

Work Group to Re-Envision the Jail Replacement Project

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Opening Remarks

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Today's Agenda

- 1** Welcome & Opening Remarks (15 min)
- 2** Agenda Review & Ordinance Overview (10 min)
- 3** Introductions (40 min)
- 4** Work Group Member Orientation (20 min)
- 5** Planning Framework (65 min)
- 6** Public Comment
- 7** Closing Comments & Next Steps (5 min)
- 8** Adjourn

Resolution No. 02-16

- + Passed by the Board of Supervisors in January 2016.
- + The **Work Group to Re-Envision the Jail Replacement Project (JRP)** was formed to support the Mayor and the BoS in developing a plan for the permanent closure of County Jails 3 and 4 by addressing four goals:
 1. Identifying strategies for reducing the jail population including alternatives to incarceration and other programs or policies;
 2. Identifying effective and humane investments in behavioral health programs for those that may otherwise find themselves incarcerated;
 3. Reviewing the current state of the City's facilities and identifying what new facility or facilities are needed; and
 4. Seeking to maintain San Francisco's eligibility to use state financing to fund the construction or renovation of these facilities.

Deliverable

- + The Work Group will put forth recommendations to be forwarded to the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors by November 2016.**

Introductions

- + What is your name?
- + What organization or group do you represent?

Work Group Member Orientation

Planning Structure

- + JRP Work Group
 - 40-member **Advisory Body**
- + Work Group Support
 - Technical Support Team
 - Case Review Team
 - Planning Team
 - Harder+Company

Work Group Responsibilities

- + Ask questions.
- + Contribute to the development of recommendations.
- + Participate in reviewing and prioritizing recommendations.
- + Reach out to organizations you represent, and other stakeholders as appropriate, to gather input and ideas.
- + Please read materials designated as 'high priority' before each Work Group meeting.

Decision Making

- + The JRP Work Group will seek to identify areas of consensus around proposed recommendations. On issues where there is no consensus, different perspectives will be noted in the recommendations made to the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors.**

Other Roles & Responsibilities

- + **Mayor and Board of Supervisors.** Review and consider policy recommendations.
- + **Technical Support Team.** Inform JRP Work Group of technical and practical issues related to emerging recommendations.
- + **Case Review Team.** Inform JRP Work Group of needs of currently or recently incarcerated individuals to support development of recommendations.
- + **Planning Team.** Organize and manage the JRP Work Group process.
- + **Harder+Company.** Support the work of the project through process design and coordination, facilitation, and analytic support.

