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DISCLAIMER: The following is only a general guideline. There are many different factors that will cause differences in the outcomes, including earned time eligibility and the behavior of the inmate.

Sentences for convictions of 2nd degree murder, 1st degree Kidnapping (not class 1 felony), 1st degree Assault, 1st degree Arson, 1st degree Burglary, Aggravated Robbery, and older convictions for 1st or 2nd Degree Sexual Assault are subject to parole eligibility calculation at 75% of the sentence, possibly without eligibility for earned time reduction. All other convictions (including attempts, conspiracies, accessories, or solicitations for the above listed crimes) are parole eligible beginning at 50% of the sentence, and earned time granted will reduce the parole eligibility date.

1. Simple formula for figuring earliest possible parole eligibility for 50% calculations:

Length of sentence times .35 = Earliest possible parole eligibility

Latest possible parole eligibility: 100% of sentence if institutional behavior is bad.

2. Simple formula for figuring earliest possible parole eligibility for 75% calculations with eligibility for earned time:

Length of sentence times .55 = Earliest parole eligibility

Simple formula for figuring earliest possible parole eligibility for 75% calculations if not eligible for earned time:

Length of sentence times .75 = Earliest parole eligibility

Latest possible parole eligibility for any 75% sentence: 100% of sentence if institutional behavior is bad.

Until DOC has all the documents for an individual defendant, we cannot speculate on which sentence or sentences will control or how the sentences will interact with each other. We apologize for any inconvenience.

