



South Dakota Women's Prison
East Highway 34,
c/o 500 East Capitol Avenue
Pierre, SD 57501
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Mission: To protect the citizens of South Dakota by providing safe and secure facilities for adult female offenders, utilizing evidence-based practices to address criminal conduct and maximize successful reentry into the community.

-The South Dakota Women's Prison is part of the Solem Public Safety Center, a unique facility that houses the prison, Department of Corrections administrative offices, and law enforcement agencies of the state, county and city governments.

-The Women's Prison opened in 1997

-Primary custody level: All

-The main prison consists of four housing units (Unit A, B, C & D). A unit known as Unit E is located on the grounds of the main prison. The Pierre Community Work Center (PCWC) is located just east of the Prison. All of the housing units are included in the Women's Prison budget.

Fiscal Year 2021 (July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2021):

Budget: \$6,740,252

Full-Time Equivalents: 75

Estimated average daily population:

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| SDWP | 230 |
| Unit E | 96 |
| PCWC | 166 |

Estimated daily cost per inmate:

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| SDWP | \$84.91 |
| Unit E | \$47.40 |
| PCWC | \$50.95 |

Budget, FTE, ADP and estimated daily costs are from Governor's Budget Report for FY 2021