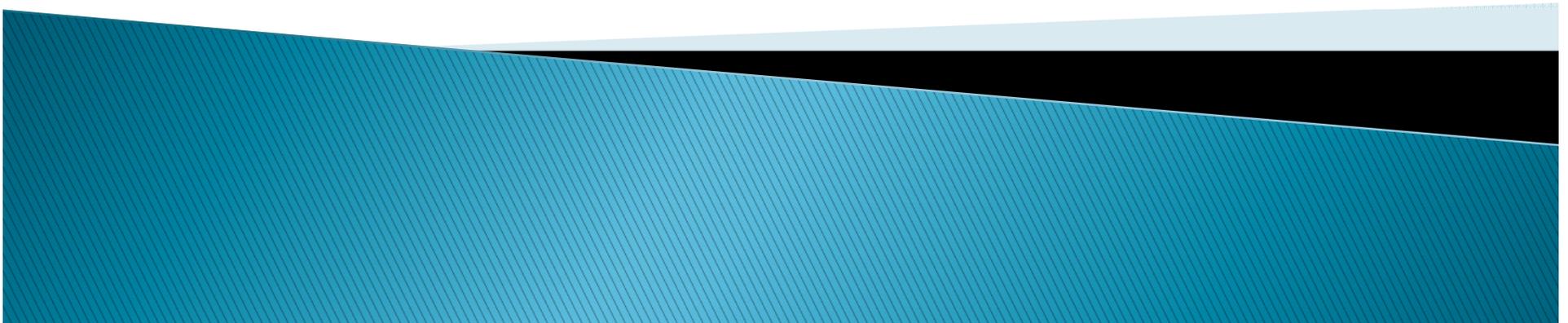


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North Dakota county corrections overview

- ▶ Currently there are 35 multi-county, county or city operated secure correctional facilities in North Dakota.
- ▶ Correctional facilities in North Dakota are classified as:
 - Grade one.
 - Grade two.
 - Grade three
 - Grade four.
 - Juvenile detention Centers.



Grade One facilities.

- ▶ A grade one facility may hold an adult inmate sentenced or presentenced for not more than one year.
- ▶ Grade one facilities must provide an outdoor recreation area that allows a minimum of 15 square feet of space per inmate. Grade one facilities may utilize opening louvered vented rooms that allow outside air in as outdoor recreation.
- ▶ Grade one facilities must provide an indoor recreation made up of a minimum of 100 square feet with a minimum of 15 square feet per inmate using the area at the same time. Inmates using this area may not have access to other inmates in their cells.
- ▶ Grade one facilities must provide secure visitation areas, including attorney–client visitation.
- ▶ There are 16 grade one facilities in North Dakota.



Grade Two facilities

- ▶ A grade two facility may hold an adult inmate sentenced or presentenced for not more than 90 days.
- ▶ Grade two facilities must provide an indoor recreation made up of a minimum of 100 square feet with a minimum of 15 square feet per inmate using the area at the same time. Inmates using this area may not have access to other inmates in their cells.
- ▶ Grade two facilities must provide secure visitation areas, including attorney-client visitation.
- ▶ There are seven grade two facilities in North Dakota.



Grade Three facilities

- ▶ A grade three facility may hold an adult inmate, sentence or presentenced for not more than 96 hours. There are currently no grade three facilities operating in North Dakota at this time. This is due to the creation of a grade four facility by the Sixty-third Legislative Assembly.



Grade Four facilities

- ▶ A grade four facility may hold an adult arrestee for not more than eight hours. These non-residential facilities are defined as court holding and police lockup facilities. These facilities are designed for the processing of arrestees prior to transfer to a grade one or two facility or temporary holding during court proceedings. There are seven grade four facilities in North Dakota.



Juvenile Detention Centers

- ▶ A juvenile detention center is a publicly maintained correctional facility for the detention of juveniles. The term does not include the North Dakota Youth Correctional Center. In 2013, there were five Juvenile Detention Centers in North Dakota. In January 2014, the Lake Region Juvenile Detention Center closed. The space formerly utilized for holding juveniles became space for holding adult inmates. Currently there are four juvenile detention centers in North Dakota.



Juvenile Detention Centers continued

- ▶ Juvenile detention centers are subject to all adult correctional facility rules. In addition, rules specifically designed for the supervision of youth in a correctional setting are in place. These rules include more frequent staff observations, more required telephone calls at time of detention, authorization for school work to be bought in for detained youth and a physical setting designed not to look like a correctional setting.

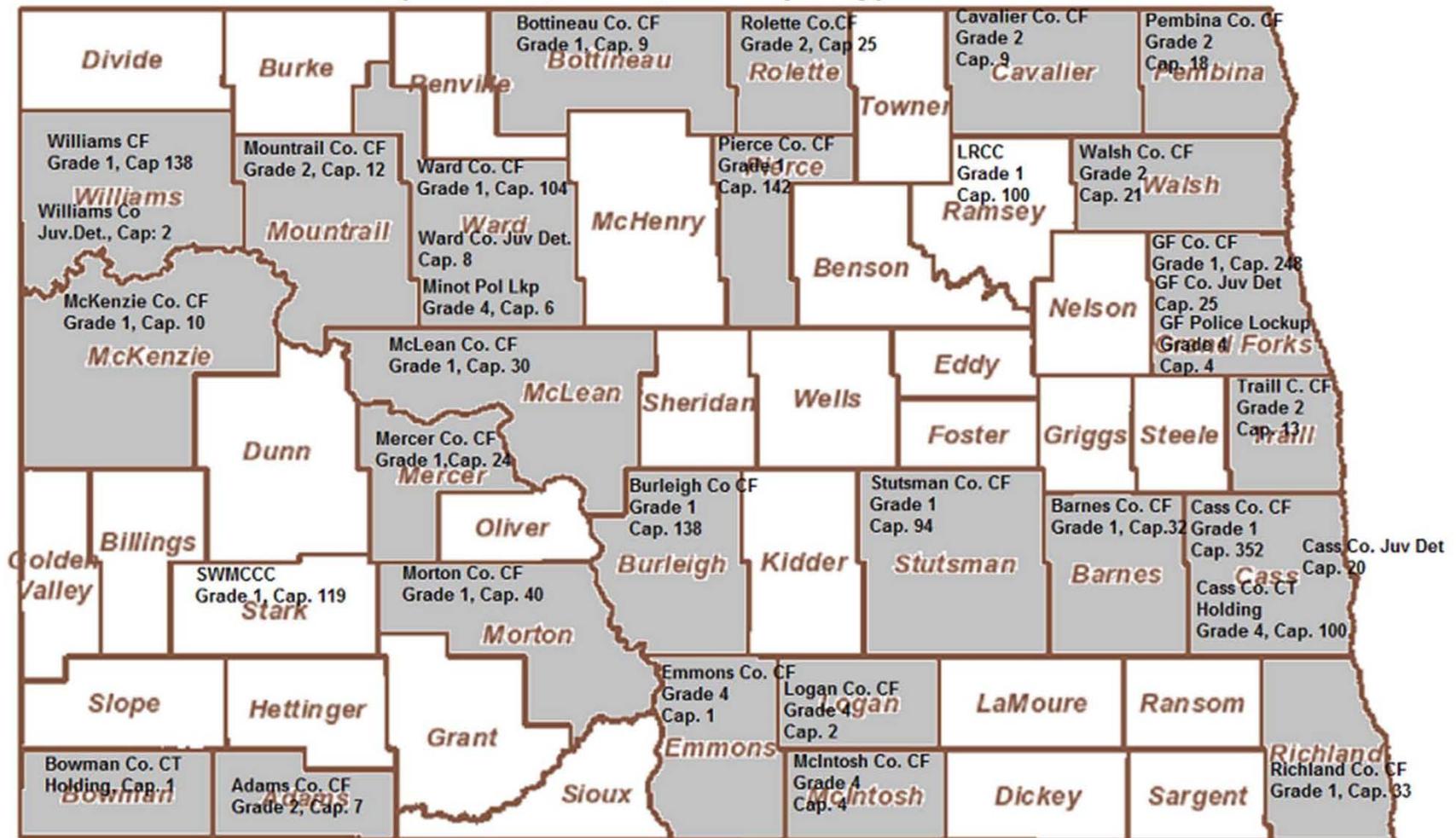


Total overnight bed capacity

- ▶ Grade one–1 569 beds.
- ▶ Grade two–1 05 beds.
- ▶ Grade three–0 beds as there are no grade three facilities.
- ▶ Grade four–No overnight capacity.
- ▶ Total adult bed space available statewide–1 674
- ▶ Juvenile Detention Centers–93 beds until January 1, 2014. Currently 55 beds available due to Lake Region Juvenile Detention closing.

