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## Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges Summary Report Based on Number of Reported Cases January - December 2006

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Juvenile Court: **Knox**

Court Number: **47**

Cases Disposed or Adjusted: **9,714**

Children: **6,027**

General characteristics of these cases follow:

### Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges:

Each case may include up to 5 referral reasons therefore the number of total referral reasons, referral sources, intake actions, formal/informal actions and person executing the action may be greater than the total number of cases.

0	0.00%	Criminal Homicide
2	0.02%	1st Degree Murder
0	0.00%	2nd Degree Murder
0	0.00%	Aggravated Rape
2	0.02%	Rape of a Child
0	0.00%	Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
1	0.01%	Esp. Aggravated Robbery
1	0.01%	Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
19	0.16%	Aggravated Robbery
2	0.02%	Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Child Abuse / Neglect
11	0.09%	Aggravated Sexual Battery
2	0.02%	Rape
0	0.00%	Voluntary Manslaughter
1	0.01%	Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	0.00%	Other Sexual Offenses
45	0.38%	Aggravated Assault
2	0.02%	Robbery
0	0.00%	Criminally Negligent Homicide
7	0.06%	Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
152	1.27%	Assault
25	0.21%	Reckless Endangerment
2	0.02%	Aggravated Arson
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30	0.25%	Aggravated Burglary
281	2.36%	Theft of Property
176	1.48%	Vandalism
1	0.01%	Forgery



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<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Worthless Checks
<b>3</b>	<b>0.03%</b>	Illegal Possession / Fraudulent Use of Credit / Debit Cards
<b>59</b>	<b>0.49%</b>	Burglary
<b>26</b>	<b>0.22%</b>	Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle
<b>1</b>	<b>0.01%</b>	Cruelty to Animals
<b>34</b>	<b>0.28%</b>	Sale of Controlled Substances
<b>78</b>	<b>0.65%</b>	Other Drug Offenses
<b>249</b>	<b>2.09%</b>	Possession of Controlled Substances
<b>3</b>	<b>0.03%</b>	Criminal Attempt
<b>17</b>	<b>0.14%</b>	Carrying Weapons on School Property
<b>46</b>	<b>0.39%</b>	Unlawful Carrying / Possession of a Weapon
<b>81</b>	<b>0.68%</b>	Evading Arrest
<b>3</b>	<b>0.03%</b>	Escape
<b>14</b>	<b>0.12%</b>	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
<b>139</b>	<b>1.16%</b>	Possession / Consumption of Alcohol
<b>42</b>	<b>0.35%</b>	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
<b>1</b>	<b>0.01%</b>	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
<b>6</b>	<b>0.05%</b>	Harassment
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Failure to Appear
<b>12</b>	<b>0.10%</b>	Filing a False Police Report
<b>57</b>	<b>0.48%</b>	Criminal Impersonation
<b>259</b>	<b>2.17%</b>	Disorderly Conduct
<b>112</b>	<b>0.94%</b>	Criminal Trespass
<b>137</b>	<b>1.15%</b>	Public Intoxication
<b>1</b>	<b>0.01%</b>	Gambling
<b>2,992</b>	<b>25.08%</b>	Traffic
<b>20</b>	<b>0.17%</b>	Local Ordinances
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
<b>137</b>	<b>1.15%</b>	Contempt of Court
<b>631</b>	<b>5.29%</b>	Violation of Probation



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36	0.30%	Violation of Aftercare
28	0.23%	Unruly Behavior
166	1.39%	Truancy
342	2.87%	In-State Runaway
1	0.01%	Out-of-State Runaway
201	1.68%	Possession of Tobacco Products
56	0.47%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
279	2.34%	Violation of Curfew
0	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
343	2.87%	Dependency / Neglect
196	1.64%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
283	2.37%	Judicial Review
458	3.84%	Administrative Review
79	0.66%	Foster Care Review
1,515	12.70%	Custody
256	2.15%	Visitation
1	0.01%	Paternity / Legitimation
5	0.04%	Child Support
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry
1,763	14.78%	Other
<b>11,932</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Referrals</b>

