

The background is a collage. The top left shows the Jamaican flag. The middle left shows a brick building with arched windows. The center shows graduates in blue gowns and caps, some holding blue diplomas. The right side shows a person in a white shirt and brown pants working in a field of green plants, with a wooden crate in the foreground.

REHABILITATION & REINTEGRATION

Best Practice, Better Outcomes, Safer
Communities



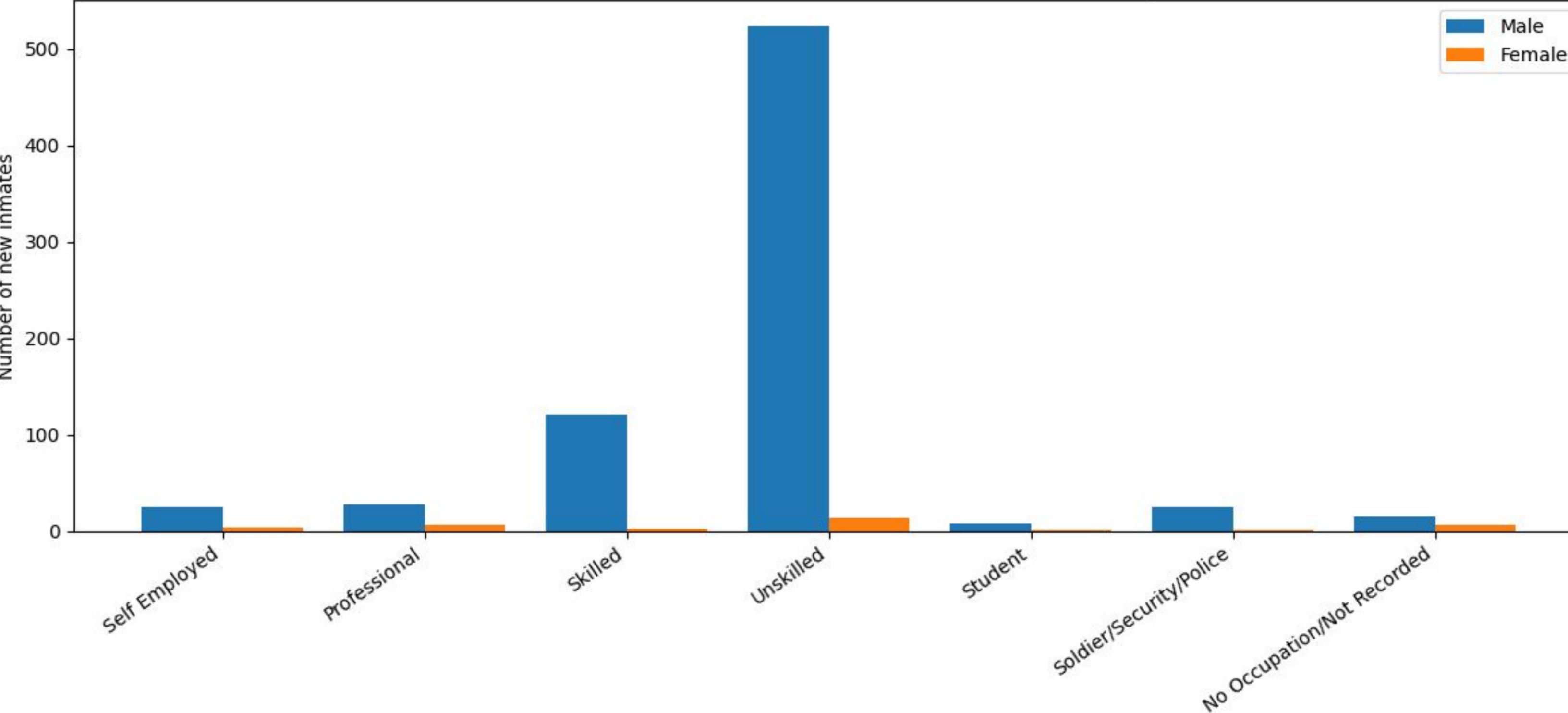
REHABILITATION IS STRATEGY

- ▶ Not an act of leniency
- ▶ A tool for public safety
- ▶ A driver of national development