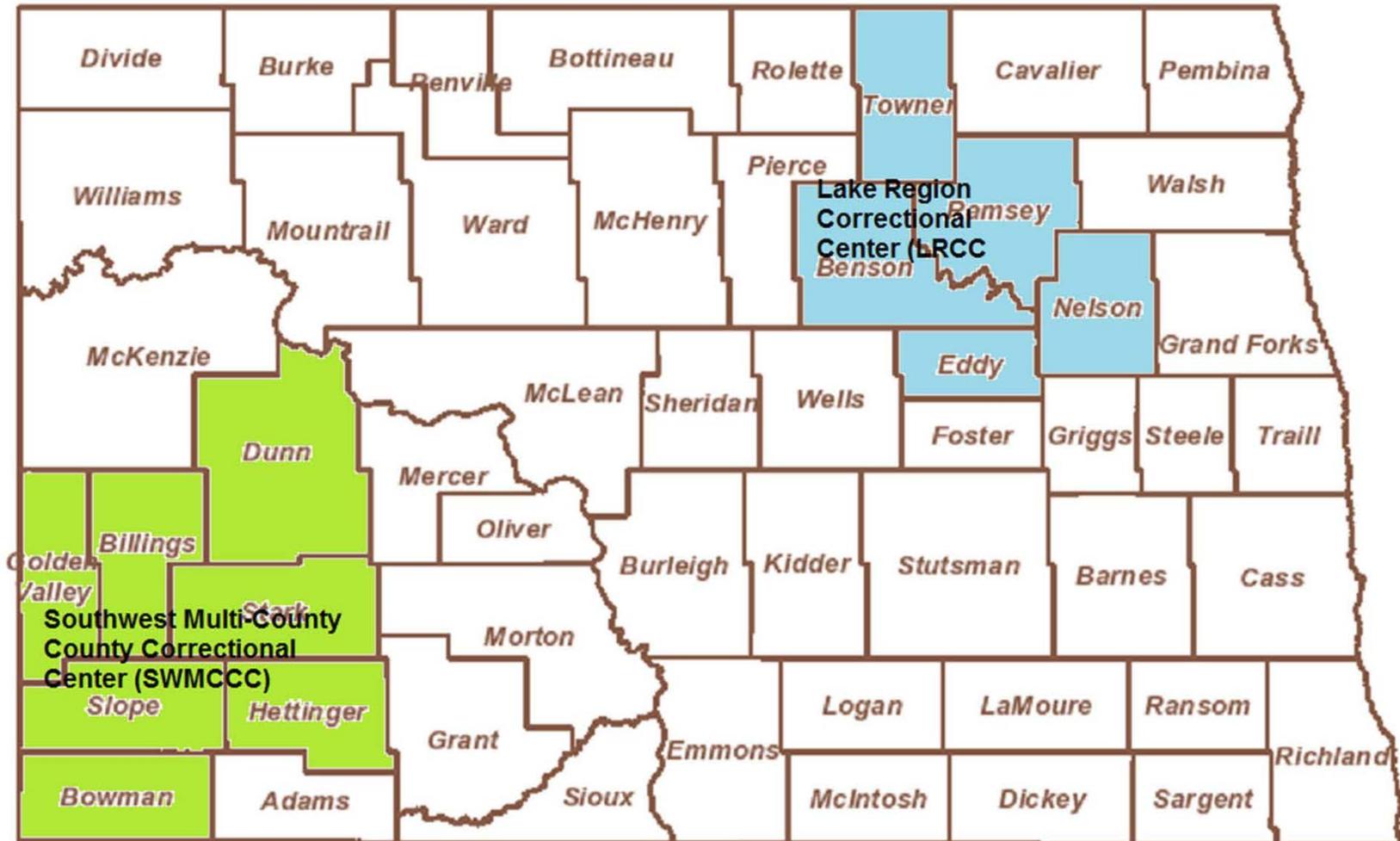


Counties with Single-County Operated Correctional Facilities and Counties without Correctional Facilities (Location, Grade, and Capacity)

