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# The Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges

The Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges (TCJFCJ), was created by the Tennessee General Assembly through legislation that was effective July 1, 1982. The TCJFCJ is the official organization of Tennessee judges having juvenile court jurisdiction.

Throughout its history the Council has represented juvenile court judges and court staff, providing an independent voice regarding issues affecting children, youth, families and communities. The Council meets semi-annually to consider matters concerning their members' official duties and obligations. The Council promotes best court practices and seeks a clearer understanding of what problems and specific challenges dependent, neglected, unruly, and delinquent children face when they come before the courts. The Council strives to increase the court's resources and legal options so they may better meet the needs of Tennessee's children and their families.

#### **TCJFCJ Executive Committee**

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#### The Administrative Office of the Courts

The Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) assumed administrative support responsibility for the TCJFCJ in April 2005. Among the staff serving the TCJFCJ are the AOC's general counsel, a juvenile court program specialist, and a juvenile data collection team. The AOC collects juvenile court statistical data and publishes quarterly and annual statistical reports on the activities of the state's juvenile courts as part of the services they provide to the TCJFCJ. The juvenile courts and the clerks of the courts provide juvenile court data, including cases, informal adjustments, pretrial diversions and special proceedings as set out in the Tennessee Code Annotated § 37-1-106(b)(3) and § 37-1-506.

#### **AOC Staff**

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#### Overview

The Annual Juvenile Statistical Report for calendar year 2010 marks the seventh TCJFCJ annual report compiled and published by the AOC. Please call the AOC, or the specific juvenile court, for any data related questions. Additional statistics and juvenile court information can be found at <a href="http://www.tncourts.gov/courts/juvenile-family-courts/statistics">http://www.tncourts.gov/courts/juvenile-family-courts/statistics</a>.

Tennessee has a non-unified court system which means that each court has its own methods of conducting court business. Collecting the same categories of juvenile data across all courts is a challenge. Caution should be exercised when comparing courts with each other. Although some juvenile courts do handle adult cases, such as contributing to the dependency or delinquency of a minor, those cases should be reported and will be reflected in the statistical reports from the juvenile's perspective.

Please note that data from 2005 has not been included in the trend information charts. One of the larger juvenile courts submitted its 2005 data in a summarized format. The summarized data could not be included in the database or in the reports that used demographic information to break the data down into reportable categories. The absence of this court's information would have biased the data and given a false representation of juvenile trend factors within the State. To address this challenge, the AOC chose the trend range of 2000 through 2004 and 2006 through 2010, which shows 10 years of accumulated statistics that depict the juvenile court data in the most meaningful way.

#### **Court Process**

The basic juvenile court process in Tennessee is comprised of three central phases:

# Referral/Intake

Referral begins when a complaint is filed. The complaints are filed by law enforcement, parents or other individuals or agencies requesting that the court exercise its authority. Intake is a process during which the court reviews information to determine whether it has the authority to intervene in a child's life and in what manner it will administer its authority. If the complainant requests that the juvenile be detained, the intake officer performs a detention screening to determine if there is probable cause (legal sufficiency) that the child committed the alleged offense and is subject to detention in accordance with the statute. The intake officer then determines if the complaint should be excluded, informally adjusted (a voluntary agreement between the intake officer, the child and the parents), or if a petition should be filed.

# **Adjudication**

In most instances, if a petition is filed the case goes into the adjudicatory phase. The juvenile court judge or magistrate hears the case to determine if the allegations in the petition have merit. The court considers only formally admitted evidence in making its decision. When the allegations are substantiated, the judge will either proceed immediately or will set a later hearing date to determine the appropriate case disposition or outcome. If the allegations are not substantiated or cannot be proven, the petition will be dismissed.

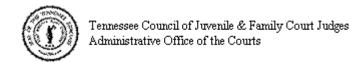
## Disposition/Outcome

The purpose of the dispositional phase is to determine an appropriate course of action for the child while taking into consideration his or her circumstances. The disposition occurs when an attempt is made to meet the child's social and rehabilitative needs through an appropriate course of treatment or action.

The Juvenile Court Referral Process Chart on the next page is a graphic depiction of the referral process and shows how many referrals were disposed state-wide in 2010.

# The Juvenile Court Referral Process

Other Dependency Special **Court Action** Delinquent Status **Parentage** Other and Neglect **Proceedings Violations** 65,293 22,013 13,410 329 37,109 23,545 12,772 Parents, Victims, School, Law Enforcement Relatives, State Dept, etc. 111,574 62,897 Pretrial Diversion, Transfer to Court **Adult Court Hearing Informal Adjustment Actions** 31,727 713 174,471 **Charges Cleared By Transfer to Adult Court** 123 **Special Proceeding** 31,234 **Formal Adjudications** 60,125 **Review Concluded** 6,765 Case Held Open 33,966 Other 9,818 **Juvenile Court System Outcomes / Dispositions** 264,318 **Special Formal** General Other **Proceedings** 45,936 16,759 146,403 55,220



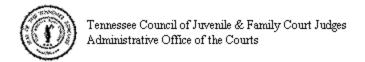
#### The Court Data Collection Process

All 98 Tennessee juvenile courts reported data to the TCJFCJ in 2010. The courts used either JIF98, a data collection software program provided by the TCJFCJ, or other data collection software that they obtained for their court. Those courts using other data collection software are required to adhere to the data validation standards developed by the AOC staff to insure data accuracy. The courts submit their data on computer readable media, or as electronic mail attachments. Tennessee juvenile courts have reported data to the TCJFCJ for the past 17 years.

## Data Collected

The basic data collected in this process falls within the following categories:

- Child Information
  - Demographics
  - Detentions
- Referral Information
  - o Reasons
  - Sources
  - Intake Actions
  - Actions Executed By
- Case Outcome/Dispositional Information
  - Formal adjudicatory actions
  - Informal actions
- Individual Court Information
- Trends



#### **Units of Count**

The statistical reports contained in this document are broken down into the following:

# Number of Children

Counting children is accomplished by using the unique identification number that the court assigns to each child. This identification method insures that each child will be counted only once for statistical purposes.

## **Number of Cases**

Each child may have one (1) or more cases. A case is defined as: "All referral reasons/charges reported to the court (via complaint, petition, motion, etc.) on a given day for a given child". This means that one case on an individual child may contain up to five referral reasons. The top five (5) referral reasons or charges on one referral date in each case are collected for statistical purposes.

# **Number of Referrals**

A referral is defined as a complaint, offense, or reason that the juvenile court is involved with the child. Each case or referral has at least one (1) or more dispositions or outcomes, so the number of dispositions or outcomes may exceed the number of referrals.

#### Number of Dispositions/Outcomes

The disposition or outcome is the definitive action taken, or treatment plan decided, regarding a particular case. The disposition date, which is the date that the case is disposed, is used to determine when the case will be counted and reported for statistical purposes.



# **Tennessee Regional and Metropolitan Area Maps**

Tennessee Regional and Metropolitan Area Map

Tennessee is divided into eight (8) major regions and four (4) metropolitan areas. The Regions are shown on the map below.



**East Region: (Counties)** Anderson, Blount, Campbell, Claiborne, Cocke, Grainger, Hamblen, Jefferson, Loudon, Monroe, Morgan, Roane, Scott, Sevier and Union

**Mid-Cumberland Region: (Counties)** Cheatham, Dickson, Houston, Humphreys, Montgomery, Robertson, Rutherford, Stewart, Sumner, Trousdale, Williamson and Wilson

**Northeast Region: (Counties)** Bristol City, Carter, Greene, Hancock, Hawkins, Johnson, Johnson City, Sullivan Division 1, Sullivan Division 2, Unicoi and Washington

**Northwest Region: (Counties)** Benton, Carroll, Crockett, Dyer, Gibson, Henry, Lake, Obion and Weakley

**South Central Region: (Counties)** Bedford, Coffee, Franklin, Giles, Hickman, Lawrence, Lewis, Lincoln, Marshall, Maury, Moore, Perry and Wayne

**Southeast Region: (Counties)** Bledsoe, Bradley, Grundy, McMinn, Marion, Meigs, Polk, Rhea and Sequatchie

**Southwest Region: (Counties)** Chester, Decatur, Fayette, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, Lauderdale, McNairy, Madison and Tipton

**Upper Cumberland Region: (Counties)** Cannon, Clay, Cumberland, DeKalb, Fentress, Jackson, Macon, Overton, Pickett, Putnam, Smith, Van Buren, Warren and White

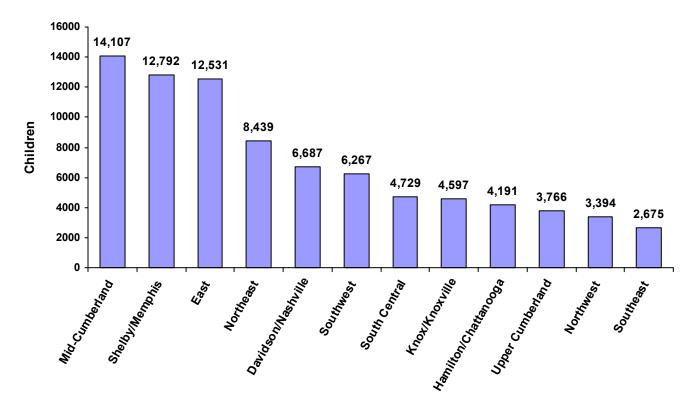
Davidson County/Nashville
Shelby County/Memphis
Hamilton County/Chattanooga
Knox County/Knoxville

# Children Information

#### **Children Referred to Juvenile Court**

(by Geographical Region and Major Metropolitan Area)

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of All Children Referred
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Davidson/Nashville	944	2,153	139	722	1,523	101	1,105	6,687	7.94%
East	6,569	289	144	4,980	195	120	234	12,531	14.89%
Hamilton/Chattanooga	1,107	1,216	37	828	917	35	51	4,191	4.98%
Knox/Knoxville	1,705	489	83	1,314	379	76	551	4,597	5.46%
Mid-Cumberland	6,382	1,514	317	3,814	833	217	1,030	14,107	16.76%
Northeast	4,261	206	91	3,014	138	95	634	8,439	10.03%
Northwest	1,364	552	55	896	396	42	89	3,394	4.03%
Shelby/Memphis	1,241	6,430	105	839	4,063	100	14	12,792	15.20%
South Central	2,415	294	76	1,562	209	51	122	4,729	5.62%
Southeast	1,496	105	51	897	50	36	40	2,675	3.18%
Southwest	1,760	1,665	80	1,114	1,262	61	325	6,267	7.45%
Upper Cumberland	2,207	53	40	1,345	33	22	66	3,766	4.47%
Totals	31,451	14,966	1,218	21,325	9,998	956	4,261	84,175	



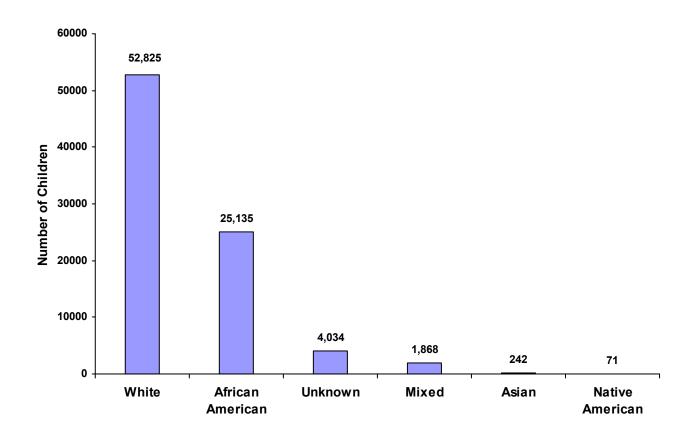
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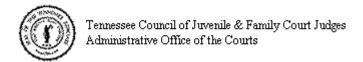


# **Children Referred to Juvenile Court**

(by Race)

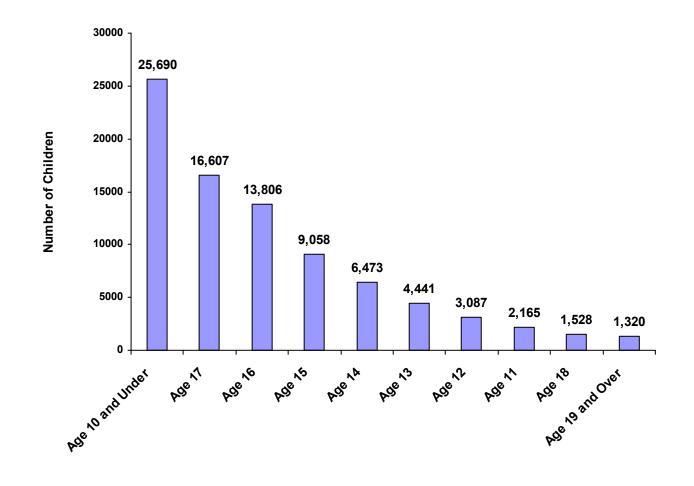
Race	Male	Female	Unknown	Total	Percent
White	31,451	21,325	49	52,825	62.76%
African American	14,966	9,998	171	25,135	29.86%
Native American	33	38	0	71	0.08%
Asian	149	90	3	242	0.29%
Mixed	1,036	828	4	1,868	2.22%
Unknown	2,126	1,540	368	4,034	4.79%
Total	49,761	33,819	595	84,175	100.00%

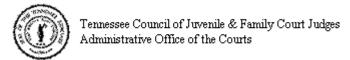




# Children Referred to Juvenile Court (by Age)

	White Male	African American	Other Race	White Female	African American Female	Other Race	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of All Children
Age 10 and Under	8,008	3,796	499	7,103	3,265	464	2,555	25,690	30.52%
Age 11	733	428	26	520	311	27	120	2,165	2.57%
Age 12	1,044	651	43	721	453	31	144	3,087	3.67%
Age 13	1,500	956	62	1,058	676	50	139	4,441	5.28%
Age 14	2,402	1,424	86	1,455	873	61	172	6,473	7.69%
Age 15	3,429	1,852	102	2,187	1,166	82	240	9,058	10.76%
Age 16	5,753	2,495	178	3,491	1,465	100	324	13,806	16.40%
Age 17	7,382	2,813	189	4,186	1,532	124	381	16,607	19.73%
Age 18	717	281	19	326	129	10	46	1,528	1.82%
Age 19 and Over	483	270	14	278	128	7	140	1,320	1.57%
Total	31,451	14,966	1,218	21,325	9,998	956	4,261	84,175	





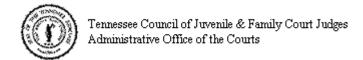
## **Hispanic Origin**

All racial categories may contain juveniles who are considered to be of Hispanic origin or ethnicity. Please note that some court case management systems classify Hispanic origin as a race while others treat Hispanic origin as an ethnicity and categorize these juveniles as white. Some courts do not report this data at all which means the data reported by the Administrative Office of the Courts for Hispanic ethnicity or Hispanic origin is potentially underreported in Tennessee.

The National Center for Juvenile Justice (NCJJ) defines Hispanic origin and how it should be reported. The Standards for Maintaining, Collecting, and Presenting Federal Data on Race and Ethnicity (excerpt from the Federal Register on October 30, 1997) defines Hispanic origin as follows: A person of Cuban, Mexican, Puerto Rican, South or Central American, or other Spanish culture or origin, regardless of race. The term, "Spanish Origin" can be used in addition to "Hispanic" or "Latino".

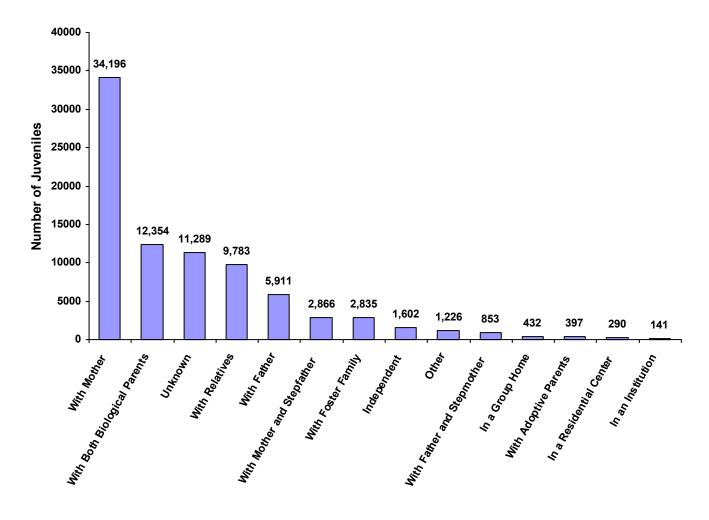
# Children of Hispanic Origin Referred to Juvenile Court (by Race)

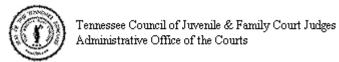
Race	Male	Female	Unknown	Total	% of All Children
White	713	427	4	1,144	1.36%
African American	40	36	1	77	0.09%
Native American	3	7	0	10	0.01%
Asian	5	3	0	8	0.01%
Mixed	174	132	0	306	0.36%
Unknown	266	124	1	391	0.46%
Total	1,201	729	6	1,936	2.30%



## **Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral**

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of All Children Referred
With Both Biological Parents	6,837	914	130	3,608	483	91	291	12,354	14.68%
With Father and Stepmother	436	103	9	232	51	8	14	853	1.01%
With Mother and Stepfather	1,346	376	49	835	197	30	33	2,866	3.40%
With Mother	10,398	8,260	476	7,596	5,539	354	1,573	34,196	40.62%
With Father	2,837	765	82	1,643	383	55	146	5,911	7.02%
With Relatives	3,302	1,728	149	2,801	1,394	132	277	9,783	11.62%
With Adoptive Parents	197	30	12	121	18	8	11	397	0.47%
With Foster Family	1,078	247	77	1,056	221	83	73	2,835	3.37%
In a Group Home	186	94	7	90	41	8	6	432	0.51%
In a Residential Center	160	57	2	39	25	0	7	290	0.34%
In an Institution	55	41	2	17	18	2	6	141	0.17%
Independent	699	296	5	330	116	6	150	1,602	1.90%
Unknown	3,559	1,823	190	2,642	1,312	153	1,610	11,289	13.41%
Other	361	232	28	315	200	26	64	1,226	1.46%
Totals	31,451	14,966	1,218	21,325	9,998	956	4,261	84,175	





# Last Grade Completed by Child at Time of Referral

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of All Children Referred
Too Young for School	2,528	679	156	2,291	685	172	509	7,020	8.34%
Preschool	188	152	11	177	170	172	509	7,020	0.85%
	419	187	35	439	199	25	33		1.59%
Kindergarten								1,337	
1st Grade	403	199	17	424	164	20	45	1,272	1.51%
2nd Grade	376	224	23	341	175	23	28	1,190	1.41%
3rd Grade	437	246	18	376	158	19	23	1,277	1.52%
4th Grade	482	259	22	351	172	20	35	1,341	1.59%
5th Grade	642	443	30	441	305	15	35	1,911	2.27%
6th Grade	949	725	36	582	452	30	58	2,832	3.36%
7th Grade	1,516	1,030	57	925	662	39	69	4,298	5.11%
8th Grade	2,590	1,758	87	1,503	961	53	152	7,104	8.44%
9th Grade	3,499	2,098	110	2,010	1,130	74	158	9,079	10.79%
10th Grade	4,210	1,760	133	2,464	1,029	74	130	9,800	11.64%
11th Grade	3,559	1,004	83	2,150	710	62	91	7,659	9.10%
12th Grade	890	271	13	578	157	17	53	1,979	2.35%
Non-Graded Special Ed	10	1	0	3	0	0	0	14	0.02%
GED	130	26	4	62	12	3	3	240	0.29%
Graduated	234	71	9	194	63	2	6	579	0.69%
Never Attended School	633	476	42	544	436	39	222	2,392	2.84%
Unknown	7,496	3,327	328	5,183	2,344	254	2,592	21,524	25.57%
Other	260	30	4	287	14	1	14	610	0.72%
Totals	31,451	14,966	1,218	21,325	9,998	956	4,261	84,175	

# **Children Enrolled in School**

	Children	% of All Children
Enrolled	57,417	68.21%
Not Enrolled	12,353	14.68%
Unknown	14,405	17.11%

84,175

# **Children Enrolled in Special Education**

	Children	% of All Children
Enrolled	3,221	3.83%
Not Enrolled	55,837	66.33%
Unknown	25,117	29.84%

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# Detention Statistics at Time of Referral (by Child)

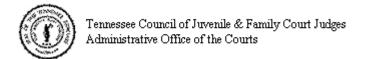
	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total Children
Does Not Apply	27,263	11,025	1,068	18,897	7,971	871	4,034	71,129	84.50%
Juvenile Detention Facility	2,276	3,003	99	1,048	1,344	52	98	7,920	9.41%
Unknown	767	856	32	598	652	24	46	2,975	3.53%
Non-Secure Placement	1,030	72	17	706	31	8	59	1,923	2.28%
Other	78	6	1	42	0	0	3	130	0.15%
Psychiatric Hospital	25	3	1	30	0	1	21	81	0.10%
Jail - No Separation	8	1	0	2	0	0	0	11	0.01%
Jail - Complete Separation	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	0.01%
Jail - Partial Separation	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.00%
Totals	31,451	14,966	1,218	21,325	9,998	956	4,261	84,175	

# Detention Statistics at Time of Referral (by Case)

	Cases	% of Total Cases
Does Not Apply	128,080	84.69%
Juvenile Detention Facility	14,663	9.70%
Unknown	5,114	3.38%
Non-Secure Placement	3,027	2.00%
Other	225	0.15%
Psychiatric Hospital	88	0.06%
Jail - No Separation	22	0.02%
Jail - Complete Separation	10	0.01%
Jail - Partial Separation	4	0.00%
	151,233	100.00%

Detention Statistics above are reported separately by Child and by Case. One child may have multiple cases.

