USE OF FORCE & RESTRAINTS IN PRISON ON THE RISE



The use of force to subdue or restrain inmates has increased in Luzerne County

prisons faster than in county prisons statewide				
Percent increase 2012 to 2015		Incidents per year		
		Year	Luzerne Co.	State
60.7%		2012	56	2,894

39.2% 2013 13

3,426

2015

90

4.028

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Statewide

Source: County reports to the Pennsylvania Department of Corrections

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