

**Mission of the Residential Treatment Unit (RTU):**

The mission of the RTU is to provide inmates with programming, mental health treatment and structure as an alternative to placement (and/or an inmate seeking additional mental health supports) in Disciplinary Confinement Unit, an Administrative Confinement Unit, or General Population and/or when deemed clinically appropriate.

The goal of the placement in the RTU is to assist inmates to achieve their highest level of functioning by developing alternative coping skills that result in behavioral stability sufficient to return to general population by incorporating group therapy and individual therapy.



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# Anthony P. Trivisono

## Intake Service Center

The Anthony P. Trivisono Intake Service Center (ISC) is a maximum security facility which serves as Rhode Island's jail for male offenders. Rhode Island is one of six states that have unified systems, incorporating the jail and state prison into one department. The south side of the facility was constructed in 1982, while the north wing was constructed in 1992.

Inmates housed at the ISC fall into several categories: pretrial detainees, newly sentenced inmates who are awaiting classification to other facilities and sentenced protective custody.

- The facility was renamed the Anthony P. Trivisono Intake Service Center April 22, 2010
- Anthony P. Trivisono: In 1972, became the first Director of the Department of Corrections
- Opened: 1982
- Expanded: 1992
- Renovated: 1995
- Average Facility Population: 857 (FY25)
- Operational Capacity: 1,118 (FY25)
- Annual Cost per Offender: \$80,032 (FY25)
- Total Building Expenditures: \$42,403,864 (FY25)
- Amount of commitments at ISC: 8,811 (FY25)

Intake Service Center provides seven day a week medical and mental health services for offenders within the facility.

There are: 3 Doctors, 2 Nurse Practitioner, 3 Nursing Supervisor, 9 Nurses, 4 Psychiatrists, 4 Behavioral Health Clinicians, 3 Physical Therapists, 2 Occupational Therapists, 2 Dentists, 1 Dental Hygienist and 3 Dental Assistants. In addition, there are several specialty clinics that are provided within the facility.

In FY25, the average age of a sentenced release who expired their sentence from Intake Service Center (excluding those admitted as parole violators) was 38 years old. The average length of stay was 62.4 days. Nearly 49% had a length of stay of 30 days or less. An additional 39% of sentenced releases had a length of stay between 1 to 3 months. Sentenced offenders who expired their sentence were released after serving time for the following most serious offense types: non-violent offenses (65%), violent offense (28%), and drug related offenses (4%), 52% have completed High School with a diploma or obtained a GED, 80% are single, 45% reported to have been unemployed, with average of two children. The majority of sentenced releases were White (49%), Black (28%), Hispanic (20%) and other (3%).

In FY25, the average age of a pre-trial release was 37 years old. For all male pre-trial releases, just over 52% had a length of stay of 7 days or less. An additional 24% had a length of stay between one week and one month. Male pre-trial offenders were released after being charged with the following most serious offense types: violent offense (43%), drug related offenses (16%) and non-violent offence (30%), 50% have completed High School with a diploma or obtained a GED, 79% are single, 38% reported to have been unemployed, with average of two children. The majority of pre-trial releases are White (44%), Black (28%), Hispanic (25%) and other (3%).

Staff at the facility is aware of the Department of Corrections' philosophy of encouraging offenders to have regular social visits with relatives and others in order to maintain close family ties and other positive relationships and support systems. Visits are offered three (3) times a week for each offender.

### **The Mission of the Behavioral Management Unit (BMU):**

The mission of the BMU provides structured mental health treatment for inmates with serious mental illness who cannot function in general population. It uses evidence-based programs like START NOW to reduce harmful behaviors and build coping skills. Participants follow individualized plans, attend therapy and services, and progress through an incentive-based system. With at least 20 hours of weekly programming, the BMU helps inmates develop pro-social skills and prepare for reintegration.