



Texas Prisons Community Advocates

TDCJ Units with full, partial and NO air-conditioning August 2023

According to TDCJ, All TDCJ units have air conditioning in the administrative, education, and medical areas of the unit. The units we describe as partially air-conditioned have air conditioning in part, but not all of the housing areas. While TDCJ has some prototype units, the design of each unit and the areas that are air conditioned varies due to the date and the purpose at the time of construction. There are about 15,000 air-conditioned beds in the units that are described as partially air conditioned in 2021. TDCJ currently has 100 active units, with 70 units having partial to no air conditioning, and 9 units that are over 100 years old. The following information is based on information requests from 2018-August 11, 2023 and TDCJ Website.

| Unit Name | Air Conditioning | Unit Capacity | Unit Name | Air Conditioning | Number of Air-Conditioned (AC) beds | Unit Capacity | Unit Name | Air Conditioning | Unit Capacity |
|--------------------|------------------|---------------|----------------|------------------|--|---------------|----------------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Bell 1989 | Full | 520 | Allred 1995 | Partial | 1803 AC beds, 12 Building and 10 Building (Medical) expansion cellblocks / prototype units that have building(s) that are air-conditioned. | 3,708 | Byrd 1964 | None | 1,341 |
| Bridgeport 1989 | Full | 520 | Baten 1995 | Partial | 8 Transient beds | 188 | Clemens 1893 | None | 1,536 |
| Colman 1993 | Full | 1,000 | Beto 1980 | Partial | 80 Hospital beds | 3,471 | Coffield 1965 | None | 4,139 |
| Cotulla 1992 | Full | 606 | Boyd 1992 | Partial | 7 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area mostly for the transient population. | 1,372 | Ellis 1965 | None | 2,073 |
| Diboll 1995 | Full | 518 | Bradshaw 1995 | Partial | 552 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area mostly for the transient population. | 768 | Ferguson 1962 | None | 2,096 |
| Duncan 1992 | Full | 530 | Briscoe 1992 | Partial | 7 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area Was Immigrant Detention facility (2022) with temporary AC in OLS area had 1015 cool beds | 376 * | Goree 1907 | None | 1321 |
| East Texas 2004 | Full | 1,060 | Clements 1990 | Partial | 1,594 AC beds, Expansion cellblocks, 12 Building and 10 Building (Medical) | 2,932 | Hightower 1990 | None | 1,384 |
| Estes 1989 | Full | 1,040 | Cole 1995 | Partial | 25 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area mostly for the transient population | 900 | Huntsville 1849 | None | 1,705 |
| Fort Stockton 1992 | Full | 606 | Connally 1995 | Partial | 522 AC beds 12 Building and 10 Building (Medical) | 2,092 | Memorial (Darrington) 1917 | None | 1,610 |
| Glossbrenner 1994 | Full | 612 | Crain 1980 | Partial | 788 AC beds, Valley, Terrance, Hackberry, and Sycamore Dorms 12 Building and 10 Building (Medical) several large dormitories that are air-conditioned. | 2,115 | Ramsey 1908 | None | 1,891 |
| Halbert 1995 | Full | 612 | Dalhart 1995 | Partial | 7 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area | 780 | Stringfellow 1908 | None | 1,531 |
| Hamilton 1996 | Full | 1,166 | Daniel 1989 | Partial | 7 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area | 504 | Vance 1885 & 1933 | None | 378 |
| Havins 1994 | Full | 596 | Dominguez 1995 | Partial | 210 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area | 2,276 | Wainwright (Eastham) 1917 | None | 2,143 |
| Henley 1995 | Full | 448 | Estelle 1984 | Partial | 980 AC beds, Expansion Cellblock, Regional Medical Facility and Geriatric Center | 3,480 | Wynne 1883 | None | 2,621 |
| Hodge 1995 | Full | 989 | Formby 1995 | Partial | 25 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area | 1,100 | TOTAL | 14 units | 25,769 |