Does Not Apply: Refers to cases not eligible for detention due to the type of Referral or the decision not to detain.



# Placement after Secure Detention Hearing (by Child)

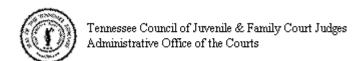
	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total Children
Daga Nat Ample	07.004	40,000	1.000	40.200	0.470	000	4.000	75.000	00.200/
Does Not Apply Returned to Prior Living Arr	27,694 2,778	12,866 1,223	1,096 85	19,300 1,558	9,176 475	893 40	4,063 141	75,088 6,300	89.20% 7.48%
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Juvenile Detention Facility	386	531	24	125	138	11	16	1,231	1.46%
Unknown	407	311	7	246	202	8	33	1,214	1.44%
Foster Family Home	68	6	2	47	1	2	0	126	0.15%
Other	64	15	0	30	2	0	5	116	0.14%
Shelter / Group Home	38	11	2	16	4	1	2	74	0.09%
Jail	8	2	2	1	0	0	0	13	0.02%
Psychiatric Hospital	8	1	0	2	0	1	1	13	0.02%
Totals	31,451	14,966	1,218	21,325	9,998	956	4,261	84,175	

# Placement after Secure Detention Hearing (by Case)

	Cases	% of Total Cases
Does Not Apply	134,091	88.67%
Returned to Prior Living Arrangement	11,226	7.42%
Juvenile Detention Facility	2,960	1.96%
Unknown	2,055	1.36%
Foster Family Home	322	0.21%
Other	266	0.18%
Shelter / Group Home	244	0.16%
Psychiatric Hospital	40	0.03%
Jail	29	0.02%
	151,233	100.00%

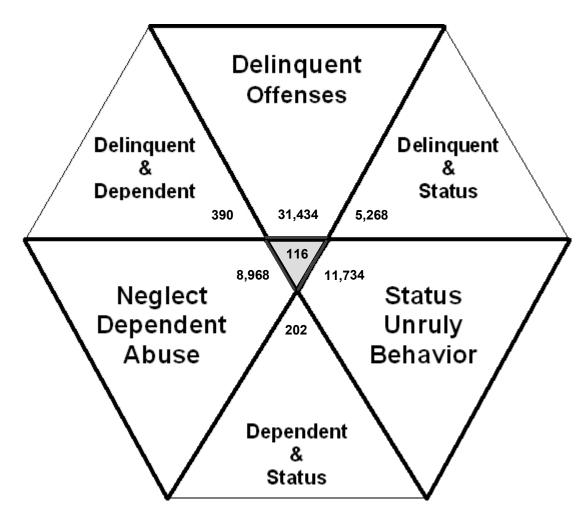
Detention Statistics above are reported separately by Child and by Case. One child may have multiple cases.

Does Not Apply: Refers to cases not eligible for detention due to the type of Referral or the decision not to detain.



## Children with Delinquent, Neglect/Dependent/Abuse, Status/Unruly Referrals

Children can have referrals in multiple categories. The drawing below shows that in the year 2010 there were 31,434 children with referrals to juvenile courts in Tennessee with only delinquent offenses, 11,734 for those with only status/unruly behavior, and 8,968 for children with neglect, dependent or abuse referrals during the calendar year. There were 5,268 children that had a delinquent AND a status/unruly referral. There were 390 children with both delinquent behavior AND a neglect, dependent or abuse referral. There were 202 children that had both a status/unruly referral AND a neglect, dependent or abuse referral. And finally, there were 116 children with all three referral types of delinquent AND status/unruly AND neglect, dependent or abuse.



Total number of individual children with a referral in any of the categories listed above of Delinquent, Status/Unruly, and Neglect/Dependent/Abuse equals 58,112 Each child is counted only once in this chart

Total number of individual children for ALL referrals disposed by juvenile courts in 2010 equals 84,175



# **Children\* with Delinquent Referrals**

(by Sex)

	White	African American	Native American	Asian	Mixed Race	Unknown Race	Total
Male	15,273	8,294	16	86	376	495	24,540
Female	7,818	4,319	11	40	239	201	12,628
Unknown Sex	9	11	0	0	0	41	61
Totals	23,100	12,624	27	126	615	737	37,229

# Children\* with Status/Unruly Referrals

(by Sex)

	White	African American	Native American	Asian	Mixed Race	Unknown Race	Total
Male	7,353	2,852	6	39	171	252	10,673
Female	4,781	1,555	9	26	105	163	6,639
Unknown Sex	5	2	0	3	0	15	25
Totals	12,139	4,409	15	68	276	430	17,337

# Children\* with Dependency/Neglect/Abuse Referrals

(by Sex)

	White	African American	Native American	Asian	Mixed Race	Unknown Race	Total
Male	3,131	1,206	5	3	194	249	4,788
Female	3,191	1,180	4	8	176	238	4,797
Unknown Sex	17	6	0	0	1	67	91
Totals	6,339	2,392	9	11	371	554	9,676



<sup>\*</sup> A child may be counted in more than one category

# Children Referred for Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon (by Age)

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total
Age 8	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.17%
Age 9	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	0.67%
Age 10	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.34%
Age 11	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	6	1.01%
Age 12	2	4	1	0	1	0	0	8	1.35%
Age 13	10	10	0	0	1	0	0	21	3.54%
Age 14	11	17	1	0	3	0	0	32	5.40%
Age 15	26	65	2	3	3	0	3	102	17.20%
Age 16	47	103	4	4	9	0	7	174	29.34%
Age 17	59	152	3	4	9	1	8	236	39.80%
Age 18	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	5	0.84%
Age 19 and Over	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0.34%
То	tals 160	365	11	11	26	1	19	593	

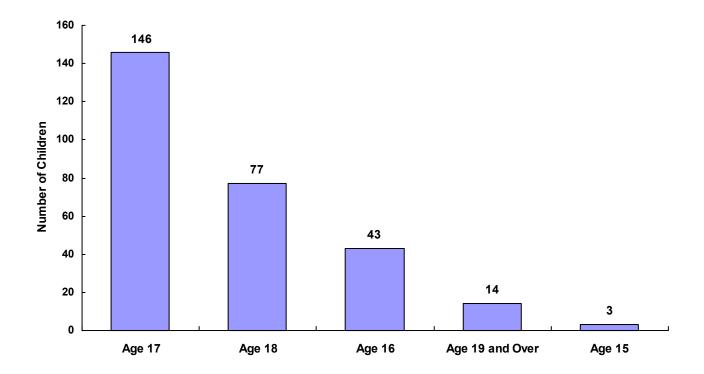
# Children Referred for Carrying Weapons on School Property (by Age)

		White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total
Age 7		0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0.22%
Age 8		0	3	0	0	1	0	0	4	0.89%
Age 9		2	7	0	0	0	0	0	9	2.01%
Age 10		5	12	1	0	1	0	1	20	4.47%
Age 11		4	11	0	0	3	0	0	18	4.03%
Age 12		9	14	0	2	8	1	0	34	7.61%
Age 13		15	12	0	3	9	0	1	40	8.95%
Age 14		26	18	1	3	11	0	0	59	13.20%
Age 15		41	22	0	5	21	1	1	91	20.36%
Age 16		38	23	0	4	15	0	0	80	17.90%
Age 17		29	29	1	4	25	1	0	89	19.91%
Age 18		2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.45%
	Totals	171	151	3	21	95	3	3	447	

**Total Children Referred with Weapon Charges = 1,023** 

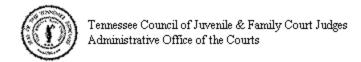
# Children Transferred to Adult Court (by Age)

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of All Children Referred
Age 15	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.06%
Age 16	0	40	0	1	2	0	0	43	15.19%
Age 17	24	113	3	2	2	1	1	146	51.59%
Age 18	36	39	1	1	0	0	0	77	27.21%
Age 19 and Over	8	3	0	1	0	0	2	14	4.95%
Totals	69	197	4	5	4	1	3	283	



<sup>\*</sup> Age calculated at time of case disposition

# Referral Information



# **Delinquent Referrals**

(by Sex)

	White	African American	Native American	Asian	Mixed Race	Unknown Race	Total
Male	27,306	17,374	29	134	751	970	46,564
Female	11,318	6,519	19	64	375	333	18,628
Unknown Sex	13	13	0	0	0	75	101
Totals	38,637	23,906	48	198	1,126	1,378	65,293

# **Status/Unruly Referrals**

(by Sex)

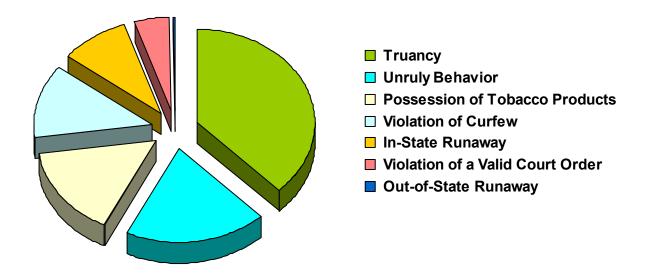
	White	African American	Native American	Asian	Mixed Race	Unknown Race	Total
Male	9,415	3,695	9	46	221	319	13,705
Female	6,038	1,859	13	35	141	196	8,282
Unknown Sex	5	2	0	3	0	16	26
Totals	15,458	5,556	22	84	362	531	22,013

# **Dependency/Neglect/Abuse Referrals**

(by Sex)

	White	African American	Native American	Asian	Mixed Race	Unknown Race	Total
Male	4,659	1,333	12	3	267	338	6,612
Female	4,762	1,332	13	11	249	306	6,673
Unknown Sex	26	9	0	0	1	89	125
Totals	9,447	2,674	25	14	517	733	13,410

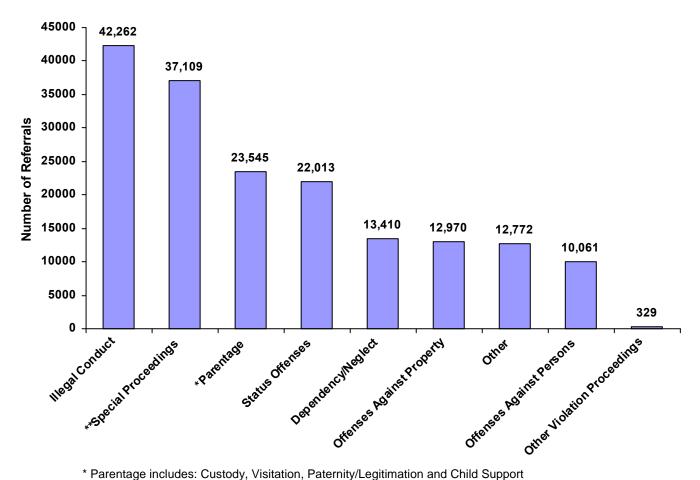
# **Referrals for Status/Unruly Offenses**



Referral Reason	Count	Percent
Truancy	8,327	37.83%
Unruly Behavior	4,258	19.34%
Possession of Tobacco Products	3,416	15.52%
Violation of Curfew	2,811	12.77%
In-State Runaway	2,092	9.50%
Violation of a Valid Court Order	1,067	4.85%
Out-of-State Runaway	42	0.19%
Total	22,013	

# Referrals (by Type)

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total Referrals
Delinguent									
Offenses Against Persons	3,264	3,570	135	1,279	1,644	48	121	10,061	5.77%
Offenses Against Property	5,153	3,966	215	1,936	1,434	100	166	12,970	7.43%
Illegal Conduct	18,889	9,838	564	8,103	3,441	310	1,117	42,262	24.22%
Status Offenses	9,415	3,695	276	6,038	1,859	189	541	22,013	12.62%
Dependency/Neglect	4,659	1,333	282	4,762	1,332	273	769	13,410	7.69%
Other Violation Proceedings	154	16	9	133	8	5	4	329	0.19%
Parentage*	7,321	3,586	385	6,291	2,998	340	2,624	23,545	13.50%
Special Proceedings**	14,272	6,871	568	9,144	4,392	557	1,305	37,109	21.27%
Other	4,312	2,366	272	2,964	1,443	237	1,178	12,772	7.32%
Totals	67,439	35,241	2,706	40,650	18,551	2,059	7,825	174,471	



<sup>\*</sup> Parentage includes: Custody, Visitation, Paternity/Legitimation and Child Support

A Status offense is an offense committed by a child that if committed by an adult, would not be considered an offense or unlawful act. An example of this is smoking when not legally an adult.

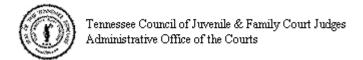


<sup>\*\*</sup>Special Proceedings include: Judicial Review, Administrative Review, Foster Care Review, Request for Medical Treatment and Consent to Marry

# **Referral Reasons**

(by Type)

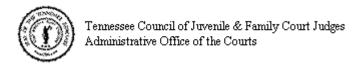
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Delinguent								
Offenses Against Persons								
Assault	2,176	2,152	93	1,119	1,456	41	73	7,110
Aggravated Assault	351	412	15	66	142	4	18	1,00
Aggravated Robbery	40	378	2	4	4	0	11	43
Reckless Endangerment	182	90	1	23	4	1	6	30
Other Sexual Offenses	145	104	4	25	17	0	5	30
Rape of a Child	119	98	6	4	4	1	0	23
Robbery	32	164	1	3	7	0	0	20
Aggravated Sexual Battery	98	50	7	3	2	0	3	16
Rape	47	27	0	0	0	0	0	7
Attempted Crime Against a Person	17	38	5	1	1	0	1	6
Esp. Aggravated Robbery	8	18	1	4	2	1	1	3
1st Degree Murder	6	13	0	1	2	0	0	2
Aggravated Kidnapping	7	12	0	1	1	0	1	2
Sexual Abuse of a Child	6	0	0	10	0	0	0	1
Aggravated Child Abuse / Neglect	8	0	0	4	1	0	0	1
Criminal Homicide	6	4	0	1	0	0	1	1
Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping	3	7	0	2	0	0	0	1
Vehicular Homicide	6	0	0	5	0	0	0	1
Aggravated Rape	4	3	0	0	0	0	1	
Aggravated Vehicular Homicide	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	
2nd Degree Murder	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Voluntary Manslaughter	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	3,264	3,570	135	1,279	1,644	48	121	10,06
Offenses Against Property Theft of Property	2,257	1,879	96	1,528	1,141	75	81	7,05
Vandalism	1,548	748	56	230	218	13	37	2,85
	364	875	26	35	210	0	25	1,34
Aggravated Burglary Burglary	745	334	31	57	12	2	25 14	1,19
Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle	85	58	2	31	14	6	14	1, 15
Arson	59	21	3	10	4	1	0	9
Illegal Poss/Use of Credit/Debit Cards	40	11	0	15	10	0	4	8
Forgery	22	23	0	21	5	3	0	7
Aggravated Arson	16	8	1	1	8	0	4	3
Cruelty to Animals	15	9	0	3	0	0	0	2
Worthless Checks	2	0	0	5 5	0	0	0	
Totals	5,153	3,966	215	1,936	1,434	100	166	12,97



# **Referral Reasons**

(by Type)

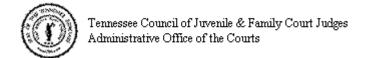
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<u>Delinquent</u>								
Illegal Conduct								
Traffic	7,526	1,558	142	3,703	581	90	422	14,022
Disorderly Conduct	1,072	2,194	48	504	1,438	37	65	5,35
Violation of Probation	2,394	1,028	94	762	274	42	82	4,67
Contempt of Court	1,338	446	71	1,045	326	66	247	3,53
Possession of Controlled Substances	1,518	963	53	458	89	13	65	3,15
Possession/Consumption of Alcohol	1,188	135	31	614	28	18	35	2,04
Criminal Trespass	486	875	20	104	170	7	37	1,69
Other Drug Offenses	1,148	165	33	270	27	9	30	1,68
Evading Arrest	224	458	16	40	42	1	14	79
Resist Stop/Frisk/Halt/Arrest/Search	190	328	8	68	97	3	10	70
Unlawful Carrying / Poss of a Weapon	188	397	11	11	28	1	23	65
Public Intoxication	293	137	9	80	11	1	9	54
Carrying Weapons on School Property	191	159	3	24	97	3	3	48
Sale of Controlled Substances	128	177	4	55	12	2	2	38
Violation of Aftercare	165	117	5	37	32	1	5	36
Harassment	138	34	3	95	46	7	3	32
Failure to Appear	83	99	4	27	64	0	27	30
Criminal Impersonation	66	68	3	49	20	2	16	22
Escape	58	116	1	25	16	0	3	21
Criminal Attempt	50	137	1	3	8	1	0	20
Driving Under Influence (DUI)	139	7	2	28	4	2	6	18
Filing a False Police Report	70	21	1	67	14	2	8	18
Local Ordinances	88	38	1	24	1	2	3	15
Gambling	2	128	0	2	1	0	0	13
Violation of Wildlife Regulations	108	2	0	4	0	0	2	11
Aggravated Criminal Trespass	38	51	0	4	15	0	0	10
Totals	18,889	9,838	564	8,103	3,441	310	1,117	42,26
Delinguent Totals	27.306	17.374	914	11.318	6.519	458	1.404	65,29
Delinquent Totals	27,306	17,374	914	11,318	6,519	458	1,404	65
<u>Status</u> Truancy	3,193	1,256	89	2,720	742	71	256	8,3
Unruly Behavior	1,789	667	80	1,258	340	36	88	4,25
Possession of Tobacco Products	2,375	315	38	578	48	11	51	3,41
Violation of Curfew	893	978	38	432	378	21	71	2,81
In-State Runaway	656	338	21	717	286	31	43	2,09
Violation of a Valid Court Order	499	140	10	309	61	16	32	1,06
Out-of-State Runaway	10	1	0	24	4	3	0	4
Totals	9,415	3,695	276	6,038	1,859	189	541	22,01



