

Adult Arrest Data Source Notes

The attached arrest data is derived from the Division of Criminal Justice Services (DCJS) Computerized Criminal History (CCH) system. CCH contains adult arrests for offenses where fingerprints are required to be taken (Criminal Procedure Law 160.10). Up until October 1, 2018, state law defined an adult as anyone age 16 or older. Arrests for misdemeanors committed by 16 year olds between October 1 and December 31, 2018 are not included as these arrests are no longer fingerprinted due to Raise the Age legislation. State law also permits 13 to 15 year olds to be treated as adults if they are accused of certain serious crimes. These Juvenile Offender (JO) arrests are also included here.

Demographic characteristics including sex, race/ethnicity and age are recorded by police at the time of arrest as part of the fingerprint transaction. For race/ethnicity, five categories are displayed: White, Black, Hispanic, Asian, and Other. All arrestees of Hispanic ethnicity, regardless of race, are included in the Hispanic category. The White, Black, Asian, and Other categories include only persons of non-Hispanic origin. Arrests by age categories are based on the arrested individual's age at the time the crime was committed.

Arrests are displayed by the county/region where the arrest took place. If a police agency arrests an individual outside of the county where the agency is located, that arrest is included in the statistics for the county where the arrest occurred.

Arrest charges are categorized by the most serious charge reported at the time of arrest. For example, if an individual was charged with a felony and a misdemeanor in connection with the same crime, that arrest is counted once and categorized as a felony. Arrests in these tables are shown using the following categories:

- **Felony:** Offenses for which a sentence of imprisonment of more than one year may be imposed (NYS Penal Law Article 10.05).
- **Misdemeanor:** Offenses, other than traffic infractions, for which a sentence of imprisonment of more than 15 days but no more than one year can be imposed (NYS Penal Law Article 10.04).
- **Drug:** All offenses listed under Penal Law Articles 220 (controlled substances) and 221 (marijuana).
- **Violent Felony:** All offenses listed under Penal Law Article 70.02 and the Class A felonies of murder, arson, kidnapping and predatory sexual assault.
- **Driving While Intoxicated (DWI):** All offenses listed under Vehicle and Traffic Law Section 1192.
- **Property:** All misdemeanor offenses listed under Penal Law Articles 140, 145, 150, 155, and 165.
- **Other:** Any offense not specified above.

Clinton County Adult Arrests by Sex: 2018

	Total Arrests	Male	Female	Not Reported
Total Arrests	1,878	1,301	576	1
Felony Total	649	488	160	1
Drug	132	87	45	0
Violent	123	101	22	0
DWI	57	43	14	0
Other	337	257	79	1
Misdemeanor Total	1,229	813	416	0
Drug	147	95	52	0
DWI	321	220	101	0
Property	356	218	138	0
Other	405	280	125	0

Clinton County Adult Arrests by Race/Ethnicity: 2018

	Total Arrests	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Other-Unknown
Total Arrests	1,878	1,564	220	59	13	22
Felony Total	649	487	122	24	7	9
Drug	132	85	41	4	2	0
Violent	123	100	18	3	1	1
DWI	57	53	1	2	0	1
Other	337	249	62	15	4	7
Misdemeanor Total	1,229	1,077	98	35	6	13
Drug	147	135	5	4	2	1
DWI	321	296	14	7	1	3
Property	356	308	32	11	3	2
Other	405	338	47	13	0	7

Clinton County Adult Arrests by Age at Crime: 2018

	Total Arrests	13-15 JO only	16-17*	18-20	21-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55+
Total Arrests	1,878	1	43	161	273	352	318	230	136	119	105	140
Felony Total	649	1	13	37	95	135	116	78	56	46	27	45
Drug	132	0	0	6	21	33	27	15	11	8	6	5
Violent	123	1	6	15	21	22	21	13	6	5	6	7
DWI	57	0	0	1	2	6	11	8	13	4	2	10
Other	337	0	7	15	51	74	57	42	26	29	13	23
Misdemeanor Total	1,229	0	30	124	178	217	202	152	80	73	78	95
Drug	147	0	2	13	25	33	31	25	10	2	4	2
DWI	321	0	2	27	51	50	40	41	22	28	25	35
Property	356	0	17	48	45	74	67	34	14	21	18	18
Other	405	0	9	36	57	60	64	52	34	22	31	40

Source: DCJS, Computerized Criminal History system (as of 07/23/2019).

* Does not include arrests for misdemeanors committed by 16 year olds between October 1 and December 31, 2018. These arrests are no longer fingerprinted due to Raise the Age legislation.