



Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges Summary Report Based on Number of Reported Cases January - December 2010

Juvenile Court: **Benton**

Court Number: **3**

Cases Disposed or Adjusted: **342**

Children: **280**

General characteristics of these cases follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges:

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

0	0.00%	Criminal Homicide
0	0.00%	1st Degree Murder
0	0.00%	2nd Degree Murder
0	0.00%	Aggravated Rape
1	0.29%	Rape of a Child
0	0.00%	Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Robbery
0	0.00%	Aggravated Kidnapping
0	0.00%	Aggravated Child Abuse / Neglect
1	0.29%	Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	0.00%	Rape
0	0.00%	Voluntary Manslaughter
0	0.00%	Vehicular Homicide
0	0.00%	Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	0.00%	Other Sexual Offenses
3	0.86%	Aggravated Assault
0	0.00%	Robbery
0	0.00%	Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	0.00%	Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
10	2.86%	Assault
0	0.00%	Reckless Endangerment
0	0.00%	Aggravated Arson
3	0.86%	Arson
3	0.86%	Aggravated Burglary
5	1.43%	Theft of Property
8	2.29%	Vandalism
0	0.00%	Forgery



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0	0.00%	Worthless Checks
0	0.00%	Illegal Possession / Fraudulent Use of Credit / Debit Cards
1	0.29%	Burglary
0	0.00%	Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle
0	0.00%	Cruelty to Animals
1	0.29%	Sale of Controlled Substances
1	0.29%	Other Drug Offenses
4	1.14%	Possession of Controlled Substances
0	0.00%	Criminal Attempt
0	0.00%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	0.00%	Unlawful Carrying / Possession of a Weapon
0	0.00%	Evading Arrest
0	0.00%	Escape
2	0.57%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
12	3.43%	Possession / Consumption of Alcohol
0	0.00%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	0.00%	Harassment
0	0.00%	Failure to Appear
1	0.29%	Filing a False Police Report
0	0.00%	Criminal Impersonation
3	0.86%	Disorderly Conduct
3	0.86%	Criminal Trespass
0	0.00%	Public Intoxication
0	0.00%	Gambling
30	8.57%	Traffic
0	0.00%	Local Ordinances
1	0.29%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	0.00%	Contempt of Court
7	2.00%	Violation of Probation



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0	0.00%	Violation of Aftercare
2	0.57%	Unruly Behavior
36	10.29%	Truancy
2	0.57%	In-State Runaway
0	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
3	0.86%	Possession of Tobacco Products
0	0.00%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	0.00%	Violation of Curfew
0	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
2	0.57%	Dependency / Neglect
0	0.00%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	0.00%	Judicial Review
0	0.00%	Administrative Review
0	0.00%	Foster Care Review
29	8.29%	Custody
0	0.00%	Visitation
0	0.00%	Paternity / Legitimation
170	48.57%	Child Support
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry
6	1.71%	Other
350	100.00%	Total Referrals



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Referral Sources: 1

99	28.29%	Law Enforcement
13	3.71%	Parents
3	0.86%	Relatives
0	0.00%	Self
2	0.57%	School
0	0.00%	CSA
31	8.86%	DCS
0	0.00%	Other State Department
160	45.71%	District Attorney's Office
41	11.71%	Court Staff
1	0.29%	Social Agency
0	0.00%	Other Court
0	0.00%	Victim
0	0.00%	Child & Parent
0	0.00%	Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Other
350	100.00%	Total Referral Sources

Age of Child at Referral: 2

131	46.79%	Ages 10 and Under
18	6.43%	Ages 11 through 12
28	10.00%	Ages 13 through 14
51	18.21%	Ages 15 through 16
51	18.21%	Ages 17 through 18
1	0.36%	Ages 19 and Over
0	0.00%	Unknown
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Sex of Child: 1

154	55.00%	Male
126	45.00%	Female
0	0.00%	Unknown
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Race of Child: 1

263	93.93%	White
15	5.36%	African American
0	0.00%	Native American
0	0.00%	Asian
1	0.36%	Mixed
1	0.36%	Unknown
280	100.00%	Total Child Count

Hispanic Origin: 1

2	0.71%	Yes
278	99.29%	No
0	0.00%	Unknown
280	100.00%	Total Child Count

School Enrollment of Children: 1

190	67.86%	Yes
86	30.71%	No
4	1.43%	Unknown
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Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral: 1

34	12.14%	With Both Biological Parents
1	0.36%	With Father and Stepmother
0	0.00%	With Mother and Stepfather
165	58.93%	With Mother
38	13.57%	With Father
38	13.57%	With Relatives
0	0.00%	With Adoptive Parents
0	0.00%	With Foster Family
0	0.00%	In a Group Home
1	0.36%	In a Residential Center
0	0.00%	In an Institution
0	0.00%	Independent
3	1.07%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Other
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Type of Detention: 2

0	0.00%	Non-Secure Placement
0	0.00%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.00%	Jail - Complete Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - Partial Separation
0	0.00%	Jail - No Separation
0	0.00%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
342	100.00%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
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Placement After Secure Detention Hearing: 1

