SAN DIEGO COUNTY
SHERIFF’S
DEPARTMENT

Internal Affairs
Statistical Report
2018-2019

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The Internal Affairs Unit receives complaints that are initiated by a member of the community or by the Department. Department initiated investigations are a result of Department personnel alleging a violation of policy or misconduct has been committed by another member of the Department.

The Internal Affairs complaint categories of misconduct are: Unbecoming Conduct, Procedural, and Use of Force.

In those rare instances where the complainant was both the Department and a member of the community, the complainant is listed as the Department.

Internal Affairs investigation dispositions are as follows:

EXONERATED: Allegation is true but actions were lawful.
NOT SUSTAINED: Facts revealed do not substantiate the allegation.
RESOLVED: Case was closed as matter was resolved.
SUSTAINED: A true finding supported by facts.
UNFOUNDED: Not true. Actions alleged did not occur.
CLOSED BY CORRESPONDENCE: Complaint correspondence letters are written after complete review of the complaint and all related documents, reports, including Body Worn Camera footage, and it is determined the allegation does not require, or justify, an Internal Affairs investigation.
Internal Affairs Unit Overall Statistics

*2019 – 7 cases open/ongoing

Investigations by Complainant

Internal Affairs Statistics by Bureau
The following tables reflect Internal Affairs statistics by bureau. The Law Enforcement Services Bureau provides law enforcement services to nine contract cities and the unincorporated areas of San Diego County. The Detention Services Bureau operates seven detention facilities providing services to those incarcerated in San Diego County. The Court Services Bureau provides court security services for the seven courthouse facilities operating within San Diego County, as well as the County Administration Center.

Court Services Bureau by Complainant

Detention Services Bureau by Complainant

Human Resources Services Bureau by Complainant
**Management Services Bureau by Complainant**

**Law Enforcement Services Bureau by Complainant**
Internal Affairs Overall Statistics by Type of Misconduct Investigation

Court Services Bureau by Type of Misconduct Investigation

Detention Services Bureau by Type of Misconduct Investigation
Human Resources Services Bureau by Type of Misconduct Investigation

Management Services Bureau by Type of Misconduct Investigation

Law Enforcement Services Bureau by Type of Misconduct Investigation
Internal Affairs Overall Statistics by Findings

![Bar chart showing statistics by findings for 2018 and 2019.](chart)

2019 - *7
Open cases are not included in graph.

Court Services Bureau by Findings

![Bar chart showing statistics for Court Services Bureau for 2018 and 2019.](chart)
Detention Services Bureau by Findings

DSB IA Open Cases 2019-*4

Open cases are not included in graph.

Human Resources Services Bureau by Findings
Management Services Bureau by Findings

Law Enforcement Services Bureau by Findings

2019-*3
Open cases are not included in graph
I.A. Open Cases (11) for 2018
Complaints that are not against employees of the Sheriff's Dept. or are nonsensical. Included in total number of complaints documented in PHI
2018 – 23
2019 – 28