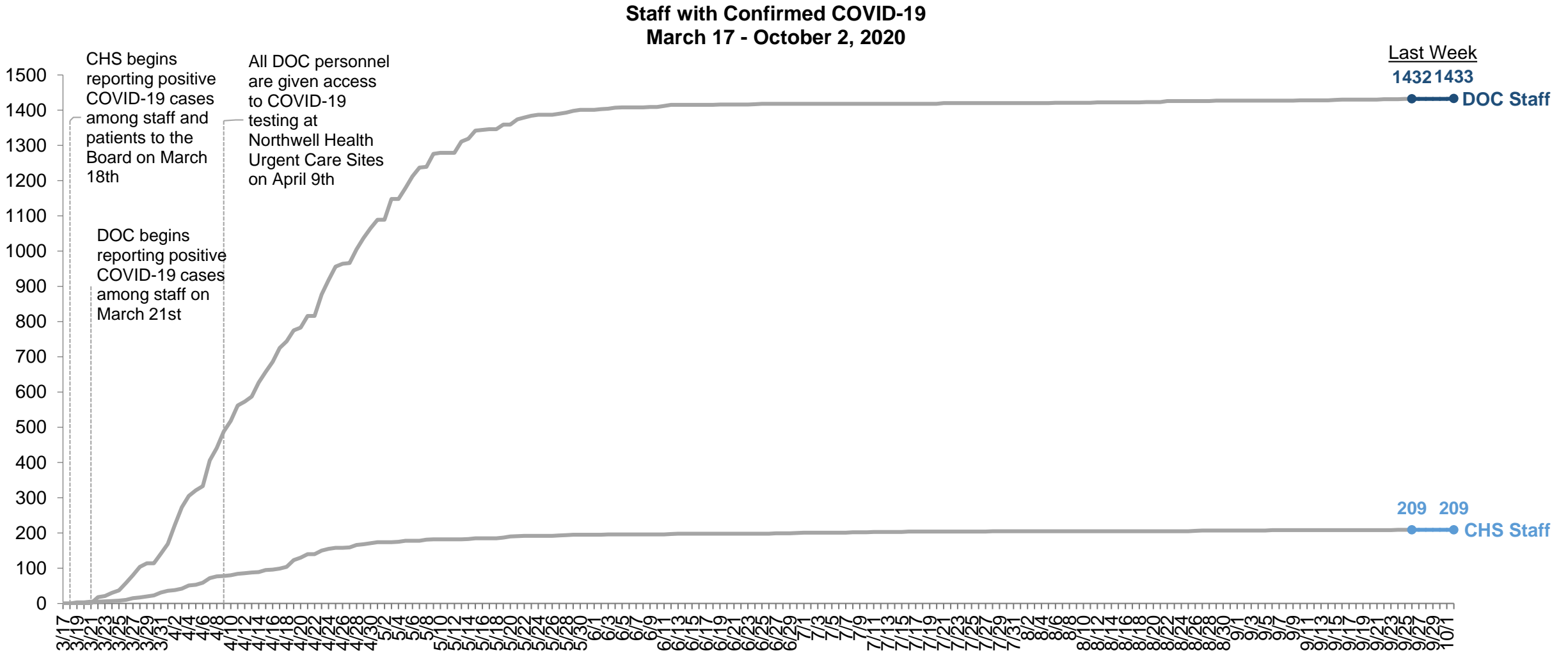
## II. CHS and DOC Updates to BOC: Currently Incarcerated Patients with Confirmed COVID-19<sup>1</sup>

**Number of Currently Incarcerated Patients with Confirmed COVID-19  
March 17 - October 2, 2020**



<sup>1</sup> The figures above reflect the number of confirmed COVID-19 patients who were currently incarcerated as of each date.

## II. CHS and DOC Updates to BOC: Staff with Confirmed COVID-19 (cumulative)<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> CHS and DOC report the cumulative total staff members who have tested positive for COVID-19 in their daily updates to the Board. CHS does not report the cumulative total number of incarcerated people who have tested positive for COVID-19 in its daily updates to the Board but does report this metric in weekly Local Law 59 reports published on the [CHS website](#). It would be inappropriate to compare cumulative staff totals to the number of currently incarcerated patients with COVID-19- reported in slide 15.