NEW INMATES OCCUPATION BY GENDER

APRIL 2023-MARCH 2024

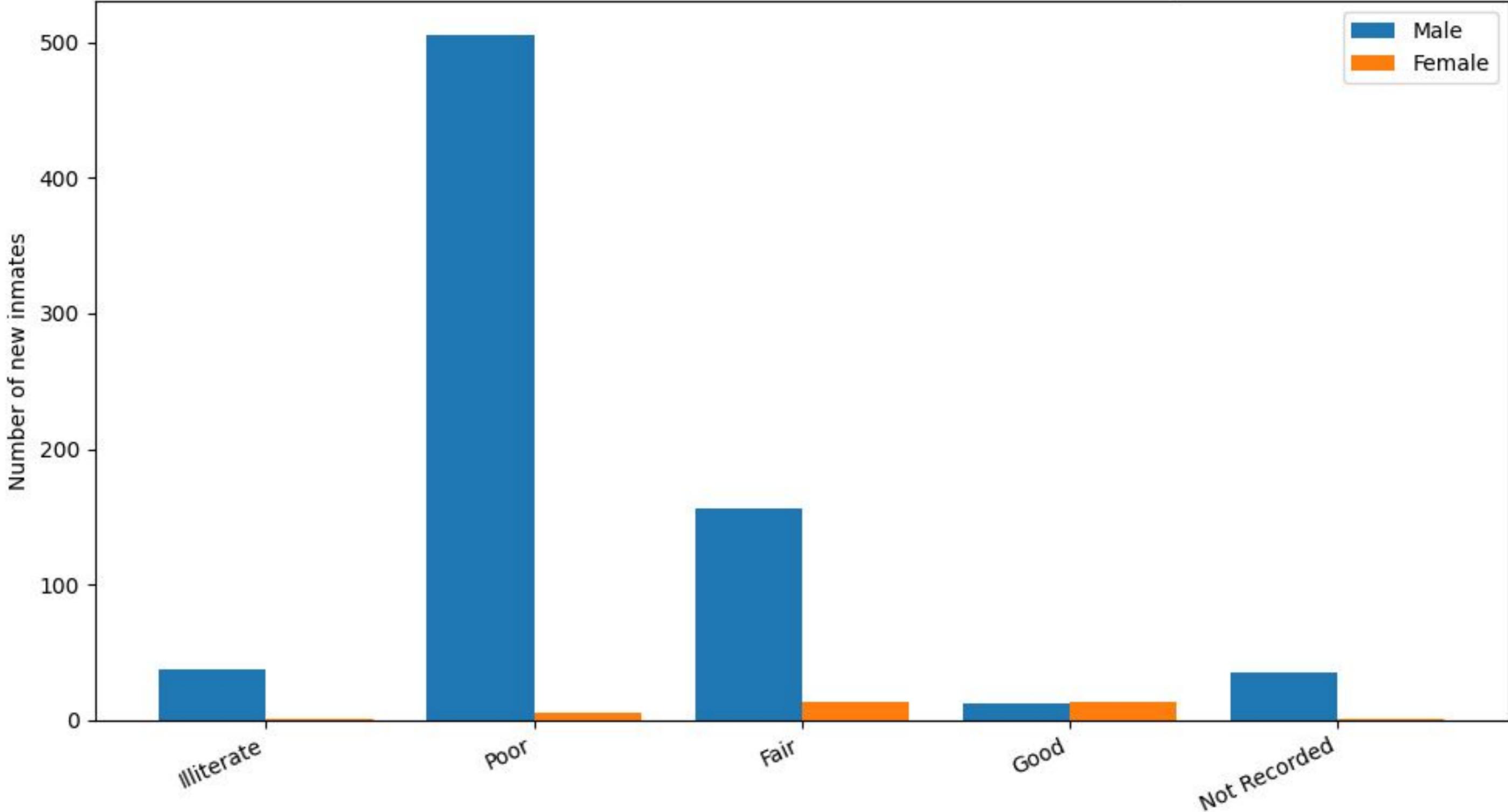
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NEW INMATES EDUCATION LEVEL BY GENDER