Information Sharing & Engagement

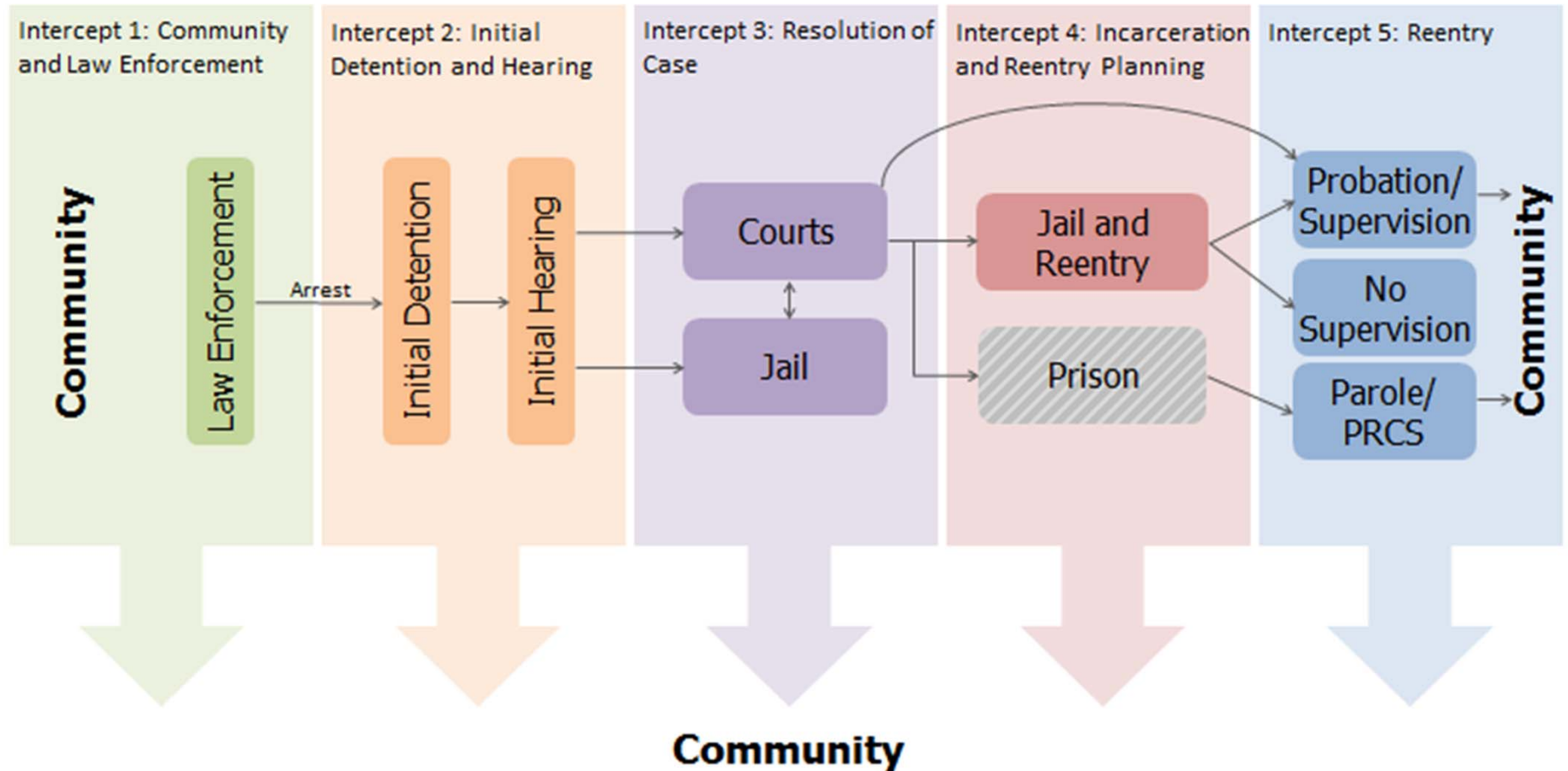
- + Dedicated page on DPH website
 - <http://bit.ly/JRPworkgroup>
- + Email
 - JRPworkgroup@sfgov.org
- + Relevant studies and research
- + Public notices of Work Group meetings
- + Public postings of agenda & minutes
- + Public comment at meetings
- + Public posting of reports and issue briefs

Discussion Guidelines

- + All ideas and opinions will be respected.
- + Share your unique background and perspective.
- + Allow the person recognized to speak without interruption.
- + Make all decisions using the agreed-upon process.
- + Follow SF Sunshine Ordinance rules that restrict gatherings outside of publicly noticed Work Group meetings.
 - See the Sunshine Ordinance Task Force website for more information <http://www.sfbos.org/index.aspx?page=4459>

Planning Framework

San Francisco Sequential Intercept Model



Intervention Strategies

Prevention/ Recidivism Reduction

New or expanded interventions that prevent individuals from becoming involved in the criminal justice system, or that reduce the rate of recidivism for those previously involved.

E.g. Community behavioral health services

Policy and Legal Changes

Creating new policies, or altering existing policies to reduce the likelihood that individuals become incarcerated in jail, or reduce the amount of time individuals spend in jail.

E.g. Proposition 47

Facility Construction/Renovation

New or renovated facilities to house programs and services, or to be used as an alternative(s) to the HOJ jails.

E.g. Residential treatment facilities

Diversion/Alternatives

New or expanded interventions that offer alternatives to incarceration or the traditional criminal justice system.

E.g. Pretrial Diversion

Process Improvement

Improvements to the effectiveness or efficiency of City processes that reduce the time individuals spend in jail.