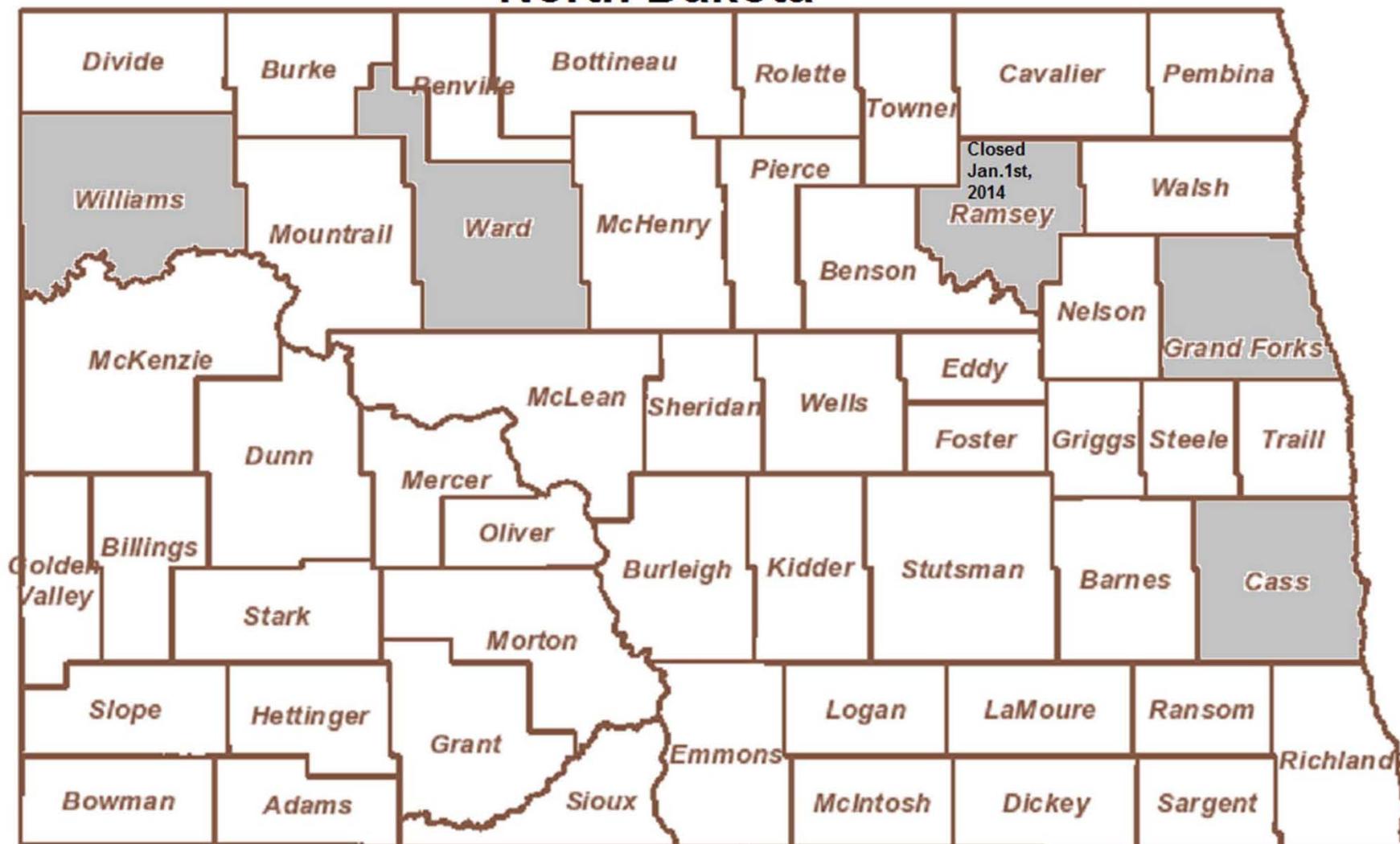


Regional Correctional Facilities

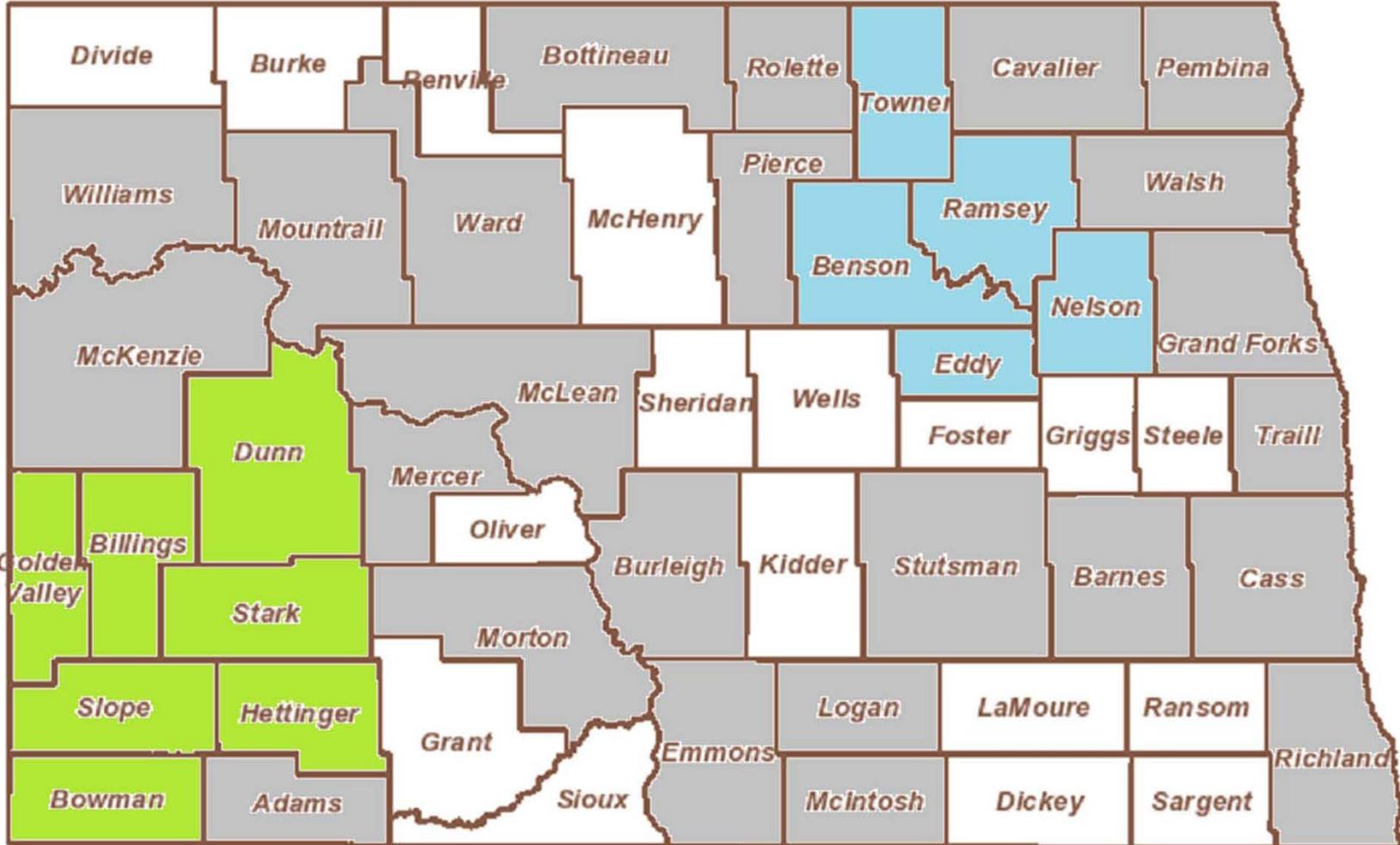
Multi-County Regional Correctional Facilities



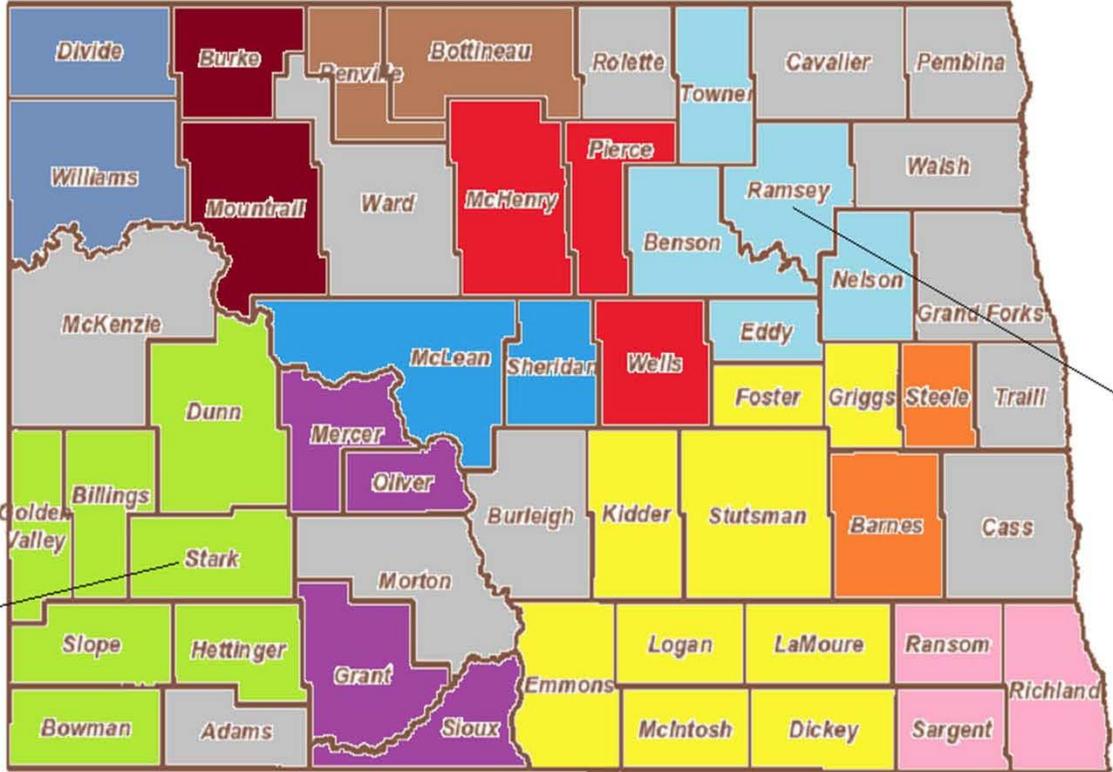
Juvenile Detention Centers in North Dakota



