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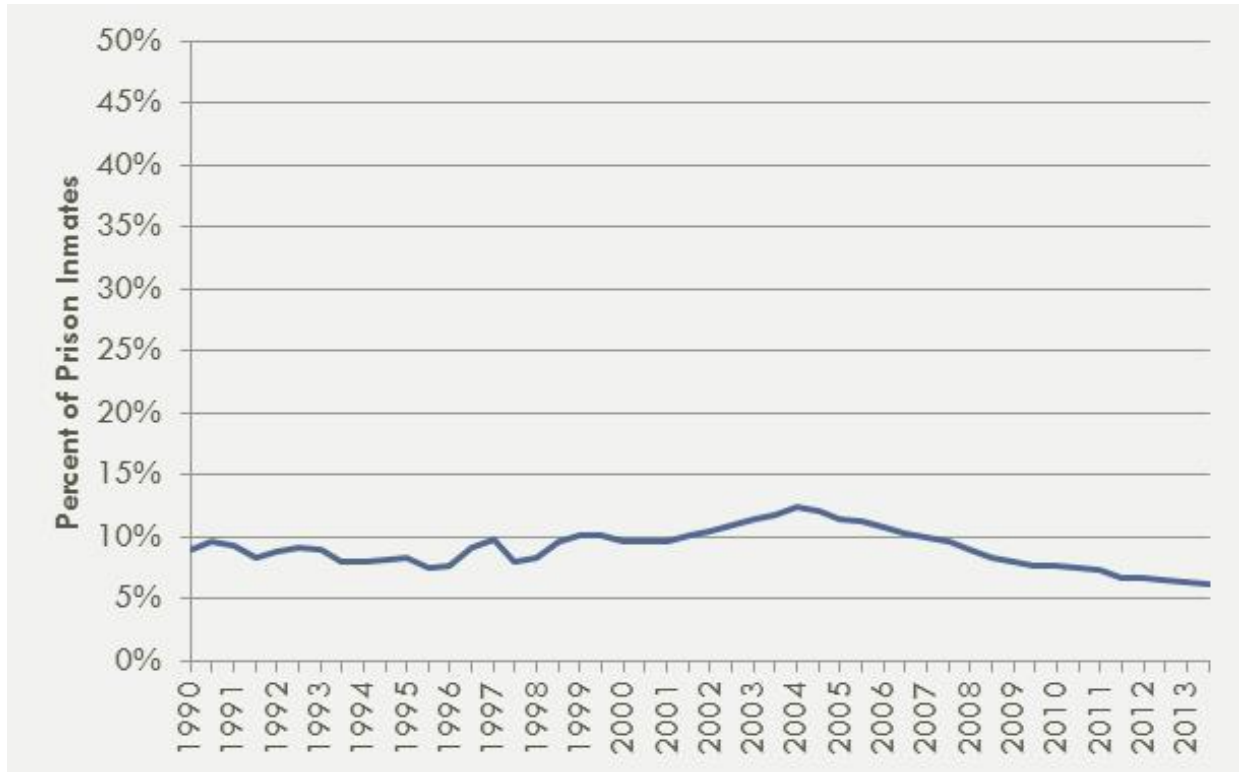
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Inmates with Only Drug Offenses