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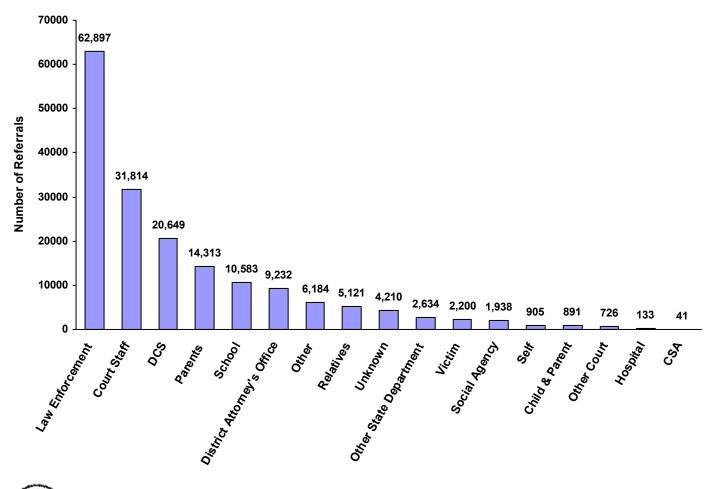
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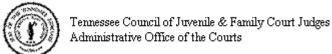
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Dependency and Neglect								
Dependency / Neglect	4,389	1,298	254	4,470	1,295	251	686	12,64
Termination of Parental Rights	244	30	234	253	37	22	82	69
Physically Abused Child	24	4	0	21	0	0	1	5
Sexually Abused Child	2	1	0	18	0	0	0	2
Total		1,333	282	4,762	1,332	273	769	13,41
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Other Court Action Violations Violation of Pretrial Diversion	<u>s</u> 124	9	7	84	7	4	4	23
Violation of Informal Adjustment		7	2	49	1	1	0	9
Tota		16	9	133	8	5		32
100	ai5 154	10	9	133	0	<b></b>	4	32
Parentage Child Support	3,587	2,054	166	2,872	1,605	126	1,776	12,18
Custody	3,587 2,629	2,054 850	150	2,872	1,605 815	126	483	
Paternity / Legitimation	549	357	26	402	295	24	235	7,58 1,88
Visitation	556	325	43	519	283	28	130	1,88
Tota			385					
100	als 7,321	3,586	385	6,291	2,998	340	2,624	23,54
<u>Other</u>								
Judicial Review	9,575	1,534	379	5,643	677	350	1,006	19,16
Administrative Review	3,349	5,157	128	2,411	3,599	147	122	14,91
Foster Care Review	1,235	169	61	1,040	111	59	150	2,82
Request for Medical Treatment	112	11	0	49	5	1	27	20
Consent to Marry	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Tota	als 14,272	6,871	568	9,144	4,392	557	1,305	37,10
Special Proceedings Tot	als 21,593	10,457	953	15,435	7,390	897	3,929	60,65
All Other Referrals								
Other Other	4,312	2,366	272	2,964	1,443	237	1,178	12,77
Tot	als 4,312	2,366	272	2,964	1,443	237	1,178	12,77
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# **Source of Referrals**

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total Referrals
Law Enforcement	25,755	18,084	824	10,147	6,510	375	1,202	62,897	36.05%
Parents	4,375	2,667	239	3,914	2,342	216	560	14,313	8.20%
Relatives	1,908	475	113	1,868	478	91	188	5,121	2.94%
Self	503	51	11	275	29	10	26	905	0.52%
School	4,889	992	111	3,374	800	101	316	10,583	6.07%
CSA	25	1	0	13	2	0	0	41	0.02%
DCS	8,996	1,369	445	7,338	820	394	1,287	20,649	11.84%
Other State Department	1,294	79	38	995	28	20	180	2,634	1.51%
District Attorney's Office	2,849	1,686	90	1,745	1,007	93	1,762	9,232	5.29%
Court Staff	12,117	6,654	487	7,397	4,052	441	666	31,814	18.23%
Social Agency	511	477	41	363	487	27	32	1,938	1.11%
Other Court	314	98	9	251	36	2	16	726	0.42%
Victim	834	255	24	715	285	35	52	2,200	1.26%
Child & Parent	316	93	47	231	84	45	75	891	0.51%
Hospital	50	3	2	54	1	2	21	133	0.08%
Unknown	917	957	115	808	690	116	607	4,210	2.41%
Other	1,786	1,300	110	1,162	900	91	835	6,184	3.54%
Totals	67,439	35,241	2,706	40,650	18,551	2,059	7,825	174,471	





#### **Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons**

(by Source)

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Law Enforcement								
1. Traffic	7,288	1,542	139	3,587	574	90	412	13,632
2. Theft of Property	1,885	1,739	81	1,003	949	52	54	5,763
3. Assault	1,560	1,932	74	792	1,313	30	54	5,755
4. Disorderly Conduct	891	2,101	45	413	1,373	34	64	4,921
5. Possession of Controlled Substances	1,377	944	50	393	89	12	64	2,929
6. Violation of Curfew	839	968	32	406	370	21	69	2,705
<u>Parents</u>								
1. Custody	961	429	65	953	381	63	126	2,978
2. Dependency / Neglect	360	507	28	354	481	41	20	1,79
3. Unruly Behavior	680	253	33	575	161	22	15	1,739
4. Visitation	337	287	25	336	246	18	87	1,336
5. Child Support	398	281	9	354	235	5	48	1,330
6. Other	439	125	27	415	89	21	146	1,262
Relatives								
1 . Custody	1,035	312	52	1,008	333	54	91	2,88
2. Dependency / Neglect	415	66	32	408	68	17	51	1,05
3. Other	88	29	6	82	20	3	27	25
4. Child Support	65	15	9	77	16	4	2	188
5. Unruly Behavior	50	22	3	69	14	0	1	159
6. Judicial Review	50	3	1	63	3	1	6	127
<u>Self</u>								
1. Child Support	237	13	8	171	8	5	5	447
2. Other	135	21	2	42	9	1	8	218
3. Visitation	38	4	0	11	6	1	3	6
4. Custody	32	2	0	14	3	2	3	50
5. Judicial Review	13	6	0	13	0	0	6	38
6. Paternity / Legitimation	15	1	0	9	0	1	0	2
<u>School</u>								
1 . Truancy	2,732	635	76	2,355	575	68	222	6,66
2. Possession of Tobacco Products	989	57	9	256	21	2	13	1,34
3. Other	104	13	3	188	34	6	29	37
4. Unruly Behavior	202	60	7	81	23	2	2	37
5. Disorderly Conduct	127	77	3	58	41	2	0	308
6. Judicial Review	119	11	4	113	21	8	6	28
Community Service Agencies								
1. Custody	6	0	0	6	0	0	0	12
2. Dependency / Neglect	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	•
3. Violation of Probation	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	
4. Child Support	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	
5. Administrative Review	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	;
6 . Aggravated Burglary	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	- :



#### **Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons**

(by Source)

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Department of Children's Services	<u>s</u>							
Dependency / Neglect	3,272	311	158	3,327	345	164	524	8,101
2. Judicial Review	1,682	219	89	1,179	92	60	175	3,496
3. Foster Care Review	1,131	154	53	961	102	53	146	2,600
4. Other	701	105	40	542	67	36	129	1,620
5. Violation of Probation	705	165	6	169	34	6	6	1,091
6. Administrative Review	303	114	30	280	43	17	114	901
Other State Department								
1. Child Support	642	41	18	558	9	7	59	1,334
2. Contempt of Court	314	7	14	273	7	3	110	728
3. Violation of Probation	159	9	4	45	3	10	2	232
4. Other	49	1	0	41	0	0	6	97
5. Violation of a Valid Court Order	30	9	1	26	3	0	0	69
6. Paternity / Legitimation	17	1	0	11	1	0	0	30
District Attorney's Office								
1. Child Support	1,582	873	56	1,215	674	59	1,235	5,69
2. Judicial Review	666	430	4	90	48	7	386	1,63
3. Contempt of Court	357	237	18	301	175	19	74	1,18
4. Paternity / Legitimation	115	106	4	72	92	6	55	45
5. Other	66	24	1	35	10	2	4	14:
6. Request for Medical Treatment	32	4	0	6	2	0	4	4
Court Staff								
Administrative Review	2,775	4,562	80	1,893	2,981	110	5	12,40
2. Judicial Review	6,221	664	268	3,775	461	263	316	11,96
3. Violation of Probation	1,116	744	54	410	221	22	43	2,61
4. Other	531	108	28	289	39	13	48	1,05
5. Contempt of Court	313	40	7	263	29	7	6	66
6. Violation of a Valid Court Order	243	88	5	160	40	8	20	56
Social Agency								
1 . Dependency / Neglect	100	328	20	113	316	13	0	89
2. Other	82	45	3	57	49	5	6	24
3. Violation of Probation	123	20	12	49	5	0	22	23
4. Administrative Review	3	58	0	9	101	2	0	173
5. Foster Care Review	69	1	6	51	0	4	0	13 <sup>4</sup>
6. Child Support	49	0	0	27	1	0	0	7
Other Court								
1. Judicial Review	93	1	0	93	5	0	1	193
2. Other	38	25	6	29	15	2	10	12
3. Theft of Property	22	11	0	32	4	0	0	6
4. Possession of Controlled Substances	14	3	0	9	0	0	0	20
5. Administrative Review	7	1	0	15	0	0	0	23
6. Assault	7	9	1	1	3	0	0	2



#### **Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons**

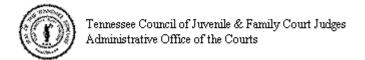
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	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Tota
<u>Victim</u>								
1. Theft of Property	227	76	8	386	143	16	20	870
2. Assault	231	106	7	146	79	4	13	580
3. Vandalism	86	20	2	37	23	4	7	179
4. Harassment	60	5	1	46	21	5	1	13
5. Other	38	4	2	21	2	1	3	7
6. Criminal Trespass	46	3	1	10	1	0	0	6
Child & Parent								
1. Contempt of Court	115	28	14	68	40	24	3	29
2. Child Support	68	28	19	69	27	14	29	25
3. Paternity / Legitimation	24	16	6	33	7	4	22	11
4. Other	36	6	1	14	3	1	7	6
5. Assault	21	1	1	10	3	1	1	3
6. Custody	10	6	0	9	1	0	3	2
<u>Hospital</u>								
Request for Medical Treatment	26	2	0	32	1	1	20	8
2 . Paternity / Legitimation	16	0	2	20	0	1	1	4
3. Possession of Controlled Substances	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
4. Unruly Behavior	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
5. Assault	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
6. Child Support	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
<u>Unknown</u>								
1. Other	588	904	89	532	638	105	529	3,38
2. Child Support	196	35	14	178	26	5	31	48
3. Truancy	45	1	1	36	3	0	3	8
4. Judicial Review	30	0	0	22	2	0	3	5
5. Paternity / Legitimation	6	4	1	7	5	2	19	4
6. Visitation	5	6	5	10	8	2	8	4
<u>Other</u>								
1. Child Support	277	639	31	176	500	25	278	1,92
2. Other	500	131	32	388	85	29	198	1,36
3. Custody	138	49	11	141	55	13	106	51
4. Judicial Review	231	105	2	57	14	5	82	49
5 . Paternity / Legitimation	78	154	2	43	133	1	58	46
6. Dependency / Neglect	91	27	11	105	24	7	39	30



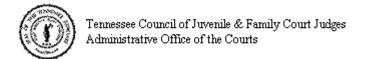
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		White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Delinguent									
Law Enforcement		21,026	15,013	679	8,048	5,334	296	954	51,350
Court Staff		1,767	963	72	809	338	34	86	4,069
Victim		741	244	22	666	278	33	45	2,029
DCS		1,029	328	21	321	67	10	25	1,80
District Attorney's Office		371	242	18	306	178	19	75	1,209
School		577	147	8	236	68	4	6	1,046
Other State Department		513	25	19	321	14	13	113	1,04
Parents		449	124	20	206	106	15	26	946
Other		265	146	14	115	51	2	33	620
Child & Parent		265 156	33	18	93	45	25	33 5	375
Social Agency Other Court		162	32	12	69	14	0	25	314
Relatives		139	61	2	77	13	0	4	290
		63	10	6	35	8	7	5	134
Self		21	3	1	8	3	0	0	30
Unknown		18	3	2	7	0	0	2	32
CSA		6	0	0	0	2	0	0	8
Hospital		3	0	0	1	0	0	0	
	Totals	27,306	17,374	914	11,318	6,519	458	1,404	65,293
Status/Unruly									
School		4,024	782	94	2,763	630	75	246	8,614
Law Enforcement		3,319	2,174	103	1,568	755	62	187	8,168
Parents		955	407	40	905	291	27	27	2,652
Court Staff		608	175	23	412	94	11	50	1,37
DCS		158	75	7	119	42	10	11	422
Relatives		98	35	3	112	22	3	3	276
Other		78	22	2	41	13	1	8	16
Unknown		60	2	2	42	4	0	3	113
Other State Department		45	10	1	36	3	0	1	96
Victim		27	3	0	16	2	0	1	49
Other Court		18	4	1	9	2	0	0	34
Social Agency		10	4	0	7	1	0	1	2:
Child & Parent		7	0	0	3	0	0	3	13
Hospital		4	1	0	0	0	0	0	,
Self		2	0	0	3	0	0	0	;
CSA		1	1	0	ა 1	0	0	0	
District Attorney's Office		1	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
District Attorney's Office	Totals						189	<b>541</b>	22,013
		9,415	3,695	276	6,038	1,859			



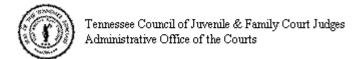
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	White Male	Aiiioiioai	Other n Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Dependency and Neglect								
DCS	2.40	1 227	400	2.545	277	470	504	0.070
Parents	3,464		183	3,545	377	179	591	8,676
	372		28	363	482	41	20	1,816
Relatives	438		33	430	71	19	51	1,108
Social Agency	103		20	120	316	13	0	901
Other	12′		12	135	24	11	51	382
School	52		2	63	46	7	27	235
Court Staff	61		3	65	8	2	13	167
Law Enforcement	22		0	26	5	1	8	66
Unknown	8		1	2	1	0	5	18
Other Court		7 3	0	7	0	0	0	17
CSA		6 0	0	2	0	0	0	8
Victim		2 1	0	0	1	0	2	6
Other State Department		2 0	0	2	1	0	0	Ę
Child & Parent	(	-	0	2	0	0	0	2
Self	1		0	0	0	0	0	2
District Attorney's Office	(	-	0	0	0	0	1	1
Hospital	(	0	0	0	0	0	0	
To	otals 4,659	1,333	282	4,762	1,332	273	769	13,410
Other Court Action Violation								
Court Staff	69		3	83	3	2	3	178
DCS	6′	1 0	0	27	4	2	0	94
District Attorney's Office	7	7 1	5	8	1	0	0	22
Self	8	3 0	0	3	0	0	1	12
Law Enforcement	6	6 0	1	4	0	0	0	11
Parents	•	0	0	5	0	0	0	6
Other Court	•	1 0	0	3	0	0	0	4
Victim	•	1 0	0	0	0	1	0	2
Child & Parent	(	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
CSA	(	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hospital	(	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
Other	(	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
Other State Department	(	0	0	0	0	0	0	C
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Relatives			0	0	0	0	0	(
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School		0 0	0	0	0	0	0	
Relatives School Social Agency Unknown	(				0 0	0 0	0	0



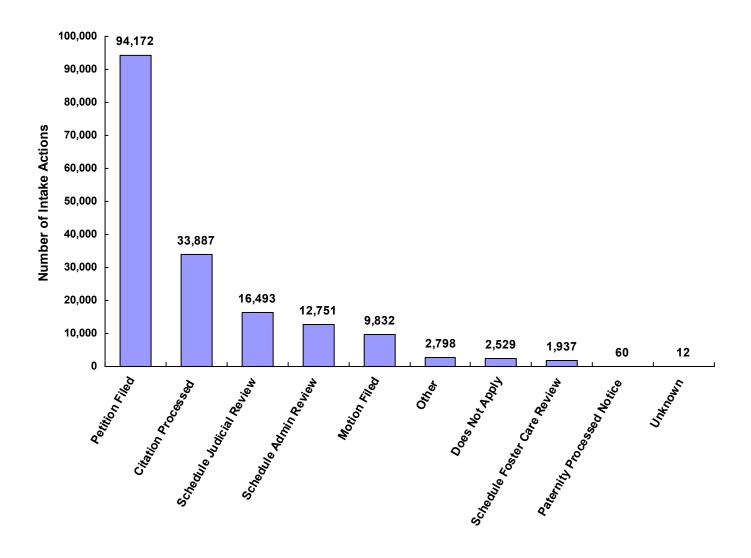
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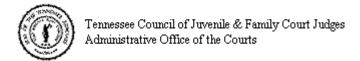
		White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Special Proceedings									
Court Staff		9,081	5,378	358	5,739	3,570	379	466	24,971
DCS		3,583	524	194	2,784	263	157	531	8,036
District Attorney's Office		2,404	1,419	66	1,395	818	72	1,682	7,856
Parents		2,159	1,501	124	2,020	1,374	112	341	7,631
Other		822	973	50	483	727	48	545	3,648
Relatives		1,221	335	65	1,209	357	59	102	3,348
Other State Department		685	43	18	595	10	7	60	1,418
Law Enforcement		465	68	9	212	33	4	25	816
Unknown		243	47	21	225	47	11	68	662
Self		336	26	8	219	17	9	17	632
Social Agency		154	67	6	110	107	9	0	453
Child & Parent		117	54	28	119	36	19	60	433
School		132	12	4	124	22	9	8	311
Other Court		111	5	0	126	6	0	2	250
Hospital		43	2	2	53	1	2	21	124
Victim		25	3	0	12	2	0	1	43
CSA		12	0	0	10	0	0	0	22
	Totals	21,593	10,457	953	15,435	7,390	897	3,929	60,654
All Other Referrals									
Unknown		588	904	89	532	638	105	529	3,385
Law Enforcement		917	825	32	289	383	12	28	2,486
DCS		701	105	40	542	67	36	129	1,620
Other		500	131	32	388	85	29	198	1,363
Parents		439	125	27	415	89	21	146	1,262
Court Staff		531	108	28	289	39	13	48	1,056
School		104	13	3	188	34	6	29	377
Relatives		88	29	6	82	20	3	27	255
Social Agency		82	45	3	57	49	5	6	247
Self		135	21	2	42	9	1	8	218
District Attorney's Office		66	24	1	35	10	2	4	142
Other Court		38	25	6	29	15	2	10	125
Other State Department		49	1	0	41	0	0	6	97
Victim		38	4	2	21	2	1	3	71
Child & Parent		36	6	1	14	3	1	7	68
CSA		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hospital		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Totals	4,312	2,366	272	2,964	1,443	237	1,178	12,772



#### **Intake Actions at Referral**

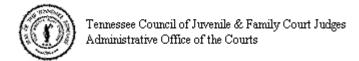
	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total Referrals
Dec Elli	00.100	45.004	4 577	00.050	0.054	4 000	5.007	04.470	<b>50.00</b> %
Petition Filed	38,168	15,831	1,577	23,259	8,954	1,086	5,297	94,172	53.98%
Motion Filed	3,177	1,439	267	2,563	971	253	1,162	9,832	5.64%
Citation Processed	11,589	11,692	257	5,305	4,534	172	338	33,887	19.42%
Paternity Processed Notice	30	2	1	22	0	2	3	60	0.03%
Schedule Judicial Review	8,429	997	376	5,243	614	338	496	16,493	9.45%
Schedule Admin Review	2,741	4,672	106	1,983	3,025	125	99	12,751	7.31%
Schedule Foster Care Review	842	144	52	633	86	41	139	1,937	1.11%
Unknown	5	1	0	3	1	0	2	12	0.01%
Does Not Apply	1,439	70	29	897	46	15	33	2,529	1.45%
Other	1,019	393	41	742	320	27	256	2,798	1.60%
Totals	67,439	35,241	2,706	40,650	18,551	2,059	7,825	174,471	





