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Limitations of the 2005 Data

Juvenile courts vary in the completeness of reporting data as required by the Tennessee Code Annotated (TCA) § 37-1-506. Data accuracy and validity are impacted by several factors including the complex division of labor between the juvenile court and the juvenile court clerk's office for data reporting purposes and the adequacy of training available to those responsible for the collecting and reporting of the data.

Several initiatives are underway to improve juvenile court data collection and reporting. The first phase of the Juvenile Court Statistical Data Collection Study is progressing well. The focus of this project is to research and document business requirements and methods to automate the data collection systems to make it easier for the courts to collect and transmit accurate information as well as to streamline business procedures.

In addition to business requirements, another part of the study focuses on juvenile court workflows and data collection systems. The ultimate goal of the study is to replace the existing juvenile court data collection system known as JIF98 with a new juvenile data collection system that is more technologically up-to-date and flexible. The new juvenile court data collection system will also allow local statistical reporting capability for those courts that may need it. This will eliminate the processing and transmission time the courts are now experiencing because they must request reports from our agency. The replacement system will also be much more efficient in utilizing data extracts from the Courts that already have their own case management and/or data collection and reporting systems.

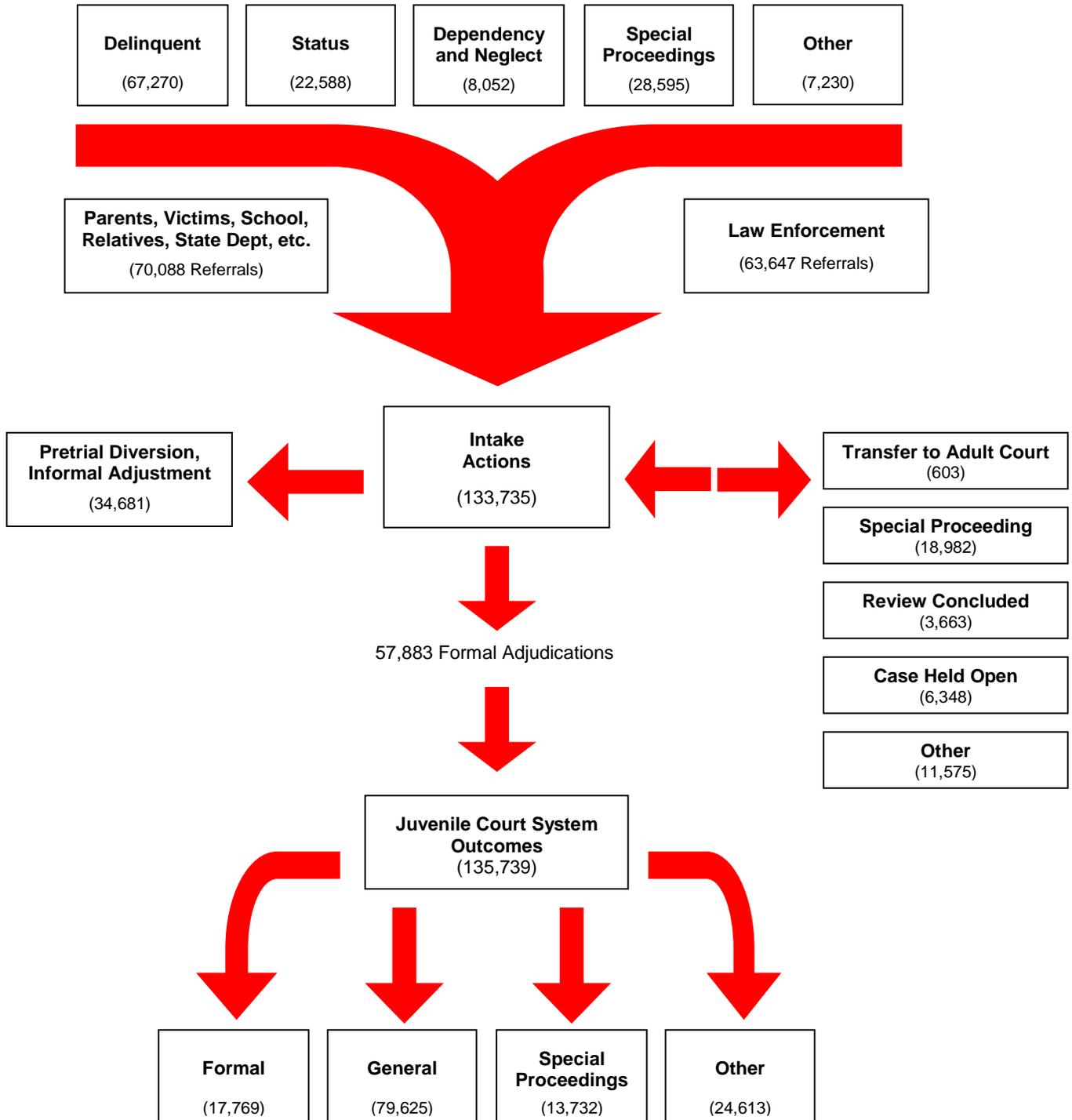
The 2005 juvenile court data that Davidson County submitted is in a summarized fashion and as such we could not use the same methods of data validation and reporting that we did for the rest of the courts. Davidson County is one of the most densely populated counties in this state and their juvenile court data statistics appear to be under-reported. You will note that we included Davidson County's summarized data as an addendum to this report on the TCJFCJ website (www.tennessee.gov/tcjfcj/) and we will provide that data on a CD ROM upon request. Please note that any portions of this report that refer to individual counties do not show statistics for Davidson County. There is a placeholder for Davidson but we were unable to include the statistics in our database or in the body of this report.