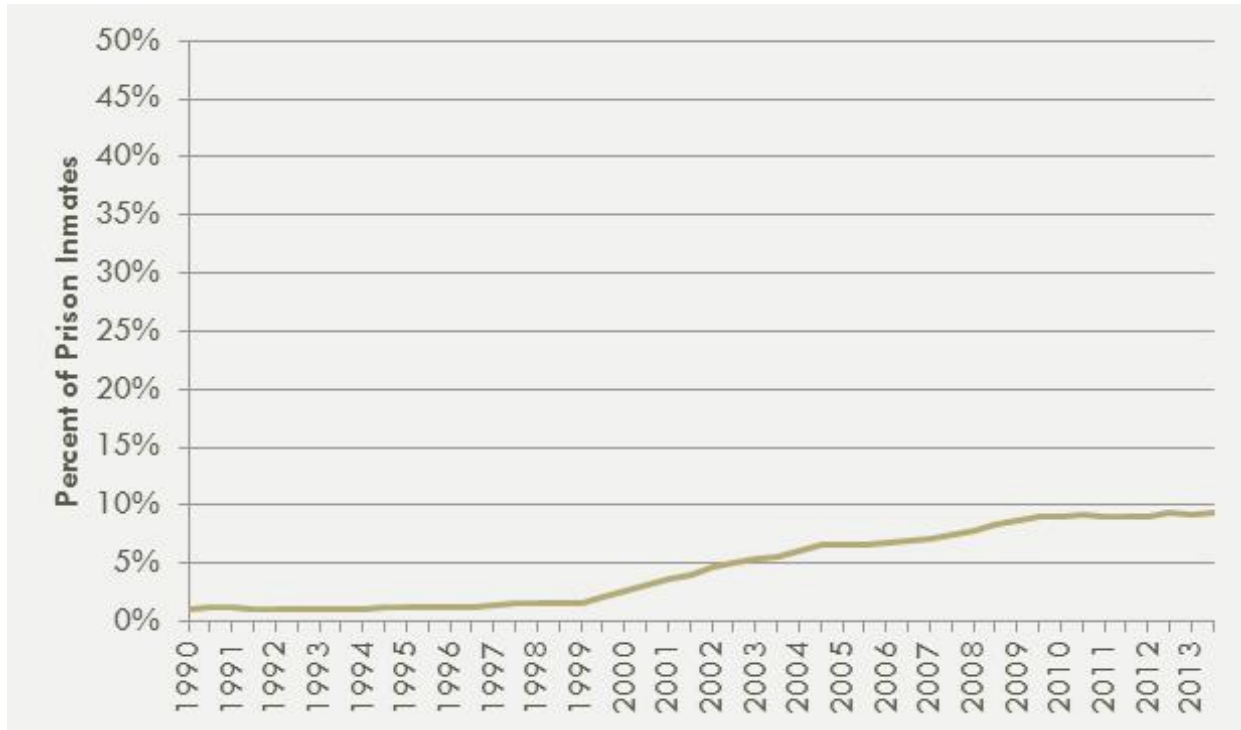


This figure displays the percentage of inmates whose only active offenses are drug offenses, out of all inmates with active offenses, from 1990 to 2013. Inmates included in this figure may have multiple active drug offenses. This figure includes inmates serving a new sentence, those who were revoked from probation or parole with a new sentence, and those who were revoked without a new sentence.

Point-in-Time	Drug Offense Only Inmates	
	N	%
12/31/1990	538	9.7
12/31/2000	1,926	9.6
12/31/2013	1,333	6.2

Note: These counts and percentages exclude temporary holds.

Inmates with an Active OWI Offense

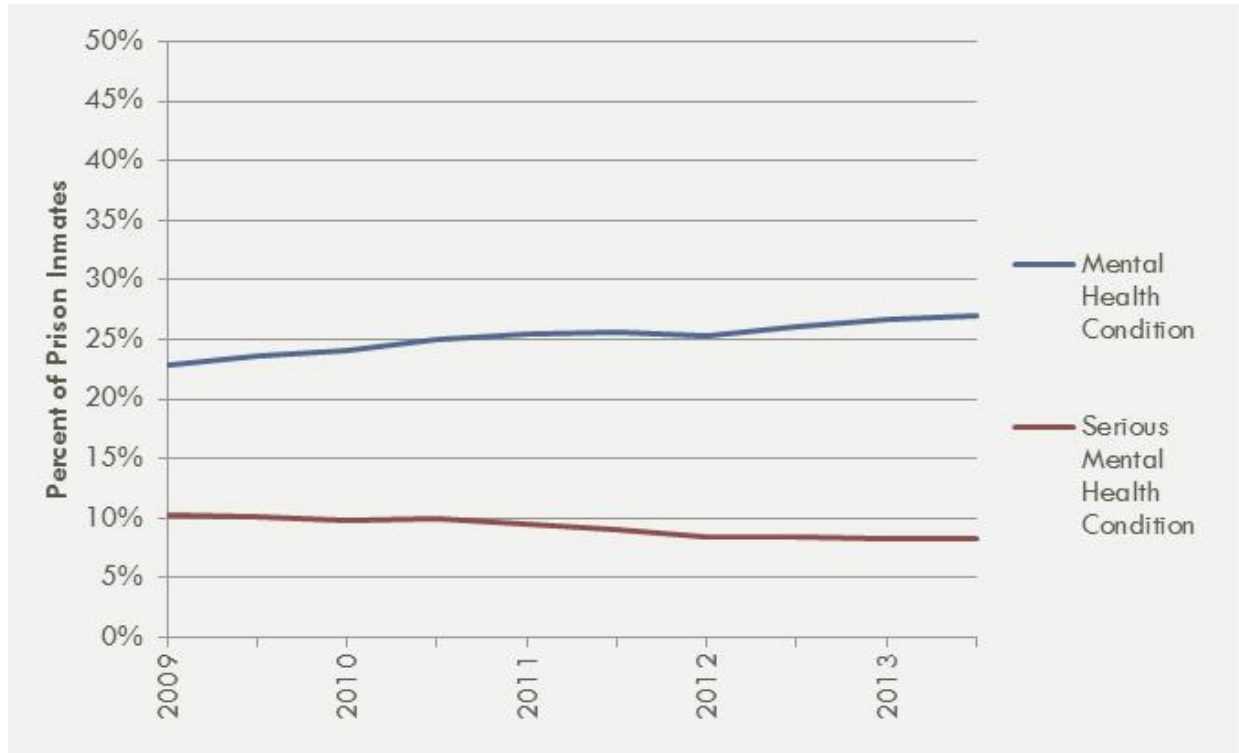


The figure above shows the percentage of inmates with at least one active OWI offense, out of all inmates with active offenses, from 1990 to 2013. Inmates included in this figure may have other active offenses in addition to their OWI offense, and may have multiple active OWI offenses. Additionally, inmates may be incarcerated for an offense other than their OWI offense; this figure includes inmates serving a new sentence, those who were revoked from probation or parole with a new sentence, and those who were revoked without a new sentence.