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**Referral Sources: 1**

5,554	46.55%	Law Enforcement
1,380	11.57%	Parents
1,219	10.22%	Relatives
9	0.08%	Self
197	1.65%	School
22	0.18%	CSA
1,013	8.49%	DCS
50	0.42%	Other State Department
18	0.15%	District Attorney's Office
1,368	11.46%	Court Staff
24	0.20%	Social Agency
127	1.06%	Other Court
160	1.34%	Victim
0	0.00%	Child & Parent
1	0.01%	Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
790	6.62%	Other
<b>11,932</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Referral Sources</b>

**Age of Child at Referral: 2**

1,718	28.51%	Ages 10 and Under
325	5.39%	Ages 11 through 12
722	11.98%	Ages 13 through 14
1,637	27.16%	Ages 15 through 16
1,614	26.78%	Ages 17 through 18
11	0.18%	Ages 19 and Over
0	0.00%	Unknown / Not Reported
<b>6,027</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Child Count</b>

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**Sex of Child: 1**

3,310	54.92%	Male
2,486	41.25%	Female
231	3.83%	Unknown
<b>6,027</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Child Count</b>

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**Race of Child: 1**

3,775	62.63%	White
1,092	18.12%	African American
1	0.02%	Native American
6	0.10%	Asian
95	1.58%	Mixed
1,058	17.55%	Unknown
<b>6,027</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Child Count</b>

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**Hispanic Origin: 1**

27	0.45%	Yes
1,486	24.66%	No
4,514	74.90%	Unknown
<b>6,027</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Child Count</b>

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**School Enrollment of Children: 1**

1,338	22.20%	Yes
124	2.06%	No
4,565	75.74%	Unknown
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**Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral: 1**

298	4.94%	With Both Biological Parents
60	1.00%	With Father and Stepmother
96	1.59%	With Mother and Stepfather
759	12.59%	With Mother
178	2.95%	With Father
349	5.79%	With Relatives
38	0.63%	With Adoptive Parents
128	2.12%	With Foster Family
31	0.51%	In a Group Home
8	0.13%	In a Residential Center
2	0.03%	In an Institution
7	0.12%	Independent
4,046	67.13%	Unknown
27	0.45%	Other
<b>6,027</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Child Count</b>

**Type of Detention: 2**

0	0.00%	Non-Secure Placement
1,810	18.63%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.00%	Jail - Complete Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - Partial Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - No Separation
0	0.00%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
7,904	81.37%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
<b>9,714</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Detention Count</b>

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**Placement After Secure Detention Hearing: 1**

1,511	15.55%	Returned to Prior Living Arrangement
45	0.46%	Juvenile Detention Facility
3	0.03%	Jail
146	1.50%	Shelter / Group Home
5	0.05%	Foster Family Home
16	0.16%	Psychiatric Hospital
42	0.43%	Unknown / Not Reported
7,937	81.71%	Does Not Apply
9	0.09%	Other
<b>9,714</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Placement Count</b>

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**Intake Actions: 2**

7,236	60.64%	Petition Filed
1,185	9.93%	Motion Filed
2,691	22.55%	Citation Processed
0	0.00%	Notification of Paternity Processed
283	2.37%	Scheduling of Judicial Review
458	3.84%	Scheduling of Administrative Review
79	0.66%	Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	0.00%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
<b>11,932</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Intake Count</b>

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**Last Grade Completed by Child: 1**

125	2.07%	Too Young for School
4	0.07%	Preschool
2	0.03%	Kindergarten
4	0.07%	1st Grade
1	0.02%	2nd Grade
2	0.03%	3rd Grade
14	0.23%	4th Grade
33	0.55%	5th Grade
84	1.39%	6th Grade
127	2.11%	7th Grade
229	3.80%	8th Grade
205	3.40%	9th Grade
178	2.95%	10th Grade
89	1.48%	11th Grade
7	0.12%	12th Grade
1	0.02%	Non-Graded Special Ed
15	0.25%	GED
7	0.12%	Graduated
0	0.00%	Never Attended School
4,900	81.30%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Other
<b>6,027</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Child Count</b>

**Enrolled in Special Education: 1**

190	3.15%	Yes
1,011	16.77%	No
4,826	80.07%	Unknown
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**Action Executed By: 1**

938	7.86%	Judge
7,140	59.84%	Referee
1,266	10.61%	YSO
2,588	21.69%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown / Not Reported
<b>11,932</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Action Count</b>