Counties with Single-County Operated Facilities and Multi-County Regional Facilities



County-Operated Facilities, Multi-County Regional Facilities, and Counties Served by Contract

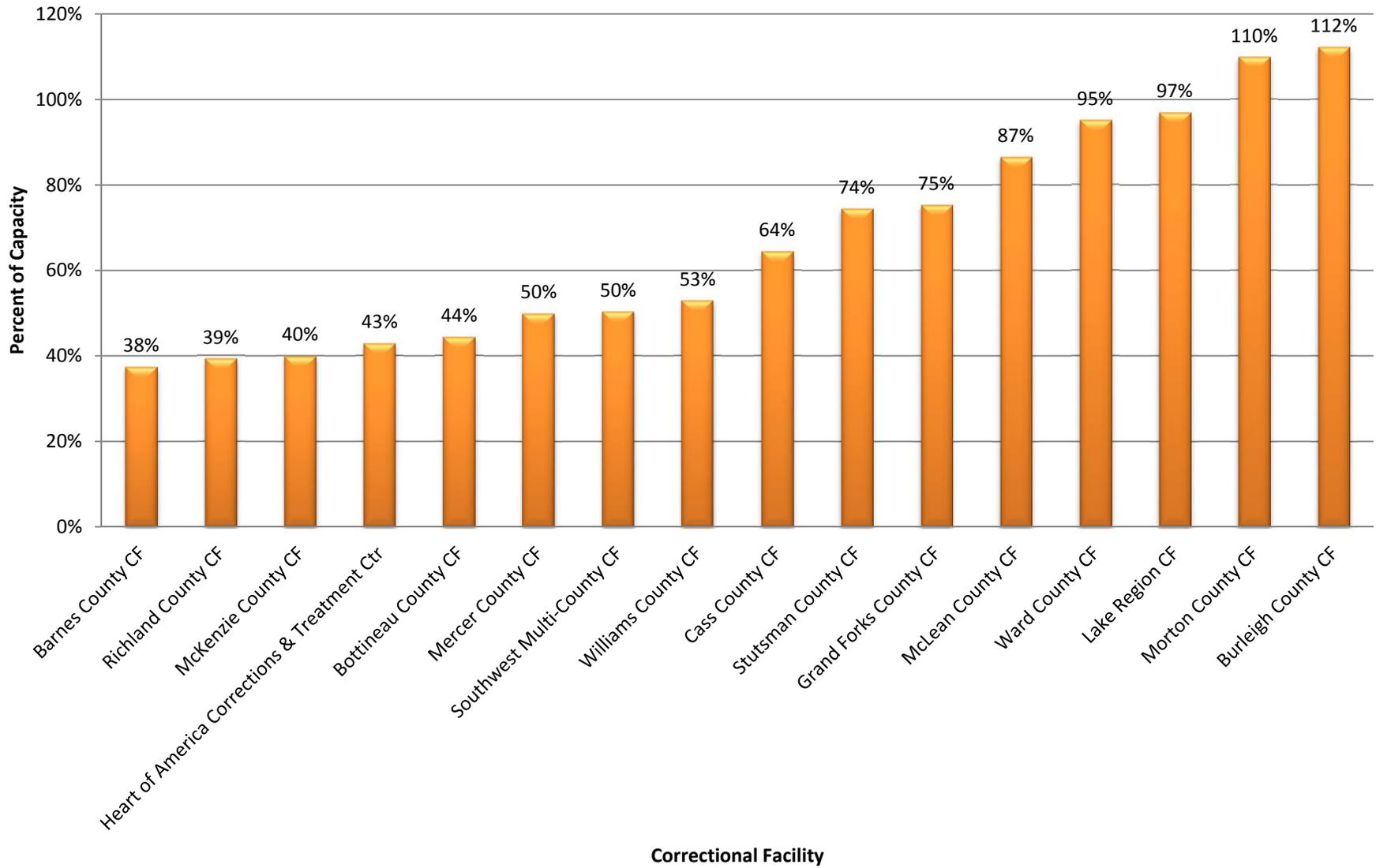


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Orange	Barnes CF
Brown	Bottineau CF
Light Blue	Lake Region CF
Blue	McLean CF
Purple	Mercer CF
Dark Red	Mountrail CF
Red	Pierce CF
Pink	Richland CF
Light Green	Southwest Multi-County CC
Yellow	Stutsman CF
Dark Blue	Williams CF