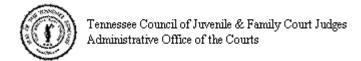
## Intake Actions (by Type)

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Tota
elinquent								
Offenses Against Persons								
Petition Filed	2,789	1,541	114	1,109	577	37	115	6,28
Citation Processed	385	2,007	16	140	1,049	11	4	3,61
Scheduling of Judicial Review	34	10	2	8	13	0	0	6
Does Not Apply	27	1	2	13	0	0	0	4
Motion Filed	9	8	0	2	3	0	1	2
Other	13	3	1	2	0	0	1	2
Scheduling of Administrative Review	6	0	0	4	2	0	0	1
Scheduling of Foster Care Review	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Notification of Paternity Processed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	3,264	3,570	135	1,279	1,644	48	121	10,06
Citation Processed Scheduling of Judicial Review Does Not Apply Other	779 32 31 12	2,158 12 2 5	32 0 1	377 7 20 15	740 13 3 2	24 1 0	7 1 0 1	4,1°
Motion Filed	15	1	3	6	6	0	0	,
Scheduling of Administrative Review	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	•
Notification of Paternity Processed	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Scheduling of Foster Care Review	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	5,153	3,966	215	1,936	1,434	100	166	12,9
Illegal Conduct Petition Filed	10,312	4,415	363	4,067	1,580	176	790	21,70
Citation Processed	7,849	5,309	163	3,668	1,802	112	290	19,19
Does Not Apply	276	17	6	142	3	0	7	4
Motion Filed	186	44	23	102	33	20	20	42
Other	152	20	5	87	10	1	8	28
Scheduling of Judicial Review	98	33	3	30	13	0	2	17
Notification of Paternity Processed	7	0	0	3	0	0	0	•
Scheduling of Administrative Review	7	0	1	1	0	1	0	
Scheduling of Foster Care Review	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	18,889	9,838	564	8,103	3,441	310	1,117	42,2



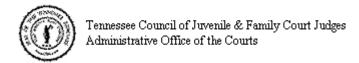
## Intake Actions (by Type)

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Tota
tatus Offenses								
Petition Filed	6,563	1,859	224	4,514	1,091	145	490	14,88
Citation Processed	2,012	1,581	31	854	586	22	28	5,11
Other	368	172	9	279	140	8	16	99
Does Not Apply	307	40	11	262	22	10	4	65
Scheduling of Judicial Review	70	39	0	31	20	2	1	16
Scheduling of Administrative Review	77	1	1	74	0	1	0	15
Motion Filed	12	3	0	16	0	1	2	3
Notification of Paternity Processed	6	0	0	6	0	0	0	1
Scheduling of Foster Care Review	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	9,415	3,695	276	6,038	1,859	189	541	22,01
ependency/Neglect Petition Filed	4,390	1,306	258	4,481	1,291	254	706	12,68
Motion Filed	132	1,300	13	179	32	11	35	42
Scheduling of Judicial Review	45	19	6	33	1	6	2	44
Other	30	4	4	23	7	1	23	•
Citation Processed	41	2	1	32	0	0	0	7
Scheduling of Foster Care Review	19	1	0	10	1	1	0	
Notification of Paternity Processed	2	0	0	10	0	0	1	,
Does Not Apply	0	0	0	3	0	0	1	
Scheduling of Administrative Review	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	4,659	1,333	282	4,762	1,332	273	769	13,4
ther Violation Proceedings Petition Filed	139	15	9	115	6	4	4	2
Motion Filed	13	0	0	13	2	1	0	_
Scheduling of Judicial Review	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	•
Other	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	
Citation Processed	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Notification of Paternity Processed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Scheduling of Administrative Review	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Scheduling of Foster Care Review	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Does Not Apply	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	154	16	9	133	<u> </u>	5	<u>_</u>	



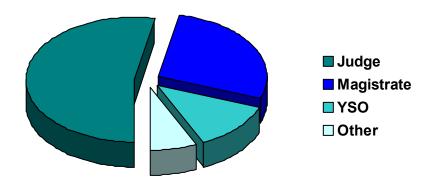
## Intake Actions (by Type)

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Tot
arentage								
Petition Filed	6,470	3,336	337	5,661	2,800	312	2,341	21,2
Motion Filed	304	85	33	274	50	22	111	8
Other	46	143	3	41	130	2	152	5
Does Not Apply	315	0	0	173	6	0	13	5
Scheduling of Judicial Review	154	20	9	115	8	2	3	3
Notification of Paternity Processed	12	1	1	12	0	2	2	
Scheduling of Administrative Review	6	1	2	7	1	0	0	
Scheduling of Foster Care Review	9	0	0	2	1	0	0	
Unknown	4	0	0	3	1	0	2	
Citation Processed	1	0	0	3	1	0	0	
Totals	7,321	3,586	385	6,291	2,998	340	2,624	23,5
Scheduling of Judicial Review Scheduling of Administrative Review	7,812 2,633	865 4,670	349 102	4,897 1,895	529 3,022	322 123	467 97	15,2 12,5
Scheduling of Judicial Review	7,812	865	349	4,897	529	322	467	15,2
Petition Filed	1,563	1,042	34	675	658	35	485	4,4
Scheduling of Foster Care Review	805	140	50	611	84	40	138	1,8
Motion Filed	674	106	18	574	51	25	68	1,5
Does Not Apply	417	8	6	252	11	5	4	7
Citation Processed	234	21	4	141	14	1	7	4
Other	131	17	5	99	23	6	39	3
Notification of Paternity Processed	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Unknown	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	14,272	6,871	568	9,144	4,392	557	1,305	37,1
II Other Referrals  Motion Filed	1,832	1,173	177	1,397	794	173	925	6,4
Petition Filed	1,663	529	59	1,126	281	48	209	3,9
Citation Processed	287	614	10	90	342	2	209	1,3
Other	267	29	14	194	8	9	16	5
Scheduling of Judicial Review	183	16	7	119	17	5	20	3
Does Not Apply	66	2	3	32	1	0	4	1
Scheduling of Foster Care Review	6	3	2	4	0	0	1	•
Scheduling of Administrative Review	8	0	0	2	0	0	1	
Notification of Paternity Processed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
								40.7
Totals	4,312	2,366	272	2,964	1,443	237	1,178	12,7
All Intake Action Totals	67,439	35,241	2,706	40,650	18,551	2,059	7,825	174,4



#### Breakdown of Referrals by the Person Executing the Action

Juvenile Court cases and referrals can be disposed by either a Judge, Magistrate, Youth Services Officer (YSO) or Probation Officer (PO). All cases involving a formal hearing and an adjudication can only be disposed by judges, magistrates, and special judges. Cases that are handled informally through either an informal adjustment, pre-trial diversion, or any other type of informal, non-judicial action can be disposed by persons designated by the court to take action.



	Referrals	% of Referrals
Judge	92,418	52.97%
Magistrate	47,994	27.51%
YSO	22,057	12.64%
Other	12,002	6.88%
Total	174,471	



# **Dispositional Actions**

## **Case Outcomes**

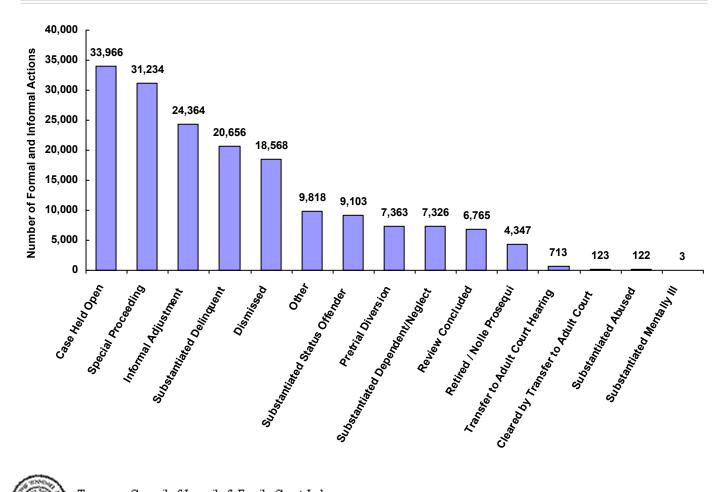
#### **Dispositional Actions**

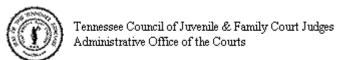
After a referral is made to the juvenile court, decisions are made regarding how the court will proceed. If the decision is made to handle the referral informally, two options are open to the court: Pretrial Diversion and Informal Adjustment. These two procedures are quite similar in that they are both a voluntary agreement between the court officer, the child, and the parents to address the problem but avoid a formal court hearing and an official finding of guilt. The difference between Pretrial Diversion and Informal Adjustment is the extent to which the Judge or Magistrate is involved. Pretrial Diversion requires judicial approval of the voluntary agreement. Informal Adjustment is subject to judicial approval, but does not require it prior to initiation.

When the court believes that it is in the best interest of the child and/or the community, a Formal Adjudicatory Proceeding or Hearing is held regarding the child's referral to juvenile court. The adjudicatory hearing is a formal proceeding in which the Judge or Magistrate determines whether the motion made on behalf of the child (or the complaint made against the child) is substantiated. If substantiation of the motion/complaint occurs, a dispositional hearing must be held; this can happen either immediately or at a later date.

#### **Dispositional Actions**

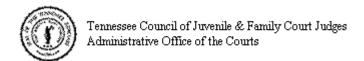
	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total Referrals
<u>Formal</u>									
Dismissed	7,769	3,049	277	4,757	1,952	210	554	18,568	10.64%
Retired / Nolle Prosequi	1,767	1,104	81	755	363	30	247	4,347	2.49%
Substantiated Delinquent	9,164	6,140	357	3,025	1,535	148	287	20,656	11.84%
Substantiated Status Offender	4,195	1,135	160	2,393	664	103	453	9,103	5.22%
Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	2,309	1,024	154	2,271	1,051	143	374	7,326	4.20%
Substantiated Abused	41	24	3	29	18	3	4	122	0.07%
Substantiated Mentally III	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	0.00%
<u>Informal</u>									
Informal Adjustment	6,588	9,002	169	3,861	4,363	123	258	24,364	13.96%
Pretrial Diversion	3,151	1,512	108	1,658	732	64	138	7,363	4.22%
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	130	539	2	11	22	3	6	713	0.41%
Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	88	17	9	8	0	0	1	123	0.07%
Special Proceeding	11,841	3,363	684	9,260	2,733	638	2,715	31,234	17.90%
Review Concluded	3,383	478	113	2,160	280	100	251	6,765	3.88%
Case Held Open	13,112	6,576	425	7,921	3,849	373	1,710	33,966	19.47%
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Other	3,899	1,278	164	2,540	989	121	827	9,818	5.63%
Totals	67,439	35,241	2,706	40,650	18,551	2,059	7,825	174,471	





## Formal and Informal Actions (by Type)

		White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Tota
elinquent									
Offenses Against Persons									
Informal Adjustment	•	321	1,397	15	171	927	9	5	2,84
Substantiated Delinquent		1,063	1,034	40	368	276	16	24	2,8
Dismissed		452	299	9	167	132	7	19	1,0
Case Held Open		557	110	27	227	69	7	18	1,0
Pretrial Diversion		370	290	15	158	127	5	18	9
Retired / Nolle Prosequi		145	164	13	56	78	2	26	4
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing		31	221	1	2	2	0	1	2
Special Proceeding		141	21	8	61	12	2	1	2
Other		81	16	3	25	11	0	5	1
Substantiated Status Offender		39	6	2	21	7	0	3	
Review Concluded		39	3	0	15	1	0	0	
Substantiated Dependent/Neglect		12	3	1	6	2	0	0	
Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court		12	5	1	2	0	0	1	
Substantiated Abused		1	1	0	0	0	0	0	
Substantiated Mentally III		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Unknown		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	Total	3,264	3,570	135	1,279	1,644	48	121	10,0
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## Formal and Informal Actions (by Type)

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Tot
elinquent								
Illegal Conduct								
Informal Adjustment	3,314	4,012	75	1,672	1,576	49	195	10,89
Substantiated Delinquent	4,453	2,693	154	1,313	599	57	164	9,4
Dismissed	3,242	864	90	1,647	370	67	98	6,3
Case Held Open	1,869	343	45	714	107	17	126	3,2
Pretrial Diversion	1,401	600	43	574	240	23	57	2,9
Special Proceeding	1,315	152	54	676	140	53	105	2,4
Substantiated Status Offender	1,120	346	48	510	193	17	172	2,4
Retired / Nolle Prosequi	883	523	31	369	149	14	115	2,0
Other	1,067	142	17	539	59	8	74	1,9
Review Concluded	134	15	4	60	5	1	5	2
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	32	133	0	5	2	3	5	1
Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	27	4	3	18	1	1	1	
Substantiated Abused	11	9	0	5	0	0	0	
Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	21	2	0	1	0	0	0	
Substantiated Mentally III	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	18,889	9,838	564	8,103	3,441	310	1,117	42,2
Delinquent Tota	27,306	17,374	914	11,318	6,519	458	1,404	65,2
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Substantiated Status Offender Informal Adjustment	2,039	1,763	42	1,333	737	31	27	5,9 2,7
Substantiated Status Offender Informal Adjustment Dismissed	2,039 1,141	1,763 329	42 33	1,333 893	737 255	31 20	27 58	5,9 2,7 2,2
Substantiated Status Offender Informal Adjustment Dismissed Case Held Open	2,039 1,141 1,084	1,763 329 137	42 33 30	1,333 893 777	737 255 113	31 20 16	27 58 51	5,9 2,7 2,2 1,2
Substantiated Status Offender Informal Adjustment Dismissed Case Held Open Substantiated Delinquent	2,039 1,141 1,084 591	1,763 329 137 273	42 33 30 24	1,333 893 777 290	737 255 113 78	31 20 16 13	27 58 51 27	5,9 2,7 2,2 1,2 1,1
Substantiated Status Offender Informal Adjustment Dismissed Case Held Open Substantiated Delinquent Other	2,039 1,141 1,084 591 554	1,763 329 137 273 114	42 33 30 24 15	1,333 893 777 290 314	737 255 113 78 74	31 20 16 13 8	27 58 51 27 45	5,9 2,7 2,2 1,2 1,1
Substantiated Status Offender Informal Adjustment Dismissed Case Held Open Substantiated Delinquent Other Retired / Nolle Prosequi	2,039 1,141 1,084 591 554 356	1,763 329 137 273 114 169	42 33 30 24 15	1,333 893 777 290 314 183	737 255 113 78 74 64	31 20 16 13 8	27 58 51 27 45 51	5,9 2,7 2,2 1,2 1,1 8
Substantiated Status Offender Informal Adjustment Dismissed Case Held Open Substantiated Delinquent Other Retired / Nolle Prosequi Pretrial Diversion	2,039 1,141 1,084 591 554 356 312	1,763 329 137 273 114 169 104	42 33 30 24 15 13 7	1,333 893 777 290 314 183 157	737 255 113 78 74 64 57	31 20 16 13 8 9	27 58 51 27 45 51	5,9 2,7 2,2 1,2 1,1 8 6
Substantiated Status Offender Informal Adjustment Dismissed Case Held Open Substantiated Delinquent Other Retired / Nolle Prosequi Pretrial Diversion Special Proceeding	2,039 1,141 1,084 591 554 356 312 339	1,763 329 137 273 114 169 104 36	42 33 30 24 15 13 7	1,333 893 777 290 314 183 157 215	737 255 113 78 74 64 57	31 20 16 13 8 9 5	27 58 51 27 45 51 12	5,9 2,7 2,2 1,2 1,1 8 6
Substantiated Status Offender Informal Adjustment Dismissed Case Held Open Substantiated Delinquent Other Retired / Nolle Prosequi Pretrial Diversion Special Proceeding Review Concluded	2,039 1,141 1,084 591 554 356 312 339 84	1,763 329 137 273 114 169 104 36 5	42 33 30 24 15 13 7 15	1,333 893 777 290 314 183 157 215	737 255 113 78 74 64 57 19	31 20 16 13 8 9 5 4	27 58 51 27 45 51 12 1	5,9 2,7 2,2 1,2 1,1 8 6
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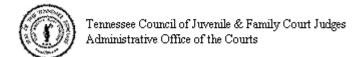


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	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Tota
pendency and Neglect								
Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	1,427	647	101	1,485	643	99	200	4,60
Special Proceeding	1,410	134	92	1,432	168	84	103	3,42
Case Held Open	1,180	68	41	1,217	71	43	298	2,91
Dismissed	300	340	27	282	316	25	54	1,34
Other	165	36	14	150	35	10	69	47
Pretrial Diversion	58	17	1	82	17	0	8	18
Review Concluded	58	6	2	53	4	6	21	15
Substantiated Delinquent	24	38	1	27	26	3	4	12
Substantiated Abused	8	13	2	11	18	2	4	5
Informal Adjustment	12	17	0	5	19	1	1	5
Substantiated Status Offender	10	10	1	6	6	0	3	3
Retired / Nolle Prosequi	6	1	0	9	4	0	4	2
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	1	6	0	2	5	0	0	1
Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Substantiated Mentally III	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Т	otal 4,659	1,333	282	4,762	1,332	273	769	13,41

#### **Other Court Action Violations**

	Total	154	16	9	133	8	5	4	329
Unknown		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Substantiated Mentally III		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Substantiated Abused		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Substantiated Dependent/Neglect		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Review Concluded		1	0	0	1	0	0	0	
Other		3	0	1	4	0	0	0	
Pretrial Diversion		5	1	0	2	0	0	0	
Retired / Nolle Prosequi		2	2	0	4	0	0	0	
Substantiated Status Offender		9	1	0	8	1	0	0	1
Informal Adjustment		11	2	0	8	0	0	0	2
Special Proceeding		13	1	3	13	2	0	0	3
Dismissed		22	2	1	16	1	0	0	4
Case Held Open		18	4	3	24	0	0	2	;
Substantiated Delinquent		70	3	1	53	4	5	2	13



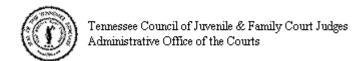
## Formal and Informal Actions (by Type)