## III. Housing

March 16 – October 2, 2020

### III. Housing: Housing Areas by COVID-19 Housing Designation, September 26 – October 2, 2020<sup>1</sup>

	9/26/2020	9/27/2020	9/28/2020	9/29/2020	9/30/2020	10/1/2020	10/2/2020
<b>Total Number of Open Housing Areas (as of 11:00 am)</b>	213	213	212	212	212	210	210
<b>Total Housing Areas for Confirmed COVID-19 Patients and Symptomatic Patients on Previous Day<sup>2</sup></b>	4	5	5	4	4	4	4
<b>Total Housing Areas for Likely Exposed but Asymptomatic Individuals on Previous Day</b>	0	1	1	2	2	2	2

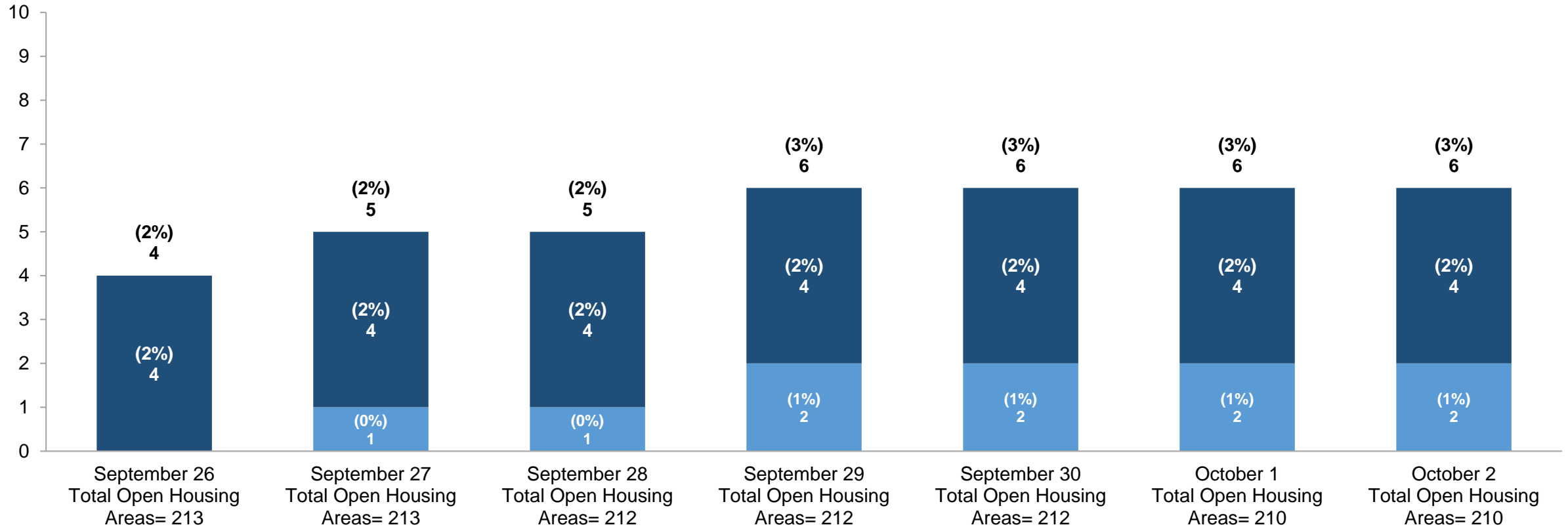
<sup>1</sup> BOC analysis is based on the housing areas for likely exposed but asymptomatic individuals, confirmed COVID-19 patients, and symptomatic patients reported by DOC on the previous day (time of DOC reports ranging from 4:22pm to 4:52pm).

<sup>2</sup> Confirmed and Symptomatic units on these dates were Communicable Disease Units (CDUs) at West Facility and Building 5 at RMSC. Likely exposed but asymptomatic units on these dates were in MDC and AMKC. The CDUs used to house confirmed or symptomatic COVID-19 patients may also be used to house new admissions who have refused testing and those who need to be housed in a CDU for non-COVID reasons. People housed in CDUs share no communal space.

