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## BORDER CRISIS STARTLING STATS

### The Biden-Harris Border Crisis Continues as Nationwide Encounters Reach Over 11 Million Since FY2021

NOV. FY2025 NATIONWIDE ENCOUNTERS

**125,238**

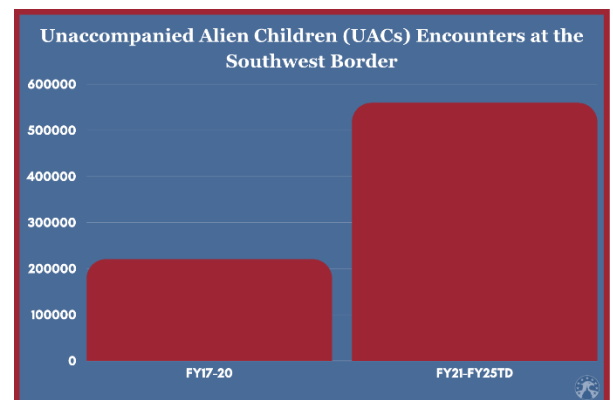
NOV. FY2024 NATIONWIDE ENCOUNTERS

**308,605**

NOV. FY2023 NATIONWIDE ENCOUNTERS

**284,624**

- U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP) recorded **125,238 encounters nationwide in November including 94,190 at the Southwest border (SWB)**.
- Southwest border encounters at ports of entry in November **increased by roughly 507% from November Fiscal Year (FY) 2022 encounters. Nationwide encounters at ports of entry last month increased 149%** compared to November FY2022.
- Since the beginning of FY2021, there have been more than **11 million encounters nationwide**, including over **8.5 million encounters at the Southwest border**. By contrast, CBP recorded **around 3.1 million encounters nationwide** from FY2017-2020.
- Shockingly, this number does not include the reported **2.2 million known gotaways** who have evaded Border Patrol between ports of entry since FY2021.
- Of the 125,238 nationwide encounters in November, **62% were at ports of entry, while only 15% of nationwide encounters were at ports of entry in November 2022**. This exposes the Biden-Harris administration's strategy of shifting otherwise-inadmissible aliens to ports of entry in order to hide the border crisis in plain sight.
- **Over 43,000 inadmissible aliens with CBP One app** appointments were processed by OFO in November. Since January 2023, **904,500 otherwise inadmissible aliens** have scheduled appointments through the app. **95.8 percent of all inadmissible aliens** who scheduled appointments through the app from January-September 2023 were ultimately released into the United States on parole.
- **531,670 Cubans, Haitians, Nicaraguans, and Venezuelans** have been mass-paroled into the interior **since the Biden-Harris administration's unlawful parole program for Cubans, Haitians, Nicaraguans, and Venezuelans began**.
- Via just these two unlawful mass-parole programs, the Biden-Harris administration has **released more than 1.3 million inadmissible aliens** into the United States.
- At the SW border in November, CBP encountered **54,625 single adults, 33,017 family unit individuals, and 6,463 unaccompanied alien children (UACs)**. More than half a million UACs have been encountered at our borders nationwide under the Biden-Harris administration.
- Through the first two months of FY2025, **three illegal aliens on the terrorist watchlist** have been encountered attempting to cross the Southwest border between ports of entry. **Only two were encountered in all of FY2017**.





## The Biden-Harris Border Crisis Puts Both Americans and Inadmissible Aliens at Risk

- Since FY2021, **Border Patrol agents have seized 9,485 pounds of fentanyl** between ports of entry, compared to just 1,604 pounds from FY2017-FY2020.
- Since FY2021, Border Patrol agents have recorded **57,097 arrests of aliens with criminal convictions or outstanding warrants nationwide**. For comparison, Border Patrol arrested 21,936 from FY2017-FY2020.
- Since the beginning of FY2021, **66,321 Chinese nationals were apprehended illegally crossing the Southwest border**. Only 5,650 were apprehended from FY2017-FY2020.
- According to new **ICE figures**, the number of illegal aliens on ICE's Non-Detained Docket who have received a final order of removal **increased by more than 152,000** in just over a year. Among illegal aliens with final orders there are 1,708 Afghanistan, 37,908 from China, 22,749 from Venezuela, and 2,618 from Iran.
- In just **three days in November**, over 140 UACs, from ages two to 17, were smuggled across the Southwest border.
- On **November 29**, the Texas Department of Public Safety stopped the smuggling of a five-year-old girl from Mexico after video surveillance captured a male adult carrying the child across the Rio Grande. The child's mother, a temporary resident in North Carolina, confessed to paying \$8,000 to a smuggling group.
- In a **House Homeland joint subcommittee hearing in November**, Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) whistleblower Tara Rodas said the agency's UAC sponsor placement program is a **"white-glove delivery service of children."**
- On November 20, **ICE Boston announced the arrests** of three illegal aliens, two of whom were charged with sexually assaulting children in Massachusetts. The third alien was convicted of sexually assaulting a child in Brazil in 2022 but was in the United States after being caught and released at the Southwest border in April 2022.

## Northern Border Encounters Remain at Crisis Levels

NOV. FY2025 NB  
ENCOUNTERS

**12,250**

NOV. FY2024 NB  
ENCOUNTERS

**14,055**

NOV. FY2023 NB  
ENCOUNTERS

**13,331**

- CBP encounters of inadmissible aliens at the Northern border remain at crisis levels. These encounters **increased 127%** in November (12,250) compared to November FY2022 (5,398). **Apprehensions along the Swanton Sector (483) increased by more than 1,171% in November** compared to November FY2022.
- Total Northern border encounters **under the Biden-Harris administration reached 545,126 in November**—compared to **130,140 encounters** between FY2017 and FY2020.