5 Year Retention Rates by Budget Unit and Location

Included in the Department of Corrections' (SCDC) March 20, 2019 letter to the House Legislative Oversight Committee (LOC). This information was provided in response to the following question in LOC's February 25, 2019, letter to the Department of Corrections: "14 - What type of performance data related to hiring and retention does the agency track?"

In addition to providing the information in this document, SCDC provided the following response:

For hiring we monitor the following performance data measures:

- Qualified Candidates Provides a strong indicator of how close our team is to achieving the hiring goal for a given period. We calculate this by (qualified candidates = total candidates per opening who move past the phone screen stage)
- Time to Fill Adds up the total number of days an open job goes unfilled, and the average time to fill looks at all unfilled positions over a set time period. (We measure this by: Total number of days job is available and unfilled)
- EEO Reporting
- Sourcing channel To optimize our hiring process, we have to know where candidates are coming from and which sources provide the most qualified candidates.

The statistical reports attached, reflect a snapshot of historical data that paints the picture on some of the struggles in filling cadet and correctional officer positions. (Note: JD30 positions in the attached documents are front-line entry-level cadets and correctional officers (CO1-CO3)).

Nationally, correctional agencies are having a hard time filling vacancies in prisons. This is partially due to the fact that facilities were historically placed in rural areas and the employable population has dwindled through the years.

In South Carolina, 14 of our 21 institutions are in counties with continuously decreasing labor pools due to relocating to more metropolitan areas.

SCDC 5 Year Retention Rates by Budget Unit and Location January 1, 2014 - December 31, 2018

	Budget Unit		Location		5 Year	
Code	Description	Code	Description	Start	# Remaining	Retention
					at End	Rate
10101	AGENCY DIRECTOR		HEADQUARTERS	3	1	33.33%
10202	COMMUNICATIONS	0001	HEADQUARTERS	3	0	0.00%
10301	OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL	0001	HEADQUARTERS	18	1	5.56%
10301	OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL	0410	COASTAL REGIONAL OFFICE	2	0	0.00%