		White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Tota
pecial Proceedings									
Parentage									
Special Proceeding		3,524	1,491	180	3,079	1,337	163	1,411	11,18
Other		753	722	54	708	630	49	462	3,3
Dismissed		879	567	69	818	451	56	199	3,0
Case Held Open		1,164	316	25	788	157	15	355	2,8
Substantiated Dependent/Neglect		440	108	26	398	80	31	149	1,2
Pretrial Diversion		211	159	13	188	157	11	5	7
Substantiated Delinquent		138	119	9	118	103	4	6	4
Review Concluded		84	38	3	86	33	6	28	2
Informal Adjustment		61	15	2	59	21	3	4	1
Retired / Nolle Prosequi		41	48	4	31	27	2	4	1
Substantiated Status Offender		20	0	0	12	0	0	1	
Substantiated Abused		3	0	0	4	0	0	0	
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing		1	2	0	0	2	0	0	
Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court		2	1	0	2	0	0	0	
Substantiated Mentally III		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Unknown		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
	Total	7,321	3,586	385	6,291	2,998	340	2,624	23,5
oecial Proceedings Other	Total		·			·		·	·
oecial Proceedings Other Case Held Open	Total	6,327	5,440	227	3,916	3,254	259	792	20,2
Other Case Held Open Special Proceeding	Total	6,327 3,035	5,440 388	227 167	3,916 2,170	3,254 260	259 164	792 278	20,2 6,4
Other Case Held Open Special Proceeding Review Concluded	Total	6,327 3,035 2,804	5,440 388 382	227 167 96	3,916 2,170 1,741	3,254 260 216	259 164 81	792 278 97	20,2 6,4 5,4
Other Case Held Open Special Proceeding Review Concluded Dismissed	Total	6,327 3,035	5,440 388	227 167	3,916 2,170 1,741 522	3,254 260	259 164	792 278	20,2 6,4 5,4 1,8
Other Case Held Open Special Proceeding Review Concluded Dismissed Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	Total	6,327 3,035 2,804 866 232	5,440 388 382 201 221	227 167 96 21 15	3,916 2,170 1,741 522 209	3,254 260 216	259 164 81 15	792 278 97	20,2 6,4 5,4 1,8
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Other Case Held Open Special Proceeding Review Concluded Dismissed Substantiated Dependent/Neglect Other Substantiated Delinquent Pretrial Diversion Retired / Nolle Prosequi Informal Adjustment	Total	6,327 3,035 2,804 866 232 374 312 137 76 57	5,440 388 382 201 221 116 80 6 2	227 167 96 21 15 13 18 2 0	3,916 2,170 1,741 522 209 284 107 88 45 25	3,254 260 216 214 284 96 52 3 3	259 164 81 15 12 7 11 3 3	792 278 97 34 14 66 6 13 2	20,2 6,4 5,4 1,8 9 5 2 1
Other Case Held Open Special Proceeding Review Concluded Dismissed Substantiated Dependent/Neglect Other Substantiated Delinquent Pretrial Diversion Retired / Nolle Prosequi Informal Adjustment Substantiated Status Offender	Total	6,327 3,035 2,804 866 232 374 312 137 76 57 40	5,440 388 382 201 221 116 80 6 2 222	227 167 96 21 15 13 18 2 0 5	3,916 2,170 1,741 522 209 284 107 88 45 25 31	3,254 260 216 214 284 96 52 3 3 3	259 164 81 15 12 7 11 3 3 0	792 278 97 34 14 66 6 13 2 2	20,2 6,4 5,4 1,8 9 9 5 2
Other Case Held Open Special Proceeding Review Concluded Dismissed Substantiated Dependent/Neglect Other Substantiated Delinquent Pretrial Diversion Retired / Nolle Prosequi Informal Adjustment Substantiated Status Offender Substantiated Abused	Total	6,327 3,035 2,804 866 232 374 312 137 76 57 40 5	5,440 388 382 201 221 116 80 6 2 22 12	227 167 96 21 15 13 18 2 0 5 3	3,916 2,170 1,741 522 209 284 107 88 45 25 31 5	3,254 260 216 214 284 96 52 3 3 3	259 164 81 15 12 7 11 3 3 0	792 278 97 34 14 66 6 13 2 2	20,2 6,4 5,4 1,8 9 9 5 2
Other Case Held Open Special Proceeding Review Concluded Dismissed Substantiated Dependent/Neglect Other Substantiated Delinquent Pretrial Diversion Retired / Nolle Prosequi Informal Adjustment Substantiated Status Offender Substantiated Abused Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	Total	6,327 3,035 2,804 866 232 374 312 137 76 57 40 5	5,440 388 382 201 221 116 80 6 2 22 12 1	227 167 96 21 15 13 18 2 0 5 3 1	3,916 2,170 1,741 522 209 284 107 88 45 25 31 5	3,254 260 216 214 284 96 52 3 3 3 0 4	259 164 81 15 12 7 11 3 0 1	792 278 97 34 14 66 6 13 2 2 1 0	20,2 6,4 5,4 1,8 9 9 5 2
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## Formal and Informal Actions (by Type)

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Tota
Il Other Referrals								
Special Proceeding	1,882	1,123	159	1,573	790	165	815	6,50
Other	774	121	46	467	69	38	97	1,6
Informal Adjustment	176	516	3	82	314	4	3	1,0
Dismissed	311	172	13	252	118	11	72	94
Substantiated Delinquent	379	243	18	125	53	2	10	8
Case Held Open	289	58	6	132	23	9	56	5
Review Concluded	157	25	7	126	16	5	99	4
Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	126	23	4	123	25	0	8	3
Pretrial Diversion	93	34	4	58	21	3	3	2
Retired / Nolle Prosequi	68	21	5	16	5	0	13	1:
Substantiated Status Offender	35	7	6	8	3	0	2	(
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	13	22	1	1	6	0	0	
Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	8	1	0	1	0	0	0	
Substantiated Abused	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Substantiated Mentally III	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	4,312	2,366	272	2,964	1,443	237	1,178	12,7
II Formal and Informal Actions Total	67,439	35,241	2,706	40,650	18,551	2,059	7,825	174,4°



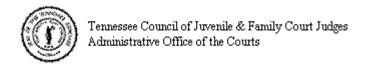
#### **Case Outcomes**

The outcomes of a case indicate the type of action(s) and/or service(s) that are to be established as a result of all of the referrals associated with a case. These actions are intended to provide the best chance of rehabilitation while protecting the rights, safety, and well being of each child as well as enforce the laws of the state as it pertains to the type and severity of each offense.

Each case can have up to eight outcomes that can be the result of more than one of the referrals associated with the case. Therefore, the number of outcomes will not correlate to the number of referrals or dispositional actions/procedures involved in a case.

#### Case Outcomes

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
General Action Codes								
Held Open For Review	15,160	4,080	564	9,554	2,051	556	1,707	33,672
Case Dismissed	7,857	5,072	287	5,094	2,672	244	679	21,90
Warned / Counseled	4,893	5,125	180	2,910	2,940	128	117	16,293
Public Service	5,916	1,685	174	2,645	756	93	229	11,498
Supervision / Probation to Juvenile Court	3,428	1,460	123	1,691	544	79	75	7,400
Fine	4,166	477	83	1,693	250	33	177	6,879
No Contact Order	2,559	782	97	1,642	493	61	172	5,806
Case Retired or Nolle Prosequi	1,928	1,123	79	1,051	412	43	250	4,880
Referred to Defensive Driving School	2,253	123	25	1,358	84	19	64	3,926
Placement with Relative / Other Individual	774	1,020	54	740	1,052	73	34	3,747
Referred for Alcohol and Drug Counseling	2,085	300	48	829	67	19	62	3,410
Referral to Another Entity for Superv/Servc	1,017	424	41	875	331	35	34	2,75
Restitution	1,248	784	55	387	166	19	36	2,695
Referred for Mental Health Counseling	1,144	458	57	574	180	26	45	2,484
Referral to Juvenile Court Educ-Based Pgm	1,239	202	40	731	114	32	60	2,418
Dismissed from Informal Adjustment	1,110	203	14	732	167	9	85	2,320
House Arrest	1,133	412	42	438	100	24	20	2,169
Probation to Parents	877	389	48	499	154	25	15	2,007
Released from Probation	1,092	156	33	491	91	13	26	1,902
njunction Other than No Contact Order	599	322	29	522	191	24	68	1,75
Driver's License Held Informally	783	276	19	296	47	12	8	1,44
Court Defined Curfew	749	233	28	321	88	9	6	1,434
Placement with City/Cnty Agcy/Facility	219	707	22	86	110	14	9	1,167
Dismissed from Pretrial Diversion	570	134	10	306	76	3	38	1,137
Referred to Alcohol Safety School	389	99	14	154	10	5	16	687
Runaway Returned	59	36	1	92	32	2	5	227
Referred to Alternative School	96	29	6	31	8	1	1	172
Referred to Private Child Agency	48	3	2	32	6	0	3	94
Voluntary Placement with DMHMR	33	22	0	5	1	0	0	61
Private Mental Health Placement	32	7	0	11	4	0	0	54
Private MR Placement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	(
Totals	63,456	26,143	2,175	35,790	13,197	1,601	4,041	146,403



### Case Outcomes (by Type)

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Formal Action Codes								
Placed Under a Valid Court Order	2,350	454	106	1,356	213	51	78	4,608
DCS Commitment - Custody	1,513	1,154	93	810	367	53	119	4,109
DCS Probation	1,789	435	46	585	96	20	42	3,013
Other Intensive Probation	686	182	21	228	36	3	36	1,192
DCS Commitment - Suspended	504	240	19	133	62	7	16	981
Transfer to Another Juvenile Court for Dispo	464	134	9	266	53	6	18	950
Supervision by DCS	371	39	3	255	37	8	7	720
Parental Rights Terminated	178	16	15	177	19	21	35	46
Transferred to Adult Court	113	278	5	6	4	1	3	410
DCS Intensive Probation	90	39	3	19	2	0	2	15
DCS Commitment - Determinate	36	54	3	30	3	1	1	128
Parental Rights Not Terminated	7	1	0	7	2	0	0	17
DMHMR Involuntary Commitment	14	0	0	0	0	0	1	1:
Totals	8,115	3,026	323	3,872	894	171	358	16,75
Child Support Granted	1,441	804	58	1,205	617	55	1,165	5,34
Custody Changed	3,449	451	200	2,886	435	185	355	7,96°
Foster Care Continued	2,144	369	122	1,977	263	117	275	5,26
Visitation Changed	2,083	411	96	1,895	357	90	333	5,26
Custody Unchanged	1,809	232	90	1,650	149	79	257	4,260
Child Support Amended	528	114	17	502	122	16	77	1,370
Paternity Determined / Child Legitimated	334	259	15	220	224	16	134	1,202
Visitation Unchanged	466	36	24	461	28	32	58	1,10
Foster Care Terminated	243	29	14	186	32	10	18	532
Order of Reference to DCS	149	22	7	140	11	7	9	34
Child Support Terminated	83	13	8	60	13	5	11	193
Request for Medical Treatment Granted	72	20	5	28	16	0	3	144
Voluntary Acknowledgement of Paternity	56	7	4	49	5	1	11	133
Paternity Not Determ/Child Not Legitimated	20	20	1	14	15	2	3	75
Child Support Denied	18	3	0	19	2	0	4	40
Request for Medical Treatment Denied	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	;
Consent to Marry Granted	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	;
Consent to Marry Denied	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Totals	23,769	5,272	997	17,441	3,850	832	3,059	55,220
Othor Outcome Codes								
Other Outcome Codes Other	15,667	9,939	700	10,344	5,939	530	2,817	45,930
Totals	15,667	9,939	700	10,344	5,939	530	2,817	45,930
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All Outcome Totals	111,007	44,380	4,195	67,447	23,880	3,134	10,275	264,318



# Individual Court Information

## Child, Case, and Referral Counts (by Court)

	(	Children			Cases		F	Referrals	
Court	2009	2010	+/- %	2009	2010	+/- %	2009	2010	+/- %
Anderson	1,275	674	-47.1%	1,462	759	-48.1%	1,614	838	-48.1%
Bedford	321	306	-4.7%	407	385	-5.4%	618	627	+1.5%
Benton	281	280	-0.4%	324	342	+5.6%	345	350	+1.4%
Bledsoe	119	141	+18.5%	163	154	-5.5%	203	227	+11.8%
Blount	2,767	2,825	+2.1%	4,956	6,721	+35.6%	6,790	8,027	+18.2%
Bradley	489	810	+65.6%	702	2,849	+305.8	918	3,155	+243.7
Bristol	789	717	-9.1%	1,220	1,091	-10.6%	1,352	1,173	-13.2%
Campbell	555	510	-8.1%	565	513	-9.2%	565	513	-9.2%
Cannon	172	174	+1.2%	231	271	+17.3%	231	277	+19.9%
Carroll	190	191	+0.5%	201	201	0.0%	299	315	+5.4%
Carter	869	719	-17.3%	1,457	1,155	-20.7%	1,589	1,270	-20.1%
Cheatham	731	619	-15.3%	1,243	1,002	-19.4%	1,320	1,091	-17.3%
Chester	329	302	-8.2%	444	466	+5.0%	523	509	-2.7%
Claiborne	159	308	+93.7%	177	344	+94.4%	194	401	+106.7
Clay	128	170	+32.8%	268	347	+29.5%	384	431	+12.2%
Cocke	1,050	975	-7.1%	1,823	1,748	-4.1%	1,879	1,812	-3.6%
Coffee	288	178	-38.2%	339	207	-38.9%	468	281	-40.0%
Crockett	106	93	-12.3%	202	190	-5.9%	226	218	-3.5%
Cumberland	299	332	+11.0%	359	417	+16.2%	402	451	+12.2%
Davidson	8,034	6,687	-16.8%	12,610	10,395	-17.6%	14,608	12,247	-16.2%
Decatur	145	132	-9.0%	216	214	-0.9%	230	222	-3.5%
DeKalb	157	170	+8.3%	202	213	+5.4%	238	238	0.0%
Dickson	1,200	1,224	+2.0%	2,970	3,516	+18.4%	3,069	3,594	+17.1%
Dyer	546	519	-4.9%	967	1,022	+5.7%	1,122	1,205	+7.4%
Fayette	359	374	+4.2%	605	551	-8.9%	845	743	-12.1%
Fentress	197	147	-25.4%	272	209	-0.9%	306	224	-12.1%
	279	225		345			400	389	
Franklin Gibson	1,150	1,174	-19.4% +2.1%	1,562	311 1,739	-9.9% +11.3%		1,892	-2.8% +12.6%
Giles	312	309	-1.0%	506	416		1,681 662	532	-19.6%
	824	788	-1.0% -4.4%	836	791	-17.8%	843	801	
Grainger Greene			-4.4% +11.1%			-5.4%			-5.0%
	668	742		1,072	1,224	+14.2%	1,143	1,299	+13.6%
Grundy	304	226	-25.7%	602	522	-13.3%	685	609	-11.1%
Hamblen	887	927	+4.5%	2,253	2,567	+13.9%	2,518	2,809	+11.6%
Hamilton	4,932	4,191	-15.0%	8,181	6,887	-15.8%	9,249	7,635	-17.5%
Hancock	22	16	-27.3%	25	23	-8.0%	25	25	0.0%
Hardeman	655	1,036	+58.2%	833	1,485	+78.3%	1,062	1,758	+65.5%
Hardin	262	213	-18.7%	448	424	-5.4%	505	501	-0.8%
Hawkins	1,042	992	-4.8%	1,445	1,427	-1.2%	1,628	1,748	+7.4%
Haywood	1,090	838	-23.1%	1,807	1,216	-32.7%	2,020	1,384	-31.5%
Henderson	531	546	+2.8%	846	865	+2.2%	1,155	1,064	-7.9%
Henry	456	365	-20.0%	914	678	-25.8%	1,075	772	-28.2%
Hickman	398	408	+2.5%	489	530	+8.4%	521	572	+9.8%
Houston	75	64	-14.7%	164	135	-17.7%	225	177	-21.3%
Humphreys	390	424	+8.7%	985	973	-1.2%	1,347	1,186	-12.0%
Jackson	179	134	-25.1%	311	264	-15.1%	315	266	-15.6%
Jefferson	1,233	1,166	-5.4%	3,203	3,228	+0.8%	3,498	3,798	+8.6%
Johnson	440	418	-5.0%	1,138	1,106	-2.8%	1,457	1,404	-3.6%
Johnson City	1,456	1,618	+11.1%	2,131	2,569	+20.6%	2,438	2,884	+18.3%
Knox	5,299	4,597	-13.2%	9,200	7,704	-16.3%	11,145	9,168	-17.7%
Lake	118	137	+16.1%	375	346	-7.7%	399	377	-5.5%



## Child, Case, and Referral Counts (by Court)

		Children			Cases			Referrals	
Court	2009	2010	+/- %	2009	2010	+/- %	2009	2010	+/- %
Lauderdale	937	1,151	+22.8%	1,352	1,663	+23.0%	1,434	1,740	+21.3%
Lawrence	827	626	-24.3%	999	1,243	+24.4%	1,179	1,763	+49.5%
Lewis	163	115	-29.4%	208	155	-25.5%	285	239	-16.1%
Lincoln	504	504	0.0%	701	716	+2.1%	794	808	+1.8%
Loudon	687	592	-13.8%	1,168	945	-19.1%	1,290	1,008	-21.9%
Macon	365	500	+37.0%	841	874	+3.9%	946	1,000	+8.8%
Madison	853	823	-3.5%	9,731	10,306	+5.9%	10,096		+5.1%
	283	262	-3.5% -7.4%	283	316	+11.7%	320	10,607	
Marion								341	+6.6%
Marshall	441	374	-15.2%	552	506	-8.3%	727	689	-5.2%
Maury	1,381	1,256	-9.1%	2,470	2,261	-8.5%	2,676	2,460	-8.1%
McMinn	613	579	-5.5%	3,240	2,838	-12.4%	3,497	3,116	-10.9%
McNairy	217	172	-20.7%	289	209	-27.7%	326	231	-29.1%
Meigs	277	339	+22.4%	277	341	+23.1%	286	349	+22.0%
Monroe	779	874	+12.2%	1,271	1,574	+23.8%	1,330	1,645	+23.7%
Montgomery	2,361	1,962	-16.9%	3,797	2,602	-31.5%	5,260	3,461	-34.2%
Moore	70	73	+4.3%	79	80	+1.3%	93	95	+2.2%
Morgan	278	305	+9.7%	447	512	+14.5%	457	514	+12.5%
Obion	281	221	-21.4%	342	270	-21.1%	453	372	-17.9%
Overton	210	230	+9.5%	301	341	+13.3%	323	362	+12.1%
Perry	37	29	-21.6%	38	32	-15.8%	39	32	-17.9%
Pickett	33	46	+39.4%	46	56	+21.7%	46	61	+32.6%
Polk	132	70	-47.0%	146	71	-51.4%	171	98	-42.7%
Putnam	1,104	916	-17.0%	1,825	1,428	-21.8%	2,184	1,826	-16.4%
Rhea	84	72	-14.3%	89	76	-14.6%	96	78	-18.8%
Roane	296	374	+26.4%	421	523	+24.2%	500	598	+19.6%
Robertson	1,367	1,225	-10.4%	2,459	2,071	-15.8%	2,736	2,351	-14.1%
Rutherford	1,706	1,426	-16.4%	2,469	1,943	-21.3%	3,058	2,519	-17.6%
Scott	150	199	+32.7%	168	199	+18.5%	168	212	+26.2%
Sequatchie	158	176	+11.4%	234	253	+8.1%	280	279	-0.4%
•				3,400		+5.7%			+12.5%
Sevier	1,644	1,661	+1.0%		3,594 17,276		3,686	4,146	
Shelby	13,206	12,792	-3.1%	17,522		-1.4%	21,851	21,683	-0.8%
Smith	172	177	+2.9%	331	473	+42.9%	349	497	+42.4%
Stewart	228	250	+9.6%	874	952	+8.9%	1,058	1,074	+1.5%
Sullivan Div I	811	882	+8.8%	1,178	1,362	+15.6%	1,372	1,501	+9.4%
Sullivan Div II	1,505	1,422	-5.5%	2,403	2,240	-6.8%	2,562	2,353	-8.2%
Sumner	2,375	2,279	-4.0%	4,130	3,722	-9.9%	4,812	4,280	-11.1%
Tipton	684	680	-0.6%	935	1,002	+7.2%	1,109	1,182	+6.6%
Trousdale	171	208	+21.6%	289	342	+18.3%	346	396	+14.5%
Unicoi	254	254	0.0%	372	345	-7.3%	442	425	-3.8%
Union	421	353	-16.2%	678	634	-6.5%	692	654	-5.5%
Van Buren	56	63	+12.5%	65	72	+10.8%	71	84	+18.3%
Warren	572	527	-7.9%	771	714	-7.4%	965	975	+1.0%
Washington	777	659	-15.2%	1,276	948	-25.7%	1,366	1,005	-26.4%
Wayne	337	326	-3.3%	585	571	-2.4%	675	740	+9.6%
Weakley	279	414	+48.4%	366	532	+45.4%	418	614	+46.9%
White	184	180	-2.2%	222	209	-5.9%	250	230	-8.0%
Williamson	2,464	2,111	-14.3%	4,287	3,319	-22.6%	5,448	4,179	-23.3%
Wilson	2,404	2,111	+5.8%	5,331	5,810	+9.0%	5,576	6,081	+9.1%
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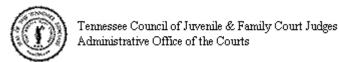


