HARRIS COUNTY FELONY PRETRIAL DETENTION REPORT

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Josh Hill - 232nd District Court

Detained:

- 78% of Black defendants (106 out of 136)
- 62% of Hispanic White defendants (37 out of 60)
- 49% of non-Hispanic White defendants (49 out of 99)

per night based on inability to pay

Last week, Judge Josh Hill detained 78% of Black defendants (106 out of 136 on an average night), 62% of Hispanic White defendants (37 out of 60 on an average night), and 49% of non-Hispanic White defendants (49 out of 99 on an average night) in Harris County Jail because they couldn't afford money bail.

Judge Hill's racial difference in pretrial detention rates for Black and Non-Hispanic White defendants is among the 25% worst in Harris County. His racial difference in pretrial detention rates for Hispanic and Non-Hispanic White defendants is among the 50% worst in Harris County.

Track Judge Hill's Detention Rates

