



Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
Year to Date Summary Report
Based on Number of Reported Cases
January - December 2003

Juvenile Court	Sullivan Div. 2	
Court Number	98	
January - December 2003	1,679	<i>cases were disposed of or adjusted</i>
Affecting	1,059	<i>children</i>

General characteristics of these cases follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges

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

2	or	0.11%	Criminal Homicide
0	or	0.00%	1st Degree Murder
0	or	0.00%	2nd Degree Murder
0	or	0.00%	Aggravated Rape
9	or	0.48%	Rape of a Child
0	or	0.00%	Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	or	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	or	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
3	or	0.16%	Aggravated Robbery
1	or	0.05%	Aggravated Kidnapping
0	or	0.00%	Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
4	or	0.21%	Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	or	0.00%	Rape
0	or	0.00%	Voluntary Manslaughter
0	or	0.00%	Vehicular Homicide
0	or	0.00%	Sexual Abuse of a Child
4	or	0.21%	Other Sexual Offenses
17	or	0.90%	Aggravated Assault
0	or	0.00%	Robbery
0	or	0.00%	Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	or	0.00%	Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
96	or	5.10%	Assault
5	or	0.27%	Reckless Endangerment
0	or	0.00%	Aggravated Arson
0	or	0.00%	Arson

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5	or	0.27%	Aggravated Burglary
215	or	11.42%	Theft of Property
61	or	3.24%	Vandalism
8	or	0.43%	Forgery
0	or	0.00%	Worthless Checks
0	or	0.00%	Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
35	or	1.86%	Burglary
12	or	0.64%	Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	or	0.00%	Cruelty to Animals
10	or	0.53%	Sale of Controlled Substances
31	or	1.65%	Other Drug Offenses
66	or	3.51%	Possession of Controlled Substances
1	or	0.05%	Criminal Attempt:
10	or	0.53%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
2	or	0.11%	Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
10	or	0.53%	Evading Arrest
0	or	0.00%	Escape
9	or	0.48%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
64	or	3.40%	Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
9	or	0.48%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	or	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
7	or	0.37%	Harassment
1	or	0.05%	Failure to Appear
1	or	0.05%	Filing a False Police Report
1	or	0.05%	Criminal Impersonation
13	or	0.69%	Disorderly Conduct
25	or	1.33%	Criminal Trespass
11	or	0.58%	Public Intoxication
0	or	0.00%	Gambling
187	or	9.94%	Traffic
6	or	0.32%	Local Ordinances
0	or	0.00%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
1	or	0.05%	Contempt of Court

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1	or	0.05%	Violation of Probation
5	or	0.27%	Violation of Aftercare
71	or	3.77%	Unruly Behavior
69	or	3.67%	Truancy
0	or	0.00%	In-State Runaway
0	or	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
175	or	9.30%	Possession of Tobacco Products
195	or	10.36%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	or	0.00%	Violation of Curfew
0	or	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
3	or	0.16%	Physically Abused Child
230	or	12.22%	Dependency/Neglect
30	or	1.59%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	or	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	or	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
2	or	0.11%	Judicial Review
0	or	0.00%	Administrative Review
1	or	0.05%	Foster Care Review
42	or	2.23%	Custody
34	or	1.81%	Visitation
30	or	1.59%	Paternity/Legitimation
11	or	0.58%	Child Support
0	or	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	or	0.00%	Consent to Marry
41	or	2.18%	Other
1,882	or	100%	Total



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Referral Sources

710	or	37.73%	Law Enforcement
204	or	10.84%	Parents
100	or	5.31%	Relatives
2	or	0.11%	Self
230	or	12.22%	School
0	or	12.22%	CSA
179	or	9.51%	DCS
0	or	0.00%	Other State Department
0	or	0.00%	District Attorney's Office
156	or	8.29%	Court Staff
0	or	0.00%	Social Agency
32	or	1.70%	Other Court
244	or	12.96%	Victim
0	or	0.00%	Child & Parent
0	or	0.00%	Hospital
0	or	0.00%	Unknown
25	or	1.33%	Other
1,882	or	100%	Total

Age of Child at Referral

230	or	20.99%	Birth through Age 10
63	or	5.75%	Ages 11 through 12
132	or	12.04%	Ages 13 through 14
316	or	28.83%	Ages 15 through 16
349	or	31.84%	Ages 17 through 18
6	or	0.55%	Age 19 and Over
0	or	0.00%	Unknown/Not Reported
1,096	or	100%	Total



