

# Reducing Recidivism and Connecting Justice Involved-Individuals to Behavioral Health Treatment

## Incarceration alerting to coordinate care for America's at-risk populations

### The Challenge

Approximately **44%** of people in jail and **37%** of those in prison have a mental illness. Still, only about **37%** of those in state and federal prisons and less than half (**45%**) in local jails receive mental health treatment while incarcerated. Without a certain level of connectivity to jail and prison systems and the ability to pull incarceration and release data, it is extremely difficult to track individuals' incarceration statuses and maintain continuity of care.

### The Solution

Bamboo's Justice Involved™ bridges the gap by connecting health plans, state governments, and providers to justice systems, capturing booking, incarceration and release data in real-time. With streamlined alert reporting, patients receive continuous care and timely assessment of treatment needs.

Justice Involved connects to nearly all jails and prisons in the U.S. and can alert managed care organizations, Medicaid, state administrators, providers and other stakeholders when individual's incarceration periods begin and end.

By capturing essential booking and incarceration event information, stakeholders quickly evaluate an individual's need for mental health or substance use disorder treatment in near real-time. With the number of individuals eligible for Medicaid, States can potentially decrease the care cycles while improving the quality of care.

Typically, Medicaid does not cover services for individuals who are incarcerated. However, states with Section 1115 waivers can request partial waivers of this exclusion, allowing them to provide Medicaid coverage to certain groups of incarcerated individuals before their release. This can help ensure that individuals receive the necessary medical and mental health care as they prepare to reintegrate into society.



of the nation's inmates meet certain medical criteria for substance abuse and addiction, but only 11% received treatment for their addictions.<sup>1</sup>



Justice-involved individuals experience 3x the rate of mental illness compared to the general population



Justice-involved individuals have 4x the rate of substance use disorder prevalence compared to the general population

<sup>1</sup>The National Center on Addiction and Substance Abuse – <https://www.prnewswire.com/news-releases/new-casa-report-finds-65-percent-of-all-us-inmates-meet-medical-criteria-for-substance-abuse-addiction-only-11-percent-receive-any-treatment-85448032.html>

2,800

Incarceration facilities on the Justice Involved network

160+ Million

historical incarceration records

1+ Million

new incarceration records per month

30%

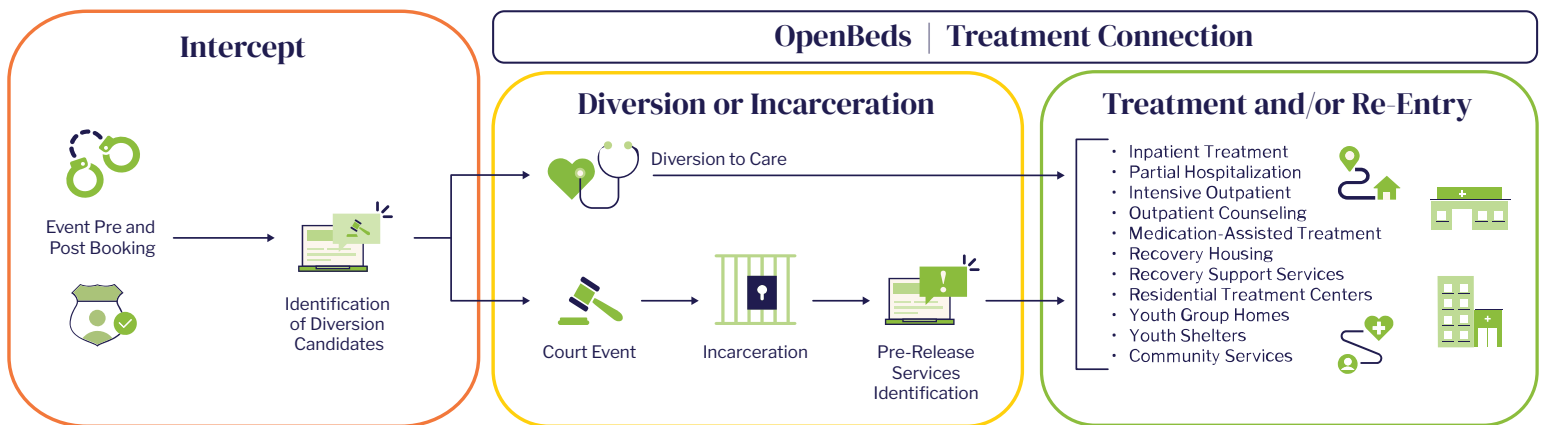
reduction in recidivism for one mountain state

### Maintain continuity of care for incarcerated individuals

Real-time incarceration alerts allow for improved coordinated care through treatment referrals and engagement with individuals who may be at high risk of recidivism and SUD. Such alerts help divert incarceration events by referring individuals in need of care to the appropriate treatment. Given that the majority of these individuals are receiving or are eligible for Medicaid benefits, state Medicaid programs stand to save dollars while increasing the quality of care with this care coordination approach.

### Full Justice Involved Lifecycle – Pre- and Post-Entry

#### How it works



### Justice Involved™

- Booking presents an opportunity to utilize Bamboo’s offering to connect Justice Involved individuals to the care they need
- Justice Involved event alerts can initiate this workflow

### OpenBeds® Treatment Connection™

- For these individuals, Managed Care Organizations and other diversion groups can assess, triage, and navigate them into appropriate care settings
- OpenBeds will allow for referrals into Behavioral/Substance Use Disorder facilities and services

### Pings™

- Pings (ADT notifications) will allow us to track these individuals at various care settings and monitor for new critical moments to see if they end up back in the Hospital or Emergency Department