



Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges Summary Report Based on Number of Reported Cases January - December 2007

Juvenile Court: **Knox**

Court Number: **47**

Cases Disposed or Adjusted: **9,538**

Children: **5,915**

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
0	0.00%	1st Degree Murder
0	0.00%	2nd Degree Murder
5	0.04%	Aggravated Rape
5	0.04%	Rape of a Child
0	0.00%	Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
6	0.05%	Esp. Aggravated Robbery
7	0.06%	Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
21	0.18%	Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Child Abuse / Neglect
4	0.03%	Aggravated Sexual Battery
2	0.02%	Rape
0	0.00%	Voluntary Manslaughter
0	0.00%	Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	0.00%	Other Sexual Offenses
58	0.48%	Aggravated Assault
13	0.11%	Robbery
0	0.00%	Criminally Negligent Homicide
4	0.03%	Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
157	1.31%	Assault
14	0.12%	Reckless Endangerment
3	0.03%	Aggravated Arson
1	0.01%	Arson
59	0.49%	Aggravated Burglary
278	2.32%	Theft of Property
133	1.11%	Vandalism
3	0.03%	Forgery



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0	0.00%	Worthless Checks
7	0.06%	Illegal Possession / Fraudulent Use of Credit / Debit Cards
62	0.52%	Burglary
19	0.16%	Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle
1	0.01%	Cruelty to Animals
36	0.30%	Sale of Controlled Substances
85	0.71%	Other Drug Offenses
255	2.13%	Possession of Controlled Substances
1	0.01%	Criminal Attempt
14	0.12%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
35	0.29%	Unlawful Carrying / Possession of a Weapon
81	0.68%	Evading Arrest
0	0.00%	Escape
19	0.16%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
173	1.44%	Possession / Consumption of Alcohol
51	0.43%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
5	0.04%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
3	0.03%	Harassment
0	0.00%	Failure to Appear
20	0.17%	Filing a False Police Report
57	0.48%	Criminal Impersonation
255	2.13%	Disorderly Conduct
82	0.68%	Criminal Trespass
117	0.98%	Public Intoxication
1	0.01%	Gambling
3,446	28.72%	Traffic
38	0.32%	Local Ordinances
0	0.00%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
153	1.28%	Contempt of Court
494	4.12%	Violation of Probation



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42	0.35%	Violation of Aftercare
12	0.10%	Unruly Behavior
228	1.90%	Truancy
310	2.58%	In-State Runaway
0	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
472	3.93%	Possession of Tobacco Products
62	0.52%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
245	2.04%	Violation of Curfew
0	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
322	2.68%	Dependency / Neglect
200	1.67%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
211	1.76%	Judicial Review
408	3.40%	Administrative Review
44	0.37%	Foster Care Review
1,405	11.71%	Custody
243	2.03%	Visitation
0	0.00%	Paternity / Legitimation
1	0.01%	Child Support
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry
1,510	12.59%	Other
11,998	100.00%	Total Referrals



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Referral Sources: 1

6,340	52.84%	Law Enforcement
1,179	9.83%	Parents
1,065	8.88%	Relatives
9	0.08%	Self
270	2.25%	School
15	0.13%	CSA
1,000	8.33%	DCS
15	0.13%	Other State Department
19	0.16%	District Attorney's Office
1,084	9.03%	Court Staff
26	0.22%	Social Agency
105	0.88%	Other Court
109	0.91%	Victim
2	0.02%	Child & Parent
0	0.00%	Hospital
1	0.01%	Unknown
759	6.33%	Other
11,998	100.00%	Total Referral Sources

Age of Child at Referral: 2

1,524	25.77%	Ages 10 and Under
288	4.87%	Ages 11 through 12
668	11.29%	Ages 13 through 14
1,742	29.45%	Ages 15 through 16
1,678	28.37%	Ages 17 through 18
15	0.25%	Ages 19 and Over
0	0.00%	Unknown / Not Reported
5,915	100.00%	Total Child Count

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Sex of Child: 1

3,247	54.89%	Male
2,416	40.85%	Female
252	4.26%	Unknown
5,915	100.00%	Total Child Count

Race of Child: 1

3,639	61.52%	White
1,108	18.73%	African American
3	0.05%	Native American
14	0.24%	Asian
104	1.76%	Mixed
1,047	17.70%	Unknown
5,915	100.00%	Total Child Count

Hispanic Origin: 1

18	0.30%	Yes
1,307	22.10%	No
4,590	77.60%	Unknown
5,915	100.00%	Total Child Count

School Enrollment of Children: 1

1,291	21.83%	Yes
94	1.59%	No
4,530	76.58%	Unknown
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Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral: 1

237	4.01%	With Both Biological Parents
47	0.79%	With Father and Stepmother
90	1.52%	With Mother and Stepfather
682	11.53%	With Mother
137	2.32%	With Father
299	5.05%	With Relatives
31	0.52%	With Adoptive Parents
121	2.05%	With Foster Family
28	0.47%	In a Group Home
11	0.19%	In a Residential Center
1	0.02%	In an Institution
4	0.07%	Independent
4,202	71.04%	Unknown
25	0.42%	Other
5,915	100.00%	Total Child Count