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Sex of Child

628	or	59.30%	Male
428	or	40.42%	Female
3	or	0.28%	Unknown
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1,059	or	100%	Total

Type of Detention

492	or	29.30%	Non-Secure Placement
116	or	6.91%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	or	0.00%	Jail - Complete Separation
0	or	0.00%	Jail - Partial Separation
0	or	0.00%	Jail - No Separation
1	or	0.06%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	or	0.00%	Unknown
701	or	41.75%	Does Not Apply
369	or	21.98%	Other
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1,679	or	100%	Total

School Enrollment of Child

1009	or	94.21%	Yes
61	or	5.70%	No
1	or	0.09%	Unknown
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1,071	or	100%	Total



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Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

12	or	0.71%	<i>Returned to Prior Living Arrangement</i>
15	or	0.89%	<i>Juvenile Detention Facility</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Jail</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Shelter Facility/Group Home</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Foster Family</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Psychiatric Hospital</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Unknown</i>
1626	or	96.84%	<i>Does Not Apply</i>
26	or	1.55%	<i>Other</i>
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1,679	or	100%	Total

Intake Actions

1507	or	80.07%	<i>Petition Filed</i>
9	or	0.48%	<i>Motion Filed</i>
308	or	16.37%	<i>Citation Processed</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Scheduling of Judicial Review</i>
23	or	1.22%	<i>Scheduling of Administrative Review</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Scheduling of Foster Care Review</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Other</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Unknown</i>
35	or	1.86%	<i>Does Not Apply</i>
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Race of Child

949	or	89.61%	<i>White</i>
86	or	8.12%	<i>African American</i>
1	or	0.09%	<i>Native American</i>
1	or	0.09%	<i>Asian</i>
22	or	2.08%	<i>Mixed Race</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Unknown</i>
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1,059	or	100%	Total

Hispanic Origin

14 or **1.32%** *Hispanic Origin*

Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral ²

239	or	21.73%	<i>Both Biological Parents</i>
31	or	2.82%	<i>Father and Stepmother</i>
123	or	11.18%	<i>Mother and Stepfather</i>
401	or	36.45%	<i>Mother</i>
90	or	8.18%	<i>Father</i>
127	or	11.55%	<i>Relatives</i>
8	or	0.73%	<i>Adoptive Parents</i>
43	or	3.91%	<i>Foster Family</i>
11	or	1.00%	<i>In a Group Home</i>
15	or	1.36%	<i>In a Residential Center</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>In an Institution</i>
7	or	0.64%	<i>Living Independently</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Unknown</i>
5	or	0.45%	<i>Other</i>
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1,100	or	100%	Total



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Last Grade Completed by Child

148	or	12.85%	<i>Too Young for School</i>
2	or	0.17%	<i>Pre-School</i>
22	or	1.91%	<i>Kindergarten</i>
16	or	1.39%	<i>First Grade</i>
15	or	1.30%	<i>Second Grade</i>
15	or	1.30%	<i>Third Grade</i>
26	or	2.26%	<i>Fourth Grade</i>
35	or	3.04%	<i>Fifth Grade</i>
60	or	5.21%	<i>Sixth Grade</i>
82	or	7.12%	<i>Seventh Grade</i>
161	or	13.98%	<i>Eighth Grade</i>
200	or	17.36%	<i>Ninth Grade</i>
220	or	19.10%	<i>Tenth Grade</i>
130	or	11.28%	<i>Eleventh Grade</i>
6	or	0.52%	<i>Twelfth Grade</i>
1	or	0.09%	<i>Non-graded Special-Ed</i>
12	or	1.04%	<i>GED</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Graduated</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Never Been in School</i>
1	or	0.09%	<i>Unknown</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Other</i>
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1,152	or	100%	<i>Total</i>

Enrolled in Special Education ²

128	or	11.95%	<i>Yes</i>
943	or	88.05%	<i>No</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Unknown</i>
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1,071	or	100%	<i>Total</i>