#### **Children Referred to Juvenile Court**

(by Court)

WM = White Male AAM = African American Male NAM = Native American Male AM = Asian Male MRM = Mixed Race Male UM = Unknown Race Male WF = White Female AAF = African American Female NAF = Native American Female AF = Asian Female MRF = Mixed Race Female UF = Unknown Race Female WU = White Unknown Sex AAU = African American Unknown Sex NAU = Native American Unknown Sex = Asian Unknown Sex MRU = Mixed Race Unknown Sex UU = Unknown Race Unknown Sex

Court WM																		
	AAM	NAM	AM	MRM	UM	WF	AAF	NAF	AF	MRF	UF	WU	AAU	NAU	AU	MRU	UU	Total
Anderson 345	39	1	2	4	19	221	12	0	1	4	21	2	0	0	0	0	3	674
Bedford 170	20	0	0	2	5	86	20	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	306
Benton 146	8	0	0	0	0	117	7	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	280
Bledsoe 73	11	0	0	2	0	47	1	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	141
<b>Blount</b> 1,340	108	3	3	40	0	1,183	100	4	4	37	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,825
Bradley 448	46	0	0	15	21	236	22	0	0	7	14	0	0	0	0	0	1	810
Bristol 387	28	0	0	7	2	271	13	2	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	717
Campbell 330	3	0	0	0	0	177	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	510
Cannon 111	1	0	0	1	0	60	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	174
Carroll 96	13	0	0	3	0	61	16	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	191
Carter 402	5	0	0	0	0	310	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	719
Cheatham 331	6	2	1	10	21	219	2	0	0	5	20	1	0	0	0	0	1	619
Chester 130	31	0	0	8	0	84	42	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	302
Claiborne 163	2	0	0	2	3	133	2	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	308
Clay 99	1	1	0	0	2	64	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	170
Cocke 482	18	1	0	15	16	414	9	1	1	10	5	0	0	0	0	0	3	975
Coffee 110	5	0	0	0	0	54	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	178
Crockett 50	14	0	0	9	0	11	7	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	93
Cumberland 204	0	0	0	1	10	113	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	332
Davidson 944	2,153	2	35	102	594	722	1,523	2	21	78	406	5	12	0	1	2	85	6,687
Decatur 71	3	0	0	6	0	44	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	132
DeKalb 119	2	0	0	0	0	47	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	170
Dickson 460	51	1	0	19	127	332	40	0	0	26	141	2	3	0	0	0	22	1,224
<b>Dyer</b> 228	105	0	1	0	3	124	52	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	519
Fayette 122	91	0	0	4	5	64	78	3	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	374
Fentress 91	3	0	0	0	0	53	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	147
Franklin 130	12	0	0	1	0	75	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	225
Gibson 332	307	0	0	24	1	226	251	1	0	23	0	1	5	0	0	0	3	1,174
Giles 155	31	1	0	11	0	92	13	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	309
Grainger 429	3	0	0	4	0	344	1	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	788
Greene 327	17	0	0	3	111	164	4	1	2	0	88	0	0	0	0	0	25	742
Grundy 136	2	0	0	3	0	83	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	226
Hamblen 451	49	0	1	5	4	374	33	0	0	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	927
Hamilton 1,107	1,216	1	5	31	30	828	917	1	0	34	17	0	1	0	0	0	3	4,191
Hancock 8	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16
Hardeman 117	312	1	2	3	41	78	223	0	1	5	49	3	140	0	0	0	61	1,036
Hardin 135	6	0	0	0	0	64	5	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	213
Hawkins 565	6	0	0	1	1	412	4	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	992
Haywood 76	340	1	0	9	0	82	320	0	0	9	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	838
Henderson 286	39	0	1	21	0	168	14	0	0	16	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	546
Henry 165	29	0	0	5	28	96	10	1	0	1	22	1	0	0	0	0	7	365
Hickman 210	1	0	0	9	1	176	5	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	408
Houston 42	2	0	0	2	0	16	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	64
Humphreys 215	10	0	1	16	4	150	10	1	0	13	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	424
Jackson 89	0	0	0	0	0	45	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	134
Jefferson 594	13	0	0	13	46	435	8	0	0	3	29	2	0	0	0	0	23	1,166
Johnson 255	1	0	1	0	4	150	1	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	418
Johnson City 743	103	0	3	61	15	524	77	0	3	62	21	0	0	0	0	0	6	1,618
<b>Knox</b> 1,705	489	2	8	73	264	1,314	379	2	7	67	220	3	2	0	0	1	61 2	4,597
<b>Lake</b> 49	19	0	0	7	0	36	18	0	0	5	1	0				0		137



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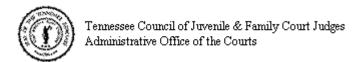
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Marshall 196 26 0 0 4 0 123 16 0 0 8 1 0 0 0 0	0 374
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<b>Monroe</b> 492 11 0 0 14 2 333 9 0 0 12 1 0 0 0 0	0 874
<b>Montgomery</b> 644 331 5 7 86 29 498 273 1 5 67 12 0 0 0 0 0	4 <b>1,962</b>
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Morgan 190 0 0 0 1 0 111 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0	0 <b>305</b>
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#### **Children Transferred to Adult Court**

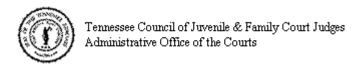
(by Court)

Court	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total
Shelby	7	137	0	0	3	1	1	149	52.7%
Hamilton	1	19	0	0	0	0	0	20	7.1%
Davidson	2	13	0	0	0	0	1	16	5.7%
Sumner	8	3	1	0	0	0	1	13	4.6%
Maury	4	5	0	1	0	0	0	10	3.5%
Wilson	6	2	0	0	0	0	0	8	2.8%
Gibson	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	1.8%
Montgomery	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	5	1.8%
Dyer	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.4%
Lawrence	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.4%
Robertson	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	4	1.4%
Carroll	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	1.1%
Johnson City	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.1%
McMinn	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.1%
Cheatham	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Grainger	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Hawkins	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Haywood	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Lauderdale	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Moore	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Putnam	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Warren	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Anderson	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Bedford	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Bledsoe	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Cannon	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Claiborne	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Cocke	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Coffee	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Cumberland	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Decatur	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Hamblen	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Hancock	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Hardin	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Henderson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Humphreys	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Jefferson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Knox	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Lake	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Marshall	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
McNairy	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Williamson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Totals	69	197	4	5	4	1	3	283	



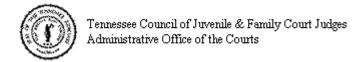
## Cases Transferred to Adult Court (by Court)

Court	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total
Shelby	11	188	0	0	3	1	1	204	49.8%
Hamilton	1	28	0	0	0	0	0	29	7.1%
Davidson	4	21	0	0	0	0	1	26	6.3%
Sumner	15	7	2	0	0	0	1	25	6.1%
Wilson	14	4	0	0	0	0	0	18	4.4%
Maury	7	9	0	1	0	0	0	17	4.1%
Robertson	10	1	0	1	0	0	0	12	2.9%
Gibson	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	5	1.2%
Johnson City	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1.2%
Lawrence	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	1.2%
Montgomery	1	3	0	0	1	0	0	5	1.2%
Claiborne	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.0%
Dyer	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.0%
Putnam	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.0%
Carroll	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	3	0.7%
Cheatham	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0.7%
Hardin	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0.7%
Haywood	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	0.7%
Lauderdale	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	3	0.7%
McMinn	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0.7%
Grainger	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0.5%
Hamblen	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.5%
Hawkins	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.5%
Humphreys	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.5%
Knox	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.5%
Moore	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0.5%
Warren	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.5%
Anderson	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Bedford	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Bledsoe	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Cannon	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Cocke	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Coffee	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Cumberland	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Decatur	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Hancock	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Henderson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Jefferson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Lake	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Marshall	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
McNairy	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Williamson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.2%
Totals	113	278	5	6	4	1	3	410	



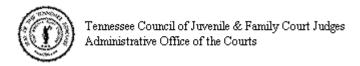
#### **Referral and Court Counts**

	<b>Referral Count</b>	% of All Referrals	<b>Court Count</b>	% of All Courts	
fenses Against Persons					
Criminal Homicide	12	0.01%	11	11.2%	
1st Degree Murder	22	0.01%	11	11.2%	
2nd Degree Murder	2	0.00%	2	2.0%	
Aggravated Rape	8	0.00%	6	6.1%	
Rape of a Child	232	0.13%	50	51.0%	
Aggravated Vehicular Homicide	4	0.00%	4	4.1%	
Esp. Aggravated Robbery	35	0.02%	15	15.3%	
Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping	12	0.01%	5	5.1%	
Aggravated Robbery	439	0.25%	30	30.6%	
Aggravated Kidnapping	22	0.01%	12	12.2%	
Aggravated Child Abuse / Neglect	13	0.01%	6	6.1%	
Aggravated Sexual Battery	163	0.09%	41	41.8%	
Rape	74	0.04%	18	18.4%	
Voluntary Manslaughter	1	0.00%	1	1.0%	
Vehicular Homicide	11	0.01%	5	5.1%	
Sexual Abuse of a Child	16	0.01%	5	5.1%	
Other Sexual Offenses	300	0.17%	59	60.2%	
Aggravated Assault	1,008	0.58%	77	78.6%	
Robbery	207	0.12%	22	22.4%	
Attempted Crime Against a Person	63	0.04%	19	19.4%	
Assault	7,110	4.08%	97	99.0%	
Reckless Endangerment	307	0.18%	60	61.2%	
Тс	otal 10,061	5.77%			
ffenses Against Property					
Aggravated Arson	38	0.02%	11	11.2%	
Arson	98	0.06%	33	33.7%	
Aggravated Burglary	1,347	0.77%	70	71.4%	
Theft of Property	7,057	4.04%	96	98.0%	
Vandalism	2,850	1.63%	93	94.9%	
Forgery	74	0.04%	26	26.5%	
Worthless Checks	7	0.00%	5	5.1%	
Illegal Poss/Use of Credit/Debit Cards	80	0.05%	23	23.5%	
Burglary	1,195	0.68%	88	89.8%	
Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle	197	0.11%	40	40.8%	
Cruelty to Animals	27	0.02%	13	13.3%	
To	otal 12,970	7.42%			



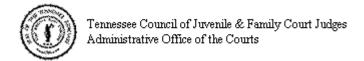
#### **Referral and Court Counts**

	Referral Count	% of All Referrals	<b>Court Count</b>	% of All Cour
gal Conduct				
Sale of Controlled Substances	380	0.22%	40	40.8%
Other Drug Offenses	1,682	0.96%	81	82.7%
Possession of Controlled Substances	3,159	1.81%	94	95.9%
Criminal Attempt	200	0.11%	16	16.3%
Carrying Weapons on School Property	480	0.28%	57	58.2%
Unlawful Carrying / Poss of a Weapon	659	0.38%	61	62.2%
Evading Arrest	795	0.46%	68	69.4%
Escape	219	0.13%	27	27.6%
Driving Under Influence (DUI)	188	0.11%	60	61.2%
Possession/Consumption of Alcohol	2,049	1.17%	91	92.9%
Resist Stop/Frisk/Halt/Arrest/Search	704	0.40%	58	59.2%
Aggravated Criminal Trespass	108	0.06%	22	22.4%
Harassment	326	0.19%	66	67.3%
Failure to Appear	304	0.17%	29	29.6%
Filing a False Police Report	183	0.10%	49	50.0%
Criminal Impersonation	224	0.13%	37	37.8%
Disorderly Conduct	5,358	3.07%	85	86.7%
Criminal Trespass	1,699	0.97%	73	74.5%
Public Intoxication	540	0.31%	63	64.3%
Gambling	133	0.08%	7	7.1%
Traffic	14,022	8.04%	97	99.0%
Local Ordinances	157	0.09%	29	29.6%
Violation of Wildlife Regulations	116	0.07%	36	36.7%
Contempt of Court	3,539	2.03%	44	44.9%
Violation of Probation	4,676	2.68%	90	91.8%
Violation of Aftercare	362	0.21%	43	43.9%
Tota	l 42,262	24.23%		
tus Offenses				
Unruly Behavior	4,258	2.44%	97	99.0%
Truancy	8,327	4.77%	96	98.0%
In-State Runaway	2,092	1.20%	81	82.7%
Out-of-State Runaway	42	0.02%	21	21.4%
Possession of Tobacco Products	3,416	1.96%	90	91.8%
Violation of a Valid Court Order	1,067	0.61%	51	52.0%
Violation of Curfew	2,811	1.61%	65	66.3%
Tota	I 22,013	12.61%		
pendency/Neglect				
Sexually Abused Child	21	0.01%	8	8.2%
Physically Abused Child	50	0.03%	14	14.3%
Dependency / Neglect	12,643	7.25%	79	80.6%
Termination of Parental Rights	696	0.40%	44	44.9%
Tota	I 13,410	7.69%		



#### **Referral and Court Counts**

	F	Referral Count	% of All Referrals	Court Count	% of All Courts
Other Violation Proceedings					
Violation of Pretrial Diversion		239	0.14%	19	19.4%
Violation of Informal Adjustment		90	0.05%	17	17.3%
1	Γotal	329	0.19%		
Parentage					
Custody		7,587	4.35%	71	72.4%
Visitation		1,884	1.08%	61	62.2%
Paternity / Legitimation		1,888	1.08%	55	56.1%
Child Support		12,186	6.98%	46	46.9%
1	Γotal	23,545	13.49%		
Special Proceedings					
Judicial Review		19,164	10.98%	63	64.3%
Administrative Review		14,913	8.55%	28	28.6%
Foster Care Review	Foster Care Review		1.62%	31	31.6%
Request for Medical Treatment	Request for Medical Treatment		0.12%	6	6.1%
Consent to Marry		2	0.00%	2	2.0%
1	Γotal	37,109	21.27%		
All Other Referrals					
Other		12,772	7.32%	76	77.6%
1	Γotal	12,772	7.32%		
Grand To	tals	174,471	100.00%		

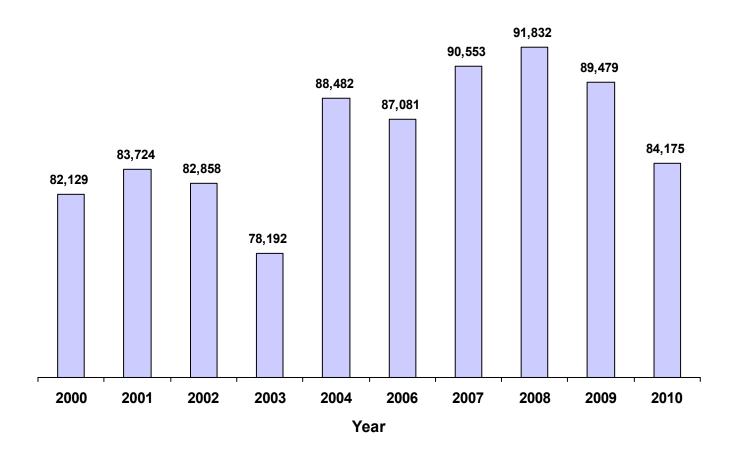


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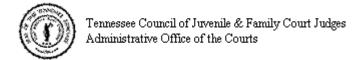


#### Trends Over Time for Calendar Years 2000 - 2010

#### **Children Referred to Tennessee Juvenile Courts**

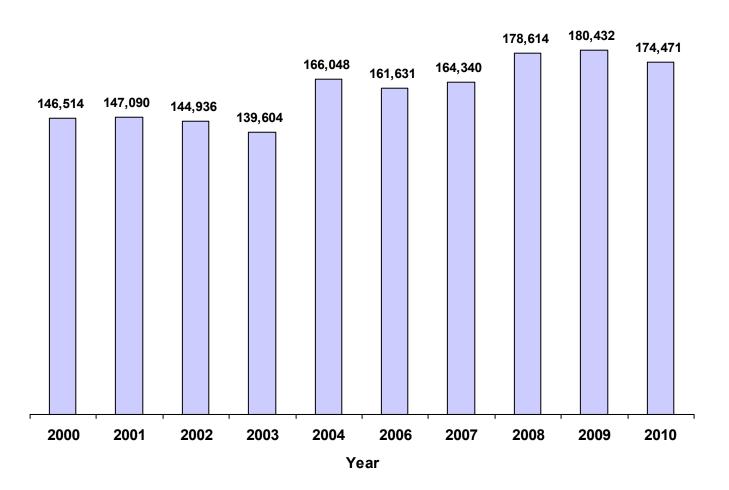


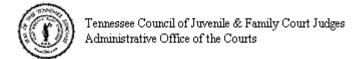
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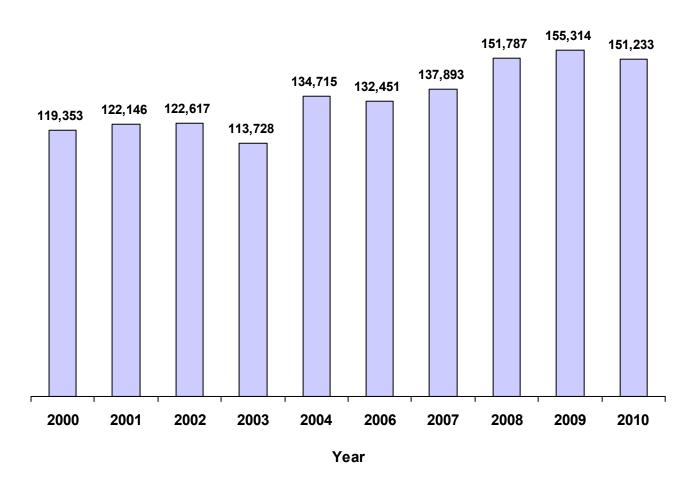
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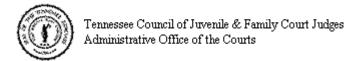




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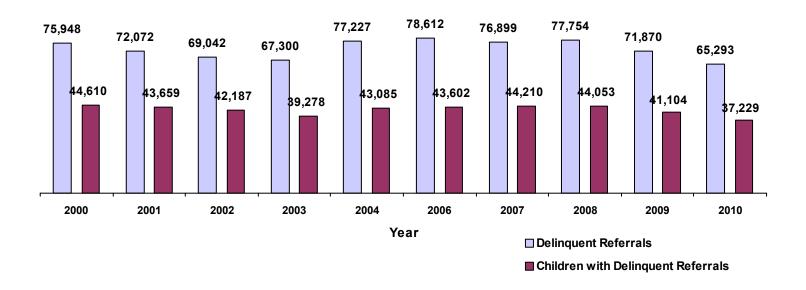
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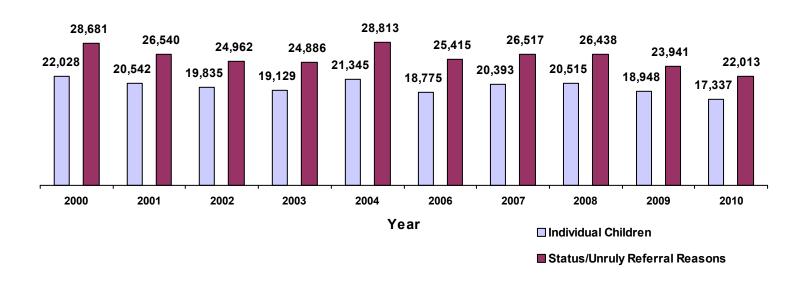