### III. Housing: Housing Areas with a COVID-19 Housing Designation<sup>1</sup>

**Number and Percent of Open Housing Areas with a COVID-19 Designation  
September 26 - October 2, 2020**

■ Likely Exposed but Asymptomatic Housing    
 ■ Confirmed COVID-19 or Symptomatic Housing



<sup>1</sup> DOC uses three COVID-19-related housing designations: (1) one for likely exposed but asymptomatic individuals, (2) one for exposed and symptomatic individuals, and (3) one for confirmed COVID-19 patients.

SOURCES: BOC analysis of daily DOC updates to BOC & DOC Inmates in Custody File, automated daily pull from the DOC Inmate Information System (IIS) at 11:00am. BOC analysis is based on the COVID-19 housing unit designations reported by DOC on the previous day (time of DOC reports ranging from 4:22pm to 4:52pm).

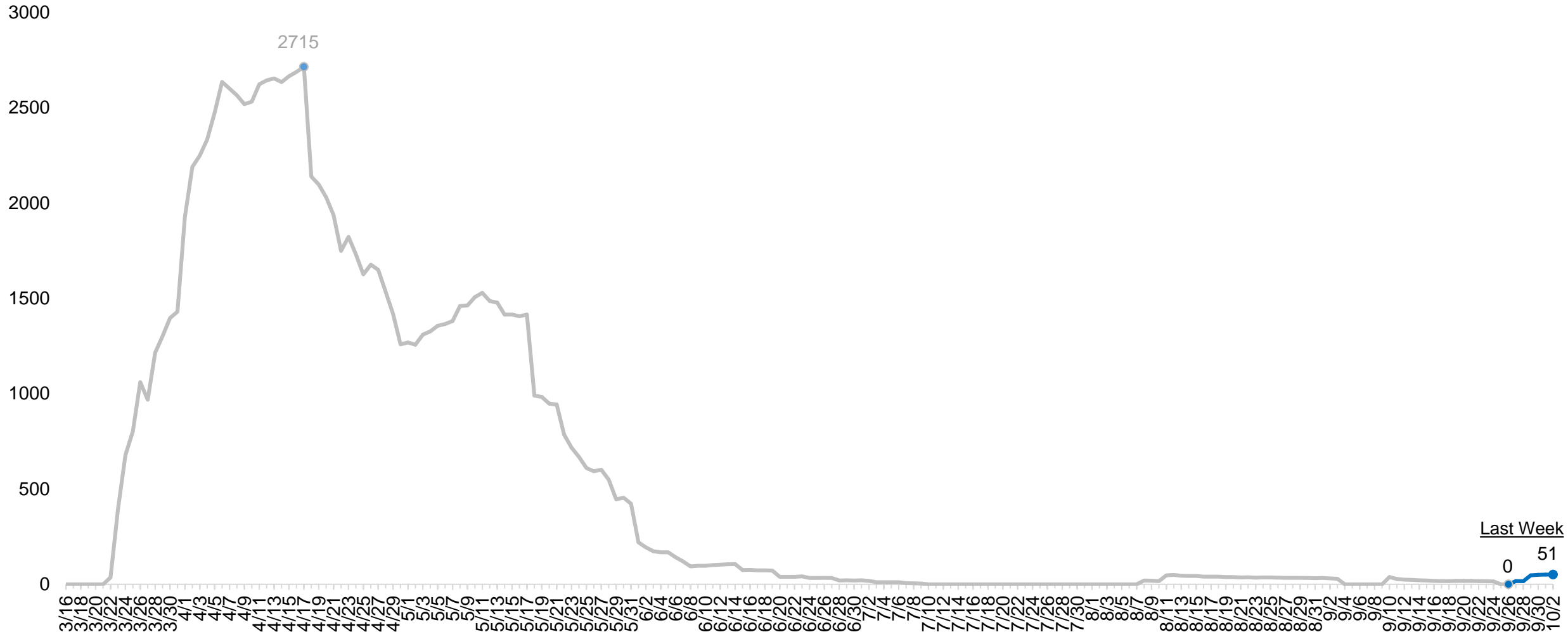
### III. Housing: Key Demographics by COVID-19 Housing Designation, September 26 – October 2, 2020<sup>1</sup>