10701	OPERATIONS	0001	HEADQUARTERS	15	8	53.33%
10701	OPERATIONS	0024	CENTRAL OFFICE ANNEX	1	0	0.00%
10701	OPERATIONS	0411	ALLENDALE	1	1	100.00%
10701	OPERATIONS	0421	LIEBER	1	0	0.00%
10701	OPERATIONS	0541	KERSHAW	1	1	100.00%
10901	VICTIM SERVICES	0001	HEADQUARTERS	7	4	57.14%
11101	SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES DIVISION	0001	HEADQUARTERS	7	0	0.00%
11101	SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES DIVISION	0232	GOODMAN	1	0	0.00%
14101	OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL	0001	HEADQUARTERS	11	3	27.27%
14102	LEGISLATIVE LIAISON	0001	HEADQUARTERS	1	0	0.00%
14201	POLICY DEVELOPMENT	0001	HEADQUARTERS	3	2	66.67%
14301	INMATE GRIEVANCE	0001	HEADQUARTERS	6	2	33.33%
15101	DIV OF COMPLIANCE, STANDARDS & INSPEC	0001	HEADQUARTERS	1	1	100.00%
15501	STATE & LOCAL INSPECTIONS	0001	HEADQUARTERS	2	2	100.00%
17101	POLICE SERVICES	0001	HEADQUARTERS	10	3	30.00%
17101	POLICE SERVICES	0026	HQ ANNEX #2	1	0	0.00%
17101	POLICE SERVICES		TYGER RIVER	1	0	0.00%
	POLICE SERVICES	0181	MCCORMICK	1	0	
	POLICE SERVICES	_	PERRY	1	0	0.00%
	POLICE SERVICES	0211	BROAD RIVER	1	0	0.00%
	POLICE SERVICES	_	GRAHAM	1	0	0.00%
	POLICE SERVICES	0421	LIEBER	1	0	0.00%
17101	POLICE SERVICES	0551	LEE	1	0	0.00%
17101	POLICE SERVICES	0582	WATEREE RIVER	1	0	0.00%
20101	ADMINISTRATION	0001	HEADQUARTERS	2	0	0.00%
20104	MAIL/SUPPLY ROOM	4	HEADQUARTERS	3	0	
	MAIL/SUPPLY ROOM	0030	SUPPORT SERVICES	1	1	100.00%
20201	BUDGET/FINANCE	0001	HEADQUARTERS	3	1	33.33%
	PURCHASING	0001	HEADQUARTERS	1	0	
	PURCHASING	-	SUPPORT SERVICES	8	3	
	RESOURCE & INFORMATION MGMT - ADMINIST	-	HEADQUARTERS	7	5	
21201	SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT/SUPPORT	0001	HEADQUARTERS	13	8	61.54%
	FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING	+	HEADQUARTERS	24		45.83%
_	OFFENDER INFORMATION MANAGEMENT H	+	HEADQUARTERS	3		66.67%
	NETWORK AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS	+	HEADQUARTERS	10		
_	SYSTEMS OPERATION AND SUPPORT	+	HEADQUARTERS	6	0	
	HUMAN RESOURCES ADMINISTRATION	_	HEADQUARTERS	5	1	20.00%
	BENEFITS	_	HEADQUARTERS	5	1	20.00%
	CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION	+	HEADQUARTERS	5		
-	DRUG TESTING	+	HEADQUARTERS	1	0	
	EMPLOYEE RELATIONS	+	HEADQUARTERS	3		33.33%
	PAYROLL & LEAVE	+	HEADQUARTERS	7	3	42.86%
-	RECRUITING & EMPLOYMENT SERVICES	+	HEADQUARTERS	2	0	0.00%