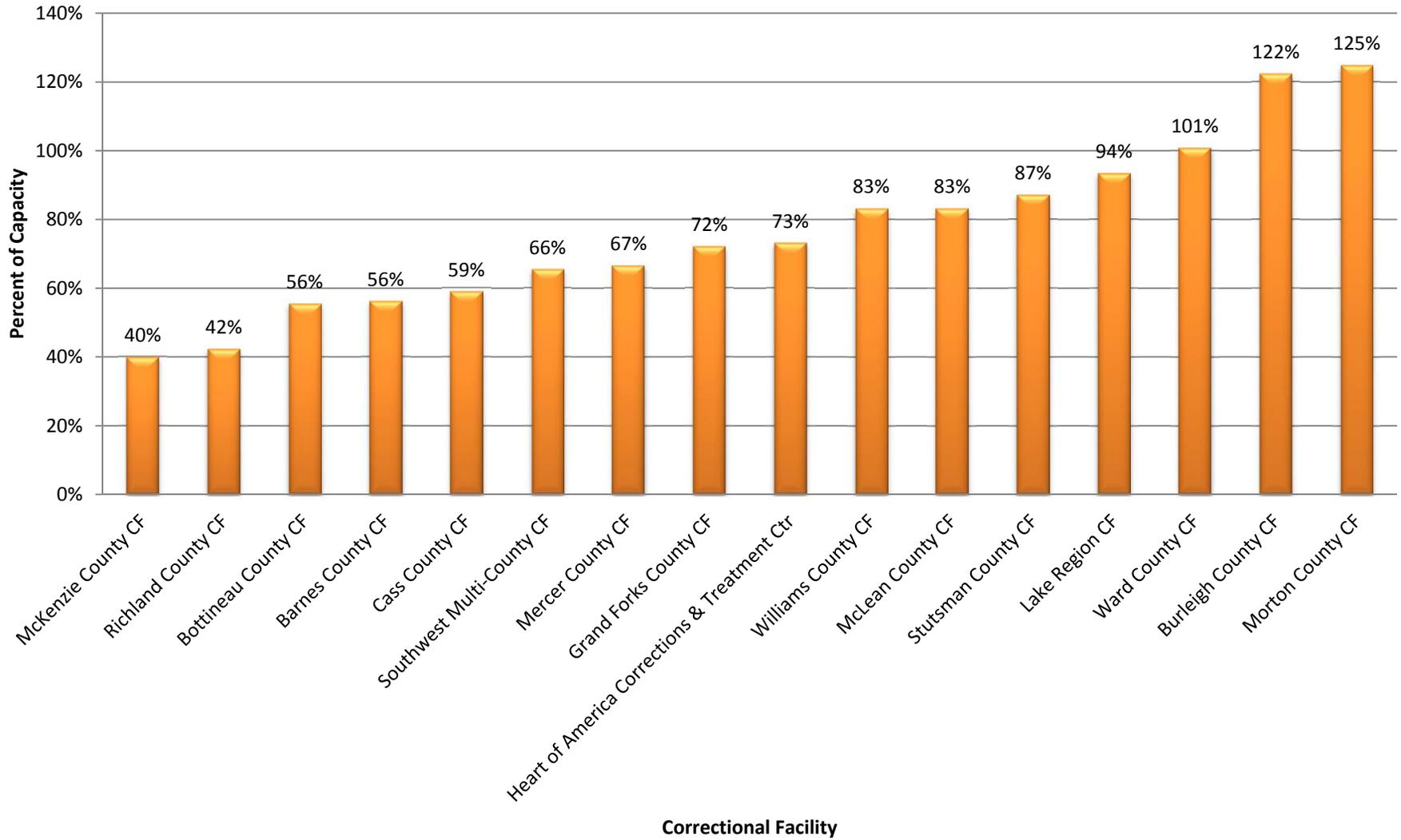
Lake Region Correctional Center
Devils Lake, ND
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Southwest Multi-County Correctional Center
Dickinson, ND
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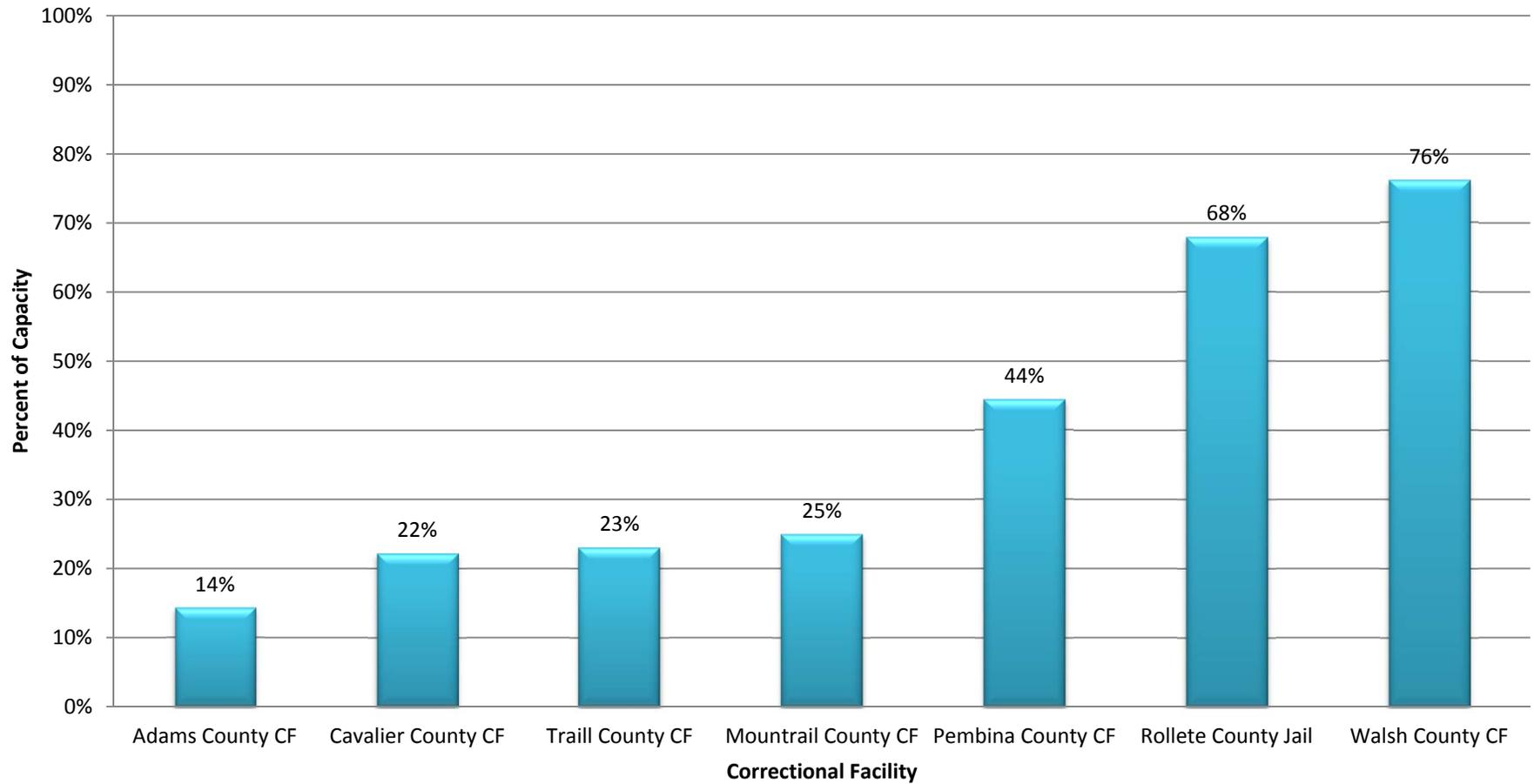
