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Chief of Forensic Medicine State Hospital Update

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Texas Health and Human Services**

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Vision



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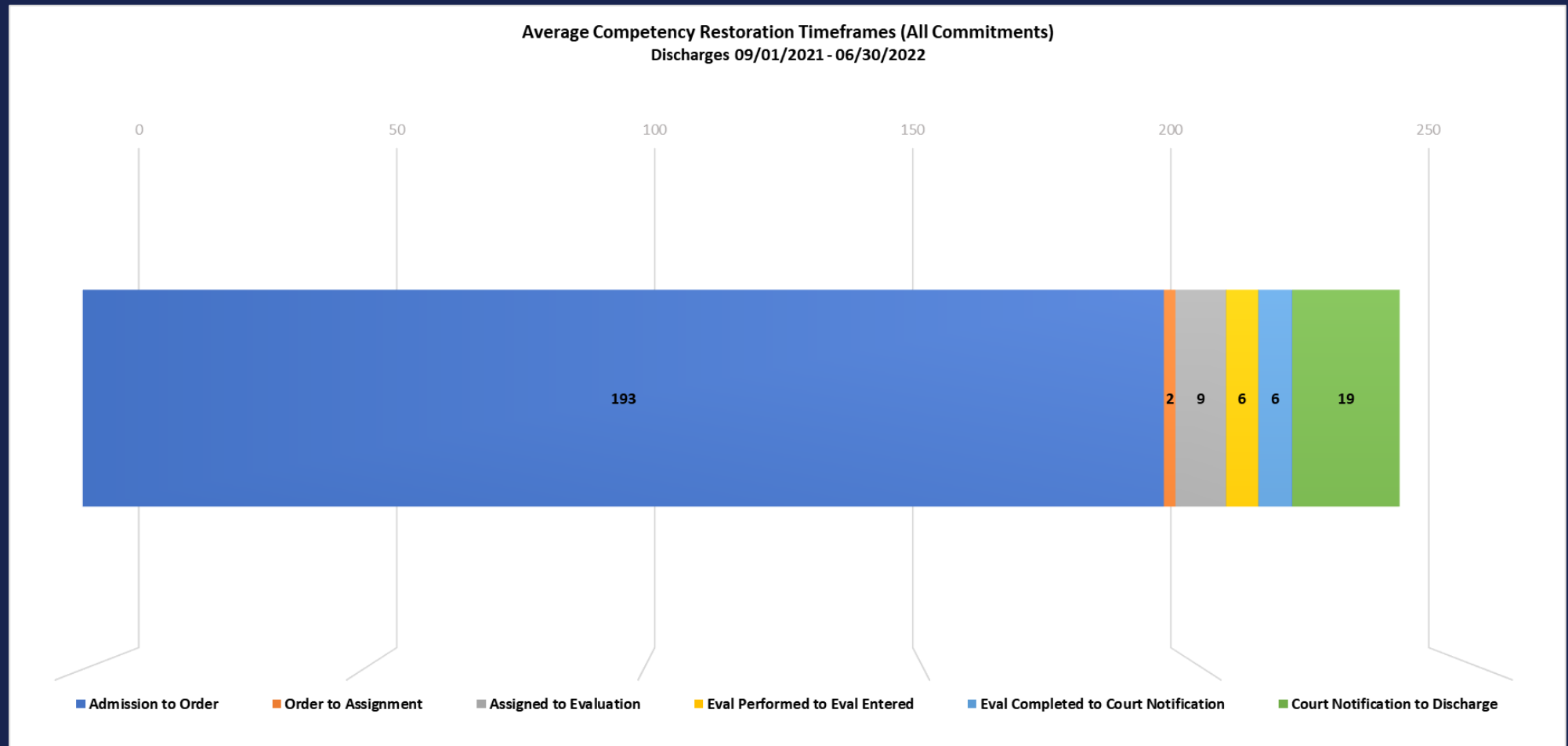
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Competency Restoration Timeframes