	9/26/2020	9/27/2020	9/28/2020	9/29/2020	9/30/2020	10/1/2020	10/2/2020
<b>Likely Exposed but Asymptomatic</b>							
Total People in Exposed but Asymptomatic Units (as of 11:00am) Note: Categories below are not mutually exclusive.	0	17	16	47	50	51	51
50+ Years Old	0	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
Young Adults (Ages 18-21)	0	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
M-Designation	0	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
Female	0	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
Men	0	13	16	47	50	51	51
Transgender Female	0	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
Transgender Male	0	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
Gender Non-Conforming	0	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
Intersex	0	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
Unknown Gender	0	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
<b>Confirmed and Symptomatic</b>							
Total Patients in Housing Areas Used for COVID-19 Patients and Symptomatic Patients (as of 11:00am) Note: Categories below are not mutually exclusive.	28	31	35	29	26	29	36
50+	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
Young Adults (Ages 18-21)	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
M-Designation	12	13	14	13	13	18	21
Female	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
Male	24	25	32	28	25	28	35
Transgender Female	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
Transgender Male	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
Gender Non-Conforming	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
Intersex	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10
Unknown Gender	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10	≤10

<sup>1</sup> BOC analysis is based on the housing areas for likely exposed but asymptomatic individuals, confirmed COVID-19 patients, and symptomatic patients reported by DOC on the previous day (time of DOC reports ranging from 4:22pm to 4:52pm). Individuals housed in confirmed and symptomatic housing may include new admissions who have refused testing, and those who are housed in the Communicable Disease Units (CDUs) for non-COVID reasons. People housed in CDUs share no communal space. 20