E.g. Reduce time to trial

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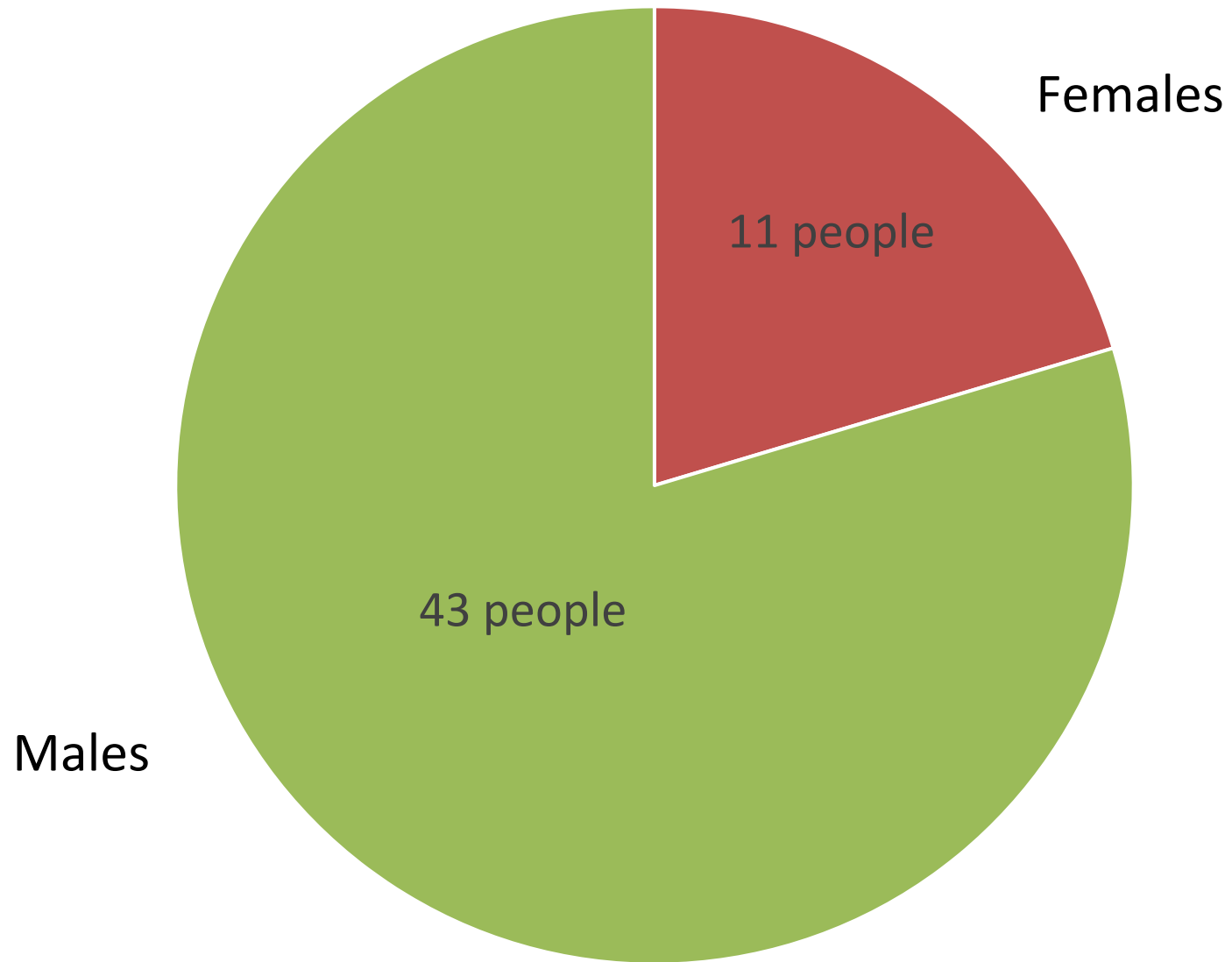
- + **Simplified visual of the criminal justice system that gives an overview of the process from initial contact with law enforcement through disposition, community re-entry and beyond.**
- + **Adapted national model to SF context.**
- + **Goals and Purpose**
 - Illustrate sequenced intervention points along the criminal justice continuum.
 - Develop a common language.
 - Provide a framework to identify strengths and gaps, and formulate recommendations.

