JRA Baseline Measures
JRA Desired Outcomes

- Increased victim restitution payment
- Increased use of medical and geriatric parole
- Increased and timely access to treatment
- Increased funding for recidivism reduction programs
- Increased alternatives to incarceration

- Lower recidivism rate
- Lower incarceration rates
- Lesser sentences for low level drug offenders
- Shorter length of stay
- Fewer returns to custody from technical violations
- Increased funding for recidivism reduction programs
- Increased alternatives to incarceration
Baseline Measures

Maryland Annual Inmate Population

Data Source: Department of Public Safety and Correctional Service Annual Reports, DPSCS Office of Grants, Policy and Statistics, and Pew Charitable Trusts
## Baseline Measures

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<th>2005</th>
<th>2014</th>
<th>2017</th>
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<td>Baseline Population</td>
<td>22,466</td>
<td>21,326</td>
<td>19,242</td>
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<td>Size of supervision population</td>
<td>49,734</td>
<td>47,467</td>
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<td>Percentage of state prison population sentenced for nonviolent crimes</td>
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<td>58.3%</td>
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<td>Number of admissions to state prisons from new offense</td>
<td>4,479</td>
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<td>Percentage of parole returns for technical violations</td>
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<td>Average sentence length (months)</td>
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<td>Percentage of offenders released through parole</td>
<td>30.0%</td>
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Implementation Measures

- Number of individuals eligible for, and granted,
  - Administrative Release
  - Medical Parole
  - Geriatric Parole

- Percentage of offenders pending revocation that are eligible for JRA graduated sanctions*
- Number of revocation sentences given under JRA revocation caps*
- Number of individuals eligible for earned compliance credits*

*Pending OCMS upgrades
Implementation Measures: County Detention

Average pretrial custody ranges from 11-187 days.

Baltimore City accounts for almost 32% of the pretrial population.

Pretrial is 70% of statewide* detention population on average.
Implementation Measures: County Detention

Post-JRA Locally Sentenced Populations

- Allegany
- Anne Arundel
- Baltimore
- Calvert
- Caroline
- Carroll
- Cecil
- Charles
- Dorchester
- Frederick
- Garrett
- Harford
- Howard
- Kent
- Montgomery
- Prince George's
- Queen Anne's
- Saint Mary's
- Somerset
- Talbot
- Washington
- Wicomico
- Worcester
JRA Measurement

Baseline Indicators
What were we looking to improve?

How Maryland decided on the need for JRA, and what its priority areas would be.

Outcomes
What changes did JRA bring about?
Identifying continued needs for JRA refinement, unintended impacts, and new focus areas for additional reforms

Implementation
How faithfully was JRA implemented?
This tracks the success of novel programs, calculating not only their impact on the overall population but also their contribution to cost aversion.
Questions & Suggestions

● Recommendations for data measurement
● Staff referral
● Issues with providing data