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## Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges Summary Report Based on Number of Reported Cases January - December 2012

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Juvenile Court: **Decatur**

Court Number: **20**

Cases Disposed or Adjusted: **254**

Children: **149**

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
1	0.38%	1st Degree Murder
0	0.00%	2nd Degree Murder
0	0.00%	Aggravated Rape
2	0.77%	Rape of a Child
0	0.00%	Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Child Abuse / Neglect
0	0.00%	Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	0.00%	Rape
0	0.00%	Voluntary Manslaughter
0	0.00%	Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Sexual Abuse of a Child
1	0.38%	Other Sexual Offenses
0	0.00%	Aggravated Assault
0	0.00%	Robbery
0	0.00%	Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	0.00%	Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
7	2.68%	Assault
0	0.00%	Reckless Endangerment
0	0.00%	Aggravated Arson
0	0.00%	Arson
0	0.00%	Aggravated Burglary
5	1.92%	Theft of Property
0	0.00%	Vandalism
0	0.00%	Forgery



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0	0.00%	Worthless Checks
0	0.00%	Illegal Possession / Fraudulent Use of Credit / Debit Cards
0	0.00%	Burglary
0	0.00%	Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle
0	0.00%	Cruelty to Animals
0	0.00%	Sale of Controlled Substances
5	1.92%	Other Drug Offenses
3	1.15%	Possession of Controlled Substances
0	0.00%	Criminal Attempt
0	0.00%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	0.00%	Unlawful Carrying / Possession of a Weapon
0	0.00%	Evading Arrest
0	0.00%	Escape
2	0.77%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
4	1.53%	Possession / Consumption of Alcohol
0	0.00%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	0.00%	Harassment
0	0.00%	Failure to Appear
0	0.00%	Filing a False Police Report
0	0.00%	Criminal Impersonation
0	0.00%	Disorderly Conduct
2	0.77%	Criminal Trespass
0	0.00%	Public Intoxication
0	0.00%	Gambling
45	17.24%	Traffic
0	0.00%	Local Ordinances
1	0.38%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	0.00%	Contempt of Court
0	0.00%	Violation of Probation



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0	0.00%	Violation of Aftercare
3	1.15%	Unruly Behavior
21	8.05%	Truancy
2	0.77%	In-State Runaway
0	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
1	0.38%	Possession of Tobacco Products
0	0.00%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	0.00%	Violation of Curfew
0	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
84	32.18%	Dependency / Neglect
0	0.00%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
16	6.13%	Judicial Review
30	11.49%	Administrative Review
0	0.00%	Foster Care Review
18	6.90%	Custody
4	1.53%	Visitation
2	0.77%	Paternity / Legitimation
0	0.00%	Child Support
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry
2	0.77%	Other
<b>261</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Referrals</b>

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**Referral Sources: 1**

76	29.12%	Law Enforcement
21	8.05%	Parents
7	2.68%	Relatives
1	0.38%	Self
0	0.00%	School
0	0.00%	CSA
131	50.19%	DCS
1	0.38%	Other State Department
0	0.00%	District Attorney's Office
21	8.05%	Court Staff
0	0.00%	Social Agency
1	0.38%	Other Court
1	0.38%	Victim
0	0.00%	Child & Parent
0	0.00%	Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
1	0.38%	Other
<b>261</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Referral Sources</b>

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**Age of Child at Referral: 2**

53	35.57%	Ages 10 and Under
11	7.38%	Ages 11 through 12
14	9.40%	Ages 13 through 14
30	20.13%	Ages 15 through 16
41	27.52%	Ages 17 through 18
0	0.00%	Ages 19 and Over
0	0.00%	Unknown
<b>149</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Child Count</b>

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**Sex of Child: 1**

96	64.43%	Male
53	35.57%	Female
0	0.00%	Unknown
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**Race of Child: 1**

138	92.62%	White
5	3.36%	African American
0	0.00%	Native American
1	0.67%	Asian
5	3.36%	Mixed
0	0.00%	Unknown
<b>149</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Child Count</b>

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**Hispanic Origin: 1**

10	6.71%	Yes
138	92.62%	No
1	0.67%	Unknown
<b>149</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Child Count</b>

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**School Enrollment of Children: 1**

120	80.54%	Yes
24	16.11%	No
5	3.36%	Unknown
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**Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral: 1**

30	20.13%	With Both Biological Parents
6	4.03%	With Father and Stepmother
3	2.01%	With Mother and Stepfather
47	31.54%	With Mother
15	10.07%	With Father
21	14.09%	With Relatives
3	2.01%	With Adoptive Parents
20	13.42%	With Foster Family
0	0.00%	In a Group Home
1	0.67%	In a Residential Center
0	0.00%	In an Institution
0	0.00%	Independent
1	0.67%	Unknown
2	1.34%	Other
<b>149</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Child Count</b>

