



City of Bellevue

# Probation Services

**Bellevue Parks and Community Services**

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# AGENDA



What is Probation?



Who is Served?



What Benefits are Provided?



Roles



Program Offerings



Advancing Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

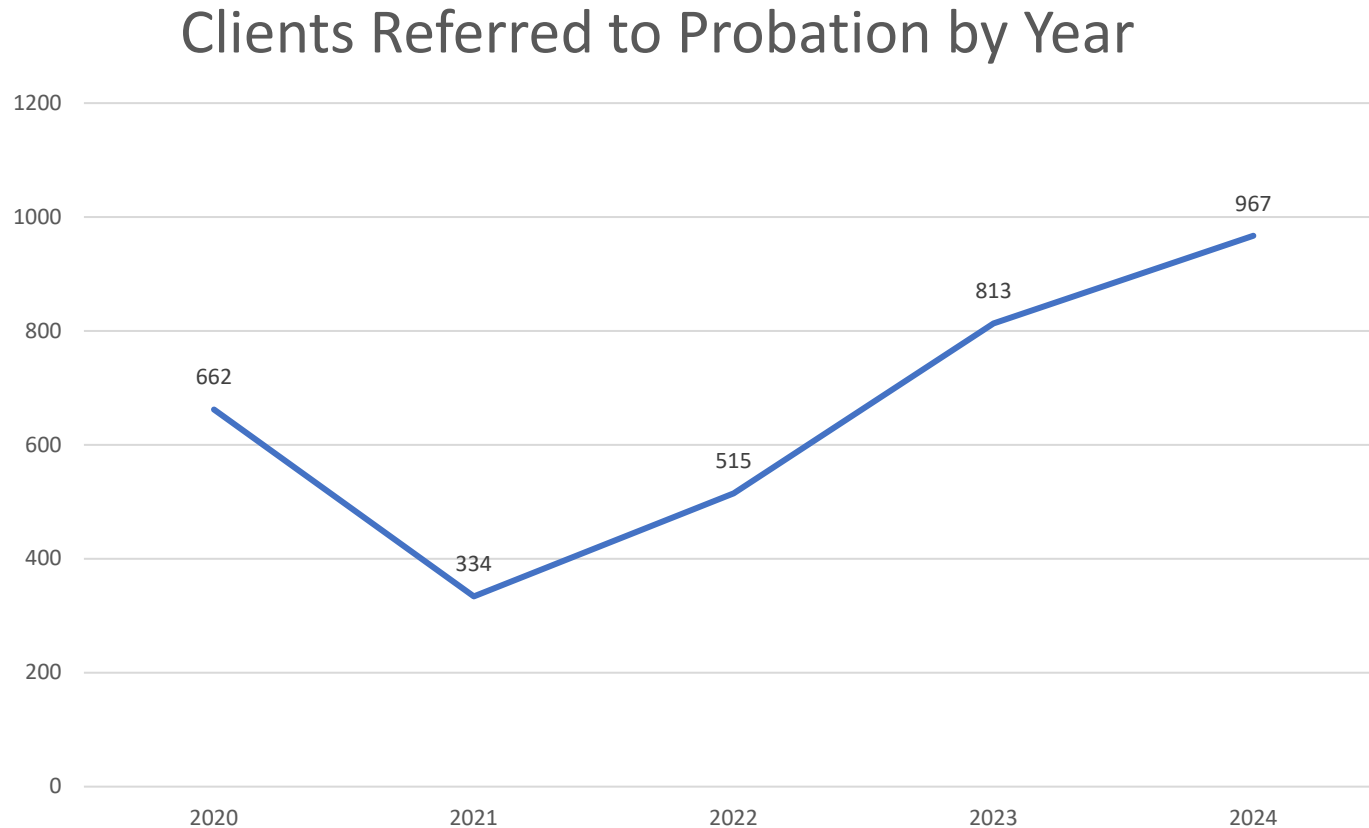
# What is Probation?

