**Alternatives to Incarceration Working Group**

**Suggested Reading List**

*This is an initial list of background materials generated by working group participants. We will continue to add to the list as additional reports and resources are recommended. Please send any resource suggestions to Karen Tamis at* [*ktamis@dhs.lacounty.gov*](mailto:ktamis@dhs.lacounty.gov)*.*

**Los Angeles County**

Under ATI Resources on the ATI website, you can find this ATI Reading List, Countywide Diversion Programs, and **ODR Roadmap (which includes lots of info on community beds, facilities, staffing, legislative changes and funding for people with mental disorders and serious medical conditions)**:  [https://lacalternatives.org/documents-resources/](https://secure-web.cisco.com/131_uk-ZTLCQ1K96bkyAD5iYrHJHITbDyKyonT4vKlVQLdmtgYpfCG9Kuxz5JuH0Sz1lfWyJZeC0WQyYEyHtRPHp0bKkR6wU8vJy5qf-l5D14AUArWC5tup34C30_u907MX3hN9Ui_6INM7_4V-3w1pUaTlCup1cwqyPzrqaOHGblWk3Jcj_E_Si8tZR6fcFbS07yBnCsEPNW3I2fsggnLtSk4RfAUWqlFof3VMXzUzxXVDhl8qiqmKXepWb3lna--OSOhqFPHfvnBdHn2Nh-_LIk38vedVjsE3nXMvLFzCyl94PVn_2RmjKtW3joFRcDe76hrOOhMYQCipJkkuzfwnXCOy4g-DZJb8505IBPSEMOyncuMqwMTYtk2Xyp2k2MwUdG9b2piwYKNjeNVZAKgG9airqpT8QhkjCiNtuxyDc/https%3A%2F%2Flacalternatives.org%2Fdocuments-resources%2F)

[Mental Health Advisory Report: A Blueprint for Change – District Attorney Jackie Lacey (August 2015)](https://www.aclusocal.org/sites/default/files/wp-content/uploads/2014/06/MENTAL-HEALTH-JAILS-REPORT.pdf)

[Department of Public Health Reports](http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/statrpt.htm)

[DPH Community Profiles](http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/ohae/cchp/index.htm)

[Inventory of Countywide Diversion Programs (September 2015)](http://file.lacounty.gov/SDSInter/bos/bc/243399_05.04.16ReportBackonCountywideDiversionPrograms.pdf#search=%22jail%20population%22)

[A Way Forward: Diverting People with Mental Illness from Inhumane and Expensive Jails into Community-Based Treatment that Works – ACLU of Southern California and The Bazelon Center for Mental Health Law (July 2014)](https://www.aclusocal.org/sites/default/files/wp-content/uploads/2014/06/MENTAL-HEALTH-JAILS-REPORT.pdf)

[Custody Division Quarterly Report – Los Angeles Sheriff’s Department (July – September 2018)](http://www.la-sheriff.org/s2/static_content/info/documents/Custody_Third_Quarter_Report_2018.pdf)

*Million Dollar Hoods Research Reports* ***including White Paper for ATI***

<http://milliondollarhoods.org/research-reports/>

**California**

[Public Health Departments in California and Criminal Justice System Reform: Successes, Barriers, and Recommendations for Action – Human Impact Partners (July 2016)](https://humanimpact.org/wp-content/uploads/PH-Dept-CJ-Assessment-2016-Final.pdf)

[California’s Criminal Justice System: A Primer – Legislative Analyst’s Office](https://lao.ca.gov/reports/2013/crim/criminal-justice-primer/criminal-justice-primer-011713.pdf)

**General**

*The Treatment Advocacy Center: Serious mental illness (SMI) prevalence in jails and*

*prisons*

<https://www.treatmentadvocacycenter.org/storage/documents/backgrounders/smi-in-jails-and-prisons.pdf>

*The Treatment Advocacy Center: The treatment of persons with mental illness in prisons*

*and jails*

<https://www.treatmentadvocacycenter.org/storage/documents/treatment-behind-bars/treatment-behind-bars.pdf>.

[An Unjust Burden: The Disparate Treatment of Black Americans in the Criminal Justice System – Vera Institute (May 2018)](https://storage.googleapis.com/vera-web-assets/downloads/Publications/for-the-record-unjust-burden/legacy_downloads/for-the-record-unjust-burden-racial-disparities.pdf)

[Jails: Inadvertent Health Care Providers – Pew Trust (January 2018)](https://www.pewtrusts.org/-/media/assets/2018/01/sfh_jails_inadvertent_health_care_providers.pdf)

[Guidelines for Successful Transition of People with Mental or Substance Use Disorders from Jail and Prison: Implementation Guide – SAMHSA (2017)](https://store.samhsa.gov/system/files/sma16-4998.pdf)

[Indicators of Mental Health Problems Reported by Prisoners and Jail Inmates – US Department of Justice (June 2017)](https://www.bjs.gov/content/pub/pdf/imhprpji1112.pdf)

[The Color of Justice: Racial and Ethnic Disparity in State Prisons – The Sentencing Project (June 2016)](https://www.sentencingproject.org/publications/color-of-justice-racial-and-ethnic-disparity-in-state-prisons/)

[Crime, the Criminal Justice System, and Socioeconomic Inequality – Journal of Economic Perspectives (Spring 2016)](https://gspp.berkeley.edu/assets/uploads/research/pdf/jep.30.2.103.pdf)

[Criminal Justice Reform: Good for Families, Communities, and the Economy – PolicyLink (March 2016)](https://www.policylink.org/sites/default/files/Criminal-Justice-Reform-Final-03-11-16.pdf)

[The Costs of Inequality: A Goal of Justice, a Reality of Unfairness – The Harvard Gazette (February 2016)](https://news.harvard.edu/gazette/story/2016/02/the-costs-of-inequality-a-goal-of-justice-a-reality-of-unfairness/)

[TransPolicy Agenda: Our Fight for Equality – Trans Latina Coalition (2019)](https://static1.squarespace.com/static/55b6e526e4b02f9283ae1969/t/5c648af1e79c7091987eb444/1550093051620/TLC-Trans_Policy_Agenda-web.pdf)