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Restrictive Housing question

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Winder, Michael < Michael. Winder@state.sd.us >

Tue, Mar 3, 2015 at 6:19 PM

To: "cthompson@themarshallproject.org" <cthompson@themarshallproject.org>

Christie,

Based on the most current data, for the two quarters April-June and July-September 2014, we had 26 restrictive housing releases and two (7.7%) of the releases where discharges to the community.

Michael Winder Communications & Information Manager South Dakota Department of Corrections

Our mission is to protect the citizens of South Dakota by providing safe and secure facilities for juvenile and adult offenders committed to our custody by the courts. To provide effective community supervision to offenders upon their release and to utilize evidence-based practices to maximize opportunities for rehabilitation.









Christie Thompson < cthompson@themarshallproject.org> To: "Winder, Michael" < Michael. Winder@state.sd.us>

Wed, Mar 4, 2015 at 10:41 AM

Hi Michael,

Thanks for this information. Is it possible to get this number annually, from 2008 to 2014?

Let me know! I really appreciate your help tracking these numbers down.

Christie

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Winder, Michael < Michael. Winder@state.sd.us > To: Christie Thompson <cthompson@themarshallproject.org> Wed, Mar 4, 2015 at 2:06 PM

Hi Christie,

No, there is not a way to do that. As part of our restrictive housing reform, we recently implemented a way to better track inmates on restrictive housing status and those who have this status lifted. After considerable staff time, we updated care and custody records for restrictive housing inmates back to April 1, 2014. The two quarters from April 1 to September 30, 2014 now serve as our baseline for restrictive housing data. There is not a way to go back and recreate this data prior to April 1, 2014.

Michael

From: Christie Thompson [mailto:cthompson@themarshallproject.org]

Sent: Wednesday, March 04, 2015 9:41 AM

To: Winder, Michael

Subject: Re: Restrictive Housing question

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