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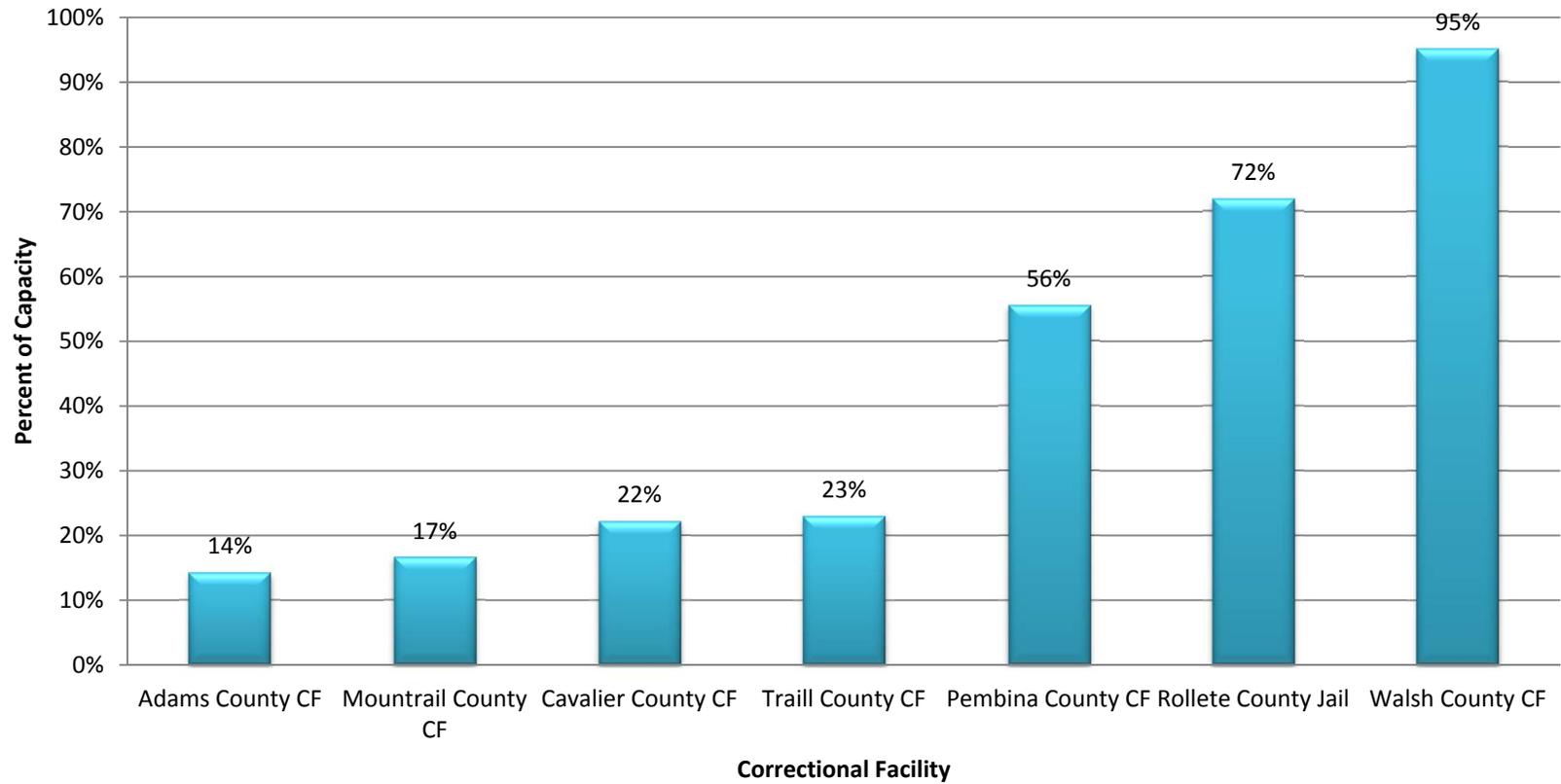
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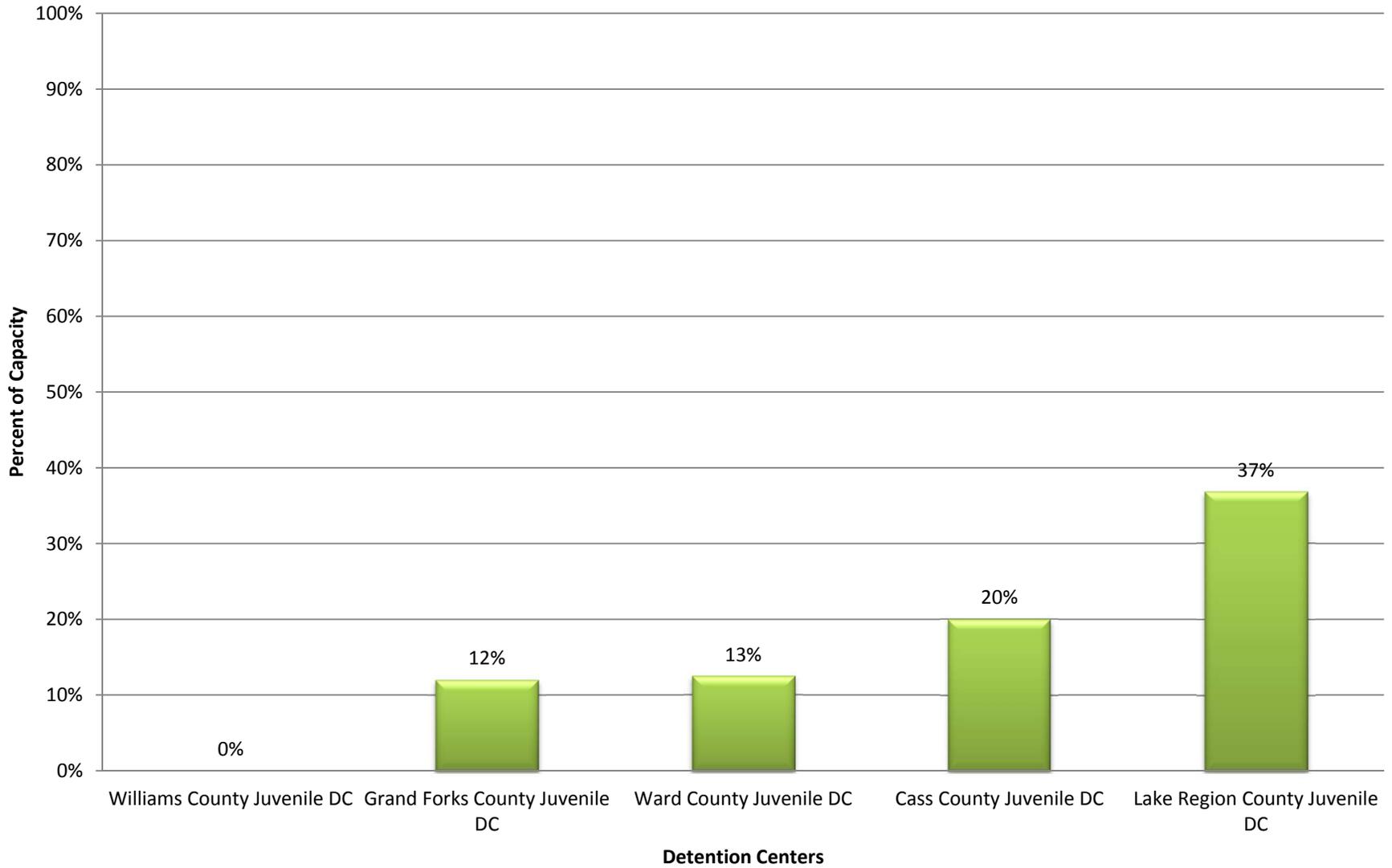
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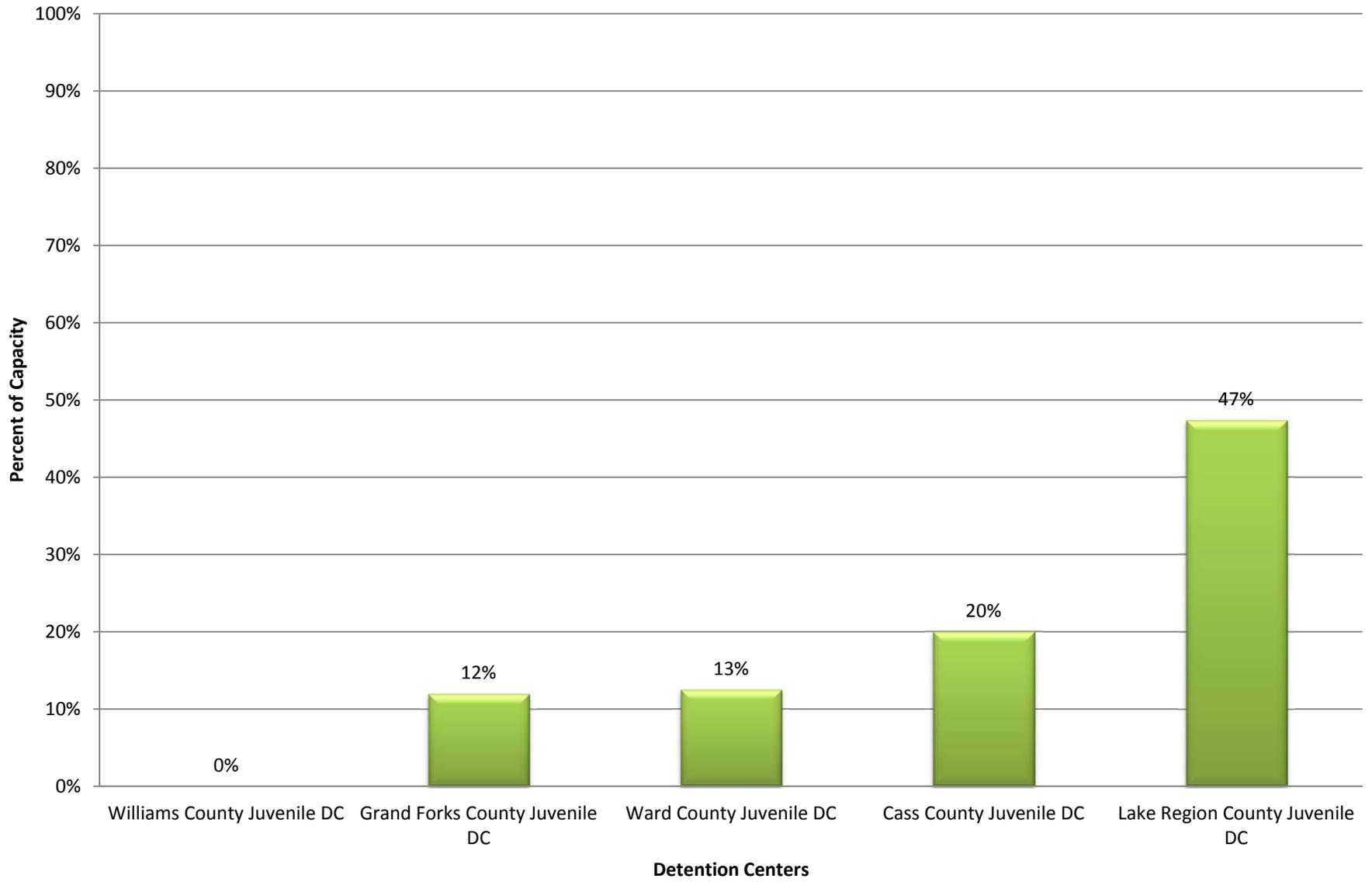