We would normally include charts that track trends in juvenile statistics by comparing previous years to the present one however we felt that not having all of the juvenile court data would skew the results. Therefore, we included charts through 2004 but did not supply 2005 data.

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**Movement of Juveniles
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Number of Children, Cases and Referral Reasons by Court

Based on Number of Reported Cases Compared to
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Name of Court	Children 2004	Children 2005	Cases 2004	Cases 2005	Referrals 2004	Referrals 2005
All Counties						
Anderson	1,197	858	1,529	1,031	1,748	1,286
Bedford	345	329	411	386	702	647
Benton	241	256	296	327	374	357
Bledsoe	170	174	243	240	268	306
Blount	1,617	2,068	2,709	2,872	5,813	7,126
Bradley	797	725	1,404	1,188	1,763	1,623
Bristol	765	818	1,003	1,206	1,216	1,388
Campbell	440	514	442	515	442	515
Cannon	168	172	273	304	273	304
Carroll	222	245	236	263	351	449
Carter	1,062	656	1,555	917	1,560	1,007
Cheatham	610	624	749	809	830	921
Chester	330	239	456	272	494	296
Claiborne	306	303	474	556	514	600
Clay	84	100	155	172	243	307
Cocke	883	981	1,643	1,864	1,720	2,557
Coffee	459	371	570	479	709	588
Crockett	111	89	137	118	169	154
Cumberland	684	647	781	709	836	769
Davidson	9,562	0	22,516	0	25,543	0
Decatur	104	144	115	165	145	182
Dekalb	171	180	201	222	215	240
Dickson	698	739	924	988	1,019	1,098
Dyer	447	454	809	873	964	1,066
Fayette	587	272	619	294	664	313
Fentress	170	168	244	247	285	271
Franklin	295	355	347	472	373	500
Gibson	1,386	1,091	2,014	1,563	2,153	1,659
Giles	409	470	569	682	816	960
Grainger	350	439	351	440	388	473
Greene	833	950	1,311	1,545	1,395	1,665
Grundy	288	323	682	803	737	886
Hamblen	782	846	1,502	1,565	1,685	1,740
Hamilton	4,516	3,819	7,084	5,434	7,989	6,106
Hancock	94	64	171	91	175	94
Hardeman	575	369	704	437	1,022	608
Hardin	227	275	325	459	360	486
Hawkins	1,025	1,142	1,493	1,858	1,647	2,043
Haywood	1,138	1,045	2,458	2,280	2,647	2,508
Henderson	571	693	855	1,093	1,093	1,450
Henry	228	258	329	337	394	395
Hickman	387	378	513	448	595	486
Houston	87	69	171	124	173	124
Humphreys	339	337	614	652	672	720
Jackson	151	161	281	319	407	439
Jefferson	743	949	1,250	1,895	1,342	2,028
Johnson	333	387	428	413	446	507
Johnson City	1,664	1,560	2,907	2,465	3,328	2,924
Knox	5,746	4,950	8,986	7,327	11,376	9,220

