



Behavioral Health Update

NCDPS/Prisons
September 15, 2016

Behavioral Health Services

- ▶ Current Average Prison Population

36,297

- ▶ Receiving Behavioral Health Services

5,499

- ▶ Total population receiving Behavioral Health Services

15.15%

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Comparison

- ▶ Enhancing awareness and improved screening increased the percentage of offenders served

2008 (9.8%)

2016 (15.15%)



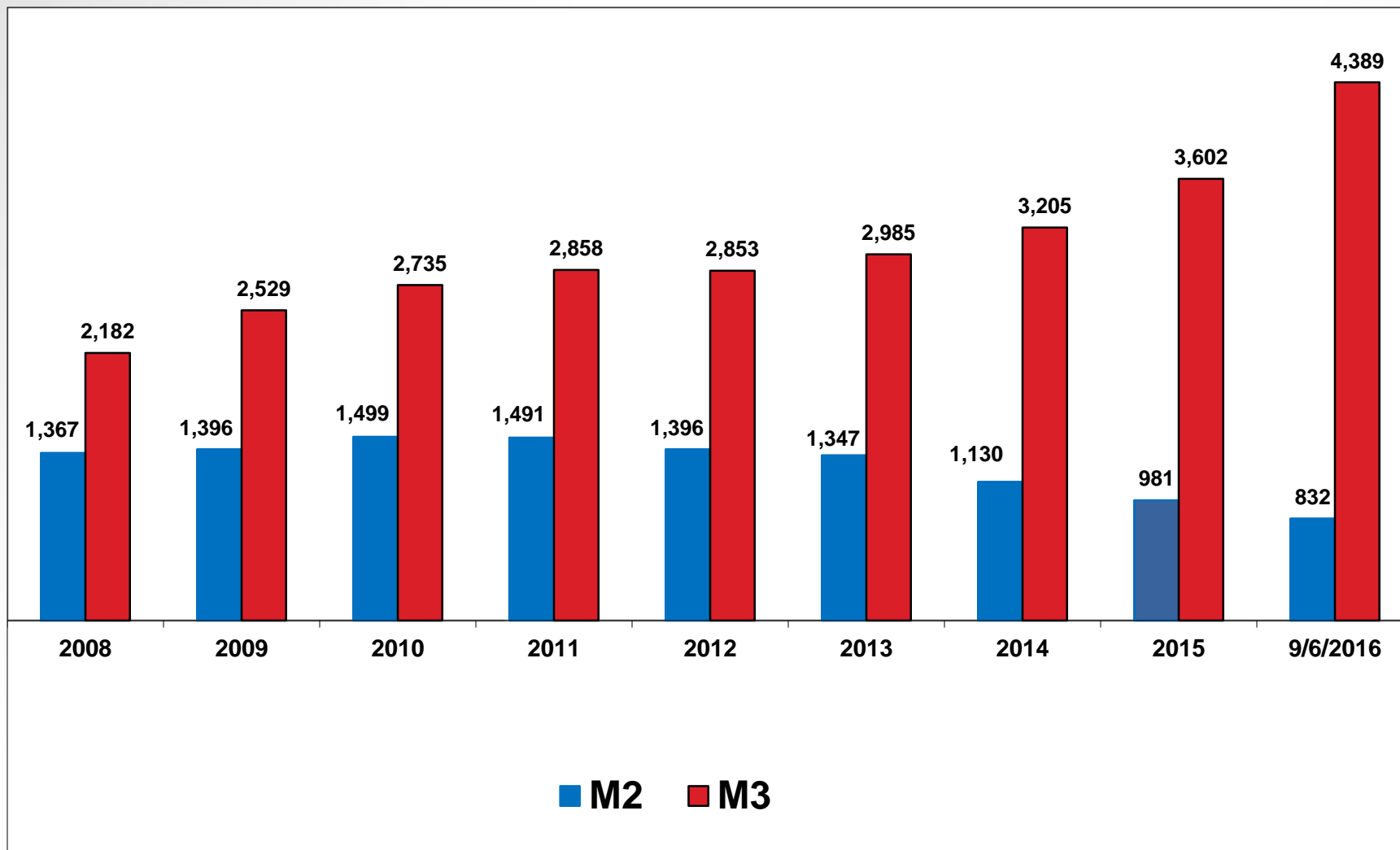
- ▶ Average daily prison population census has decreased

2008 (38,241)

2016 (36,297)