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	RECRUITING & EMPLOYMENT SERVICES		RECRUITING & EMPLOYMENT	2	0	
	ANNOUCED POSITIONS	0022	RECRUITING & EMPLOYMENT	3	0	0.00%
	RECRUITING	+	RECRUITING & EMPLOYMENT	5	2	40.00%
23101	INDUSTRIES ADMINISTRATION NN	+	HEADQUARTERS	3	1	33.33%
23101	INDUSTRIES ADMINISTRATION NN	_	CORRECTIONAL INDUSTRIES	29	14	
23101	INDUSTRIES ADMINISTRATION NN	_	PRINT SHOP	3	1	33.33%
	INDUSTRIES ADMINISTRATION NN		BROAD RIVER	1	0	
	INDUSTRIES ADMINISTRATION NN		MANNING	2	0	
	SUPPORT SERVICES ADMINISTRATION		HEADQUARTERS	5	2	40.00%
	SUPPORT SERVICES ADMINISTRATION		SUPPORT SERVICES	1	0	0.00%
	CANTEEN WHSE INVENTORY/DISTRIBUTION		HEADQUARTERS	1	0	0.00%
	CANTEEN WHSE INVENTORY/DISTRIBUTION	_	SUPPORT SERVICES	14	7	50.00%
24301	COMMISSARY WHSE INVENTORY/DISTRIBUTION	0030	SUPPORT SERVICES	12	4	33.33%
24301	COMMISSARY WHSE INVENTORY/DISTRIBUTION	0035	FOOD WAREHOUSE	1	0	0.00%
24311	RECYCLING OPERATION	0030	SUPPORT SERVICES	7	2	28.57%
	FOOD SERVICES ADMINISTRATION	_	FOOD WAREHOUSE	4	2	50.00%
	FOOD SER WHSE INVENTORY/DISTRIBUTION	+	FOOD WAREHOUSE	15	3	
	AGRICULTURE SERVICES	+	HEADQUARTERS	1	0	0.00%
	AGRICULTURE SERVICES	_	AGRICULTURE ADMINISTRATIO	3	0	0.00%
24602	WATER FARM ORFRATIONS	0040	A CRICILITURE ARABAUSTRATIO		2	2 222/
24602	WATEREE FARM OPERATIONS	0019	AGRICULTURE ADMINISTRATIO	1	0	0.00%
24602	WATEREE FARM OPERATIONS	0030	SUPPORT SERVICES	2	0	0.00%
24602	WATEREE FARM OPERATIONS	0031	WATEREE FARM	1	0	0.00%
24602	WATEREE FARM OPERATIONS	0582	WATEREE RIVER	15	3	20.00%
24603	WALDEN FARM OPER	0001	HEADQUARTERS	2	0	0.00%
24603	WALDEN FARM OPER	0032	WALDEN FARM	1	0	0.00%
24604	MAC DOUGALL FARM OPER	_	MACDOUGALL FARM	1	0	0.00%
24604	MAC DOUGALL FARM OPER	0422	MACDOUGALL	1	0	0.00%
25101	TRAINING	0023	TRAINING ACADEMY	31	5	16.13%
25301	OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND WORKERS' COMP	0001	HEADQUARTERS	5	4	80.00%
30301	DIV. OF CLASSIFICATION & INMATE RECORD	0014	INMATE RECORDS	30	11	36.67%
30301	DIV. OF CLASSIFICATION & INMATE RECORD	0024	CENTRAL OFFICE ANNEX	16	5	31.25%
30501	SECURITY	0001	HEADQUARTERS	20	3	
30501	SECURITY	0023	TRAINING ACADEMY	6	0	0.00%
	SECURITY	0026	HQ ANNEX #2	37	2	5.41%
_	INMATE BUS TERMINAL	0001	HEADQUARTERS	1	1	100.00%
30502	INMATE BUS TERMINAL	0045	INMATE TRANSPORTATION TER	41	15	36.59%
30701	VEHICLE MANAGEMENT	0001	HEADQUARTERS	3	2	66.67%
30701	VEHICLE MANAGEMENT	0041	TRANSPORTATION	9	5	55.56%
30701	VEHICLE MANAGEMENT	0042	VEHICLE MAINTENANCE	1	1	100.00%
30701	VEHICLE MANAGEMENT	0045	INMATE TRANSPORTATION TER	1	0	0.00%
30702	VEHICLE MAINTENANCE	0042	VEHICLE MAINTENANCE	13	7	53.85%
30704	CAR WASH	0001	HEADQUARTERS	1	1	100.00%
31123	CATAWBA PRE-RELEASE CENTER	0123	CATAWBA	34	0	0.00%
31161	TYGER RIVER CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION	0161	TYGER RIVER	268	104	38.81%
31171	LEATH CORR INSTIT (WOMEN)	0171	LEATH	140	60	42.86%