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Lake	59	103	93	144	111	167
Lauderdale	1,176	933	1,951	1,614	2,084	1,724
Lawrence	654	862	798	1,013	820	1,013
Lewis	107	132	141	150	197	240
Lincoln	415	384	601	526	808	734
Loudon	513	674	651	878	755	1,003
Macon	428	510	520	766	720	904
Madison	337	835	346	1,125	357	1,400
Marion	446	320	666	320	754	357
Marshall	846	548	1,045	758	1,320	990
Maury	291	1,365	291	2,250	315	2,505
McMinn	525	496	710	591	907	783
McNairy	905	458	1,337	468	1,509	497
Meigs	127	105	129	105	131	108
Monroe	712	752	1,206	1,219	1,259	1,287
Montgomery	1,722	1,917	1,898	2,198	2,503	2,893
Moore	65	51	66	52	72	52
Morgan	227	247	357	408	362	417
Obion	675	361	940	484	1,128	679
Overton	92	237	92	301	97	323
Perry	85	86	87	88	119	112
Pickett	56	52	78	64	79	64
Polk	31	25	32	26	44	28
Putnam	1,091	256	1,553	303	1,847	358
Rhea	140	100	154	101	174	105
Roane	262	267	370	363	433	427
Robertson	1,467	1,402	2,053	2,547	2,457	2,858
Rutherford	1,382	1,571	1,848	1,929	2,519	2,720
Scott	211	262	211	262	241	288
Sequatchie	109	152	125	182	152	203
Sevier	2,214	1,896	4,490	3,071	5,774	3,449
Shelby	15,987	15,561	22,817	21,211	26,680	25,217
Smith	139	217	244	360	337	418
Stewart	167	193	264	343	319	402
Sullivan Div. I	855	783	1,315	1,218	1,384	1,354
Sullivan Div. II	965	849	1,346	1,139	1,513	1,285
Sumner	2,433	1,953	4,384	3,177	5,099	3,762
Tipton	332	210	402	289	538	495
Trousdale	148	216	188	292	232	337
Unicoi	0	170	0	192	0	202
Union	357	350	491	519	559	608
Van Buren	82	59	87	60	104	67
Warren	724	701	962	974	1,229	1,279
Washington	696	609	1,043	873	1,127	955
Wayne	337	348	484	508	553	606
Weakley	412	381	499	454	564	519
White	184	139	203	167	231	199
Williamson	1,764	1,666	2,913	2,455	3,584	3,089
Wilson	1,164	1,141	1,721	1,752	1,872	1,862
Totals	88,513	75,961	140,041	110,008	166,046	133,735

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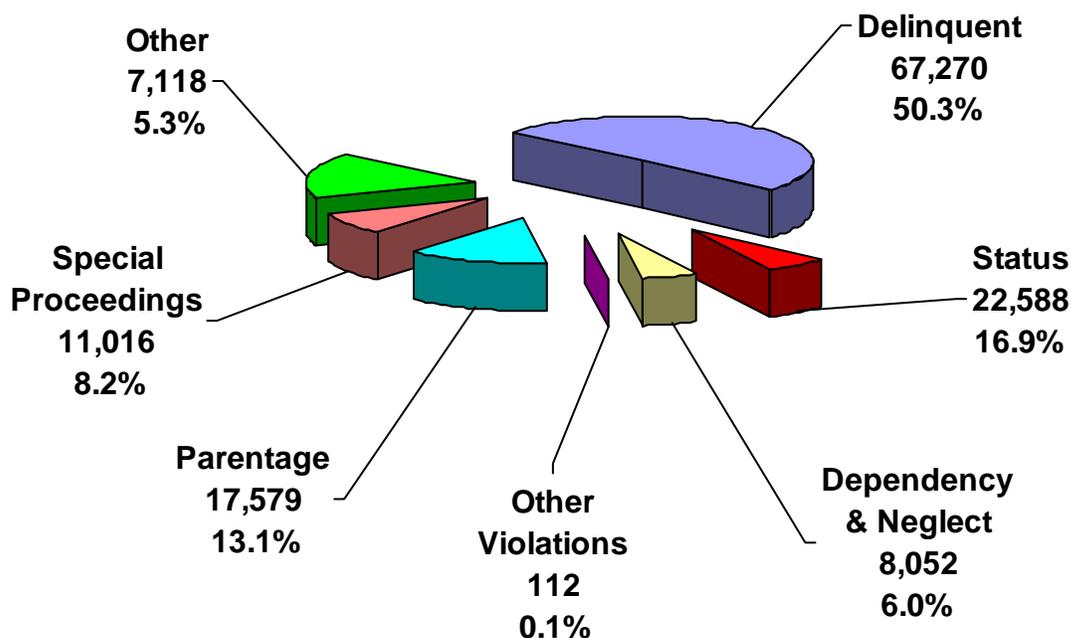
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2005 Executive Summary

With 97 of Tennessee's 98 juvenile courts participating, information regarding 75,961 children, 110,008 cases, and 133,735 referral reasons were reported to TCJFCJ for the period between January 1, 2005 and December 31, 2005.