Competency Restoration Timeframes – All Commitments



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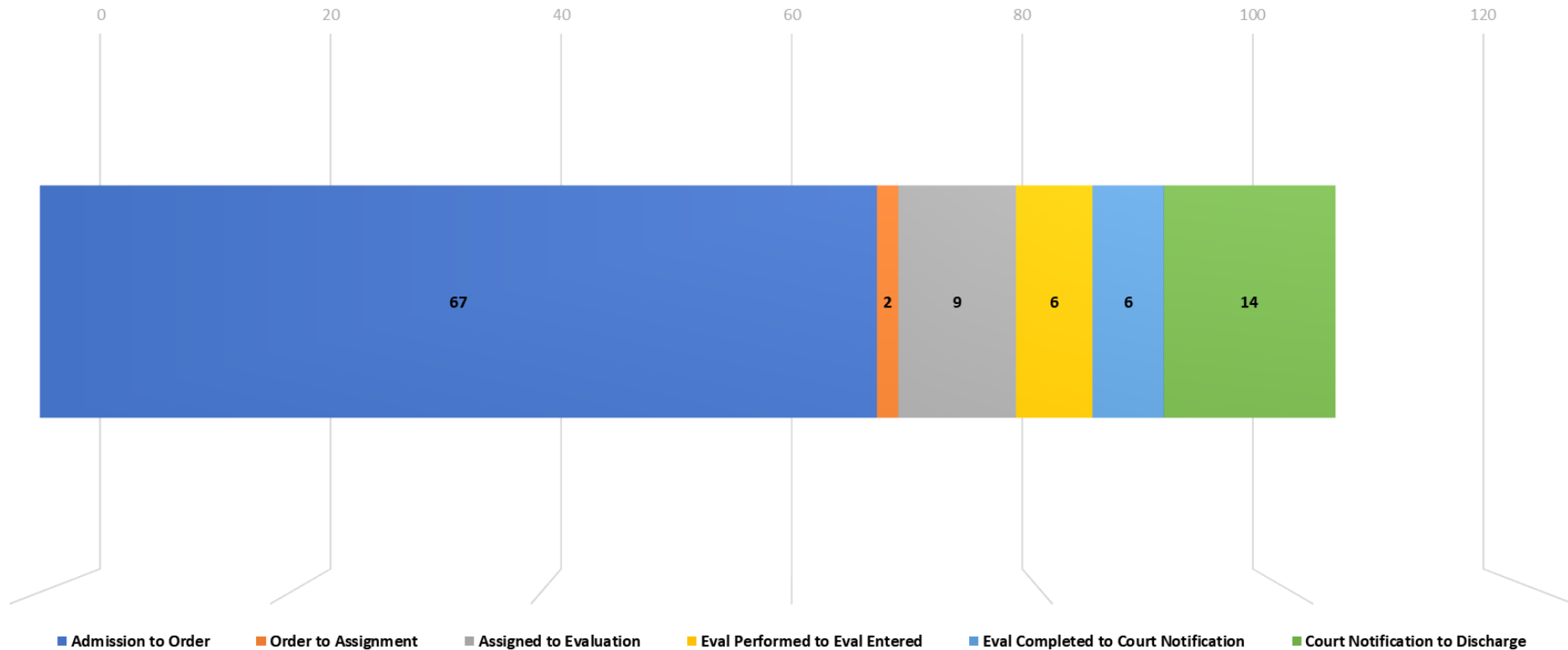


Competency Restoration Timeframes – 46B.073



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Average Competency Restoration Timeframes (46B.073 Commitments)
Discharges 09/01/2021 - 06/30/2022





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Maximum-Security Unit (MSU) Clinical Security Review



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MSU Clinical Review (FY22TD)

Commitment Type	#	%	Level Review	Outcome	#	%
46B.073	660	91.29%	1st (COSC Team)	MSU Waiver Consideration	88	12.74%
46C.251	36	4.98%		Alternate Disposition	15	2.17%
46B.102	19	2.63%				
46B.103	6	0.83%				
Ch. 55	2	0.28%				
Total Packets Received	723		2nd (CFM)	MSU Waiver Recommendation	84	95.45%
				Waiver Not Recommended	2	2.27%
Total Packets Reviewed	691	95.57%		Decision Pending due to 3rd Party Collaboration	1	1.14%
CSR On Hold (due to possible restoration or alternate disposition)	19	2.63%		Alternate Disposition	1	1.14%
Total 46B	687	95.02%	3rd (AC)	MSU Waiver Approval	83*	98.81%
Total 46C	36	4.98%		Decision Pending	1	1.19%
				Total Alternate Dispositions	18	2.60%
				Approved MSU Waiver & Referred to SSLC	2	2.41%

Through 07/05/2022



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State Hospital Forensic Services

**Workgroups and
System Improvement Initiatives**

Forensic Services Subcommittee Workgroups



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- Competency Restoration Curriculum Workgroup (CRCW)
- Outpatient Management Plan Workgroup (OMPW)
- Forensic Evaluator Credentialing and Registry Workgroup (FECRW)
- Trial Competency Evaluation (TCE) Peer Review Workgroup (TPRW)
- Forensic Data Workgroup (FDW)



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Competency Restoration Curriculum Workgroup



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Outpatient Plan Workgroup



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Forensic Evaluator Certification and Registry Workgroup



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Trial Competency Evaluation Peer Review Workgroup



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Forensic Treatment Planning Workgroup



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Ad Hoc Group on the 46B.1055 Process



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Ad Hoc Group on the 46C.252 Report Template

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Thank you

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