

Profile of people in Community Correctional Services (CCS)

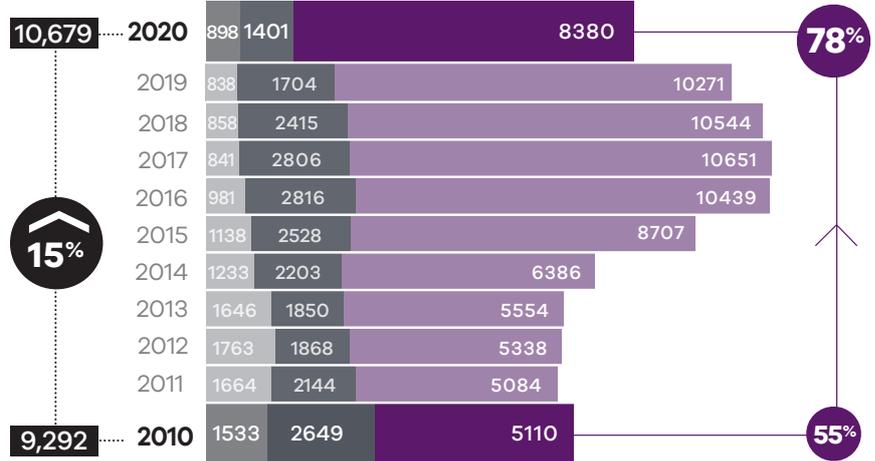
CCS manages people on parole, court and administrative orders (eg non-payment of fines)

Figures as at 30 June (each year)

The CCS offender population has increased by 15 per cent between 2010 and 2020, following a period of sustained growth between 2014 and 2017. Since 2017, the number of offenders has decreased, with fewer offenders being managed on a supervised court order (a decrease of 21 per cent), and a large decline in offenders on a reparation order (a decrease of 50 per cent).

Between 2010 and 2020:

- The number of offenders on a supervised court order increased from 55 to 78 per cent of the total CCS population
- The number of offenders on reparation orders decreased by 47 per cent, and the proportion decreased to 13 per cent (from 29 per cent) of the total CCS population
- The number of prisoners on parole decreased by 41 per cent, from 16 to eight per cent of the total CCS population.

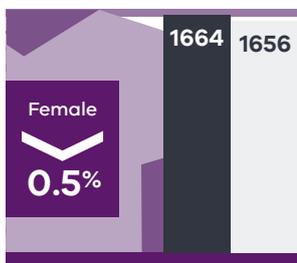


Prisoners on parole orders are prisoners who are conditionally released to serve the remainder of their prison term in the community on parole.

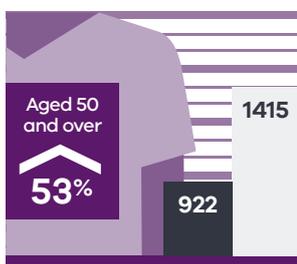
Offenders with reparation orders are required to undertake unpaid community work only.

Offenders with supervised court orders have at least one condition other than community work.

Trends in offender cohorts over the last 10 years



The number of female offenders in CCS increased by 55 per cent between 2010 to 2017, but has been decreasing since this time. Since 2017 the number of women has fallen by 36 per cent with the main change being women on supervised court orders and reparation orders that have decreased 26 and 65 per cent respectively.



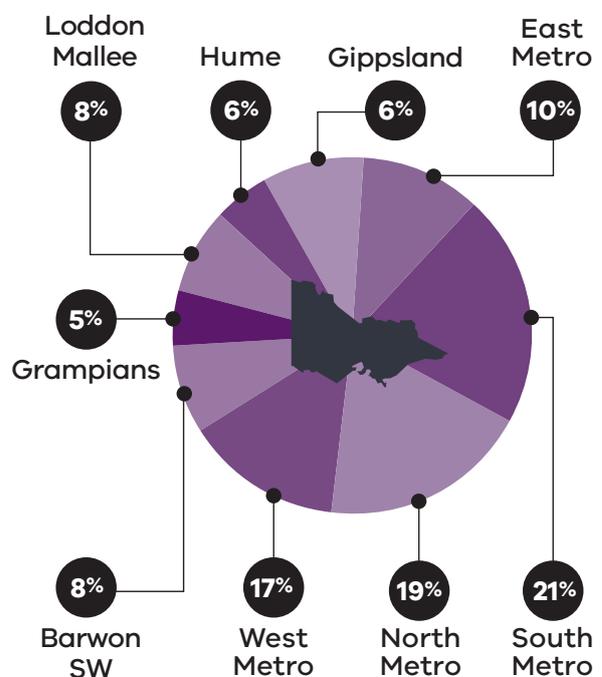
The number of offenders aged 50 and over has increased, now accounting for 13 per cent of the total CCS population (compared with 10 per cent in 2010). Conversely, the proportion of offenders aged under 25 years has decreased from 21 to 13 per cent of the total CCS population.



At 30 June 2020, 86 per cent of Aboriginal offenders were on supervised court orders, with a further 10 per cent on reparation orders. Most of these offenders (57 per cent) were reporting to a non-metropolitan CCS location.

2010 2020

Offender numbers by region (2020)



The majority of offenders report to metropolitan CCS locations with 67 per cent falling within the four metro areas.