**Number of Referrals to
Tennessee Juvenile Courts in 2005**

(Total Number of Referrals is 133,735)



* Parentage includes: Custody, Visitation, Paternity/Legitimation and Child Support
**Special Proceedings include: Judicial Review, Administrative Review, Foster Care Review, Request for Medical Treatment and Consent to Marry

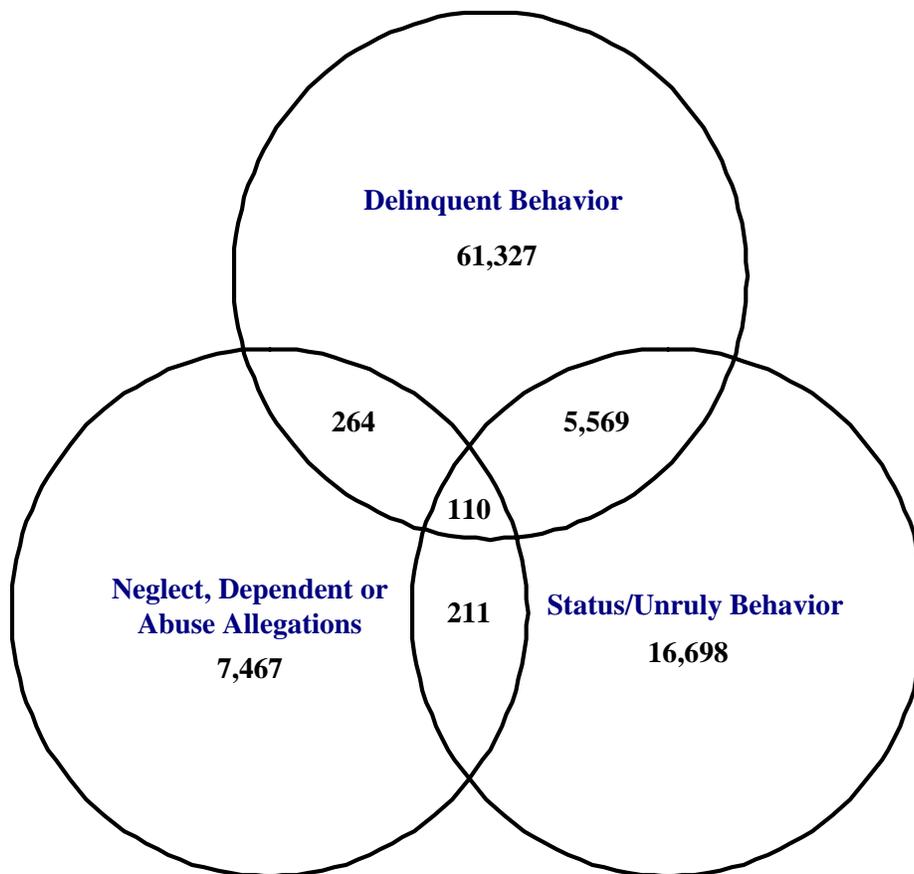
During 2005, over half (50.3%) of the referral reasons in Tennessee's juvenile courts were for alleged delinquent offenses. Status/Unruly offenses represented 16.9% of referral reasons.

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.

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Number of Children Referred to Tennessee Juvenile Courts in 2005
For the purposes of this chart a child is counted only once in a
category even if that child had more than one referral in that



The remaining children are referred for Custody, Visitation, Paternity/Legitimation, Child Support, Special Procedures and Other Referrals.

Each child may be counted in more than one category.

**Total number of individual children for ALL referrals
disposed by juvenile courts during 2005 equals 75,961**

Children can have referrals in multiple categories. To illustrate this, the above drawing shows that in the year 2005 there were 61,327 individual children referred to juvenile courts in Tennessee for delinquent referrals, 16,698 for status/unruly behavior, and 7,467 for neglect, dependent or abuse referral. Of these children there were 5,569 that had a delinquent AND a status/unruly referral. There were 264 children that were referred for delinquent behavior AND a neglect, dependent or abuse allegation. There were 211 children referred that had both a status/unruly referral AND a neglect, dependent or abuse allegation. Also, there were 110 children that had a delinquent referral, a status/unruly referral AND a neglect, dependent or abuse allegation during the year 2005.