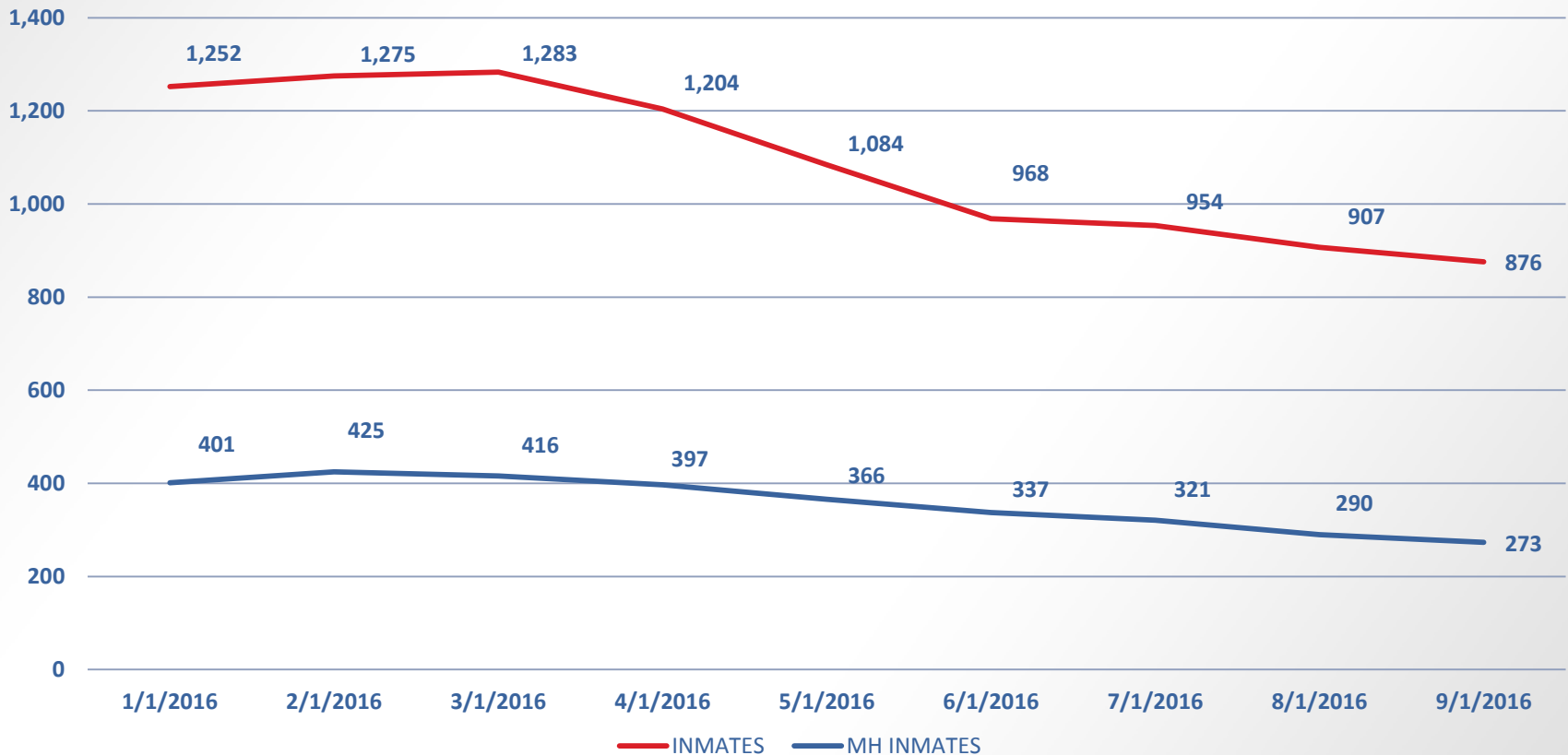


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Offenders in Restrictive Housing



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Staffing: Each Therapeutic Diversion Unit will provide a standardized treatment structure guided by the treatment team that embraces the offender and provides support and active treatment.



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► Four Therapeutic Diversion Units 2016

◦ Central Prison	June 1, 2016	(24)
◦ Maury	July 1, 2016	(32)
◦ NCCIW	August 14, 2016	(24)
◦ Polk	September 12, 2016	(48)

Goal: Activate all prior to December 2016 with 75% capacity.

As of today 25% of TDU beds are occupied!

Plan: Activate four additional Therapeutic Diversion Units in 2017





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- ▶ Staffing: 92% staffing success on the TDUs

All TDUs staff will complete ACA Correctional Behavioral Health Certification in addition to Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) training.

- ▶ 52 staff have completed ACA training
- ▶ 52 staff scheduled for ACA training in October 2016
- ▶ All have completed CIT training

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► **NEW** Mental Health Training!

Offender's Prescription for Hope & Perseverance

- (H) Heighten awareness regarding signs and symptoms
- (O) Observe and Listen to Offender
- (P) Provide Support to Offender
- (E) Encourage professional help & provide offender with self-help strategies

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► Questions?