### III. Housing: People in Likely Exposed but Asymptomatic Housing<sup>1</sup>

**Number of People In Likely Exposed but Asymptomatic Housing,  
March 16th – October 2, 2020**

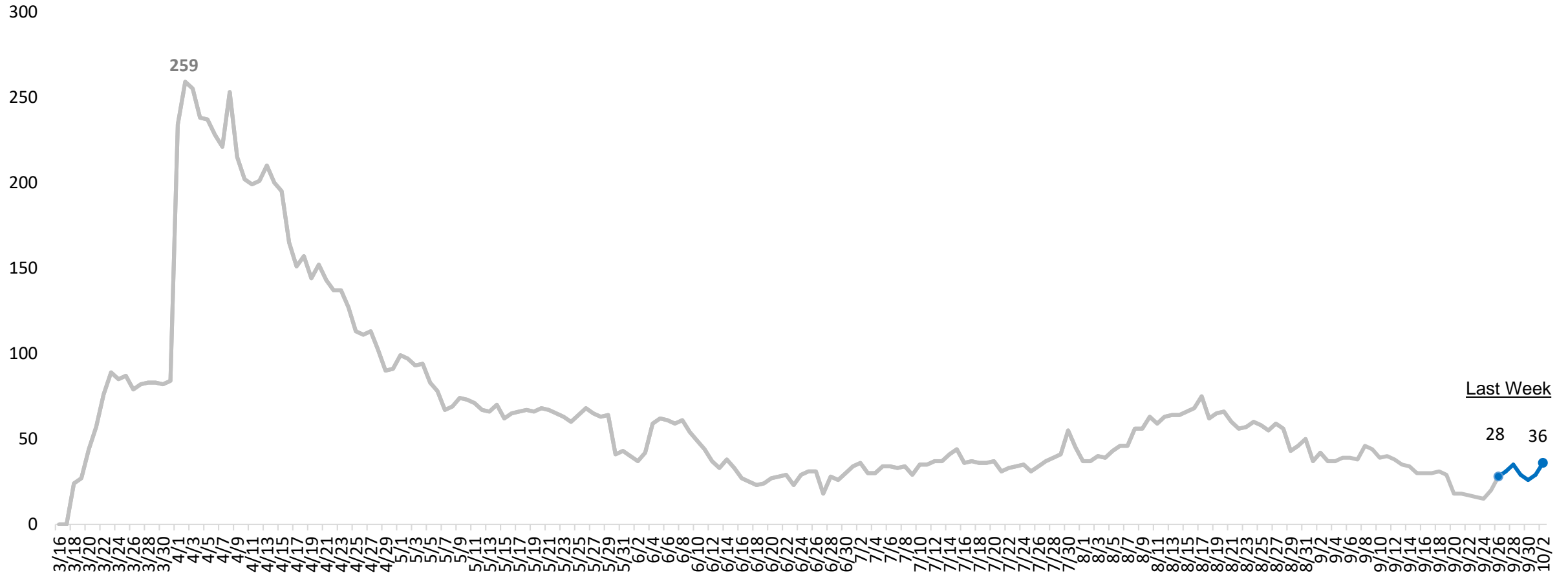


<sup>1</sup>DOC uses three COVID-19-related housing designations: (1) one for likely exposed but asymptomatic individuals, (2) one for exposed and symptomatic individuals, and (3) one for confirmed COVID-19 patients.

SOURCES: BOC analysis of daily DOC updates to BOC & DOC Inmates in Custody File, automated daily pull from the DOC Inmate Information System (IIS) at 11:00am and the housing units for exposed but asymptomatic patients identified by the Department as of the previous day (time of DOC reports ranging from 4:22pm to 4:52pm).

### III. Housing: People in Confirmed/Symptomatic Housing<sup>1</sup>

Number of People In Confirmed/Symptomatic Housing, March 16 - October 2, 2020

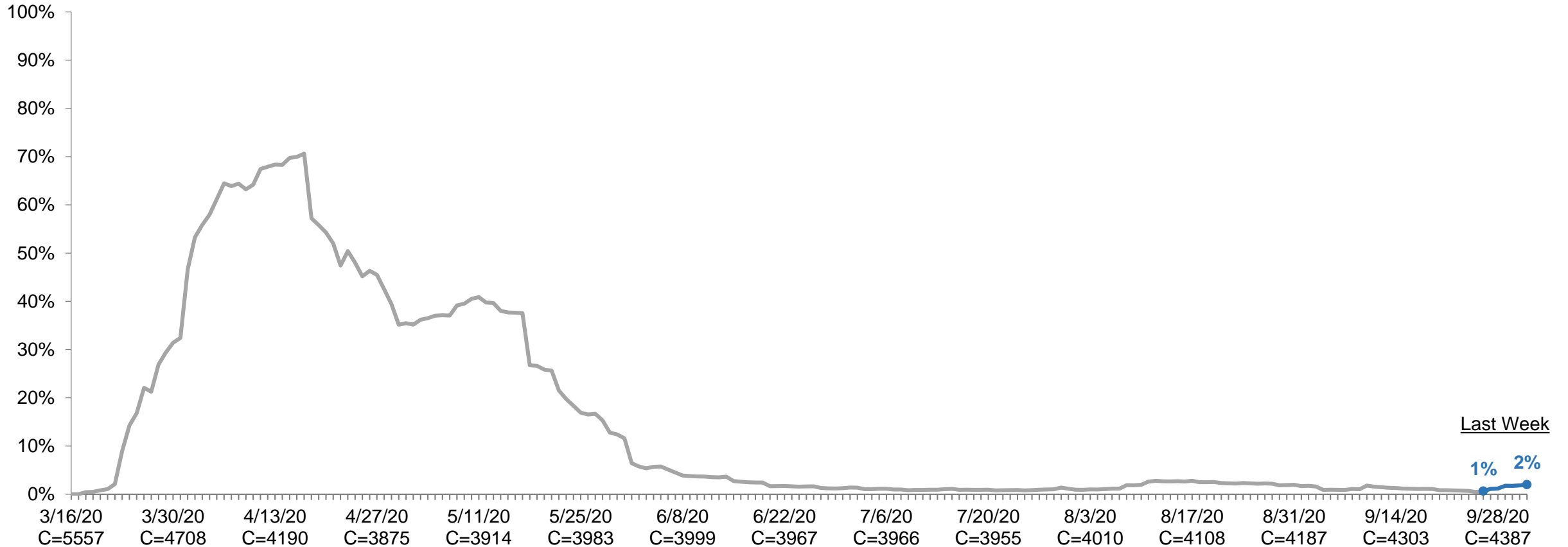


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### III. Housing: Percentage of People in Custody in Housing Areas with a COVID-19 Housing Designation<sup>1</sup>

