H.B. 15-1273: Diversion Data Reporting Format

Reporting Requirement

H.B. 15-1273, enacted on June 5, 2015 requires each District Attorney (DA) to report to the Division of Criminal Justice (DCJ) the names of students who were given juvenile or adult diversion in a given school year for offenses that occurred at a school. This includes **public** elementary schools, middle or junior high schools or high schools. The offenses include those that occur in a school vehicle; or at a school activity or sanctioned event. In addition to the full name of the student, the District Attorney shall report the student's date of birth, race, ethnicity, and gender and the arrest or incident report number as recorded by the arresting law enforcement agency for the student. H.B. 16-1098 added provisions concerning the use and protection of juvenile delinquency data and personally identifiable information for research purposes. H.B. 21-066, enacted on April 29, 2021, struck "pre-filing" from the school discipline reporting requirement and now includes ALL juvenile or adult diversion cases.

CHANGE: For jurisdictions where zero incidents occurred or the office does not have incidents to report, please complete the Laserfiche reporting tool (see Submitting Reporting Template to DCJ/ORS section below) and select the option indicating that your agency has no incidents to report. This will aid us in documenting that your agency has responded to this state mandate.

Format of Submission

District Attorney offices must use a reporting template available for downloading on the DCJ/ORS webpage.

A <u>single file</u> should contain diversion information for <u>all students at all schools for a single academic year</u>.

Agencies should name submission files using the following convention:

JudicialDistrict-School_Incidents_SchoolYear.xlsx(.xls,.csv)

(Example: 23rd-School Incidents 2023-24.xls)

Diversion Data Format

In the reporting template each row represents a single student. Table 1 lists the various Fields along with the respective template columns, data types and valid values for each field. The **Data Type** column explains the acceptable data type for each column. Some fields require specific values to be entered. Please see the **Valid Values** below for valid codes.

Table 1. Diversion fields and valid values for the reporting template.

Template	Column Header/Field	Data Type	Valid Values
Column			
Α	Student First Name	Text - max 50 characters	
В	Student Last Name	Text - max 50 characters	
С	Student Date of Birth	Date - MM/DD/YYYY	
D	Student Race	Text - see valid values	Select one:

Template Column	Column Header/Field	Data Type	Valid Values
			 Asian Black American Indian or Alaska Native Pacific Islander White Unknown
E	Student Ethnicity	Text - see valid values	Select one: Hispanic Non-Hispanic Unknown
F	Student Gender	Text - see valid values	Select one: Female Male Unknown
G	Agency Name	Text - max 50 characters	Name of law enforcement agency
Н	Arrest/Summons/Ticket Date	Date - MM/DD/YYYY	
I	Arrest/Summons/Ticket Number	Text - max 50 characters	Law enforcement arrest/summons/ticket number
J	Incident/Case Number	Text - max 50 characters	Law enforcement incident/case number
К	Filing Type	Text – see valid values	Select one: • Pre-filing • Post-filing

Submitting Reporting Template to DCJ/ORS

Incident reports MUST NOT be transmitted by email due to privacy protections. DCJ/ORS has developed a secure way to transmit your reporting template to us.

Request access to the Laserfiche system by completing the form at the following
link: https://portal.laserfiche.com/t5150/forms/LFRequest General. Please allow 1 to 2 business
days for our team to process your Access Request, and you can expect an email from Laserfiche with
an access key that will need to be input on future data reporting forms. Please save this access key in a
secure location for future data reporting.

For any difficulties with a previously acquired access key, contact us at cdps_dcj_credentials@state.co.us or (720) 626-8052, and we will help you resolve this issue.

2. With your access key, access Laserfiche using this link to login and upload your data: https://app.laserfiche.com/forms/SchoolData v2. CHANGE: For jurisdictions where zero incidents occurred or the office does not have incidents to report, please complete the Laserfiche reporting tool and select the option indicating that your agency has no incidents to report. This will aid us in documenting that your agency has responded to this state mandate.

For any additional information, please contact anyone from our team at cdps dcj ors hb1273@state.co.us.

Do not send school data via email