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Case Outcomes

116	or	2.87%	<i>Case Dismissed</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Case Retired or Nolle Prosequi</i>
64	or	1.58%	<i>Warned/Counseled</i>
1	or	0.02%	<i>Held Open for Review</i>
165	or	4.08%	<i>Supervision/Probation to Juvenile Court</i>
34	or	0.84%	<i>Probation to Parents</i>
548	or	13.55%	<i>Referral to Another Entity for Supervision/Service</i>
98	or	2.42%	<i>Referred for Mental Health Counseling</i>
158	or	3.91%	<i>Referred for Alcohol and Drug Counseling</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Referred to Alternative School</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Referred to Private Child Agency</i>
148	or	3.66%	<i>Referred to Defensive Driving School</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Referred to Alcohol Safety School</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Referred to Juvenile Court Education-Based Program</i>
64	or	1.58%	<i>Driver's License held Informally</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Voluntary Placement with DMHMR</i>
3	or	0.07%	<i>Private Mental Health Placement</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Private Mental Retardation Placement</i>
32	or	0.79%	<i>Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility</i>
159	or	3.93%	<i>Placement with Relative/Other Individual</i>
76	or	1.88%	<i>Fine</i>
93	or	2.30%	<i>Public Service</i>
132	or	3.26%	<i>Restitution</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Runaway Returned</i>
222	or	5.49%	<i>No Contact Order</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Injunction Other than No Contact Order</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>House Arrest</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Court Defined Curfew</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Dismissed from Informal Adjustment</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Dismissed from Pretrial Diversion</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Released from Probation</i>
4	or	0.10%	<i>Transferred to Adult Court</i>

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0	or	0.00%	<i>DMHMR Involuntary Commitment</i>
2	or	0.05%	<i>DCS Commitment - Determinate</i>
179	or	4.43%	<i>DCS Commitment/Custody</i>
99	or	2.45%	<i>DCS Commitment - Suspended</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>DCS Intensive Probation</i>
42	or	1.04%	<i>Other Intensive Probation</i>
207	or	5.12%	<i>DCS Probation</i>
389	or	9.62%	<i>Placed Under a Valid Court Order</i>
8	or	0.20%	<i>Supervision by DCS</i>
81	or	2.00%	<i>Transferred to another Juvenile Court for Disposition</i>
28	or	0.69%	<i>Parental Rights Terminated</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Parental Rights Not Terminated</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Order of Reference to DCS</i>
62	or	1.53%	<i>Court Cost</i>
4	or	0.10%	<i>Foster Care Terminated</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Foster Care Continued</i>
159	or	3.93%	<i>Custody Changed</i>
35	or	0.87%	<i>Custody Unchanged</i>
50	or	1.24%	<i>Visitation Changed</i>
1	or	0.02%	<i>Visitation Unchanged</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity</i>
31	or	0.77%	<i>Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated</i>
145	or	3.58%	<i>Child Support Granted</i>
10	or	0.25%	<i>Child Support Amended</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Child Support Denied</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Child Support Terminated</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Request for Medical Treatment Granted</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Request for Medical Treatment Denied</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Consent to Marry Granted</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Consent to Marry Denied</i>
396	or	9.79%	<i>Other</i>
4,045	or	100%	<i>Total</i>

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Action Executed By ²

1358	or	72.16%	<i>Judge</i>
163	or	8.66%	<i>Referee</i>
345	or	18.33%	<i>YSO</i>
16	or	0.85%	<i>Other</i>
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1,882	or	100%	<i>Total</i>

Formal/Informal Actions ²

124	or	6.59%	<i>Dismissed</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Retired or Nolle Prosequi</i>
534	or	28.37%	<i>Complaint Substantiated Delinquent</i>
181	or	9.62%	<i>Complaint Substantiated Status Offender</i>
211	or	11.21%	<i>Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected</i>
1	or	0.05%	<i>Complaint Substantiated Abused</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill</i>
373	or	19.82%	<i>Informal Adjustment</i>
150	or	7.97%	<i>Pretrial Diversion</i>
5	or	0.27%	<i>Transfer to Adult Court Hearing</i>
0	or	0.00%	<i>Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court</i>
137	or	7.28%	<i>Special Proceeding</i>
1	or	0.05%	<i>Review Concluded</i>
15	or	0.80%	<i>Case Held Open</i>
150	or	7.97%	<i>Other</i>
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1,882	or	100%	<i>Total</i>