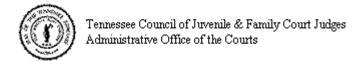
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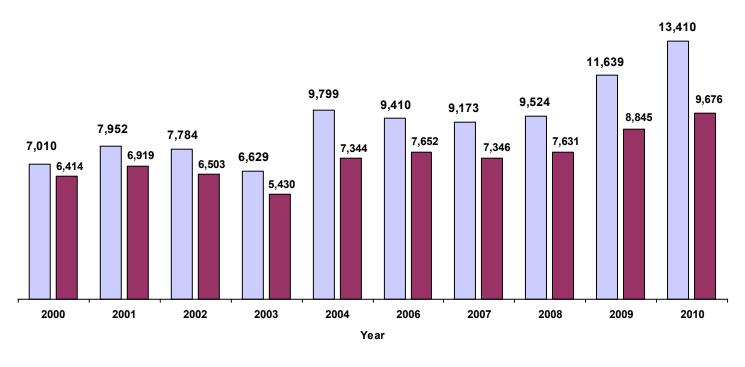
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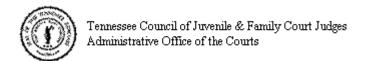


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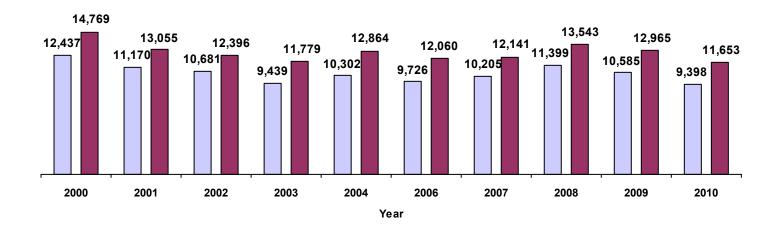


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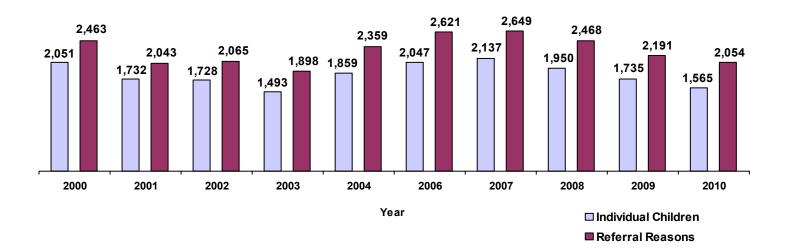


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# Crime Index by Individual Children and Referrals (Homicide, Robbery, Aggravated Assault, Rape, Larceny, and Burglary)



# Violent Crime Index by Individual Children and Referrals (Homicide, Robbery, Aggravated Assault, and Rape)



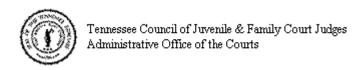
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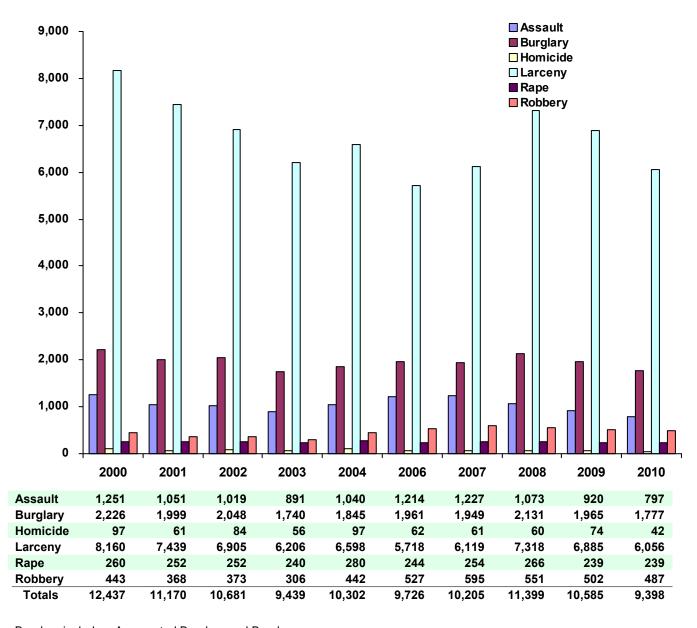
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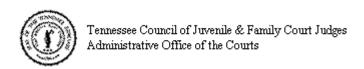
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Larceny includes: Theft of Property

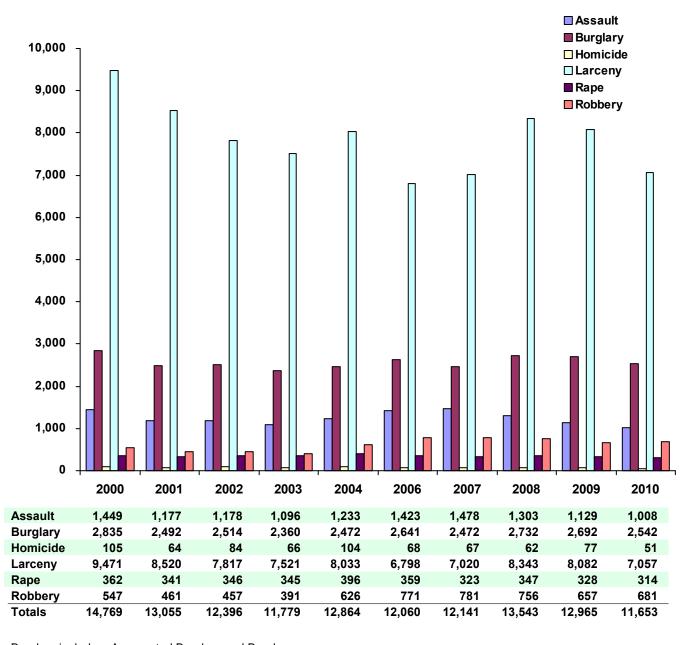
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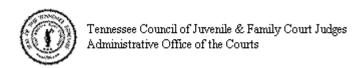
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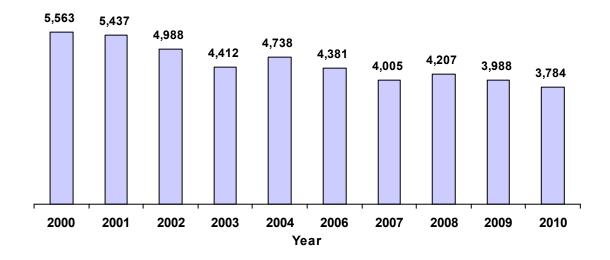
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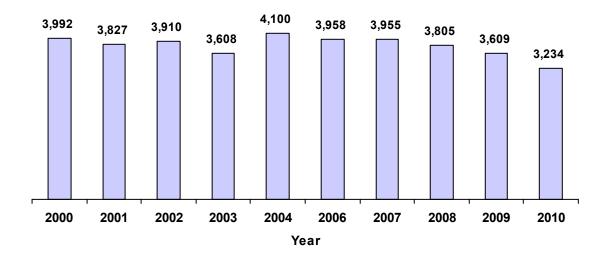


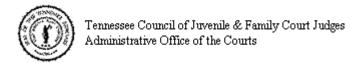
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# Commitments to Department of Children Services (DCS, DHS, DYD) for Secure or Non-Secure Placement with Referrals of Delinquent, Status, Dependency or Neglect



# Children Referred to Juvenile Court with Violation of Probation or Violation of Aftercare





# **Appendix**

# **Top 4 Referral Reasons**

(by Sex, Race, and Type)

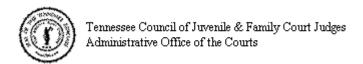
Sex	Race	Referral Type	R	eferral Reason	Total
Male	White	Delinquent	1	Traffic	7,526
Maic	VVIIICO	Domiquoni		Violation of Probation	2,394
				Theft of Property	2,25
				Assault	2,23
		Status		Truancy	3,19
		Status		Possession of Tobacco Products	
					2,37
				Unruly Behavior	1,789
		Dan and dan sure and Manda at		Violation of Curfew	89
		Dependency and Neglect		Dependency / Neglect	4,38
				Termination of Parental Rights	24
				Physically Abused Child	24
				Sexually Abused Child	2
		Other Court Action Violations		Violation of Pretrial Diversion	12
				Violation of Informal Adjustment	30
		Special Proceedings	1.	Judicial Review	9,57
			2.	Child Support	3,587
			3.	Administrative Review	3,349
			4.	Custody	2,629
		Other	1.	Other	4,312
Male	African American	Delinquent	1.	Disorderly Conduct	2,194
			2.	Assault	2,15
			3.	Theft of Property	1,879
			4.	Traffic	1,55
		Status	1.	Truancy	1,25
			2.	Violation of Curfew	978
				Unruly Behavior	667
				In-State Runaway	338
		Dependency and Neglect		Dependency / Neglect	1,298
		Dependency and Neglect		Termination of Parental Rights	3(
				Physically Abused Child	3
				Sexually Abused Child	,
		Other Court Action Violations			
		Other Court Action Violations		Violation of Pretrial Diversion	,
		On a sial Duana and a ma		Violation of Informal Adjustment	F 45
		Special Proceedings		Administrative Review	5,15
				Child Support	2,054
				Judicial Review	1,534
				Custody	850
		Other	1.	Other	2,360
Male	Other Race	Delinquent	1.	Traffic	14:
			2.	Theft of Property	9(
				Violation of Probation	94
				Assault	9:
		Status		Truancy	89
		Ciaius		Unruly Behavior	8
				Possession of Tobacco Products	3
				Violation of Curfew	3
		Dependency and Neglect		Dependency / Neglect	25
		Dopondonoy and Neglect		Termination of Parental Rights	25
		Other Court Action Violations		<del>-</del>	
		Other Court Action Violations		Violation of Pretrial Diversion	
		0 110 "		Violation of Informal Adjustment	
		Special Proceedings		Judicial Review	37
				Child Support	16
				Custody	15
			4.	Administrative Review	12
		Other	4	Other	27



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(by Sex, Race, and Type)

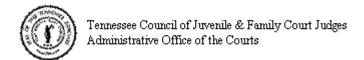
Sex Race	Race	Referral Type	Referral Reason	Tota
Female	White	Delinquent	1. Traffic	3,70
i ciliale	vviiite	Delinquent	Theft of Property	1,52
			3. Assault	1,1
			Contempt of Court	
		Ctatus	•	1,04
		Status	1. Truancy	2,72
			2. Unruly Behavior	1,2
			3. In-State Runaway	7′
			Possession of Tobacco Products	57
		Dependency and Neglect	Dependency / Neglect	4,47
			Termination of Parental Rights	2
			<ol><li>Physically Abused Child</li></ol>	2
			Sexually Abused Child	•
		Other Court Action Violations	<ol> <li>Violation of Pretrial Diversion</li> </ol>	8
			<ol><li>Violation of Informal Adjustment</li></ol>	4
		Special Proceedings	Judicial Review	5,6
			<ol><li>Child Support</li></ol>	2,8
			3. Custody	2,4
			4. Administrative Review	2,4
		Other	1. Other	2,9
emale	African American	Delinquent	1. Assault	1,4
Ciriaic	Amount Amonoun	Demiquent	Disorderly Conduct	1,4
			•	1,1
			Theft of Property     Traffic	1,14
		Chahua		
		Status	1. Truancy	7-
			2. Violation of Curfew	3'
			3. Unruly Behavior	34
			4. In-State Runaway	2
		Dependency and Neglect	<ol> <li>Dependency / Neglect</li> </ol>	1,2
			<ol><li>Termination of Parental Rights</li></ol>	
		Other Court Action Violations	<ol> <li>Violation of Pretrial Diversion</li> </ol>	
			<ol><li>Violation of Informal Adjustment</li></ol>	
		Special Proceedings	<ol> <li>Administrative Review</li> </ol>	3,5
			<ol><li>Child Support</li></ol>	1,6
			3. Custody	8
			4. Judicial Review	6
		Other	1. Other	1,4
emale	Other Race	Delinquent	1. Traffic	
Ciriaic	Other Race	Delinquent	Theft of Property	
			3. Contempt of Court	
			Violation of Probation	
		Otation		
		Status	1. Truancy	
			2. Unruly Behavior	
			3. In-State Runaway	
			4. Violation of Curfew	
		Dependency and Neglect	<ol> <li>Dependency / Neglect</li> </ol>	2
			Termination of Parental Rights	:
		Other Court Action Violations	<ol> <li>Violation of Pretrial Diversion</li> </ol>	
			2. Violation of Informal Adjustment	
		Special Proceedings	Judicial Review	3
			2. Custody	1
			Administrative Review	1-
			4. Child Support	1:
		Other	1. Other	2:



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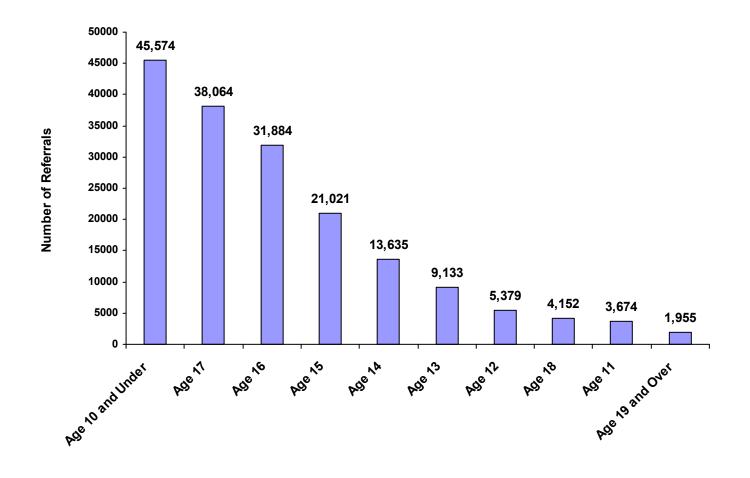
(by Sex, Race, and Type)

Sex	Race	Referral Type	Referral Reason	Total
Unknown	Unknown	Delinquent	1. Traffic	422
			2. Contempt of Court	247
			3. Violation of Probation	82
			4. Theft of Property	81
		Status	1. Truancy	256
			2. Unruly Behavior	88
			3. Violation of Curfew	71
			4. Possession of Tobacco Products	51
		Dependency and Neglect	<ol> <li>Dependency / Neglect</li> </ol>	686
			<ol><li>Termination of Parental Rights</li></ol>	82
			3. Physically Abused Child	1
		Other Court Action Violations	<ol> <li>Violation of Pretrial Diversion</li> </ol>	4
		Special Proceedings	Child Support	1,776
			2. Judicial Review	1,006
			3. Custody	483
			4. Paternity / Legitimation	235
		Other	1. Other	1,178



# Referrals (by Age)

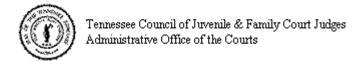
	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total Referrals
Age 10 and Under	15,570	5,583	931	13,485	4,436	970	4,599	45,574	26.12%
Age 11	1,349	619	59	966	416	47	218	3,674	2.11%
Age 12	1,998	1,043	112	1,247	688	46	245	5,379	3.08%
Age 13	3,018	2,280	146	2,014	1,335	95	245	9,133	5.23%
Age 14	4,965	3,374	196	2,841	1,836	124	299	13,635	7.82%
Age 15	7,991	5,612	251	4,240	2,271	191	465	21,021	12.05%
Age 16	12,662	7,588	432	6,748	3,550	271	633	31,884	18.27%
Age 17	17,042	7,975	515	7,904	3,536	274	818	38,064	21.82%
Age 18	2,077	750	48	845	305	33	94	4,152	2.38%
Age 19 and Over	767	417	16	360	178	8	209	1,955	1.12%
Totals	67,439	35,241	2,706	40,650	18,551	2,059	7,825	174,471	



# Referrals (by Type and Age)

		White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total Referrals
Delinquent										
Age 10 and Under		1,114	514	58	755	243	61	138	2,883	1.65%
Age 11		298	246	8	102	116	2	18	790	0.45%
Age 12		615	583	31	214	272	14	37	1,766	1.01%
Age 13		1,155	1,169	61	451	554	22	67	3,479	1.99%
Age 14		2,212	1,881	82	825	807	46	91	5,944	3.41%
Age 15		3,618	3,070	117	1,376	1,156	64	189	9,590	5.50%
Age 16		7,017	4,330	219	3,134	1,509	107	325	16,641	9.54%
Age 17		10,342	5,203	316	4,149	1,717	135	488	22,350	12.81%
Age 18		787	311	22	256	97	6	19	1,498	0.86%
Age 19 and Over		148	67	0	56	48	1	32	352	0.20%
·	Total	27,306	17,374	914	11,318	6,519	458	1,404	65,293	37.42%
Status										
Age 10 and Under		637	182	18	565	169	13	43	1,627	0.93%
Age 11		208	58	8	122	44	4	10	454	0.26%
Age 12		352	88	16	262	68	4	18	808	0.46%
Age 13		579	226	19	450	126	12	21	1,433	0.82%
Age 14		1,083	398	24	699	225	24	52	2,505	1.44%
Age 15		1,735	661	43	1,117	303	38	93	3,990	2.29%
Age 16		2,273	1,007	76	1,371	455	52	142	5,376	3.08%
Age 17		2,458	1,002	68	1,408	451	41	154	5,582	3.20%
Age 18		86	69	4	42	16	1	8	226	0.13%
Age 19 and Over		4	4	0	2	2	0	0	12	0.01%
	Total	9,415	3,695	276	6,038	1,859	189	541	22,013	12.62%
Dependency and	Neglect									
Age 10 and Under		3,466	934	224	3,395	883	227	626	9,755	5.59%
Age 11		198	39	8	192	60	11	27	535	0.31%
Age 12		205	65	10	173	69	7	37	566	0.32%
Age 13		171	53	6	222	65	6	17	540	0.31%
Age 14		170	67	11	182	58	7	22	517	0.30%
Age 15		169	67	5	200	58	4	13	516	0.30%
Age 16		143	65	9	222	74	9	15	537	0.31%
Age 17		133	41	9	170	64	2	12	431	0.25%
Age 18		4	2	0	5	0	0	0	11	0.01%
Age 19 and Over		0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	0.00%
	Total	4,659	1,333	282	4,762	1,332	273	769	13,410	7.69%

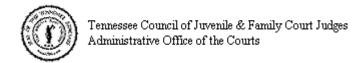
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# Referrals (by Type and Age)