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	LEATH CORR INSTIT (WOMEN)	_	GRAHAM	1	0	
-	LIVESAY CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION	_	LIVESAY	99	37	37.37%
-	MCCORMICK CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION		MCCORMICK	212	75	35.38%
	PERRY CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION		PERRY	257	75	29.18%
	BROAD RIVER CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION		BROAD RIVER	323	62	19.20%
-	TRENTON CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION		TRENTON	150	62	41.33%
	CAMPBELL PRE-RELEASE CENTER		CAMPBELL	43	0	0.00%
	GOODMAN CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION KIRKLAND CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION		GOODMAN KIRKLAND	86 427	_	1.16%
		_	LOWER SAVANNAH	427	149	34.90% 0.00%
	LOWER SAVANNAH PRE-RELEASE CENTER			149	42	28.19%
	MANNING REENTRY/WORK RELEASE CENTER STEVENSON CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION		MANNING STEVENSON	149	0	0.00%
	WALDEN CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION	_	STEVENSON	1	0	0.00%
	WALDEN CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION WALDEN CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION		WALDEN	107	0	0.00%
-	CAMILLE GRAHAM CORRECTIONAL INST.		GRAHAM	191	72	37.70%
_	CAMILLE GRAHAM CORRECTIONAL INST.		GRAHAM SIU	191	0	0.00%
	ALLENDALE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION		ALLENDALE	195	91	46.67%
	COASTAL PRE-RELEASE CENTER	_	COASTAL	41	0	0.00%
-	LIEBER CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION		LIEBER	289	80	27.68%
-	MACDOUGALL CORRECTIONAL INST.		MACDOUGALL	136	64	47.06%
	RIDGELAND CORR INSTITUTION	_	RIDGELAND	201	75	37.31%
	EVANS CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION	_	EVANS	240	94	39.17%
	KERSHAW CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION	_	KERSHAW	257	94	36.58%
	LEE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION	0551		341	93	27.27%
	PALMER PRE-RELEASE CENTER	_	PALMER	47	24	51.06%
	TURBEVILLE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION	_	TURBEVILLE	282	87	30.85%
	WATEREE RIVER CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION	_	WATEREE RIVER	207	86	41.55%
34362	WATERLE RIVER CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION	0382	WATEREE RIVER	207	80	41.55/0
35101	FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	0001	HEADQUARTERS	1	0	0.00%
-	FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	_	FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	7	1	14.29%
	HEADQUARTERS COMPLEX-GROUNDS MAINT		FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	4	_	50.00%
	DETENTION SVCS		FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	3		
	ELECTRICAL	_	FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	14	7	50.00%
-	FACILITIES SUPPORT		FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	8	2	25.00%
_	HVAC/KITCHEN		FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	10	8	
	INMATE CONSTRUCTION		HEADQUARTERS	3	0	0.00%
35108	INMATE CONSTRUCTION	_	FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	10	2	20.00%
	METALS/ROOFING/FIRE PROTECTION	_	FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	7	3	42.86%
-	PHYSICAL PLANT	_	FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	2	1	50.00%
	PLUMBING	_	FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	4	3	75.00%
	FACILITIES ARCHITECH & ENGINEERING		FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	6	4	66.67%
	CIV LABOR POOL 9511	_	FACILITIES MANAGEMENT	4	1	25.00%
	PROGRAMS & SERVICES		HEADQUARTERS	5	0	
	INMATE SERVICES	_	HEADQUARTERS	8	3	
-	PALMETTO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT #1		HEADQUARTERS	2	1	
	PALMETTO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT #1	_	EDUCATION BLDG	8	2	
-	MENTAL HEALTH	_	HEADQUARTERS	5		
-	MENTAL HEALTH	_	KIRKLAND	4	1	25.00%
	MENTAL HEALTH	_	GILLIAM PSY	58		
_	YOPRS(COLUMBIA)	_	HEADQUARTERS	6		
	ISS PEE DEE REGION		HEADQUARTERS	10		40.00%
	ISS PEE DEE REGION		PALMER	5		

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48212	ISS MIDLANDS REGION	0001	HEADQUARTERS	13	4	30.77%
48213	ISS UPSTATE REGION	0001	HEADQUARTERS	8	5	62.50%
48213	ISS UPSTATE REGION	0173	LIVESAY	4	1	25.00%
48214	ISS LOW COUNTRY REGION	0001	HEADQUARTERS	6	3	50.00%
48214	ISS LOW COUNTRY REGION	0413	COASTAL	9	4	44.44%
50101	HEALTH SERVICES	0001	HEADQUARTERS	10	3	30.00%
50101	HEALTH SERVICES	0024	CENTRAL OFFICE ANNEX	2	1	50.00%
50101	HEALTH SERVICES	0242	GILLIAM PSY	1	1	100.00%
53101	MEDICAL SUPPORT	0001	HEADQUARTERS	2	0	0.00%
53101	MEDICAL SUPPORT	0024	CENTRAL OFFICE ANNEX	8	4	50.00%