

HARRIS COUNTY FELONY PRETRIAL DETENTION REPORT

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Josh Hill – 232nd District Court

Detained:

- **77% of Black defendants (120 out of 156)**
- **55% of Hispanic White defendants (30 out of 54)**
- **49% of non-Hispanic White defendants (53 out of 108)**

per night based on inability to pay

Last week, **Judge Josh Hill** detained **77% of Black defendants (120 out of 156 on an average night)**, **55% of Hispanic White defendants (30 out of 54 on an average night)**, and **49% of non-Hispanic White defendants (53 out of 108 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% best** in Harris County.

Track Judge Hill's Detention Rates