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| Hospital Galveston 1983 | Full | 365 | Garza West 1994 | Partial | 732 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area | 2,278 |
| Kegans 1997 | Full | 657 | Gist 1994 | Partial | 208 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area | 2,276 |
| Kyle 1989 | Full | 520 | Goodman 1995 | Partial | 3 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area | 68 |
| LeBlanc 1995 | Full | 1,224 | Hilltop 1981 | Partial | 26 Youth Offender program | 553 |
| Lindsey 1995 | Full | 839 | Hobby 1989 | Partial | 7 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area | 1,384 |
| Marlin 1992 | Full | 606 | Holliday 1994 | Partial | 50 AC bed, Restrictive Housing Area | 2,120 |
| Mechler (Tulia) 1992 | Full | 606 | Hughes 1990 | Partial | 522 AC beds, 12 Building and 10 Building (Medical) prototype unit that has a building with air-conditioned. | 2,984 |
| Moore, B. 1995 | Full | 500 | Hutchins 1995 | Partial | 440 AC bed, Restrictive Housing Area and C2 Building buildings that are air-conditioned. | 2,276 |
| Ney 1995 | Full | 576 | Jester III 1982 | Partial | 270 AC beds, Dorms 1 and 2 Expansion Dorms 15 and 16 Sheltered Housing designated for treatment | 1,131 |
| Pack 1983 | Full | 1,478 | Johnston 1995 | Partial | 3 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area, mostly for the transient population. | 612 |
| San Saba 1992 | Full | 606 | Jordan 1992 | Partial | 7 AC beds Restrictive Housing Area, mostly for the transient population. | 1,008 |
| Sayle 1994 | Full | 632 | Lewis 1990 | Partial | 1560 AC beds, Expansion Cellblock, Restrictive Housing Area and Sheltered Housing | 2,130 |
| Scott (Jester IV) 1993 | Full | 550 | Lopez 1997 | Partial | 25 Transient Beds | 1,100 |
| Skyview 1988 | Full | 562 | Luther 1982 | Partial | 12 Infirmary Beds | 1,316 |
| Travis County 1997 | Full | 1,161 | Lychner 1995 | Partial | 206 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area buildings that are air-conditioned. | 2,276 |
| Willacy County 1995 | Full | 1,069 | Lynaugh 1994 | Partial | 7 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area mostly for the transient population. | 1,156 |
| TOTAL | 31 | 22,774 | McConnell 1992 | Partial | 527 AC beds, 12 Building and 10 Building (Medical) prototype units that have a building that is air-conditioned. | 2,956 |

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|--------------------|------------------|---|---------------|
| Micheal 1987 | Partial | 527 12 Building and 10 Building (Medical) | 2,552 |
| Middleton 1994 | Partial | 698 Restrictive Housing Area, F, C1, C2, D1 and D4 Buildings | 2,128 |
| Montford 1994-1996 | Partial | 577 Main Unit with exception of Trusty Camp | 1,044 |
| Moore C. 1995 | Partial | 7 Restrictive Housing Area | 1,224 |
| Mountain View 1975 | Partial | 610 AC beds, Main Unit with exception of Restrictive Housing several large dormitories that are air-conditioned. | 644 |
| Murray 1995 | Partial | 289 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area and Sheltered Housing mostly for the transient population. | 1,264 |
| Plane 1995 | Partial | 208 AC beds Restrictive Housing Area buildings that are air-conditioned. | 2,084 |
| Polunsky 1993 | Partial | 521 AC beds, 12 Building and 10 Building (Medical) prototype unit that have a building that is air- conditioned. | 2,984 |
| Powledge 1982 | Partial | 14 Hospital Beds | 1,137 |
| Roach 1991 | Partial | 7 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area, mostly for the transient population. | 1,384 |
| Robertson 1992 | Partial | 515 AC beds, Building and 10 Building (Medical) Main Unit with exception of Restrictive Housing | 2,978 |
| Sanchez 1996 | Partial | 114 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area and K Dorm | 1,100 |
| Segovia 1995 | Partial | 7 Restrictive Housing and OLS. Year 2022 was 1224 AC beds. B2 Dormitory, Restrictive Housing, and Temp AC in OLS Area, mostly for the transient population. | 1,224 |
| Smith 1992 | Partial | 1260 AC beds, Expansion Cellblock and Restrictive Housing | 1,596 |
| Stevenson 1994 | Partial | 7 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area mostly for the transient population. | 1,384 |
| Stiles 1993 | Partial | 805 AC beds, 12 Building and 10 Building (Medical) and Sheltered Housing, prototype units | 2,887 |
| Telford 1995 | Partial | 616 AC beds, 12 Building and 10 Building (Medical) and Sheltered Housing, prototype units. | 2,019 |
| Terrell 1983 | Partial | 14 Hospital Beds | 1,603 |
| Torres 1993 | Partial | 7 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area and OLS, mostly for the transient population. | 1,384 |