Alternative to incarceration

Period of supervision served in the community

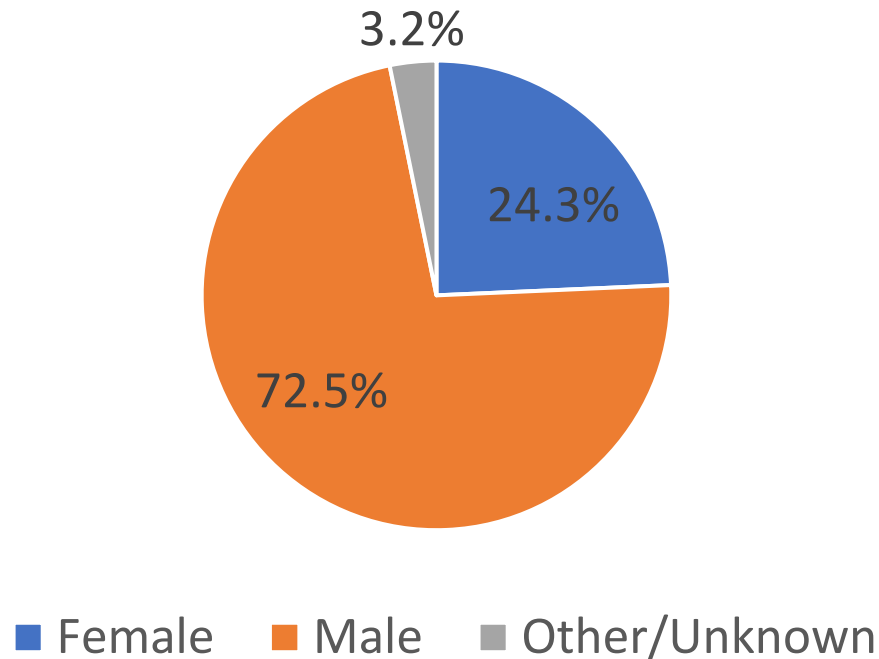
Source of accountability and collaboration

# Five Year Trend of Clients Referred to Probation



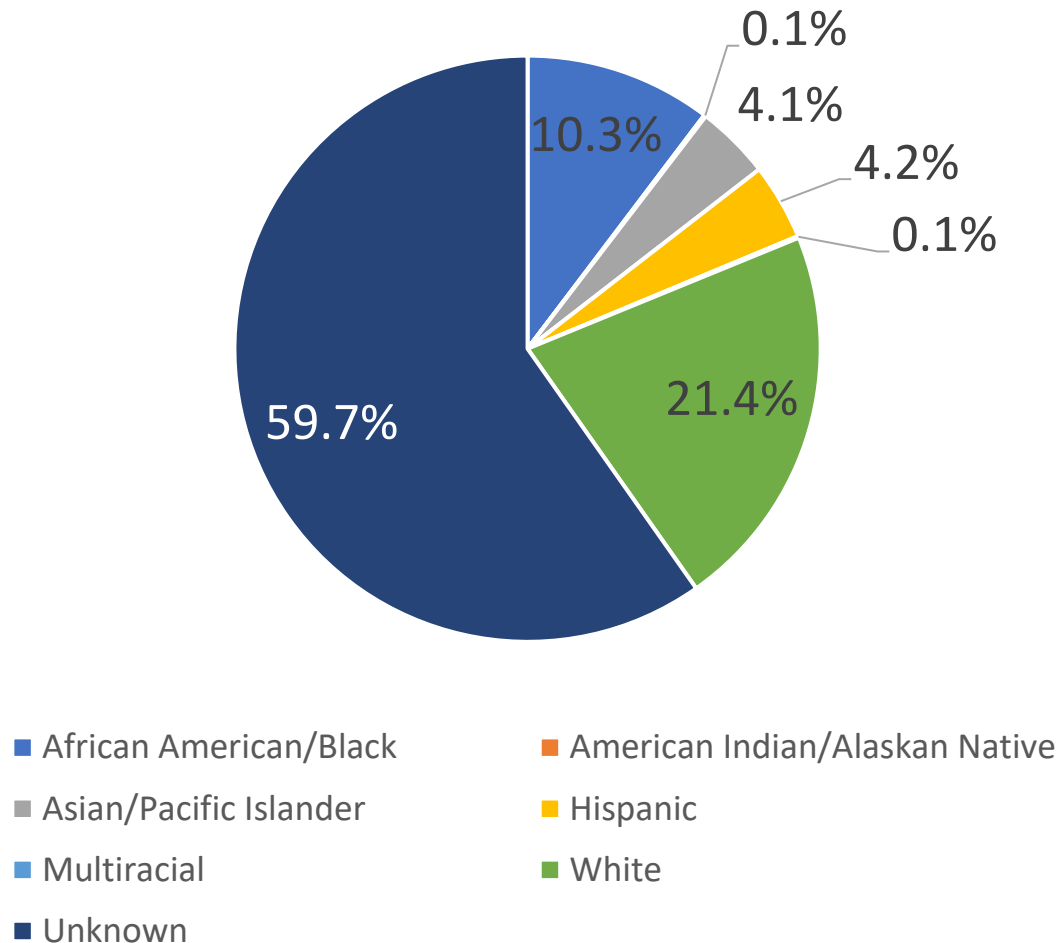
# Who is Served by Bellevue Probation?