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total Referral
Other Court Action Viol	lations								
Age 10 and Under	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	4	0.00%
Age 11	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.00%
Age 12	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	6	0.00%
Age 13	13	1	0	3	1	0	0	18	0.01%
Age 14	24	5	3	25	0	1	0	58	0.03%
Age 15	31	2	4	15	2	1	3	58	0.03%
Age 16	34	4	0	29	1	1	1	70	0.04%
Age 17	37	3	1	47	4	2	0	94	0.05%
Age 18	9	0	0	11	0	0	0	20	0.01%
Age 19 and Over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00%
Tota		16	9	133	8	5	4	329	0.19%
Special Proceedings									
Age 10 and Under	8,907	3,273	504	7,416	2,561	515	2,991	26,167	15.00%
Age 11	533	219	28	453	160	24	124	1,541	0.88%
Age 12	681	234	50	498	236	18	112	1,829	1.05%
Age 13	923	727	53	761	491	50	101	3,106	1.78%
Age 14	1,226	850	57	936	625	36	90	3,820	2.19%
Age 15	2,061	1,555	59	1,256	613	69	120	5,733	3.29%
Age 16	2,634	1,764	102	1,693	1,350	84	102	7,729	4.43%
Age 17	3,289	1,332	84	1,781	1,114	73	99	7,772	4.45%
Age 18	879	260	10	435	152	23	36	1,795	1.03%
Age 19 and Over	460	243	6	206	88	5	154	1,162	0.67%
Tota		10,457	953	15,435	7,390	897	3,929	60,654	34.76%
All Other Referrals	11,000	10,401	000	10,400	7,000	001	0,020	00,004	34.707
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Age 10 and Under	1,444	680	127	1,352	580	154	801	5,138	2.949
Age 11	111	57	7	97	36	6	39	353	0.209
Age 12	142	72	4	99	43	3	41	404	0.239
Age 13	177	104	7	127	98	5	39	557	0.329
Age 14	250	173	19	174	121	10	44	791	0.459
Age 15	377	257	23	276	139	15	47	1,134	0.659
Age 16	561	418	26	299	161	18	48	1,531	0.889
Age 17	783	394	37	349	186	21	65	1,835	1.05%
Age 18	312	108	12	96	40	3	31	602	0.359
Age 19 and Over	155	103	10	95	39	2	23	427	0.249
Tota	4,312	2,366	272	2,964	1,443	237	1,178	12,772	7.32%
Grand Tota	il 67,439	35,241	2,706	40,650	18,551	2,059	7,825	174,471	100.00%

<sup>\*</sup> Age calculated at time of referral

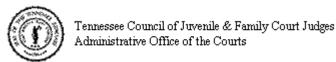


# Children Under Age 18 at Time of Referral

(by Court)

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Court	WM	AAIVI	NAM	AIVI	MRM	UM	WF	AAF	NAF	AF	MRF	UF	WU	AAU	NAU	AU	MRU	00	Total
Anderson	246	13	0	2	3	8	154	9	0	1	3	16	2	0	0	0	0	1	458
Bedford	170	19	0	0	2	5	85	19	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	303
Benton	145	8	0	0	0	0	116	6	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	277
Bledsoe	72	11	0	0	1	0	47	1	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	139
Blount	1,293	96	3	3	40	0	1,137	96	4	4	35	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,714
Bradley	422	43	0	0	14	21	223	22	0	0	7	14	0	0	0	0	0	1	767
Bristol	385	28	0	0	7	2	270	13	2	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	714
Campbell	317	3	0	0	0	0	177	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	497
Cannon	110	1	0	0	1	0	60	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	173
Carroll	95	13	0	0	2	0	61	16	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	189
Carter	401	5	0	0	0	0	310	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	718
Cheatham	327	6	2	1	10	21	218	2	0	0	5	20	1	0	0	0	0	1	614
Chester	130	30	0	0	8	0	84	42	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	301
Claiborne	161	2	0	0	2	3	132	2	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	305
Clay	93	1	1	0	0	2	59	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	159
Cocke	463	17	1	0	15	15	400	9	1	1	10	5	0	0	0	0	0	3	940
Coffee	110	5	0	0	0	0	54	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	178
Crockett	44	13	0	0	8	0	10	6	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	83
Cumberland	195	0	0	0	1	10	111	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	321
Davidson	873	1,995	2	29	98	570	692	1,465	2	20	74	397	5	12	0	1	2	83	6,320
Decatur	70	3	0	0	6	0	44	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	131
DeKalb	116	2	0	0	0	0	46	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	166
Dickson	430	43	1	0	18	120	315	37	0	0	26	137	2	3	0	0	0	21	1,153
Dyer	224	104	0	1	0	3	123	52	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	513
Fayette	118	87	0	0	4	5	63	77	3	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	364
Fentress	90	3	0	0	0	0	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	145
Franklin	128	11	0	0	1	0	72	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	219
Gibson	324	284	0	0	23	1	221	227	0	0	23	0	1	5	0	0	0	2	1,111
Giles	151	31	1	0	11	0	90	13	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	303
Grainger	421	3	0	0	4	0	334	1	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	770
Greene	302	17	0	0	3	110	142	3	1	2	0	87	0	0	0	0	0	25	692
Grundy	134	2	0	0	3	0	83	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	224
Hamblen	438	46	0	1	5	4	362	31	0	0	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	897
Hamilton	1,101	1,204	0	5	30	30	827	910	1	0	34	17	0	1	0	0	0	3	4,163
Hancock	8	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16 954
Hardeman Hardin	115 135	283	1	2	3	38 0	69 64	201	0	1	5 0	43	3	131	0	0	0	59 0	213
Hawkins	544	5	0	0	1	1	401	5 4	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	959
Haywood	70	318	1	0	9	0	77	290	0	0	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	774
Henderson	284	39	0	1	21	0	167	14	0	0	16	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	543
Henry	165	27	0	0	5	28	95	10	1	0	1	22	1	0	0	0	0	7	362
Hickman	205	1	0	0	9	1	173	4	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	399
Houston	42	2	0	0	2	0	15	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63
Humphreys	202	8	0	1	15	4	142	5	1	0	11	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	393
Jackson	87	0	0	0	0	0	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	130
Jefferson	582	11	0	0	13	44	429	7	0	0	3	29	2	0	0	0	0	23	1,143
Johnson	242	1	0	1	0	4	143	1	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	398
Johnson City		97	0	3	59	15	514	72	0	3	62	21	0	0	0	0	0	6	1,575
Knox	1,678	473	2	8	73	261	1,293	376	2	7	67	220	3	2	0	0	1	60	4,526
Lake	49	19	0	0	7	0	36	18	0	0	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	137
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# Children Under Age 18 at Time of Referral

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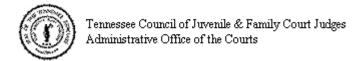
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Court	WM	AAM	NAM	AM	MRM	1 UM	WF	AAF	NAF	AF	MRF	UF	WU	AAU	NAU	AU	MRU	UU	Total
Lauderdale	290	310	0	0	14	8	215	258	2	0	10	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,114
Lawrence	325	16	0	1	7	0	235	9	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	597
Lewis	71	2	0	0	0	0	39	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	113
Lincoln	285	39	0	0	0	0	155	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	502
Loudon	334	10	0	0	4	0	223	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	579
Macon	273	4	0	0	2	0	209	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	3	494
Madison	142	364	0	0	1	0	89	221	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	817
Marion	148	6	0	0	4	1	90	5	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	257
Marshall	185	25	0	0	4	0	119	16	0	0	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	358
Maury	496	135	0	2	26	49	353	104	0	0	22	31	8	4	0	0	0	20	1,250
McMinn	323	32	0	1	14	0	158	15	0	3	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	558
McNairy	103	11	0	0	3	1	52	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	172
Meigs	172	2	0	0	5	0	152	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	335
Monroe	476	11	0	0	14	2	320	8	0	0	11	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	843
Montgomery	627	324	5	7	86	29	488	272	1	5	67	12	0	0	0	0	0	3	1,926
Moore	45	0	0	0	5	0	20	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	71
Morgan	187	0	0	0	1	0	111	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	302
Obion	123	18	0	0	1	0	62	11	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	218
Overton	125	1	0	0	2	0	95	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	226
Perry	18	3	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	26
Pickett	24	0	0	0	3	0	17	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	45
Polk	50	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	69
Putnam	472	16	0	0	8	10	336	10	0	1	4	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	864
Rhea	26	4	0	0	1	0	37	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	72
Roane	214	9	0	0	6	0	131	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	366
Robertson	494	170	0	1	6	158	214	41	0	0	4	99	1	0	0	0	0	3	1,191
Rutherford	557	269	0	27	13	12	363	135	0	16	8	7	0	0	0	2	0	0	1,409
Scott	127	0	0	0	0	0	70	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	197
Sequatchie	101	0	2	0	4	1	65	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	175
Sevier	832	17	1	1	20	27	656	7	5	0	16	18	0	0	0	0	0	1	1,601
Shelby	1,218	6,352	3	22	80	8	827	4,032	4	12	84	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	12,648
Smith Stewart	86 142	9	0	0	8 10	2	56	3	0	0	9	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	176 239
Sullivan Div I		8	0	0	4	1	74 362	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	841
Sullivan Div I		41	1	0	2	188	423	32	2	0	5	147	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,371
Sumner	1,061	170	1	7	48	48	647	106	1	0	26	22	0	0	0	0	0	12	2,149
Tipton	281	144	0	3	3	0	166	78	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	677
Trousdale	91	15	0	0	3	1	61	9	0	0	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	188
Unicoi	130	0	0	0	1	4	115	1	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	254
Union	191	5	0	0	0	0	150	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	348
Van Buren	42	1	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	63
Warren	320	10	0	0	9	0	155	14	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	512
Washington	382	2	0	0	6	0	236	2	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	633
Wayne	170	3	0	0	6	0	139	1	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	324
Weakley	171	38	0	0	5	6	163	24	0	0	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	412
White	114	3	0	0	5	0	55	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	177
Williamson	1,038	108	0	9	26	45	615	63	0	4	17	47	12	2	0	0	1	9	1,996
Wilson	941	269	1	2	8	73	516	120	1	3	7	23	1	1	0	0	0	0	1,966
Totals		14,415	29				20,721	9,741	37	89		1,502	48	161	0	3		357	81,327
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# Children Under Age 18 Transferred to Adult Court (by Court)

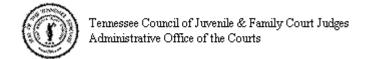
Court	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total
Shelby	2	110	0	0	3	1	1	117	60.0%
Hamilton	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	14	7.2%
Davidson	1	11	0	0	0	0	0	12	6.2%
Maury	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	6	3.1%
Sumner	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	6	3.1%
Dyer	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	2.1%
Gibson	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	2.1%
Montgomery	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	3	1.5%
Haywood	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.0%
Lawrence	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.0%
McMinn	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.0%
Moore	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	1.0%
Robertson	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.0%
Wilson	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	1.0%
Anderson	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Bledsoe	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Cannon	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Carroll	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Cheatham	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Coffee	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Grainger	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Hamblen	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Hardin	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Humphreys	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Jefferson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Lake	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Lauderdale	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Marshall	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
McNairy	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Putnam	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Warren	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.5%
Totals	27	156	3	3	4	1	1	195	



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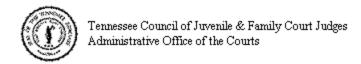
# Cases for Children Under Age 18 Transferred to Adult Court

Court	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total	% of Total
Ob aller	0	450	0	0	2	4	4	450	F7 70/
Shelby	3	150	0	0	3	1	1	158	57.7%
Hamilton	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	23	8.4%
Davidson	1	19	0	0	0	0	0	20	7.3%
Maury	5	7	0	0	0	0	0	12	4.4%
Sumner	6	2	2	0	0	0	0	10	3.6%
Wilson	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	5	1.8%
Dyer	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.5%
Gibson	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	1.5%
Hardin	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.1%
Haywood	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.1%
Montgomery	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	3	1.1%
Putnam	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1.1%
Hamblen	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Humphreys	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Lauderdale	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Lawrence	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.7%
McMinn	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Moore	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Robertson	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0.7%
Anderson	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Bledsoe	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Cannon	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Carroll	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Cheatham	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Coffee	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Grainger	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Jefferson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Lake	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Marshall	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
McNairy	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Warren	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0.4%
Totals	37	223	4	4	4	1	1	274	



<sup>\*</sup> Based on age at time of case disposition

# Glossary



Abuse When a child is suffering from, has sustained, or may

be in immediate danger of suffering from or sustaining a wound; injury; disability; or physical or mental condition caused by brutality, neglect, or other action or inaction

of a parent, relative, guardian, or caretaker.

Adoptive Parent "Adoptive parent(s)" means the person(s) who have

been made the legal parents of a child by the entry of an order of adoption under this part or under the provisions of the laws of any state, territory or foreign

country. T.C.A. § 36-1-102(7).

**Adjudication** Judicial fact finding determination (judgment) of a case

(e.g., guilty or not guilty).

Aftercare The supervision given to a child for a limited period of

time after they are released from commitment to a state

agency.

**Biological Parent** Person, either man or woman, who physically or

genetically conceived the child who is the subject of an

adoption or termination proceedings.

Burglary The unlawful entry of a structure to commit a felony or a

theft.

CASA Court Appointed Special Advocate (usually volunteers)

who serve to ensure that the needs and interests of a child in child protection judicial proceedings are fully

protected.

CSA Community Service Agency (CSA): Quasi-

governmental agencies which contract with the

Department of Children's Services to provide needed services to families and children within the community.

Each region within the Department of Children's

Services is served by a different CSA.

Case All Referral Reasons/Charges reported to the court (via

complaint, petition, motion, etc.) on a given day for a

given child.



**Child(ren)** "Child" or "children" means any person or persons

under eighteen (18) years of age. T.C.A. § 36-1-102(13). A person 18 years or older may not be committed to or remain in the custody of the

Department of Children's Services by virtue of being adjudicated dependent and neglected or unruly. T.C.A.

§ 37-1-102(4)(C).

**Commitment** A decision by the judge that a child should be sent to a

state agency for monitoring or care of the child.

**Contempt of Court** A willful disobedience of a court order or willful

interference with the administration of justice.

**Court** Chancery, circuit, or general sessions court, including

juvenile, probate and criminal court. Often the term court is used interchangeably with judge or magistrate, as in the statement, "The lawyer presented evidence to

the Court".

**Crime Index** Includes homicide, robbery, aggravated assault, rape,

larceny and burglary.

**Custody** Control and actual physical care of the child; includes

the right and responsibility to provide for physical, mental, moral and emotional well being of the child. Custody does not exist by virtue of mere physical possession of the child. T.C.A. § 37-1-102(8).

**DCS** The Tennessee Department of Children's Services.

**Delinquency** Acts or conduct in violation of criminal law.

**Delinquent Act** An act committed by a juvenile that, if committed by an

adult, would require prosecution in a criminal court.

Because the act is committed by a juvenile it falls within

the jurisdiction of the juvenile court.

**Dependency Case** Those cases covering neglect or inadequate care on

the part of a parent or guardian, such as abandonment or desertion; abuse or cruel treatment; improper or inadequate conditions in the home; and insufficient care or support resulting from death, absence, or physical or

mental incapacity of the parent(s).



Detention The placement of youth in a restrictive facility between

> referral to court and the first court hearing (Detention Hearing). Also, a youth may be placed in a detention facility at different points as a case progresses through

the juvenile justice system.

**Disposition** Definitive action taken or treatment plan decided upon

regarding a particular case. (e.g., a course of treatment

and rehabilitation).

The date that the disposition (outcome) or the informal **Disposition Date** 

adjustment of each referral took place. This is the date

on which all reports produced by TCJFCJ are based.

The temporary placement of a child in the custody of the Department of Children's Services or any agency or institution, whether public or private, for care outside the home of a parent or relative, by blood or marriage, of the child, whether the placement is by court order,

voluntary placement agreement, surrender of parental rights or otherwise. T.C.A. § 37-1-102 (b)(15).

**Foster Care Review Board** 

**Foster Care** 

A board of citizen volunteers appointed by the juvenile court to periodically review foster care cases. The board serves the quasi-judicial function of advising the court concerning the status of the permanency process of each child in foster care. Depending on the jurisdiction, the board may review the cases of a delinquent or status offender in addition to abused and neglected

children.

**Foster Parent** "Foster parent" means, for purposes other than Kinship

> Foster Care Program as defined in T.C.A. § 37-2-414, a person who has been trained and approved by the department or licensed child-placing agency to provide full-time temporary out-of-home care at a private residence for a child or children who have been placed in foster care, or in the case of a child or children placed for adoption, a person who has provided care for the child or children for a period of six (6) months or longer in the absence of a power of attorney or court order.

T.C.A. § 37-1-102(b)(16).

**Guardian** "Guardian(s)" or "co-guardian(s)" means a person or

persons or an entity, other than the parent of a child, appointed by a court or defined by law specifically as "guardian" or "co-guardian" or "conservator" to provide supervision, protection for and care for the person or property, or both, of a child or adult. T.C.A. § 36-1-

102(24)(A).

**Guardian Ad Litem** In juvenile court, an attorney appointed by the court to

represent the best interests of a child. See Tennessee

Supreme Court Rule 40.

**Informal Adjustment** A non-judicial procedure whereby the juvenile court

staff, subject to court approval, makes the decision to attempt to remedy the situation alleged in the referral by giving counsel and advice to the parent(s) and child. This is a voluntary agreement in which no official finding of fact is made. Informal adjustments may be initiated

with or without a petition.

**Institution** Juvenile correctional or rehabilitation center.

Initial processing department that screens all referred

cases. The intake department may decide to dismiss the case for lack of legal sufficiency or to resolve the

matter formally or informally.

Judge An elected or appointed person/individual presiding

over the juvenile court proceedings.

**Jurisdiction** The power and authority of a court to hear a case or

controversy, and the power to render a decision or

judgment.

**Juvenile** Any individual under the chronological age of eighteen

(18) who has not been previously transferred to adult

court.

Juvenile Court Court dealing with juveniles, includes general sessions

courts and some chancery courts in Tennessee except in those counties and municipalities in which special

juvenile courts are provided by law.

Larceny/Theft The unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of

property from the possession of another.



Magistrate An individual, licensed to practice law in Tennessee,

who is appointed by the judge to hear cases. A

magistrate has the same authority as the judge to issue any and all process. The magistrate in the conduct of the proceedings has the powers of a trial judge. T.C.A.

§ 37-1-107.

Oral or written request made before, during, or after Motion

court hearings on which a court issues a ruling or order.

**Paternity** Determination of who is the father of a child.

Petition A document filed in a juvenile court alleging that a

> juvenile is a delinquent or status offender, or on the child's behalf and asking that the court assume jurisdiction over the juvenile, or juvenile's case.

**Pretrial Diversion** A procedure similar in nature to informal adjustment,

with no official finding as to guilt, except that a judge or

magistrate must approve any agreement.

**Probation** Supervision of the child to monitor behavior after finding

of guilt.

Referee/Magistrate An individual, licensed to practice law in Tennessee,

who is appointed by the judge to hear cases. A

referee/magistrate has the same authority and powers as the judge to issue process and conduct proceedings.

**Referral Date** The date the child was referred to the court on the

current referral reason/charges.

**Referral Source** The agency or individual filing a complaint with intake

that initiates court proceedings.

Retired or

When a case is retired after having remained open due **Nolle Prosequi** to some condition, or the prosecuting attorney makes a

formal entry on record that he/she will not prosecute the case further (nolle prosequi means unwilling to pursue).

Held by the juvenile court to review dispositions and to **Review Hearing** 

determine the need to maintain placement in out-of-

home care and/or jurisdiction of a child.



Robbery The taking or attempting to take anything of value from

> the care, custody, or control of a person or persons by force or threat of force or violence and/or by putting the

victim in fear.

**Status/Unruly Offenses** Includes acts or types of conduct that are offenses only

when committed or engaged in by a juvenile; these can

only be adjudicated by a juvenile court.

**Rights** 

Termination of Parental A legal proceeding forever severing all legal rights and

obligations of the parent so that others may adopt the

child.

**Truant** A child who willfully and unjustifiably fails to attend

school when attendance is required by law.

**Violent Crime Index** Includes referrals for homicide, robbery, forcible rape

and aggravated assault.

**YSO** Youth Services Officer. An official of the court whose

> duties include, but are not limited to, juvenile court intake, pre-hearing investigations, referral, supervision,

detention screenings, counseling, and/or record

keeping.