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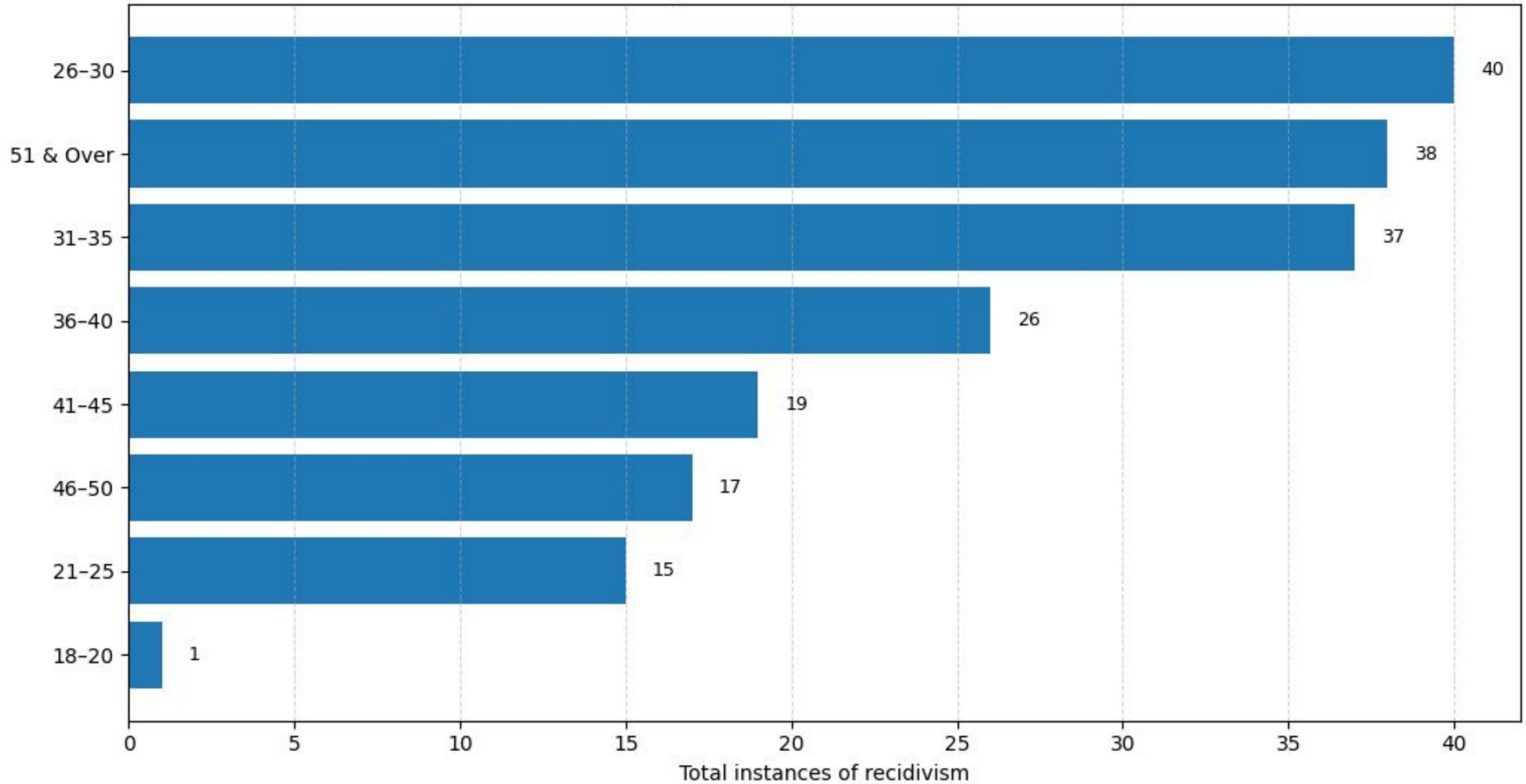
WHY REINTEGRATION MATTERS

- 📍 Reintegration equals public safety
- 📍 41% average recidivism (2016–2021)
- 📍 Incarceration alone is insufficient

