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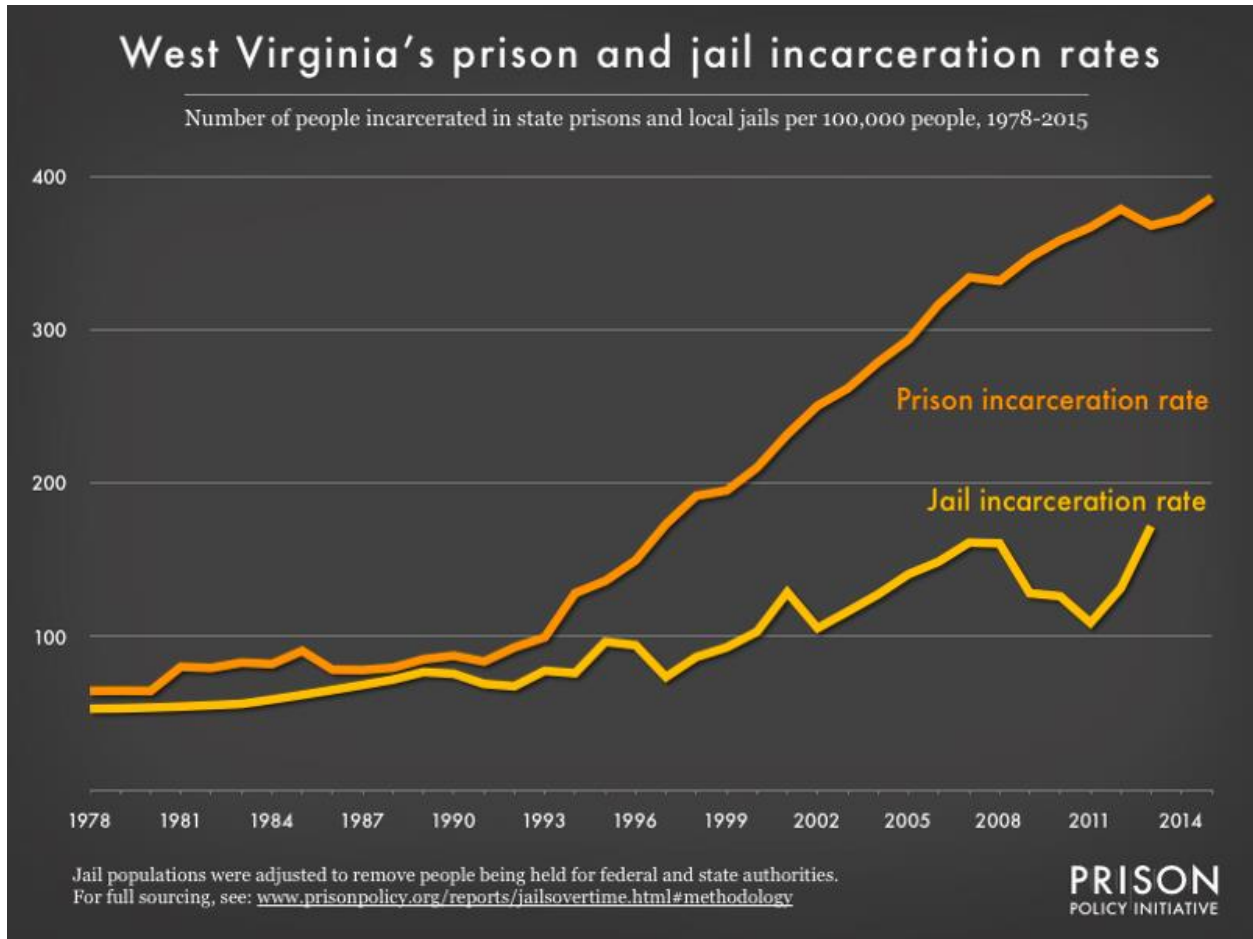
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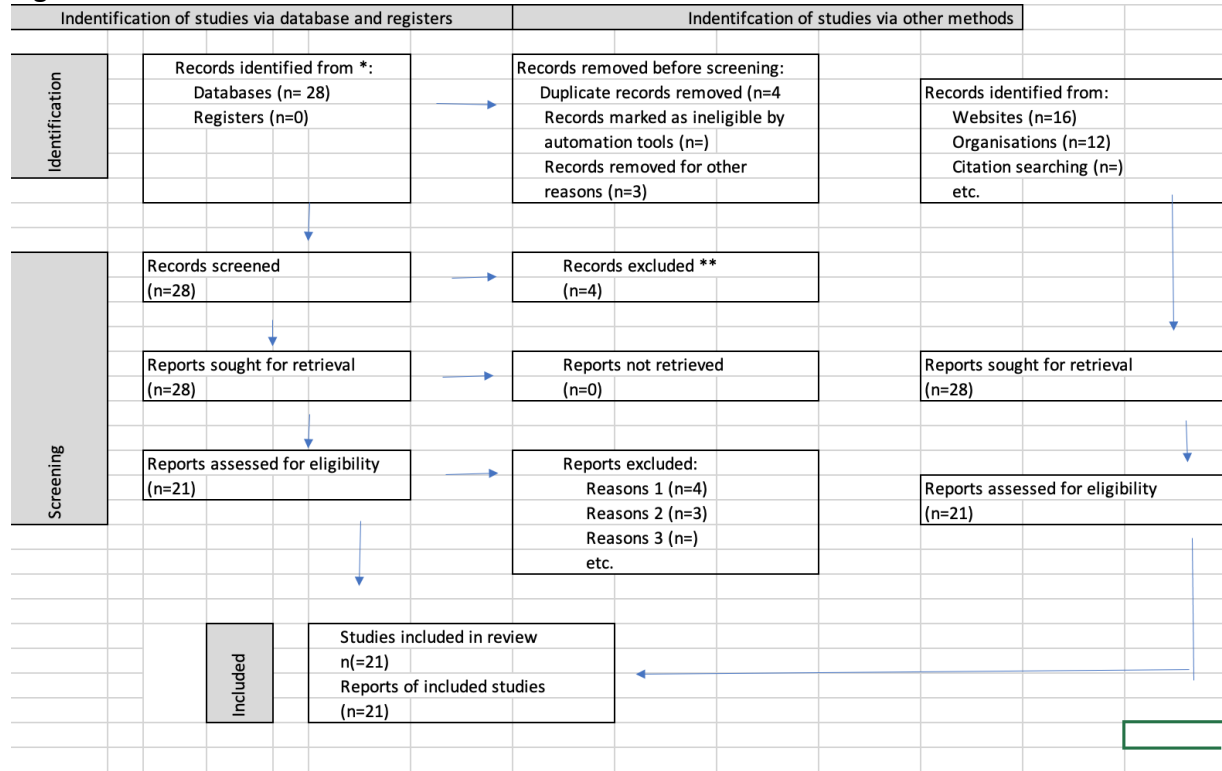
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Table 1



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Figure 1



\* Consider, if feasible to do so, reporting the number of records identified from each database or register searched (rather than the total number across all databases/registers).

\*\* If automation tools were used, indicate how many records were excluded by a human and how many were excluded by automation tools.

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## Appendix 1

1. What factors contribute to the high rate of recidivism? Why?
2. What are the three biggest challenges inmates face when returning to the community?  
Why?
3. What do you think is the best way to reduce recidivism? Why?
4. What is the strongest predictor of recidivism? Why?
5. How does recidivism affect society? Why?
6. What are the three highest categories for recidivism? Why?
7. What are the four biggest challenges facing correctional institutions today? Why?
8. What are three ways to measure recidivism?
9. What social factor reduces recidivism rates? Why?
10. Why is recidivism a social problem?