

October 2, 2026

TO: Presiding Juvenile Court Judges and Juvenile Justice Commission Chairs

FROM: Judge Katherine Lucero (ret.)
Director, Office of Youth and Community Restoration
California Health and Human Services Agency

RE: JJC 2025 Letter

Please find a list of all law enforcement agency facilities within the State of California that reported in the 2025 calendar year that they may hold minors in secure detention.

PLEASE NOTE: This list is prepared annually by OYCR's compliance monitoring team as part of their responsibility pursuant to Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act of 1974, as amended (34 U.S.C. 11101 et seq.) The list does NOT include facilities in your county that do NOT hold minors in secure detention; OYCR does not inspect those facilities.

OYCR does not have statutory authority to mandate that Judges or Juvenile Justice Commissioners conduct facility inspections, but we are ready to provide technical assistance and support. If there are facilities you believe should or should not be on the list, you are welcome to contact us for any technical assistance, but we will not add them to the list if they do NOT hold minors in secure detention. As always, we would like you to please reach out directly to your local county law enforcement agency for clarification as well.

This list and related documents are also available on OYCR's website at: [Minors in Detention - OYCR](#). Should you or your staff have any questions regarding the detention of minors in jails and lockups for adults, please contact our Compliance Monitor Team at OYCRCompliance.Monitor@chhs.ca.gov or (916) 651-0423.

Thank you,