

# Louisiana By The Numbers: *Immigration Infographic*



## ALEXANDRIA, LA

**Unnamed:** New facility opening late 2014

**ICE Detention Beds:** 400

**Legal Orientation Program (LOP):** None

**Notes:** Will serve as a 72 hour staging facility near the Alexandria airport for detainees being placed on flights for deportation. Facility operated by The GEO Group Inc.

## BASILE, LA

**South Louisiana Detention Center**

**ICE Detention Beds:** 800 (avg daily population is 350-400)

**LOP:** None. [Some visits by LSU Law Clinic but no funded regular LOP visits.]

- 1222 detainees visited by LSU in 2013
- 202 of those received individual consults

**Notes:** Facility operated by LSC Corrections Services, Inc.

## OAKDALE, LA

**Oakdale Immigration Court**

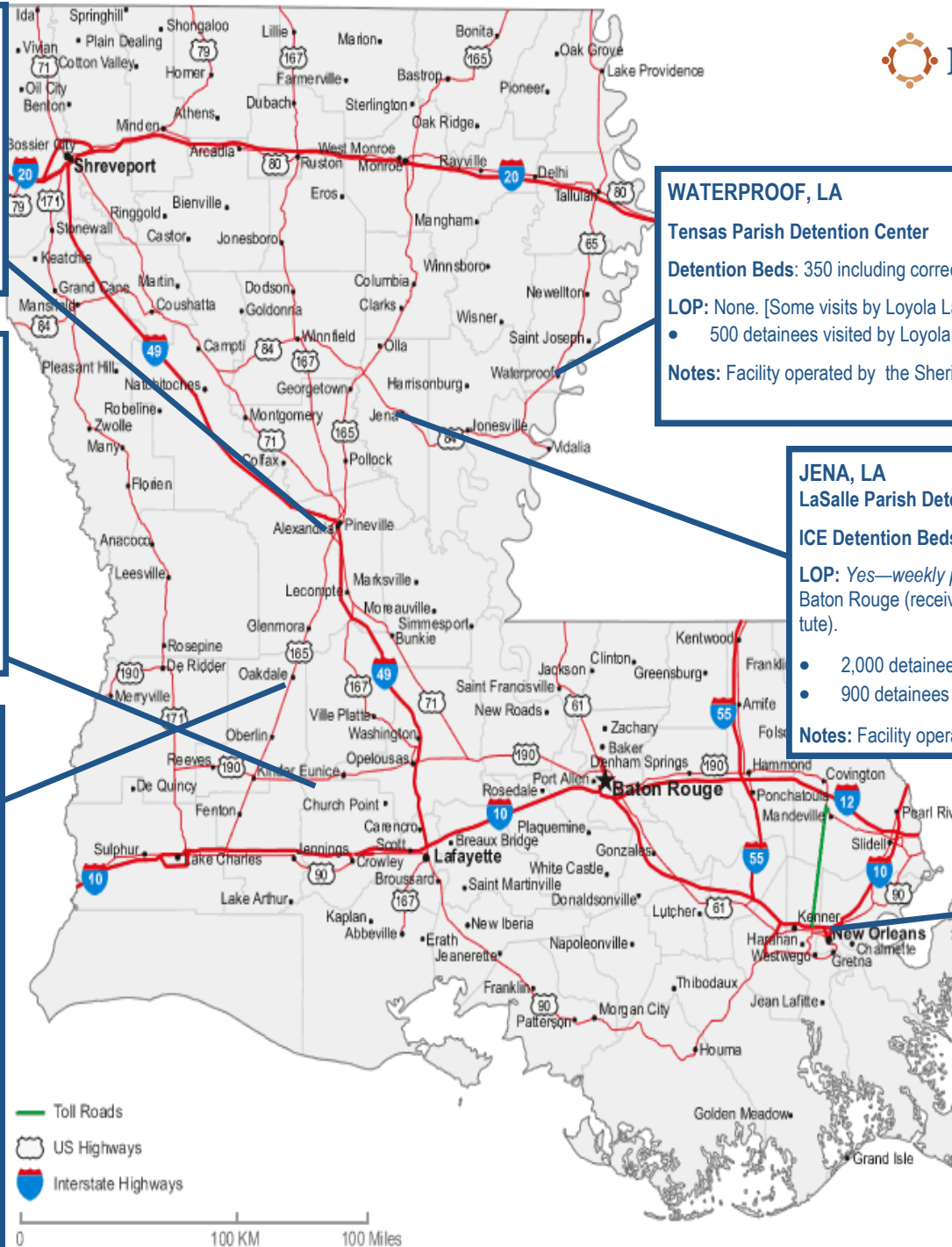
**Immigration Judges:** 3

**Detained Docket.** No large backlog; cases move through quickly; very low rate of rep!

- Current backlog: 296 cases
- Average time until completion: 53 days
- FY 2014 Completions: 1,370 cases
- Representation Rate: 13% of detained respondents had counsel in 2012.

**Manner of Hearings:** Tele-video & In Person (detained immigrants are transported only to appear in person for merits hearings.)

**Notes:** Oakdale Federal Detention Center, operated by Federal Bureau of Prisons, stopped housing immigrant detainees in late 2013 (used to have 850 beds).



## WATERPROOF, LA

**Tensas Parish Detention Center**

**Detention Beds:** 350 including corrections. (ICE average population is 100).

**LOP:** None. [Some visits by Loyola Law Clinic but no funded regular LOP visits.]

- 500 detainees visited by Loyola in 2013

**Notes:** Facility operated by the Sheriff's Office of Tensas Parish.

## JENA, LA

**LaSalle Parish Detention Center**

**ICE Detention Beds:** 1170

**LOP:** Yes—*weekly presentations*. Run by Catholic Charities of Baton Rouge (receives federal funding through the Vera Institute).

- 2,000 detainees received group presentations in 2013
- 900 detainees received individual consults

**Notes:** Facility operated by The GEO Group Inc.

## NEW ORLEANS, LA

**New Orleans Immigration Court**

**Immigration Judges:** 1 (currently vacant); Non-permanent rotating IJs appear in person and via tele-video.

**Non-detained Docket.** Large backlog; slightly higher rate of representation.

- Current backlog: 5,853 cases
- Average time until completion: 853 days
- FY 2014 Completions: 397 cases
- Representation Rate: 68% of overall respondents had counsel in 2012.

**Manner of Hearings:** In person