RECIDIVISM BY AGE GROUP

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TSACC, STCDACC, SCACC





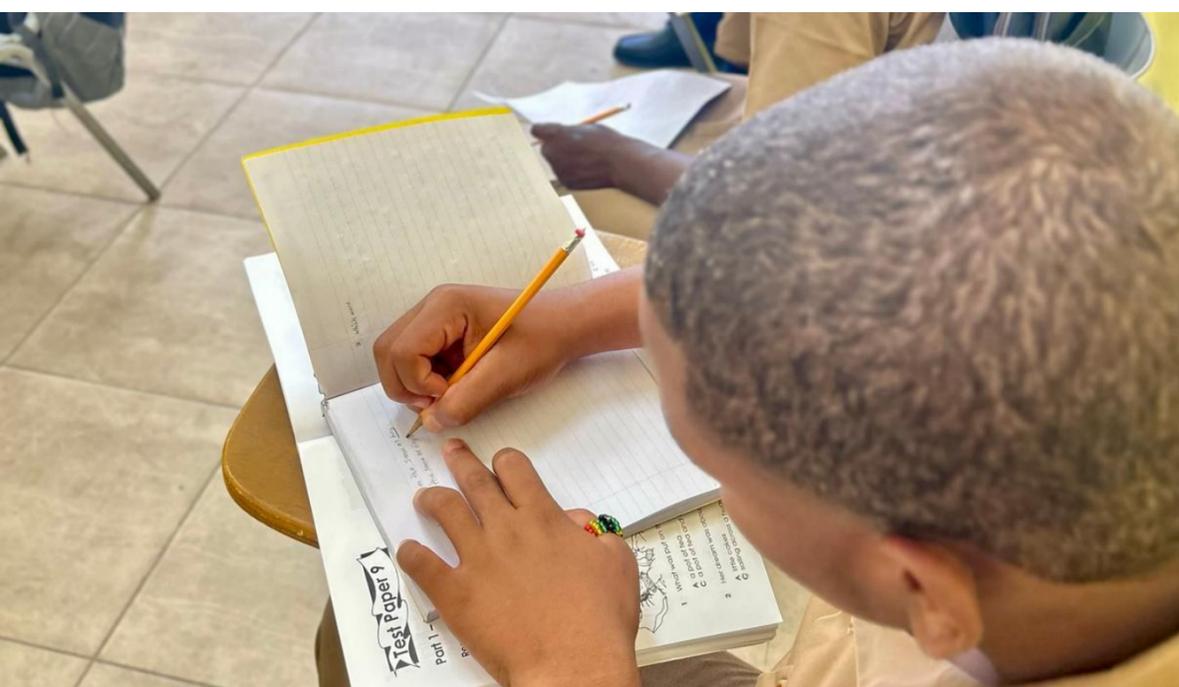
WHAT BEST PRACTICE MEANS TODAY

- Secure, humane, and well-managed custodial environment
- Risk–Need–Responsivity
- Desistance-focused approaches
- Structured case management
- Continuity of care
- Measurement and outcomes



JAMAICA'S POLICY FRAMEWORK

- 📍 National Correctional Services Policy (2024)
- 📍 Vision 2030: Jamaica National Development Plan



EDUCATION: EVIDENCE IT WORKS

- Grade One CSEC passes
- Rising pass rates
- Tertiary completion



PARTNERSHIPS THAT MULTIPLY IMPACT

- HEART/NSTA Trust certification
- Tertiary institutions
- Stackable credentials



BUILDING PRODUCTIVE CAPACITY

- 🔵🟡▶ Vocational training
- 🔵🟡▶ Labour-market relevance
- 🔵🟡▶ Institutional production
- 🔵🟡▶ Dignity through work





LIFE SKILLS & SPECIAL INTERVENTIONS



- Behavioural change
- Mental health support
- Substance-abuse treatment
- Decision-making skills





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REINTEGRATION: A WHOLE-OF-SOCIETY RESPONSIBILITY

- Education and training continuation
- Employment and entrepreneurship
- Health, housing, and social support
- Community and family reintegration





SHARED OUTCOMES

- Fewer victims
- Safer communities
- Stronger families
- Lower long-term state costs



**REHABILITATING LIVES
FOR A SAFER JAMAICA**