0	0.00%	Returned to Prior Living Arrangement
0	0.00%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	0.00%	Jail
0	0.00%	Shelter / Group Home
0	0.00%	Foster Family Home
0	0.00%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	0.00%	Unknown
342	100.00%	Does Not Apply
0	0.00%	Other
342	100.00%	Total Placement Count

Intake Actions: 2

348	99.43%	Petition Filed
2	0.57%	Motion Filed
0	0.00%	Citation Processed
0	0.00%	Notification of Paternity Processed
0	0.00%	Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	0.00%	Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	0.00%	Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	0.00%	Unknown
0	0.00%	Does Not Apply
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Last Grade Completed by Child: 1

0	0.00%	Too Young for School
0	0.00%	Preschool
0	0.00%	Kindergarten
12	4.29%	1st Grade
9	3.21%	2nd Grade
12	4.29%	3rd Grade
12	4.29%	4th Grade
8	2.86%	5th Grade
6	2.14%	6th Grade
13	4.64%	7th Grade
2	0.71%	8th Grade
48	17.14%	9th Grade
19	6.79%	10th Grade
36	12.86%	11th Grade
0	0.00%	12th Grade
0	0.00%	Non-Graded Special Ed
2	0.71%	GED
3	1.07%	Graduated
1	0.36%	Never Attended School
19	6.79%	Unknown
78	27.86%	Other

280	100.00%	Total Child Count
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Enrolled in Special Education: 1

0	0.00%	Yes
280	100.00%	No
0	0.00%	Unknown

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Action Executed By: 1

339	96.86%	Judge
0	0.00%	Magistrate
11	3.14%	YSO
0	0.00%	Other
0	0.00%	Unknown
350	100.00%	Total Action Count

Formal / Informal Actions: 1

26	7.43%	Dismissed
0	0.00%	Retired / Nolle Prosequi
7	2.00%	Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
1	0.29%	Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	0.00%	Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
11	3.14%	Informal Adjustment
22	6.29%	Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Transfer to Adult Court Hearing
1	0.29%	Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court
281	80.29%	Special Proceeding
0	0.00%	Review Concluded
1	0.29%	Case Held Open
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Case Outcomes:

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91	14.29%	Case Dismissed
2	0.31%	Case Retired or Nolle Prosequi
91	14.29%	Warned / Counseled
1	0.16%	Held Open For Review
31	4.87%	Supervision / Probation to Juvenile Court
34	5.34%	Probation to Parents
3	0.47%	Referral to Another Entity for Supervision / Service
14	2.20%	Referred for Mental Health Counseling
21	3.30%	Referred for Alcohol and Drug Counseling
3	0.47%	Referred to Alternative School
0	0.00%	Referred to Private Child Agency
1	0.16%	Referred to Defensive Driving School
0	0.00%	Referred to Alcohol Safety School
2	0.31%	Referred to Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
10	1.57%	Driver's License Held Informally
0	0.00%	Voluntary Placement with DMHMR
0	0.00%	Private Mental Health Placement
0	0.00%	Private MR Placement
0	0.00%	Placement with City/County Agency/Facility
0	0.00%	Placement with Relative / Other Individual
3	0.47%	Fine
12	1.88%	Public Service
10	1.57%	Restitution
0	0.00%	Runaway Returned
6	0.94%	No Contact Order
0	0.00%	Injunction Other than No Contact Order
1	0.16%	House Arrest
15	2.35%	Court Defined Curfew
0	0.00%	Dismissed from Informal Adjustment
0	0.00%	Dismissed from Pretrial Diversion
0	0.00%	Released from Probation
0	0.00%	Transferred to Adult Court
0	0.00%	DMHMR Involuntary Commitment



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0	0.00%	DCS Commitment - Determinate
0	0.00%	DCS Commitment - Custody
0	0.00%	DCS Commitment - Suspended
1	0.16%	DCS Intensive Probation
0	0.00%	Other Intensive Probation
0	0.00%	DCS Probation
113	17.74%	Placed Under a Valid Court Order
1	0.16%	Supervision by DCS
5	0.78%	Transferred to Another Juvenile Court for Disposition
0	0.00%	Parental Rights Terminated
0	0.00%	Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	0.00%	Order of Reference to DCS
53	8.32%	Court Costs
0	0.00%	Foster Care Terminated
0	0.00%	Foster Care Continued
1	0.16%	Custody Changed
15	2.35%	Custody Unchanged
1	0.16%	Visitation Changed
14	2.20%	Visitation Unchanged
2	0.31%	Voluntary Acknowledgement of Paternity
2	0.31%	Paternity Determined / Child Legitimated
5	0.78%	Paternity Not Determined / Child Not Legitimated
60	9.42%	Child Support Granted
2	0.31%	Child Support Amended
3	0.47%	Child Support Denied
8	1.26%	Child Support Terminated
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment Granted
0	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment Denied
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Granted
0	0.00%	Consent to Marry Denied
0	0.00%	Other
637	100.00%	Total Outcome Count