Type of Detention: 2

0	0.00%	Non-Secure Placement
1,782	18.68%	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
7,756	81.32%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
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Placement After Secure Detention Hearing: 1

1,535	16.09%	Returned to Prior Living Arrangement
35	0.37%	Juvenile Detention Facility
5	0.05%	Jail
126	1.32%	Shelter / Group Home
5	0.05%	Foster Family Home
6	0.06%	Psychiatric Hospital
29	0.30%	Unknown / Not Reported
7,786	81.63%	Does Not Apply
11	0.12%	Other
9,538	100.00%	Total Placement Count

Intake Actions: 2

6,796	56.64%	Petition Filed
1,009	8.41%	Motion Filed
3,530	29.42%	Citation Processed
0	0.00%	Notification of Paternity Processed
211	1.76%	Scheduling of Judicial Review
408	3.40%	Scheduling of Administrative Review
44	0.37%	Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	0.00%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
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Last Grade Completed by Child: 1

88	1.49%	Too Young for School
3	0.05%	Preschool
4	0.07%	Kindergarten
3	0.05%	1st Grade
1	0.02%	2nd Grade
4	0.07%	3rd Grade
12	0.20%	4th Grade
32	0.54%	5th Grade
94	1.59%	6th Grade
118	1.99%	7th Grade
195	3.30%	8th Grade
160	2.70%	9th Grade
124	2.10%	10th Grade
83	1.40%	11th Grade
10	0.17%	12th Grade
1	0.02%	Non-Graded Special Ed
2	0.03%	GED
3	0.05%	Graduated
0	0.00%	Never Attended School
4,978	84.16%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Other
5,915	100.00%	Total Child Count

Enrolled in Special Education: 1

171	2.89%	Yes
843	14.25%	No
4,901	82.86%	Unknown
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Action Executed By: 1

1,337	11.14%	Judge
6,560	54.68%	Referee
1,582	13.19%	YSO
2,519	21.00%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown / Not Reported
11,998	100.00%	Total Action Count

Formal / Informal Actions: 1

356	2.97%	Dismissed
590	4.92%	Retired / Nolle Prosequi
1,306	10.89%	Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
1,446	12.05%	Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
3,911	32.60%	Informal Adjustment
404	3.37%	Pretrial Diversion
19	0.16%	Transfer to Adult Court Hearing
0	0.00%	Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court
2,000	16.67%	Special Proceeding
0	0.00%	Review Concluded
98	0.82%	Case Held Open
1,868	15.57%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown / Not Reported
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Case Outcomes:

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1,048	6.36%	Case Dismissed
298	1.81%	Case Retired or Nolle Prosequi
678	4.12%	Warned / Counseled
71	0.43%	Held Open For Review
691	4.19%	Supervision / Probation to Juvenile Court
1	0.01%	Probation to Parents
182	1.10%	Referral to Another Entity for Supervision / Service
78	0.47%	Referred for Mental Health Counseling
138	0.84%	Referred for Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	0.00%	Referred to Alternative School
0	0.00%	Referred to Private Child Agency
831	5.04%	Referred to Defensive Driving School
170	1.03%	Referred to Alcohol Safety School
144	0.87%	Referred to Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
10	0.06%	Driver's License Held Informally
0	0.00%	Voluntary Placement with DMHMR
1	0.01%	Private Mental Health Placement
0	0.00%	Private MR Placement
51	0.31%	Placement with City/County Agency/Facility
2	0.01%	Placement with Relative / Other Individual
980	5.95%	Fine
548	3.33%	Public Service
117	0.71%	Restitution
33	0.20%	Runaway Returned
382	2.32%	No Contact Order
210	1.27%	Injunction Other than No Contact Order
241	1.46%	House Arrest
144	0.87%	Court Defined Curfew
184	1.12%	Dismissed from Informal Adjustment
800	4.86%	Dismissed from Pretrial Diversion
2	0.01%	Released from Probation
10	0.06%	Transferred to Adult Court
0	0.00%	DMHMR Involuntary Commitment



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11	0.07%	DCS Commitment - Determinate
381	2.31%	DCS Commitment - Custody
51	0.31%	DCS Commitment - Suspended
8	0.05%	DCS Intensive Probation
78	0.47%	Other Intensive Probation
84	0.51%	DCS Probation
0	0.00%	Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	0.00%	Supervision by DCS
54	0.33%	Transferred to Another Juvenile Court for Disposition
118	0.72%	Parental Rights Terminated
1	0.01%	Parental Rights Not Terminated
61	0.37%	Order of Reference to DCS
2,314	14.04%	Court Costs
34	0.21%	Foster Care Terminated
526	3.19%	Foster Care Continued
857	5.20%	Custody Changed
303	1.84%	Custody Unchanged
782	4.75%	Visitation Changed
160	0.97%	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
0	0.00%	Child Support Granted
0	0.00%	Child Support Amended
0	0.00%	Child Support Denied
0	0.00%	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
2,608	15.83%	Other
16,476	100.00%	Total Outcome Count