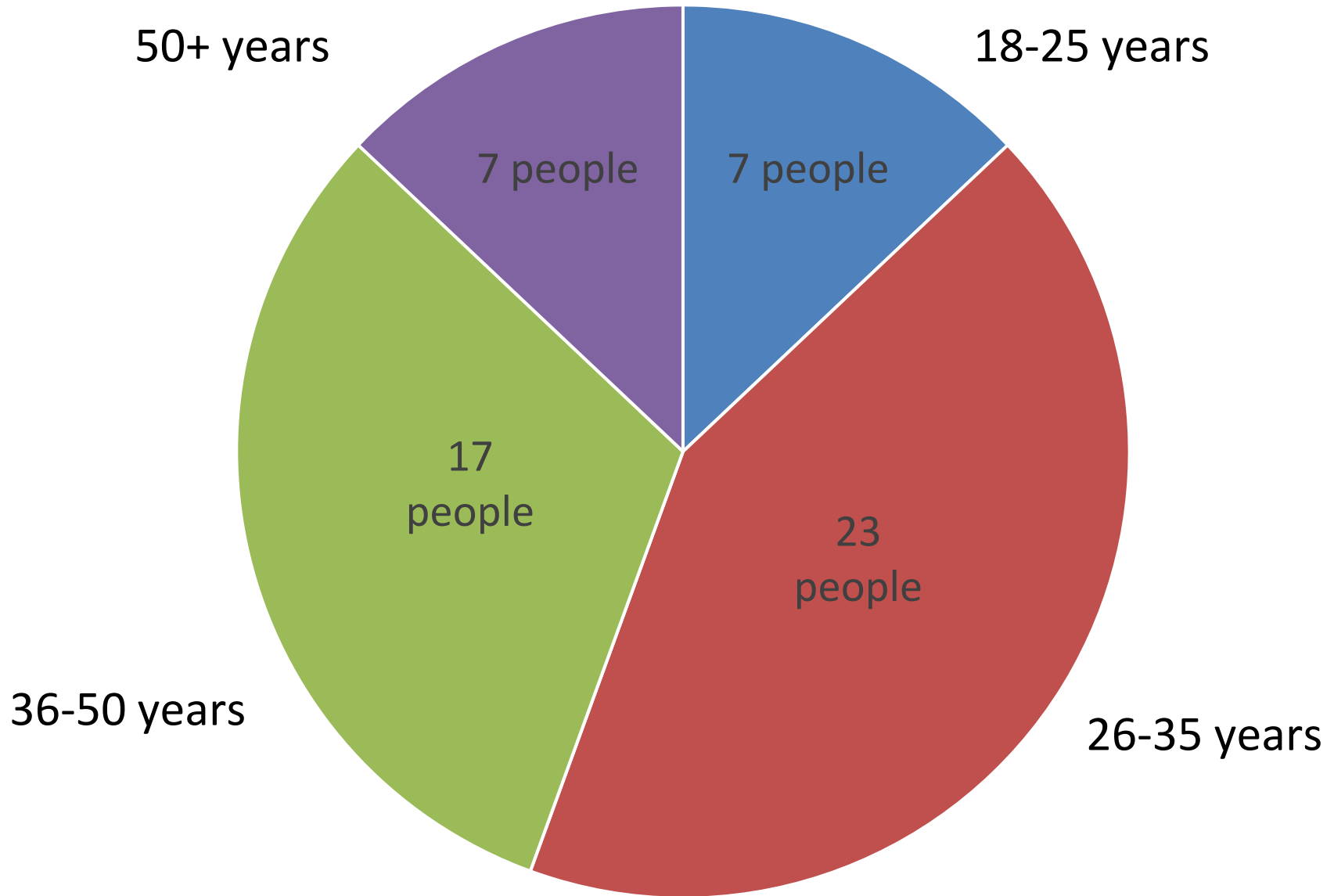


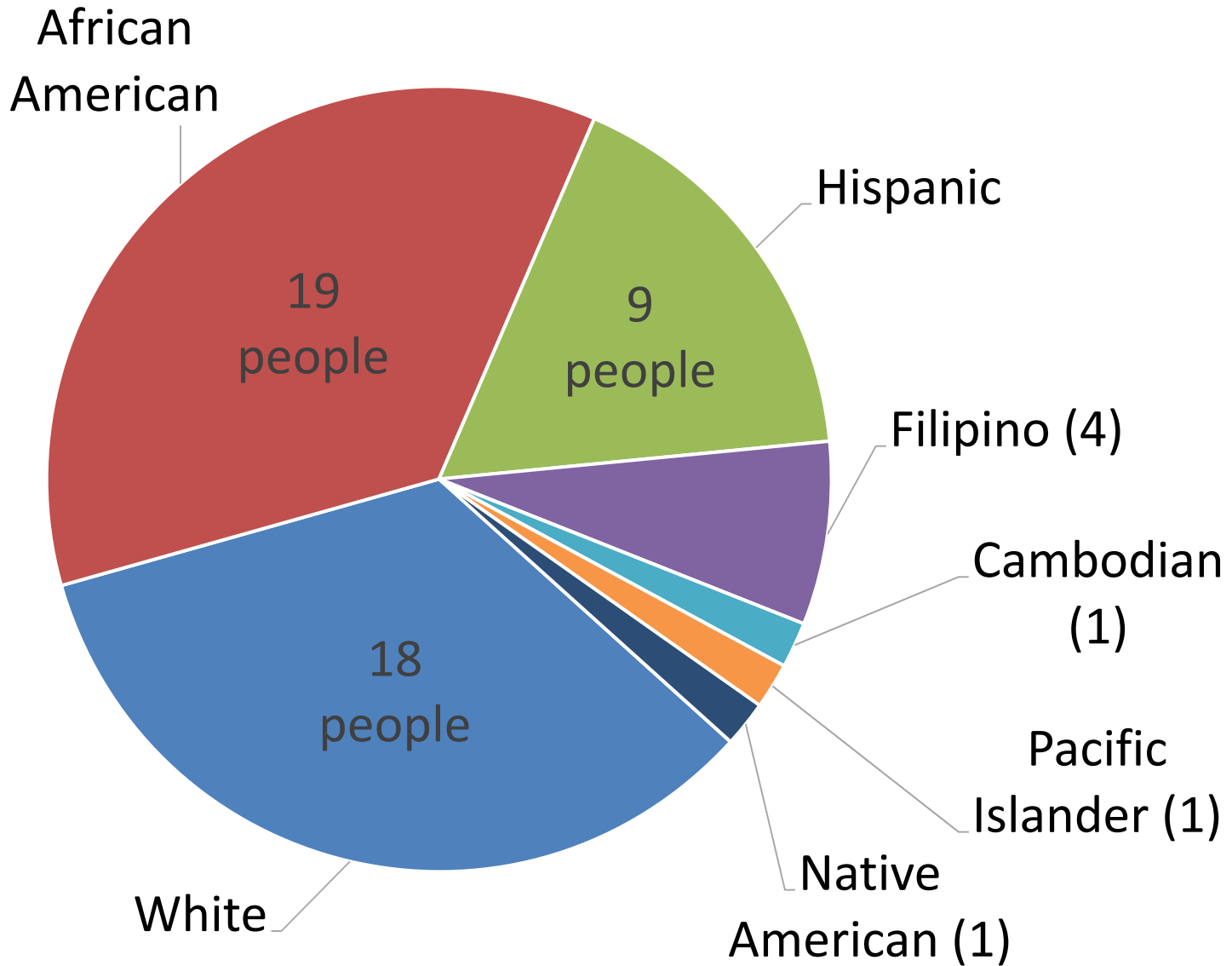
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