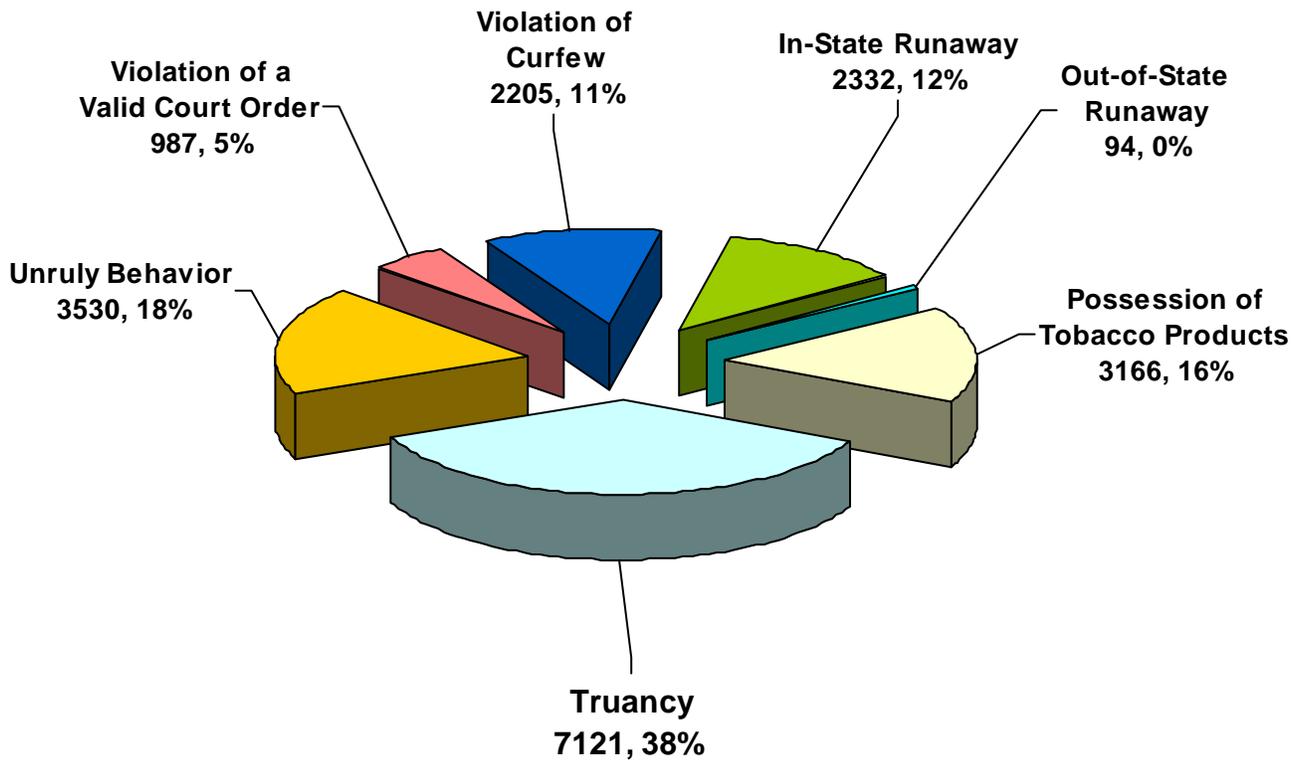
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Truancy remained the most often-reported referral reason within the status offense category for 2005, and unruly behavior remains the second most reported status offense.

Number of Referrals for Status/Unruly Offenses in 2005 (Total Number of Status/Unruly Referrals = 22,588)



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Juvenile Justice System in Tennessee

Tennessee's juvenile courts operate under the basic philosophy of striving to assure that each child coming before the court receives the opportunity for appropriate physical, mental, and moral development. The courts endeavor to facilitate this opportunity through consideration of each child's case on its individual merits while adhering to three primary obligations: (1) protecting the community and society at large; (2) acting in the best interest and welfare of the child by means of protection, treatment, and rehabilitation and (3) upholding the dignity of the law.

Tennessee is home to 98 juvenile courts with 110 juvenile court judges. Of these 98 courts, 17 are designated "special act" juvenile courts, while the remaining 81 are general session's courts with juvenile jurisdiction. Each of these courts, with the exception of Bristol and Johnson City, are county-based and administered, with at least one juvenile court located in each of the state's 95 counties. While all of Tennessee's courts with juvenile jurisdiction strive to follow the procedural guidelines established by the Tennessee Rules of Juvenile Procedure, there is very little standardization with regard to juvenile court size, management and administration. Hence, Tennessee's juvenile court system is diverse and tends to reflect the needs and preferences of the people living within a given county or community.

Jurisdiction of the Juvenile Court

A juvenile is any individual who is under the chronological age of eighteen (18) and has not been previously transferred to adult court.