## 2024 Probation Referrals by Gender



# Who is Served by Bellevue Probation?

2024 Probation Referrals by Race



# Common Barriers & Challenges Faced by Clients

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Accessibility

Economic  
Factors

Education/  
Employment

Housing

Language  
Access

Transportation

# **What Benefits Does Probation Provide to Clients?**

Ability to maintain presence  
in the community and  
avoidance of incarceration

Access to resources,  
services, and treatment

Convenient availability of  
local programming at no  
charge



# What Benefits Does Probation Provide to the Community?



ENHANCED ACCOUNTABILITY  
OF CLIENTS RESULTING IN  
INCREASED SAFETY



OVERALL COST SAVINGS



REINTEGRATION OF  
INDIVIDUALS INTO THE  
COMMUNITY

# Role of Probation Officers & Program Coordinators



Collaboration



Evaluation



Investigation



Monitoring



Referral



Reporting

# Program Offerings

Alive @ 25

Coping with Anger

Domestic Violence  
Moral Reconciliation  
Therapy

Defensive Driving

Gateway

License Support  
Program

Resource Closet

Something for  
Nothing

# Bellevue Work Crew

Alternative to  
community  
service

Alternative to  
confinement

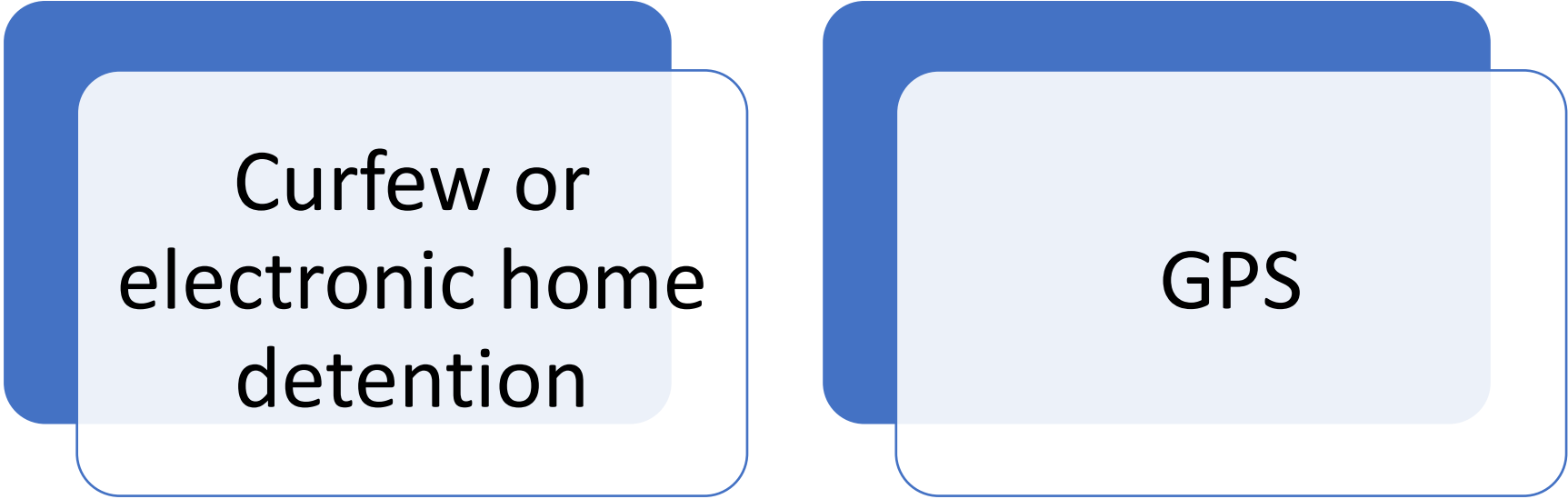
Per Court  
agreement

# Electronic Home Monitoring (EHM): Pretrial Functions

Continuous  
alcohol  
monitoring (CAM)

Portable breath  
testing device

# Electronic Home Monitoring (EHM): Alternative to Confinement or Incarceration



Curfew or  
electronic home  
detention

GPS

# Advancing Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

Language access

Diversity in Probation team

Exit surveys

Performance measures

Ongoing training



# Questions?