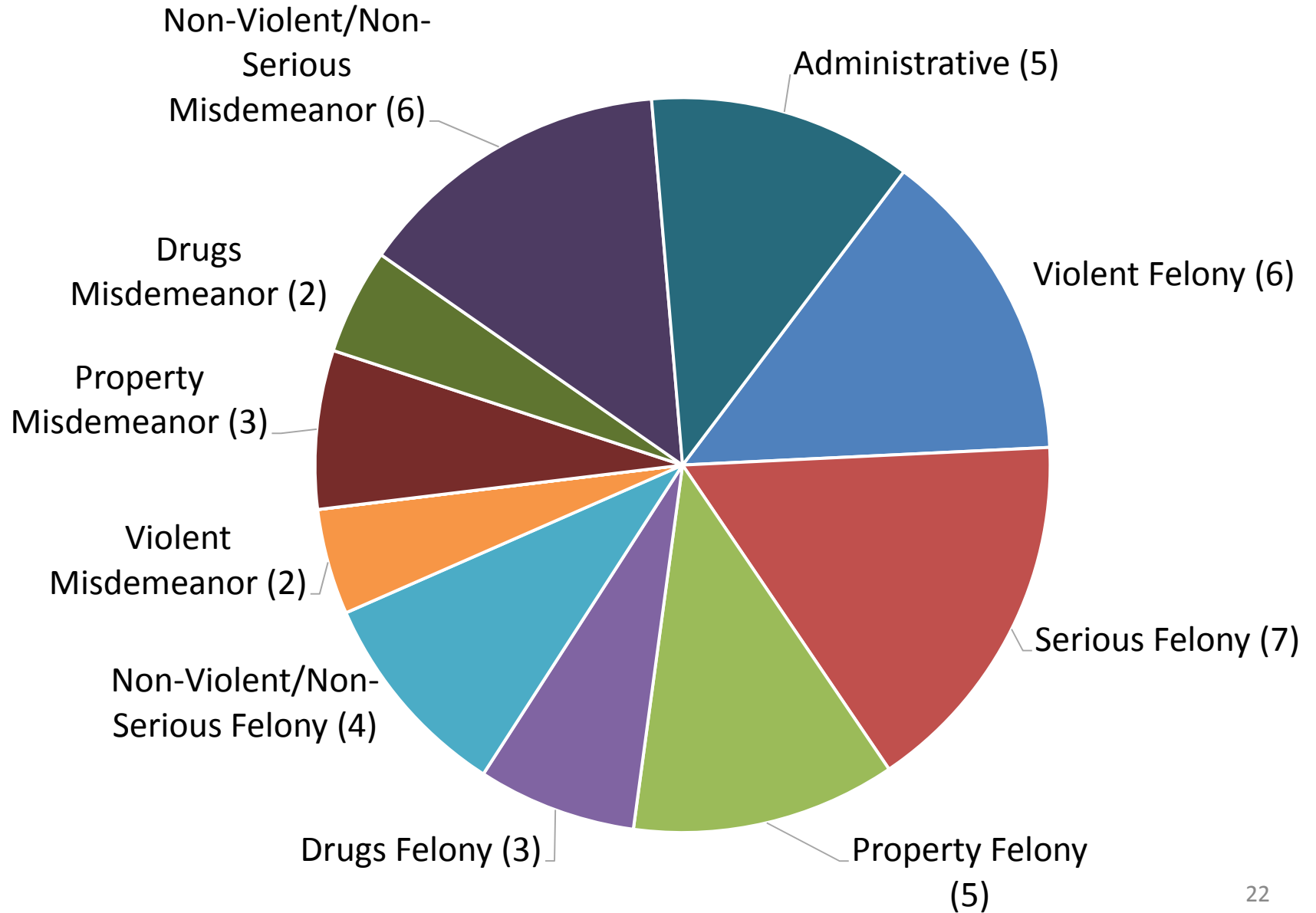
One Day Bookings and Dispositions Snapshot from February 16, 2016