Juvenile courts deal not only with delinquency and status offenses, but also with issues of child neglect and abuse, child support, child custody, establishing parentage, visitation and the need for a child's medical and/or mental health treatment. Tennessee's juvenile courts have jurisdiction within the following areas:

- Adjudication of children as dependent, neglected, abused, status/unruly or delinquent
- Determination of custody
- Termination of parental rights
- Ordering of treatment, evaluation and/or commitment of mentally retarded and/or mentally ill children
- Commitment of children to the custody of the Department of Children Services
- Establishment of parentage
- Ordering and enforcement of child support for children of unwed parents
- Establishing visitation for non-custodial parents
- Enforcement of the compulsory school attendance laws
- Removal of the age restrictions on a minor's application for a marriage license
- Giving of judicial consent to a minor's employment or enlistment in the armed services if law requires such consent
- Giving of judicial consent to the medical treatment of a child when his/her parents or guardians are unable to do so
- Judicial authorization of an abortion without parental consent
- Adjudication of alleged traffic violations by persons under the age of eighteen
- Transfer of serious delinquency cases to criminal court for trial as adults

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Pursuant to Tennessee Code Annotated § 37-1-159, the juvenile court is a court of record. It may enforce its orders in any way in which a court of equity may enforce its orders and decrees, including by imprisonment and by fine for contempt.

Juvenile Court Professional Staff

The dedication of the juvenile court staff is crucial to the functioning of the juvenile court. The typical juvenile court professional staff is comprised of the juvenile court judge, the referees (primarily in the larger courts), the youth services officers or probation officers and the juvenile court clerk.

Juvenile Court Judge

The juvenile court judge must be 30 years old, licensed to practice law (unless elected to the post prior to 1982 or the county has no qualified attorney), a resident of his/her district for one year and elected by the people. In addition to his/her judicial duties, the judge is the chief administrator of the court and is seen as having the following attributes: (1) learned in the law; (2) possessing administrative ability and experience; (3) maintaining a broad acquaintance with modern social problems affecting children and youth; and (4) having a realistic understanding of children and their behavior in relation to their total life needs.

Juvenile Court Referee

The referee is appointed by the judge, and may be directed to hear any case or class of cases. He or she must be licensed to practice law and has the same authority and powers as the judge to issue process and to conduct proceedings. Referees are generally appointed when the court's juvenile justice population is greater than one judge can cover, or when a commitment is probable and the judge is not an attorney. Cases heard and adjudicated by a referee may be appealed to the judge.

Youth Services Officer and Probation Officer

The youth services officer (YSO) and probation officer (PO) are officials of the court and are essential to the functioning of the judicial process, as well as to the welfare of the children within the juvenile justice system. Their duties include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Juvenile Court Intake
- Pre-Hearing Investigations
- Referral
- Supervision of Youth
- Detention Screenings
- Counseling
- Record Keeping

Juvenile Court Clerk

The juvenile court clerk is the record keeping and records management backbone of the juvenile court. The clerk maintains separate minutes, dockets and legal records of all matters pertaining to juvenile court proceedings as required by law. Juvenile court clerks also collect all fees, fines and court costs assessed by the juvenile court.

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Juvenile Court Process

In Tennessee the basic juvenile court process is comprised of three central phases: (1) intake, (2) adjudication and (3) disposition.

Juvenile court intake is a process through which the court reviews information in order to determine whether it has the authority to intervene in a child's life and in what manner it will administer its authority. The components of the intake process are referral to intake, detention screening and assessment of how to handle the complaint. Referral to intake involves the filing of a complaint by law enforcement, parents or other individuals or agencies requesting the court to exercise its authority. If the complainant requests detention, 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 statute. Lastly, an assessment is made to determine if the complaint should be excluded, if informal adjustment (a voluntary agreement between the intake officer, the child and the parents) should be pursued or if a petition should be filed.

In most instances, if a petition is filed, the case goes into the adjudicatory phase. In this phase the case is heard by the juvenile court judge or referee to determine if the allegations of the petition are true. In making its decision, the court considers only the evidence that has been formally admitted. If the allegations are not substantiated or cannot be proven, the petition will be dismissed. In those situations where the allegations are substantiated, the judge will proceed immediately or will set a later hearing to determine the appropriate outcome or disposition for the case.

The purpose of the dispositional phase is to determine an appropriate course of action regarding the child and his/her circumstances. Disposition, insofar as possible, typically attempts to meet the treatment, social and rehabilitation needs of the child.

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Juvenile Court Data Collection Process for the 2005 Annual Report

As required by Tennessee Code Annotated § 37-1-506, 2005 data were sent to TCJFCJ by each court with juvenile jurisdiction. The juvenile courts sent data to TCJFCJ either on diskettes or as attachments to electronic mail. These courts either used a data entry software program provided by TCJFCJ or other software that their individual court had obtained. All data were cleaned, edited and analyzed to produce the 2005 Annual Report, as well as year-end and ad hoc statistical reports.

