



Sexual Violence Survey 2021

Facility included in this report is the Northern Neck Regional Jail (NNRJ)
The reporting period is between January 1, 2021 to December 31, 2021

Inmates confined in NNRJ on December 31, 2021 were 387 males and 21 females

During 2021, New admissions to the jail were 2250 male and 328 female

The Average daily population at NNRJ in 2021 was 412 males and 34 females

Inmate on Inmate Sexual Violence

The categories of inmate-on-inmate sexual violence are:

Non-Consensual Sexual Acts:

- Contact of any person without his or her consent, or of a person who is unable to consent or refuse;
- and**
- Contact between the penis and the vagina or the penis and the anus including penetration, however slight;
- or**
- Contact between the mouth and the penis, vagina, or anus;
- or**
- Penetration of the anal or genital opening of another person by a hand, finger, or other object.

Abusive Sexual Contacts

- Contact of any person without his or her consent, or of a person who is unable to consent or refuse;
- and**
- Intentional touching, either directly or through the clothing, of the genitalia, anus, groin, breast, inner thigh, or buttocks of any person.

The Northern Neck Regional Jail records all allegations of inmate-on-inmate abusive sexual contact and nonconsensual sexual acts, both attempted and completed.

There was 4 allegation of inmate-on-inmate abusive sexual contact/nonconsensual sexual acts made between January 1, 2021 and December 31, 2021. One Allegation was substantiated and three were unfounded.



There were 5 allegations of inmate-on-inmate sexual harassment. Three allegations were unfounded and 2 were unsubstantiated.

Staff sexual misconduct and harassment

Staff Sexual Misconduct includes any behavior or act of a sexual nature directed toward an inmate by an employee, volunteer, contractor, official visitor, or other agency representative. Sexual relations of a romantic nature between staff and inmates are included in this definition.

Consensual or nonconsensual sexual acts including:

- Intentional touching of the genitalia, anus, groin, breast, inner thigh, or buttocks with the intent to abuse, arouse, or gratify sexual desire;
or
- Completed, attempted, threatened, or requested sexual acts;
or
- Occurrences of indecent exposure, invasion of privacy, or staff voyeurism for sexual gratification.

Definition of staff sexual harassment

Staff Sexual Harassment includes repeated verbal statements or comments of a sexual nature to an inmate by an employee, volunteer, contractor, official visitor, or other agency representative.

- Demeaning references to gender or derogatory comments about body or clothing;
or
- Repeated profane or obscene language or gestures.

The Northern Neck Regional Jail records all allegations of Staff Sexual Misconduct.

Between January 1, 2021 and December 31, 2021, there were 3 allegations of Staff Sexual Misconduct. All allegations were unfounded.

The Northern Neck Regional Jail records all allegations of Staff Sexual Harassment.

Between January 1, 2021 and December 31, 2021, there were 4 allegations of Staff Sexual Harassment. All allegations were unfounded.