**Type of Detention: 2**

0	0.00%	Non-Secure Placement
0	0.00%	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
254	100.00%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
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**Placement After Secure Detention Hearing: 1**

0	0.00%	Returned to Prior Living Arrangement
0	0.00%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.00%	Jail
0	0.00%	Shelter / Group Home
0	0.00%	Foster Family Home
0	0.00%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
254	100.00%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
<b>254</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Placement Count</b>

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**Intake Actions: 2**

146	55.94%	Petition Filed
13	4.98%	Motion Filed
45	17.24%	Citation Processed
1	0.38%	Notification of Paternity Processed
15	5.75%	Scheduling of Judicial Review
40	15.33%	Scheduling of Administrative Review
1	0.38%	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**

26	17.45%	Too Young for School
0	0.00%	Preschool
5	3.36%	Kindergarten
3	2.01%	1st Grade
2	1.34%	2nd Grade
1	0.67%	3rd Grade
1	0.67%	4th Grade
3	2.01%	5th Grade
1	0.67%	6th Grade
3	2.01%	7th Grade
4	2.68%	8th Grade
6	4.03%	9th Grade
20	13.42%	10th Grade
25	16.78%	11th Grade
1	0.67%	12th Grade
0	0.00%	Non-Graded Special Ed
1	0.67%	GED
0	0.00%	Graduated
0	0.00%	Never Attended School
47	31.54%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Other
<b>149</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Child Count</b>

**Enrolled in Special Education: 1**

4	2.68%	Yes
139	93.29%	No
6	4.03%	Unknown
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**Action Executed By: 1**

261	100.00%	Judge
0	0.00%	Magistrate
0	0.00%	YSO
0	0.00%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown
<b>261</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Action Count</b>

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**Formal / Informal Actions: 1**

20	7.66%	Dismissed
30	11.49%	Retired / Nolle Prosequi
19	7.28%	Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
18	6.90%	Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
44	16.86%	Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Abused
1	0.38%	Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
0	0.00%	Informal Adjustment
0	0.00%	Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Transfer to Adult Court Hearing
0	0.00%	Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court
3	1.15%	Special Proceeding
30	11.49%	Review Concluded
85	32.57%	Case Held Open
11	4.21%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown
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**Case Outcomes:**

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<b>20</b>	<b>7.22%</b>	Case Dismissed
<b>33</b>	<b>11.91%</b>	Case Retired or Nolle Prosequi
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Warned / Counseled
<b>101</b>	<b>36.46%</b>	Held Open For Review
<b>4</b>	<b>1.44%</b>	Supervision / Probation to Juvenile Court
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Probation to Parents
<b>1</b>	<b>0.36%</b>	Referral to Another Entity for Supervision / Service
<b>1</b>	<b>0.36%</b>	Referred for Mental Health Counseling
<b>2</b>	<b>0.72%</b>	Referred for Alcohol and Drug Counseling
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Referred to Alternative School
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Referred to Private Child Agency
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Referred to Defensive Driving School
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Referred to Alcohol Safety School
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Referred to Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Driver's License Held Informally
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Voluntary Placement with DMHMR
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Private Mental Health Placement
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Private MR Placement
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Placement with City/County Agency/Facility
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Placement with Relative / Other Individual
<b>22</b>	<b>7.94%</b>	Fine
<b>3</b>	<b>1.08%</b>	Public Service
<b>1</b>	<b>0.36%</b>	Restitution
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Runaway Returned
<b>5</b>	<b>1.81%</b>	No Contact Order
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Injunction Other than No Contact Order
<b>1</b>	<b>0.36%</b>	House Arrest
<b>1</b>	<b>0.36%</b>	Court Defined Curfew
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Dismissed from Informal Adjustment
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Dismissed from Pretrial Diversion
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Released from Probation
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	Transferred to Adult Court
<b>0</b>	<b>0.00%</b>	DMHMR Involuntary Commitment



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0	0.00%	DCS Commitment - Determinate
2	0.72%	DCS Commitment - Custody
1	0.36%	DCS Commitment - Suspended
1	0.36%	DCS Intensive Probation
0	0.00%	Other Intensive Probation
1	0.36%	DCS Probation
0	0.00%	Placed Under a Valid Court Order
1	0.36%	Supervision by DCS
1	0.36%	Transferred to Another Juvenile Court for Disposition
0	0.00%	Parental Rights Terminated
0	0.00%	Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	0.00%	Order of Reference to DCS
0	0.00%	Court Costs
6	2.17%	Foster Care Terminated
12	4.33%	Foster Care Continued
28	10.11%	Custody Changed
10	3.61%	Custody Unchanged
17	6.14%	Visitation Changed
0	0.00%	Visitation Unchanged
0	0.00%	Voluntary Acknowledgement of Paternity
2	0.72%	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
0	0.00%	Other
<b>277</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>Total Outcome Count</b>

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