**Formal / Informal Actions: 1**

318	2.67%	Dismissed
604	5.06%	Retired / Nolle Prosequi
1,312	11.00%	Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
1,563	13.10%	Complaint Substantiated Dependent / Neglected
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
3,442	28.85%	Informal Adjustment
406	3.40%	Pretrial Diversion
6	0.05%	Transfer to Adult Court Hearing
0	0.00%	Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court
2,339	19.60%	Special Proceeding
0	0.00%	Review Concluded
85	0.71%	Case Held Open
1,857	15.56%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown / Not Reported
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**Case Outcomes:**

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<b>923</b>	<b>5.62%</b>	Case Dismissed
<b>371</b>	<b>2.26%</b>	Case Retired or Nolle Prosequi
<b>680</b>	<b>4.14%</b>	Warned / Counseled
<b>106</b>	<b>0.65%</b>	Held Open For Review
<b>741</b>	<b>4.51%</b>	Supervision / Probation to Juvenile Court
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Probation to Parents
<b>174</b>	<b>1.06%</b>	Referral to Another Entity for Supervision / Service
<b>104</b>	<b>0.63%</b>	Referred for Mental Health Counseling
<b>200</b>	<b>1.22%</b>	Referred for Alcohol and Drug Counseling
<b>1</b>	<b>0.01%</b>	Referred to Alternative School
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Referred to Private Child Agency
<b>754</b>	<b>4.59%</b>	Referred to Defensive Driving School
<b>106</b>	<b>0.65%</b>	Referred to Alcohol Safety School
<b>233</b>	<b>1.42%</b>	Referred to Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
<b>19</b>	<b>0.12%</b>	Driver's License Held Informally
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Voluntary Placement with DMHMR
<b>1</b>	<b>0.01%</b>	Private Mental Health Placement
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Private MR Placement
<b>17</b>	<b>0.10%</b>	Placement with City/County Agency/Facility
<b>13</b>	<b>0.08%</b>	Placement with Relative / Other Individual
<b>823</b>	<b>5.01%</b>	Fine
<b>715</b>	<b>4.35%</b>	Public Service
<b>141</b>	<b>0.86%</b>	Restitution
<b>35</b>	<b>0.21%</b>	Runaway Returned
<b>364</b>	<b>2.22%</b>	No Contact Order
<b>126</b>	<b>0.77%</b>	Injunction Other than No Contact Order
<b>140</b>	<b>0.85%</b>	House Arrest
<b>127</b>	<b>0.77%</b>	Court Defined Curfew
<b>204</b>	<b>1.24%</b>	Dismissed from Informal Adjustment
<b>731</b>	<b>4.45%</b>	Dismissed from Pretrial Diversion
<b>5</b>	<b>0.03%</b>	Released from Probation
<b>5</b>	<b>0.03%</b>	Transferred to Adult Court
<b>3</b>	<b>0.02%</b>	DMHMR Involuntary Commitment



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14	0.09%	DCS Commitment - Determinate
360	2.19%	DCS Commitment - Custody
42	0.26%	DCS Commitment - Suspended
5	0.03%	DCS Intensive Probation
46	0.28%	Other Intensive Probation
77	0.47%	DCS Probation
0	0.00%	Placed Under a Valid Court Order
2	0.01%	Supervision by DCS
52	0.32%	Transferred to Another Juvenile Court for Disposition
121	0.74%	Parental Rights Terminated
8	0.05%	Parental Rights Not Terminated
15	0.09%	Order of Reference to DCS
1,983	12.07%	Court Costs
44	0.27%	Foster Care Terminated
580	3.53%	Foster Care Continued
985	6.00%	Custody Changed
273	1.66%	Custody Unchanged
717	4.36%	Visitation Changed
123	0.75%	Visitation Unchanged
0	0.00%	Voluntary Acknowledgement of Paternity
0	0.00%	Paternity Determined / Child Legitimated
0	0.00%	Paternity Not Determined / Child Not Legitimated
4	0.02%	Child Support Granted
0	0.00%	Child Support Amended
0	0.00%	Child Support Denied
1	0.01%	Child Support Terminated
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment Granted
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment Denied
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Granted
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Denied
3,114	18.96%	Other
<b>16,428</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Outcome Count</b>

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