Percentage of People in Custody in Housing Areas with a COVID-19 Designation  
March 16 – October 2, 2020

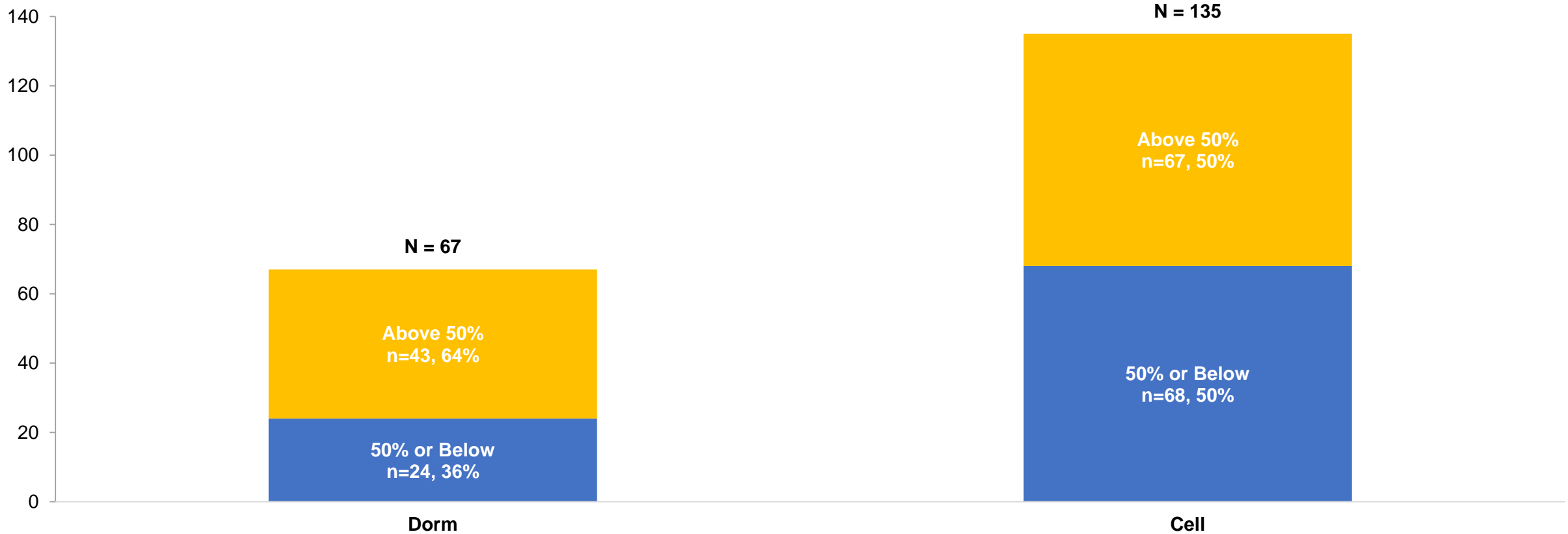


<sup>1</sup> DOC uses three COVID-19-related housing designations: (1) one for likely exposed but asymptomatic individuals, (2) one for exposed and symptomatic individuals, and (3) one for confirmed COVID-19 patients. **Individuals housed in confirmed and symptomatic housing may include people who have refused testing, and those who are housed in the Communicable Disease Units (CDU) for non-COVID reasons. People housed in CDUs share no communal space. The total number of people in custody with confirmed active infections can be found in CHS’s COVID-19 Data Snapshots, which are posted on the [CHS homepage](#).**

SOURCES: BOC analysis of daily DOC updates to BOC & DOC Inmates in Custody File, automated daily pull from the DOC Inmate Information System (IIS) at 11:00am and housing areas for exposed but asymptomatic individuals, confirmed COVID-19 patients, and symptomatic patients reported by DOC for the previous day as of 4:30pm.