Point-in-Time	Inmates with OWI %
12/31/1990	1.2
12/31/2000	3.2
12/31/2013	9.4

Note: These percentages exclude temporary holds.

Inmates with Mental Health Conditions

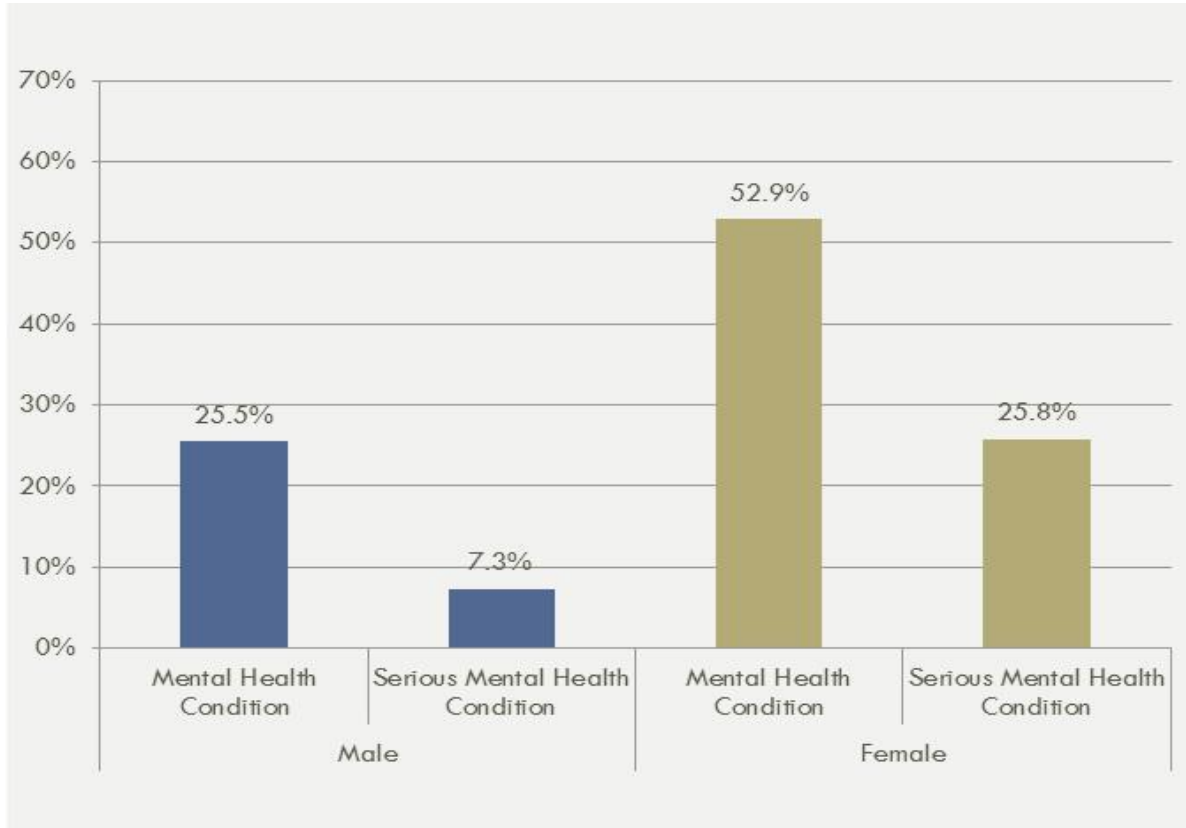


This figure shows the percentage of inmates with mental health needs, out of all inmates with a specified mental health code, from 2009 to 2013. Inmates with a mental health condition are receiving mental health services, but do not suffer from a serious mental disorder. Inmates with a serious mental health condition have a current diagnosis of or are in remission from serious and persistent mental disorders, including schizophrenia, psychosis, depression, and neurological impairments. At the end of 2013, 35.2% of inmates had a mental health condition of some kind. This represents a 7.7% increase (2.6 percentage points) from 2009, when 33.8% of inmates had a mental health condition of some kind.

Point-in-Time	Mental Health Condition		Serious Mental Health Condition	
	N	%	N	%
12/31/2009	5,125	23.6	2,241	10.2
12/31/2013	5,901	26.9	1,809	8.3

Note: These counts and percentages exclude temporary holds.

Inmates with Mental Health Conditions by Gender



The figure above displays the proportion of inmates with mental health needs for each gender, out of all inmates with a specified mental health code, at the end of 2013. Among male inmates, 32.8% had a mental health condition of some kind. In the female population, 78.7% of inmates had a mental health condition of some kind.

Point-in-Time	Male				Female			
	Mental Health Condition		Serious Mental Health Condition		Mental Health Condition		Serious Mental Health Condition	
	N	%	N	%	N	%	N	%
12/31/2013	5,288	25.5	1,510	7.3	613	52.9	299	25.8

Note: These counts and percentages exclude temporary holds.