# **NSW CUSTODY STATISTICS**

# December 2020



YOUTH DETENTION POPULATION

n December 2019

in December 2020



#### **CUSTODY STATUS**

Between December 2019 and December 2020



Remand population decreased 25.0% or 39 **25.0%** young people to 117





Sentenced population decreased 41.2% or 47 2% young people to 67

#### **GENDER**

Between December 2019 and December 2020



Young female detainees decreased 45.8% or 11 young 8% people to 13



Young male detainees decreased 30.2% or 74 30.2% young people to 171

### **ABORIGINAL OVER-REPRESENTATION**

In Dec 2019 44.1% of young people in custody were Aboriginal

In Dec 2020

40.2%

of young people in custody were Aboriginal

Between December 2019 and December 2020



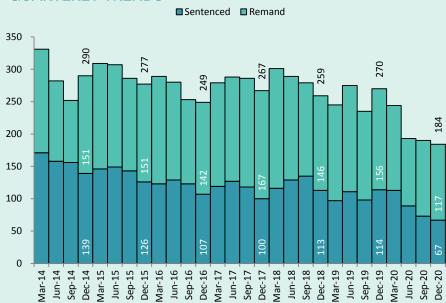
Young Aboriginal female detainees decreased 36.4% or 4 % young people to 7



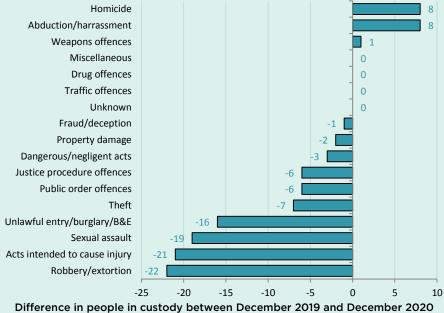


Young Aboriginal male detainees decreased 37.4% or 40 young **37.4%** people to 67

### **QUARTERLY TRENDS**



### CHANGE IN YOUTH CUSTODY BY OFFENCE



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# PRISON POPULATION

13,635

in December 2019

in December 2020



#### **LEGAL STATUS**

Between December 2019 and December 2020



Remand population decreased 9.4% or 434 people to 4,205





Sentenced population decreased 4.8% or 435 people to 8,561

#### **GENDER**

Between December 2019 and December 2020





Female custody population decreased 12.1% or 119 people to





**5.9%** 11,904

Male custody population decreased 5.9% or 750 people to

### **ABORIGINAL OVER-REPRESENTATION\***

In Dec 2019

of prisoners were **Aboriginal** 

In Dec 2020

of prisoners were **Aboriginal** 

Between December 2019 and December 2020





Aboriginal female custody population decreased 10.2% or 32 people to 282

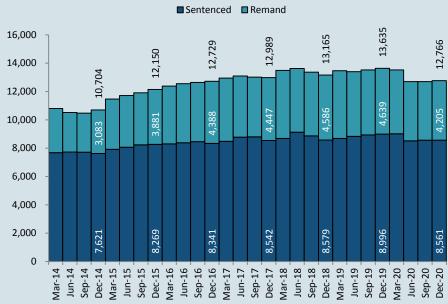




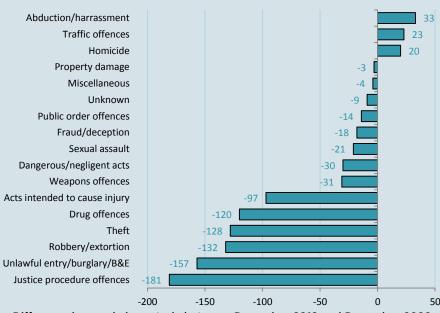
Aboriginal male custody population decreased 6.5% or 207 people to 2,971

\*Due to delays in identification of Aboriginal status the number of Aboriginal persons in adult custody is potentially undercounted by up to 2% in more recent months.

### **QUARTERLY TRENDS**



### CHANGE IN PRISON NUMBERS BY OFFENCE



Difference in people in custody between December 2019 and December 2020