In 2005, **97** of the **98** Tennessee juvenile courts reported data to TCJFCJ. Tennessee juvenile courts have reported data to TCJFCJ for the past eleven (11) years, thereby distinguishing Tennessee as having one of the relatively few juvenile court statewide databases in the country with most courts reporting. All automated court systems were required to utilize data edits developed by TCJFCJ staff. (These required data edits did not allow many incomplete or incorrectly coded records to be included in the TCJFCJ database.)

Unit of Count

The Council uses four (4) units of count. These consist of the number of **children**, the number of **cases**, the number of **referrals** and the number of **disposition** (outcomes).

Counting of **children** is accomplished by using the identifying number that the court assigns to each child. Therefore, each child can be counted only once for statistical purposes.

Each child can have one (1) or more **cases**. **TCJFCJ defines a case as: "All referral reasons/charges reported to the court (via complaint, petition, motion, etc.) on a given day for a given child"**. TCJFCJ uses the top five of these referral reasons/charges for the statistical reports.

Each case can have from one (1) up to five (5) **referrals** per referral date. A referral is a complaint, offense or reason that the juvenile court is involved with the child. Each case or referral has one or more dispositions; therefore the number of dispositions/outcomes exceeds the number of referrals.

Disposition is the definite action taken or treatment plan decided on regarding a particular case.

Definition of Year

TCJFCJ uses the calendar year for all statistical reports.

To determine the year TCJFCJ uses the date of disposition for statistical reports. This is the date that the case is disposed by the juvenile court and then reported to TCJFCJ during the calendar year.

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Number of Individual Children Referred to Juvenile Courts in 2005

During the reporting period between January 1, 2005 and December 31, 2005, information regarding 75,961 children was reported by the juvenile courts to TCJFCJ. The juvenile courts reporting the largest number of children referred and whose cases were Disposed were Shelby County/Memphis, Knox County/Knoxville, Hamilton County/Chattanooga and Blount County. Once again, Shelby County reported the largest number of children with 15,561 and Polk County, reporting 25 children, was the county with the smallest number of children who were referred to a juvenile court.

Please refer to the chart on pages 13 and 14 for a county by county listing of the numbers of children, cases, and referrals.

NOTE: The reader should note that the TCJFCJ definition of case is as follows: "All referral reasons/charges reported to the court (via complaint, petition, motion, etc.) on a given day for a given child."

NOTE: It is also important to be aware that the TCJFCJ data is based on the date of disposition. This is the date that the case is disposed by the juvenile court. All data in this report is based upon cases disposed by the juvenile court and then reported to TCJFCJ during the calendar year 2005.

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Davidson	0	0	0
Decatur	144	165	182
Dekalb	180	222	240
Dickson	739	988	1,098
Dyer	454	873	1,066
Fayette	272	294	313
Fentress	168	247	271
Franklin	355	472	500
Gibson	1,091	1,563	1,659
Giles	470	682	960
Grainger	439	440	473
Greene	950	1,545	1,665
Grundy	323	803	886
Hamblen	846	1,565	1,740
Hamilton	3,819	5,434	6,106
Hancock	64	91	94
Hardeman	369	437	608
Hardin	275	459	486
Hawkins	1,142	1,858	2,043
Haywood	1,045	2,280	2,508
Henderson	693	1,093	1,450
Henry	258	337	395
Hickman	378	448	486
Houston	69	124	124
Humphreys	337	652	720
Jackson	161	319	439
Jefferson	949	1,895	2,028
Johnson	387	413	507
Knox	4,950	7,327	9,220
Lake	103	144	167
Lauderdale	933	1,614	1,724
Lawrence	862	1,013	1,013

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Number of Individual Children, Cases and Referral Reasons by Court Based on Number of Reported Cases January 1, 2005 - December 31, 2005

Court Name	Children	Cases	Referral Reasons
Lewis	132	150	240
Lincoln	384	526	734
Loudon	674	878	1,003
McMinn	496	591	783
McNairy	458	468	497
Macon	510	766	904
Madison	835	1,125	1,400
Marion	320	320	357
Marshall	548	758	990
Maury	1,365	2,250	2,505
Meigs	105	105	108
Monroe	752	1,219	1,287
Montgomery	1,917	2,198	2,893
Moore	51	52	52
Morgan	247	408	417
Obion	361	484	679
Overton	237	301	323
Perry	86	88	112
Pickett	52	64	64
Polk	25	26	28
Putnam	256	303	358
Rhea	100	101	105
Roane	267	363	427
Robertson	1,402	2,547	2,858
Rutherford	1,571	1,929	2,720
Scott	262	262	288
Sequatchie	152	182	203
Sevier	1,896	3,071	3,449
Shelby	15,561	21,211	25,217
Smith	217	360	418
Stewart	193	343	402
Sullivan Div. I	783	1,218	1,354
Sumner	1,953	3,177	3,762
Tipton	210	289	495
Trousdale	216	292	337
Unicoi	170	192	202
Union	350	519	608
Van Buren	59	60	67
Warren	701	974	1,279
Washington	609	873	955
Wayne	348	508	606
Weakley	381	454	519
White	139	167	199
Williamson	1,666	2,455	3,089
Wilson	1,141	1,752	1,862
Johnson City	1,560	2,465	2,924
Bristol	818	1,206	1,388
Sullivan Div. II	849	1,139	1,285
Totals	75,961	110,008	133,735

