

# 2016 County Crime and Offense Rate Outliers for North Central Texas Council of Governments

Top Tenth Percentile, Statewide (High Crime/Offense Rate)

	County Name	Crime/Offense	Statewide Rate per 100,000*	County Offenses	County Rate per 100,000
County Size Large Counties	DALLAS	Youth UCR Violent Crime	123	623	214
	HOOD	DFPS Child Abuse/Neglect	793	264	2,340
Small Counties	PALO PINTO	DFPS Child Abuse/Neglect	793	254	3,519

Bottom Tenth Percentile, Statewide (Low Crime/Offense Rate)

	County Name	Crime/Offense	Statewide Rate per 100,000*	County Offenses	County Rate per 100,000
County Size Large Counties	COLLIN	UCR Violent Crime	427	1,049	106
	DENTON	DFPS Child Abuse/..	793	806	378
		Family Violence	696	1,933	236
		UCR Property Crime	2,705	8,944	1,094
		UCR Violent Crime	427	929	114
	HOOD	Youth UCR Violent ..	123	1	19
	HUNT	Youth UCR Propert..	356	5	44
	NAVARRO	Youth UCR Propert..	356	3	47
	PARKER	UCR Property Crime	2,705	1,567	1,113
	ROCKWALL	UCR Property Crime	2,705	1,037	1,041
		UCR Violent Crime	427	85	85
WISE	Family Violence	696	167	246	
	UCR Property Crime	2,705	654	964	
Sma..	SOMERVELL	Youth UCR Propert..	356	0	0
		Youth UCR Violent ..	123	0	0

\*Statewide rates will differ from official DPS rates due to the use of Texas Demographer county population estimates instead of UCR jurisdictional population estimates. Additionally, juvenile crime and child abuse/neglect rates are per 100,000 youths aged 10-17 and children under 17 respectively, NOT per 100,000 total population.

# 2016 Agency Clearance Rate Outliers for North Central Texas Council of Governments

Bottom Tenth Percentile, Statewide (Low Clearance Rate)

	DPS Agency Name	UCR Crime	DPS Statewide Clearance Rate	Clearances	Offenses	Agency Clearance Rate
COLLIN	ALLEN PD	Auto Theft	14%	2	53	4%
	FRISCO PD	Burglary	11%	8	314	3%
	WYLIE PD	Assault	50%	12	37	32%
DALLAS	DALLAS PD	Larceny	17%	2,079	26,370	8%
	FARMERS BRANCH ..	Robbery	24%	4	29	14%
	IRVING PD	Auto Theft	14%	42	633	7%
	LANCASTER PD	Robbery	24%	15	91	16%
DE..	DENTON PD	Auto Theft	14%	10	164	6%
H..	GREENVILLE PD	Robbery	24%	4	33	12%
KA..	TERRELL PD	Rape	37%	0	14	0%
PARKERPA..	MINERAL WELLS PD	Assault	50%	15	52	29%
	PARKER CO SO	Larceny	17%	19	426	4%
		Rape	37%	2	23	9%

Top Tenth Percentile, Statewide (High Clearance Rate)

	DPS Agency Name	UCR Crime	DPS Statewide Clearance Rate	Clearances	Offenses	Agency Clearance Rate
COLL..	COLLIN CO SO	Assault	50%	37	43	86%
		Auto Theft	14%	17	29	59%
		Burglary	11%	30	107	28%
DALLAS	BALCH SPRINGS PD	Rape	37%	9	11	82%
	CEDAR HILL PD	Rape	37%	9	10	90%
	RICHARDSON PD	Rape	37%	14	16	88%
	ROWLETT PD	Robbery	24%	11	16	69%
	ELLIS CO SO	Rape	37%	12	13	92%
HUNT	HUNT CO SO	Auto Theft	14%	70	101	69%
		Burglary	11%	151	259	58%
		Larceny	17%	171	300	57%
J. KA..	CLEBURNE PD	Robbery	24%	10	13	77%
		KAUFMAN CO SO	Assault	50%	96	112
PA..	WEATHERFORD PD	Robbery	24%	9	12	75%
		Assault	50%	24	29	83%
TARRA..	HALTOM CITY PD	Auto Theft	14%	15	31	48%
		Burglary	11%	82	222	37%
	Robbery	24%	20	30	67%	
	HURST PD	Larceny	17%	693	1,402	49%
	MANSFIELD PD	Auto Theft	14%	44	49	90%

"Clearance Rate" is defined as clearances divided by offenses during the year 2016. This value may exceed 100% if offenses from the previous year were cleared in addition to offenses from 2016.

## **Methodology - County Outliers**

The 70 Texas counties with population greater than 50,000 were placed into the "large county" category, while 135 Texas counties with population between 5,000 and 50,000 were placed into the "small county" category. Counties with population less than 5,000 were excluded.

All counties were then ranked according to the rate of occurrence for a given crime/offense within their respective size category. The top and bottom tenth percentiles of these rankings are reported on the preceding pages.

To give an example, a county has 4,000 violent crimes per 100,000 people, 500 property crimes per 100,000 people, and 1,000 family violence offenses per 100,000 people. This gives it one of the highest violent crime rates in the state, one of the lowest property crime rates in the state, and an average family violence rate.

This county would therefore appear in the top section of "high outliers" for violent crime, the bottom section of "low outliers" for property crime, and not be listed at all for family violence.

A section may be blank if a COG does not have any counties with outlier crime/offense rates.

## **Methodology - Agency Outliers**

All law enforcement agencies with fewer than 50 UCR violent offenses reported in the year 2016 were excluded. Were this step not taken, the outlier page would be filled with small agencies that had one single offense reported that either was or was not cleared (thereby making their clearance rate for that crime category 0% or 100%).

All law enforcement agencies reporting 50 or more UCR violent offenses during 2016 were then ranked according to the clearance rate for the given UCR crime category (with the exception of murder, which has been excluded due to lack of offenses for most agencies). The top and bottom tenth percentiles of these rankings are reported on the preceding pages.

To give an example, an agency has a clearance rate of 100% for robbery, 1% for burglary, and 50% for assault. This gives it one of the highest robbery clearance rates in the state, one of the lowest burglary clearance rates in the state, and an average assault clearance rate.

This county would therefore appear in the top section of "low outliers" for burglary clearance, the bottom section of "high outliers" for robbery clearance, and not be listed at all for assault clearance.

A section may be blank if a COG does not have any agencies with outlier clearance rates.