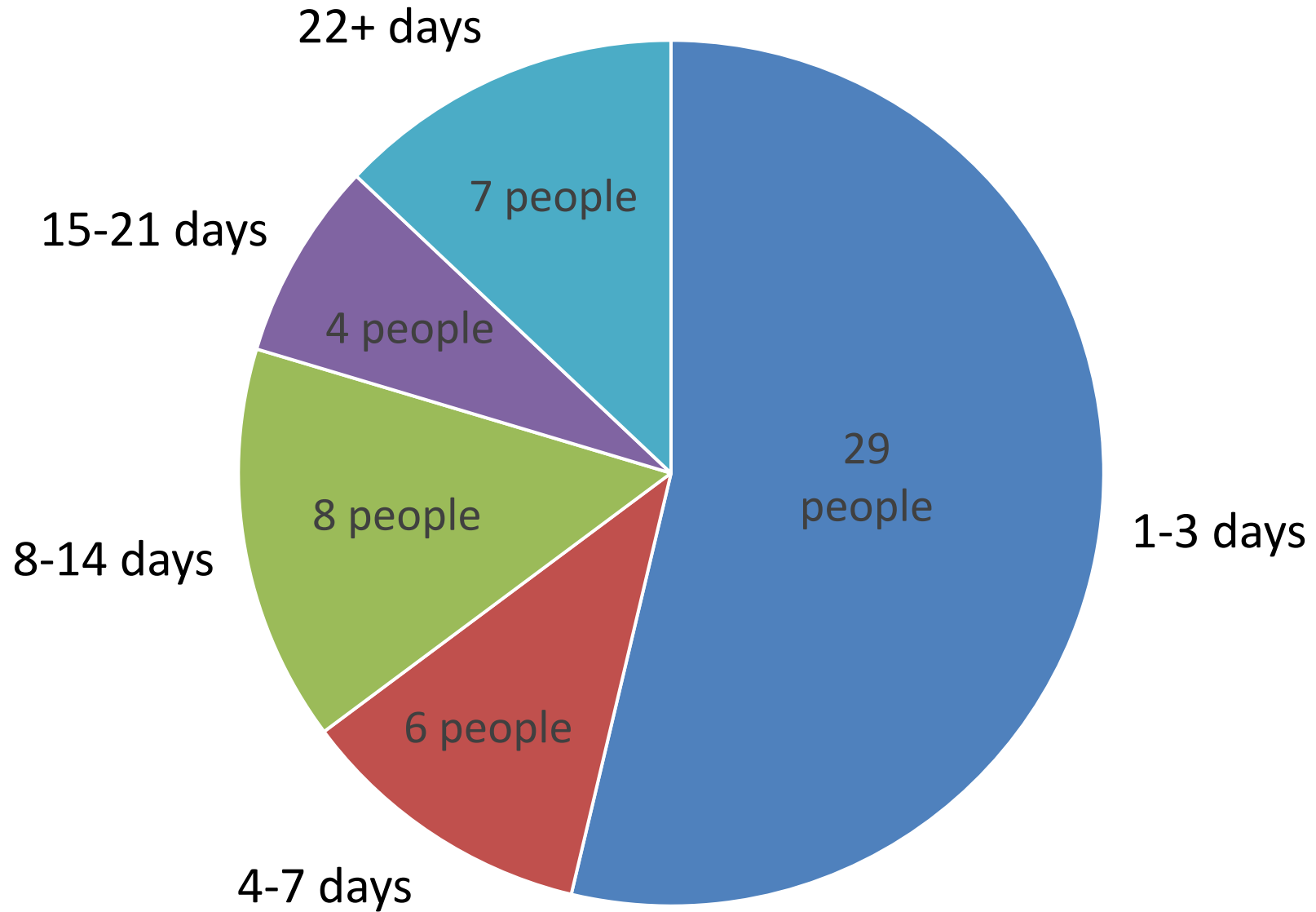


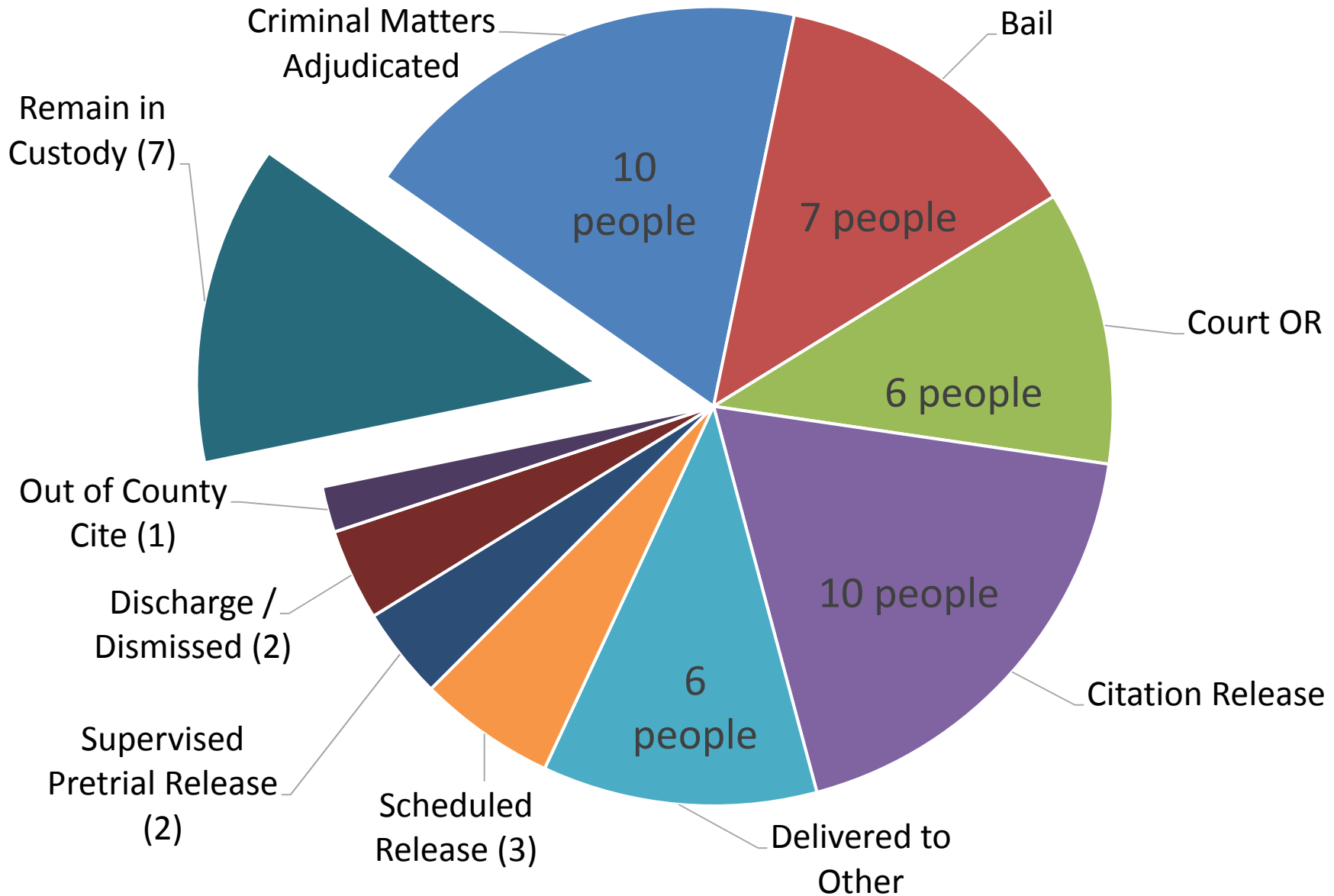




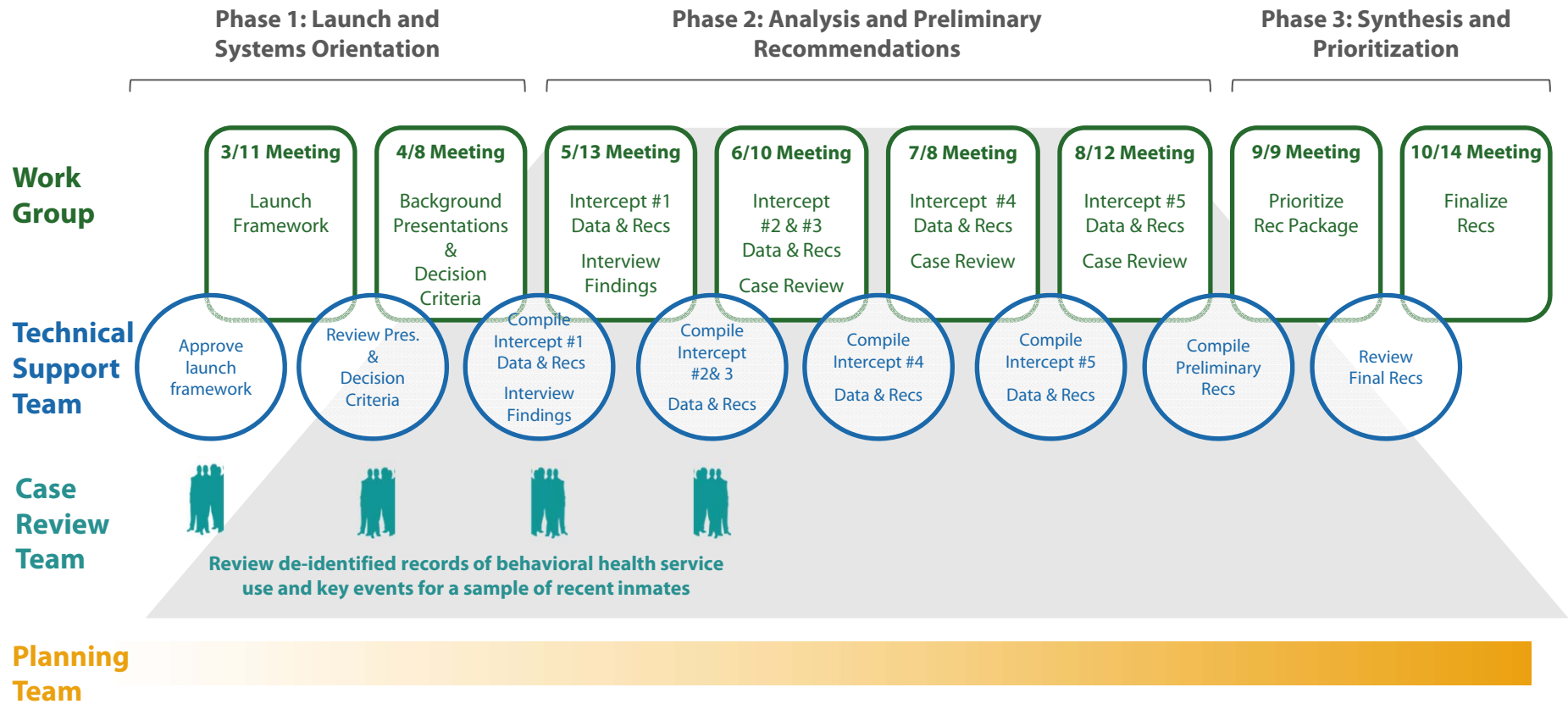








Meeting Roadmap



Discussion

- + What are your thoughts about this approach?
- + What did you like about what you heard?
- + What issues or concerns do you have?
- + What suggestions do you have for future meetings?

Next Steps

In preparation for the April 8th Work Group meeting

- + Brief follow-up interviews with WG members prior to the next meeting.

Interview Questions

1. What ideas do you have in mind for reducing SF's jail population?
2. What best practices employed in other jurisdictions do you think the WG should consider to achieve project goals?
3. What information do you need to be able to make recommendations?
4. What decision criteria do you think the WG should use to prioritize recommendations?

Proposed Decision Criteria

+ Decision Criteria for Consideration

- + Impact on reducing jail population
- + Impact on racial disparities
- + Recognized evidence-based practice
- + Timeline for Implementation (Immediate/Long Term)
- + Achieves cost savings (cost neutral)
- + Achieved through local response

Next Steps

Work Group Meeting #2

- + Friday, **April 8th** at 2p.m.

Agenda Topics

- + Agree on decision criteria for vetting recommendations.
- + Background presentation on the interface of current SF criminal justice, behavioral health and criminal case processing systems.
- + SF Sheriff Department Custody Profile Data.

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