

Data, Study, and Evaluation Committee

Friday, June 24 at 9am

AGENDA

I. Justice Data Portal - 9:00am-9:30am

Link to dashboard: JusticeDataPortal.nc.gov

Discussion questions for group:

- Do you have questions about the methodology behind the dashboard?
- Do you have thoughts on any of the specific tabs?
- How can we use this resource to track progress on specific TREC recommendations?
- How can we further promote and highlight this resource for use by system actors and community leaders?
- Do you have any questions about the future work of CJAC on the dashboard?

II. NC Data Advisory Group for Criminal Justice - 9:30am-10:00am

The Data Advisory Group for Criminal Justice will be comprised of data-focused representatives from agencies throughout North Carolina's criminal justice and social service systems. The purpose of the group is to share critical information and raise important questions to support evidence-based policy decisions throughout the state. Staff of the Criminal Justice Analysis Center within the Governor's Crime Commission will facilitate the initial establishment and work of the group.

Proposed Mission (To be modified by the Data Group):

Ensure cross-agency collaboration to identify data synchronization issues, promote information/data sharing, prioritize quality data collection, and encourage data consolidation to enhance efficiency, transparency, and accountability across the criminal justice system in North Carolina.

Goals:

- Increase communication, cooperation, and coordination among criminal justice agencies including law enforcement, courts, service agencies, corrections, and multiple levels of government.
- Build relationships to increase data sharing and research collaboration.
- Identify available data and research to inform decision-makers in developing, implementing, and evaluating evidence-based policies, practices, and programs.
- Promote uniform data collection across agencies to improve performance measurement data.
- Consolidate data collection efforts to make the justice system more cost-efficient.