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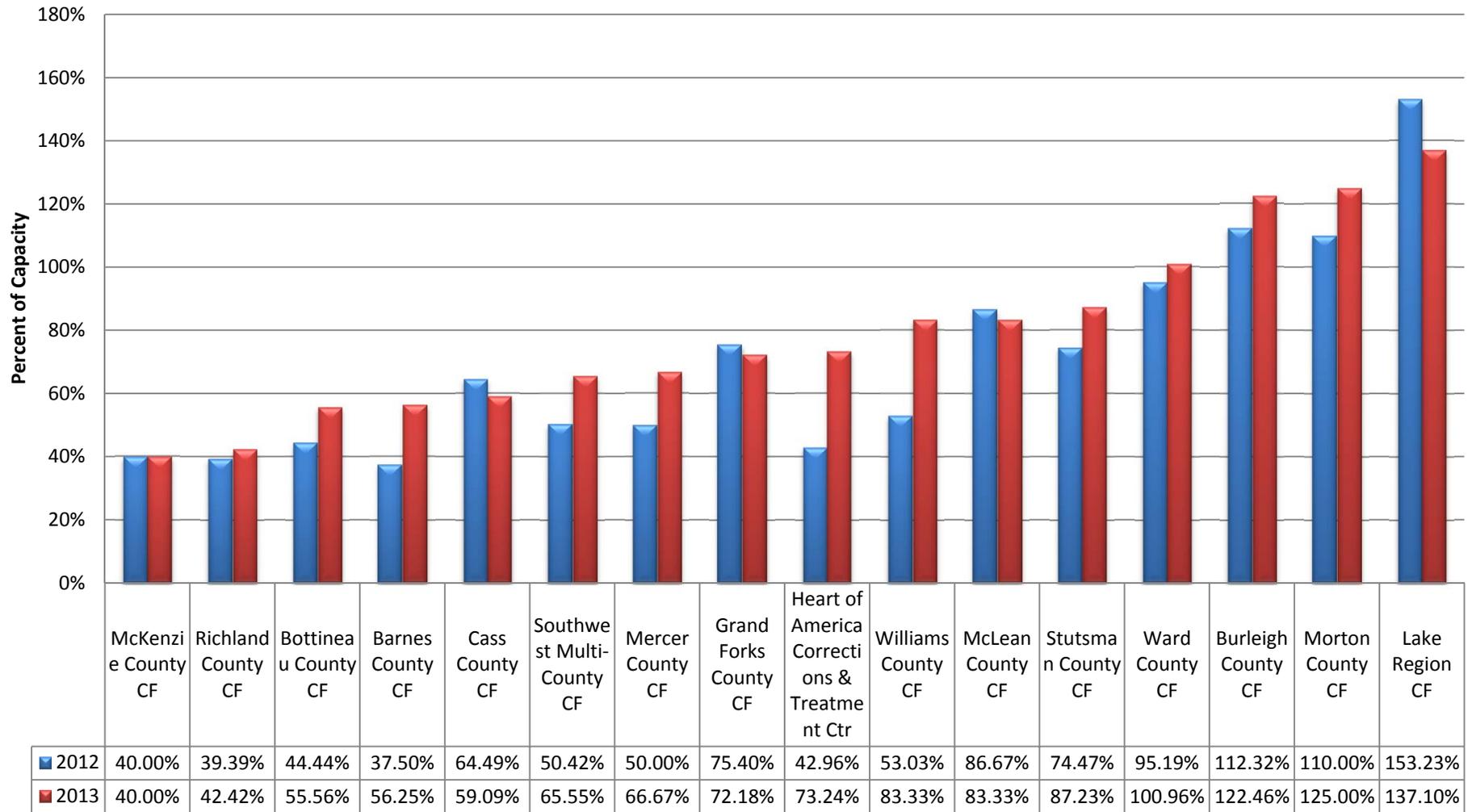
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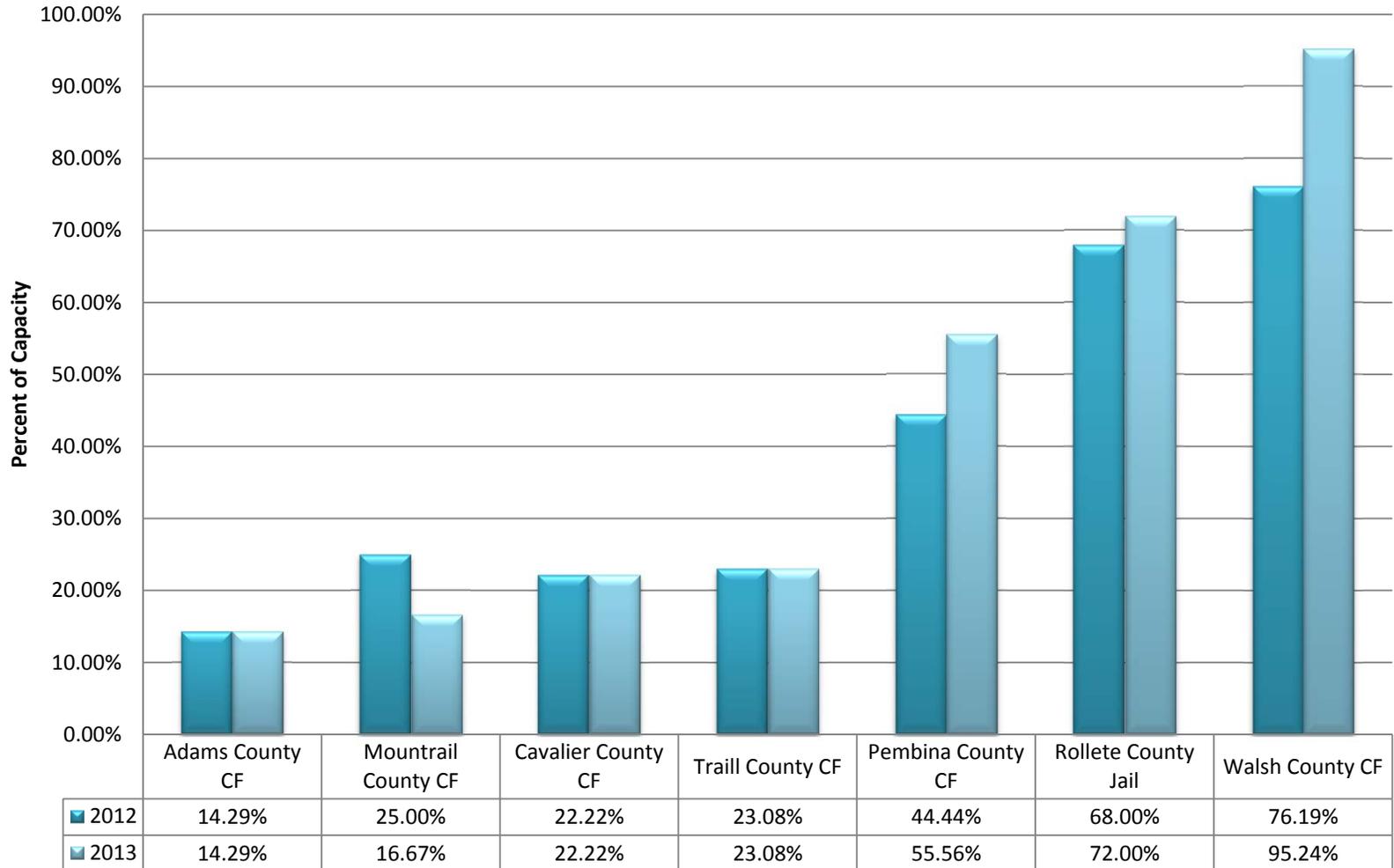
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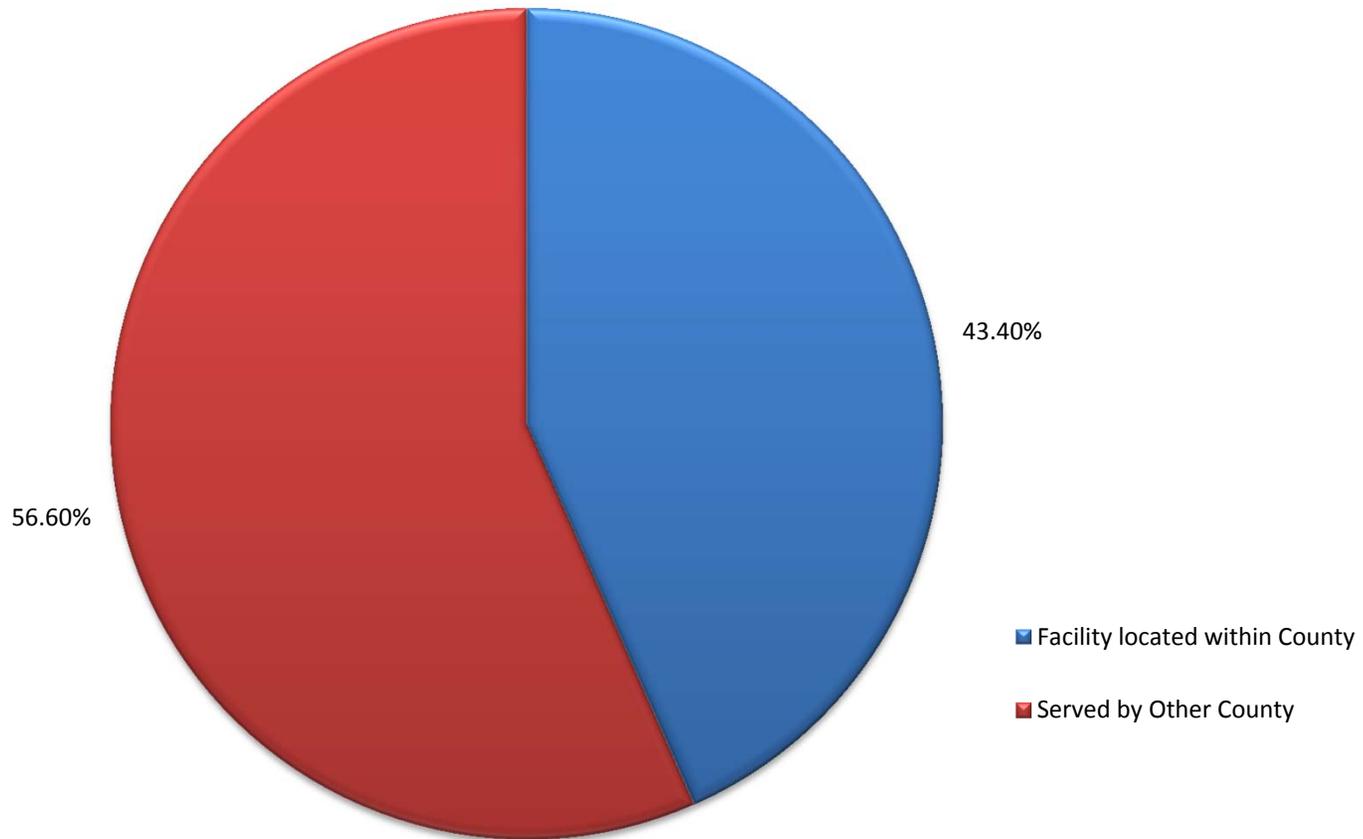
Grade 1 Jails - Percentage of Average Daily Capacity 2012 & 2013



