Additional National and State Data

In terms of Incompetent to Stand Trial patients, there does not appear to be a good source of national longitudinal data on number of IST referrals over time, so DSH has to rely on anecdotal reports for informal surveys. Despite these limitations, however, multiple states including Colorado, Idaho, Montana, New York, Hawaii and Maryland are experiencing major increases in IST referrals.¹

In general, forensic population growth is a national problem.²

¹ Multiple sources including WPSHA benchmarking data, media reports and responses to list serve survey.
The following data was reported by the California Hospital Association. \(^3\)