### III. Housing: Housing Density

Number and Percent of Open Cell and Dorm Units Above and Below 50% Capacity  
October 1, 2020



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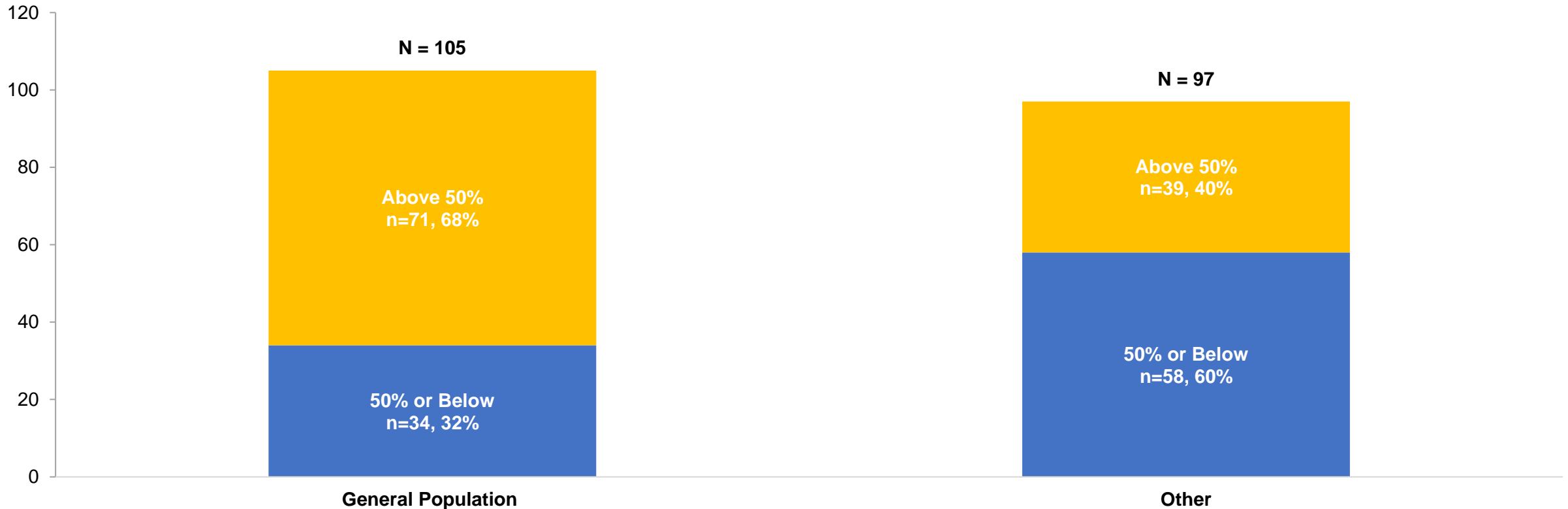
- 1) On Thursday December 17th, DOC provided the Board with data on the designed capacity of jail housing areas. Designed capacity reflects the maximum number of beds each housing area was designed to accommodate. DOC believes this metric serves as the best available proxy for housing area size. Accordingly, the capacity figures presented above are calculated by dividing housing area census by housing area designed capacity.
- 2) Dorm count includes modular dorm units in AMKC, RMSC, and RNDC.
- 3) This analysis excludes Contagious Disease Units (CDUs) (where people in custody share no communal space), intake areas (where the census changes throughout the day), and the Bellevue Hospital Prison Ward (BHPW).

SOURCE: BOC analysis of DOC 5am census reports and DOC designed capacity data.



### III. Housing: Housing Density

Number and Percent of Open Units Above and Below 50% Capacity by Housing Category  
October 1, 2020



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- 2) General Population units have fewer staffing needs than more specialized housing units such as PACE or MO units and present an opportunity to lower housing density to facilitate social distancing.
- 3) This analysis excludes Contagious Disease Units (CDUs) (where people in custody share no communal space), intake areas (where the census changes throughout the day), and the Bellevue Hospital Prison Ward (BHPW).

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