Grade 2 Jails - Percentage of Average Daily Capacity 2012 & 2013



Percent of Counties with Own Correctional Facility



Current efforts

- ▶ Currently in North Dakota the following counties are considering, planning or in the process of building, remodeling or upgrading current facilities.
 - McKenzie County
 - Ward County
 - Mercer County
 - Burleigh County
 - Williams County
 - Mountrail County
 - Divide County
 - Rolette County



McKenzie County

- ▶ McKenzie County is currently in the construction phase. The nine bed grade one facility closed in October 2013 for construction and plans to reopen in April 2014. The facility will reopen as a nine bed grade two (90 day) processing and presentence facility. Presentenced adult inmates will be processed and held for court and once sentenced transferred to other facilities.



Ward County

- ▶ Ward County is starting construction of an 86 bed addition to the current 104 bed grade one correctional facility. In addition, the current eight bed juvenile detention center will be relocated to a remodeled space within a county building increasing the bed space to twelve beds.



Mercer County

- ▶ Mercer County is considering upgrading its current facility. The 24 bed grade one facility will go from 24 beds to 50 beds if approved by the voters of Mercer County.



Burleigh/Morton County

- ▶ Burleigh County is considering the construction of a new 478 bed facility that would combine the Burleigh and Morton County facilities. The current 138 bed facility (Burleigh Co.) and the 40 bed facility (Morton Co.) are both full most times. The governing authorities of both grade one facilities are utilizing contract housing as an alternative to incarceration for low risk offenders. A vote on the construction of the facility is scheduled for June 2014.



Williams County

- ▶ Williams County is considering a 104–208 bed expansion of its current facility. The current 138 bed grade one facility is most times at or above capacity. Williams County is considering becoming a multi-county contract facility with Williams County maintaining ownership and governing authority of the facility.



Mountrail County

- ▶ Mountrail County is considering the construction of a 25 bed facility grade one facility. The current twelve bed grade two facility is quite aged and because of physical structure, limited in efficiency.



Divide County

- ▶ Divide County is considering the construction of a grade four court holding facility as part of a new court house building project. Adult arrestees would be processed and transported for housing or held at the facility during court proceedings.



Rolette County

- ▶ Rolette County is considering the construction of a new facility. The current 25 bed grade two facility operates at or near capacity. The facility is also in need of structural improvements to increase proper supervision of those incarcerated.