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| Wallace 1994 | Partial | 7 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area, mostly for the transient population. | 1,448 |
| Wheeler 1995 | Partial | 3 AC beds Restrictive Housing Area, mostly for the transient population. | 576 |
| Woodman 1997 | Partial | 109 AC beds, Restrictive Housing Area, mostly for the transient population. | 900 |
| Young 1996 | Partial | 371 AC beds, Main Unit with exception of C Dorm designated for treatment | 455 |
| Total | 55 | 18,513 cool beds in “partial AC facilities” | 89,309 |

- List of TDCJ Units with Full, Partial or No air conditioning. Updated 8.16.2023. Total of 100 units. Total portfolio capacity changes based on Agency decisions Please visit <https://www.lbb.texas.gov/> for monthly population numbers and system capacity changes.
- As of this document creation - Units with **No AC 25,769** total capacity. Units with **Partial AC have a capacity of 89,309**. TDCJ has **18,513 cool beds in partial AC facilities**. **Potential number of people without AC in partial AC units =70,796**. **TOTAL system wide People without AC =96,565 (given that the unit is at capacity)**
- The number of air-conditioned beds includes permanent inmate housing, as well as beds that are designated for temporary assignment, such as medical and restrictive.
- Operation Lone Star Beds are not included above (Briscoe 756, Lopez 197, and Segovia 612)
- *Indicates an Increase and/or Decrease in “cool beds” since original 2018 information request*
- Units highlighted in red are over 100 years old
- **Date** = Unit Established or brought Online
- **Capacity** = Available living space as indicated by TDCJ website and information request
- Some Intake units have additional beds with temporary air conditioning until permanent systems can be installed.
- Temporary air conditioning is not included above. (Beto 400 in Gym, Holliday 300 in Gym and 216 in A Building, Middleton 108 in D1 and D4, and Murray 334 in ASA, ASB, ASC, K3A and K3B)
- 11 private prisons have full AC, Bradshaw only has partial - AC- 2023 TDCJ website.

| Idle/shuttered units and unit areas | Year Idled | Bed Capacity | Year Built | Air Conditioning |
|-------------------------------------|------------|--------------|------------|------------------|
| Wayne Scott Unit in Brazoria County | 2020 | 809 | 1913 | None |
| Neal Unit in Amarillo | 2020 | 1,728 | 1994 | Partial |
| Gurney Unit in Palestine | 2020 | 2,128 | 1994 | Partial |
| Ellis Trustee Camp | 2023 | 409 | 1965 | None |
| Ferguson Trustee Camp | 2023 | 325 | 1962 | None |
| Memorial Trustee Camp (Darrington) | 2023 | 321 | 1917 | None |
| Micheal Trustee Camp | 2023 | 753 | 1987 | Partial |
| Wainwright Trustee Camp (Eastham) | 2023 | 331 | 1917 | None |

These units have been idled/shuttered and can be re- opened