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Sex, Race and Age Information Based on Number of Individual Children in 2005

Sex and Race

The tables on pages 18-20 represent the number of children by sex and race as well as sex and race by county for calendar year 2005. White males, totaling 29,631 and representing 39.0% of the overall juvenile court population outnumbered their female counterparts, who totaled 19,725 and represented 226.0% of the juvenile court population. African American males, totaling 13,409 and representing 17.7% of the juvenile court population, outnumbered their female counterparts, who totaled 9,344 and represented 12.3% of the juvenile court population. These percentage data are consistent with those of years 1995 through 2005.

Regarding race, non-white (African American, Native American, Asian, and mixed race) children were reported as representing 31.6% of the juvenile court population. Conversely, white children were reported as making up 65.0% of the juvenile court population. The remaining 3.4% were either unknown or not reported. Those counties reporting the highest percentages of non-white children within their juvenile court population were as follows:

Haywood -- 92.9%
Shelby -- 91.4%
Madison -- 81.1%
Lauderdale -- 76.6%
Fayette -- 75.4%

The tables on page 21 show sex and race by the three (3) categories of delinquent, status/unruly and neglect/dependent.

Within the delinquent category white males total 30,272 and represent 45.0% of the juvenile court population outnumbering their female counterparts who total 12,560 and represent 18.7% of the juvenile population with delinquent referrals. African American males total 15,670 and represent 23.3% of the juvenile population with delinquent referrals and outnumber their female counterparts who total 6,771 and represent 10.1% of the juvenile population with delinquent referrals.

Within the status/unruly category white males total 9,473 and represent 41.9% of the juvenile court population with status/unruly referrals and outnumber their female counterparts who total 6,866 and represent 30.4% of the juvenile population with status/unruly referrals. African American males total 3,248 and represent 14.4% of the juvenile population with status/unruly referrals and outnumber their female counterparts who total 2,312 and represent 10.2% of the juvenile population with status/unruly referrals.

Within the neglected/dependent category white males total 2,473 and represent 30.7% of the juvenile court population with neglected/dependent referrals and were outnumbered by their female counterparts who total 2,661 and represent 33.0% of the juvenile population with neglected/dependent referrals. African American males total 1,148 and represent 14.3% of the juvenile population with neglected/dependent referrals and are almost even to their female counterparts who total 1,199 and represent 14.9% of the juvenile population.

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It must be noted that due to the method of filing neglected/dependent petitions this data is under reported to the Council.

Tennessee is divided into eight (8) major regions and four (4) metropolitan areas. These areas are depicted on page 22 and the table on page 23 represents the number of juveniles referred to juvenile courts by region and metropolitan area. When looking at sex and race regionally white males are referred most in the East region with 6,255 which represents 54.8% of the region's juvenile court population. White females are also referred most in the East region with 4,238 which represents 37.2% of this region's juvenile court population. African American males are referred most in the Shelby Metro area with 7,431 and represents 47.8% of this region's juvenile court population. African American females are also referred most in the Shelby/Memphis area with 5,377 which represents 34.6% of this region's juvenile court population.

When looking at age, the 2005 data indicated that the largest number of children fall within the 15 through 16 years of age category (see chart on page 24). Prior to the 1994, 1995, and 1996 data, African American females historically were represented more in the birth to 10 years of age category. In 1994, 1995, and 1996, African American females were most represented in the 15 through 16 age group. In the years 1997 through 2004 the largest category for African American females was found in the birth to 10 years age category. In 2005 African American females are represented more in the 15 through 16 age group.

The tables on page 25 show age by sex and race with the three (3) categories of delinquent, status/unruly and neglect/dependent.

Looking at the delinquent category African American males and African American females are most often found in the age group of age 15 through 16. The next highest age group for African American males and African American females is the age group 13 through 14. White females are most often found in the age group of 15 through 16, however the next highest age group in which they are found is 17 through 18.

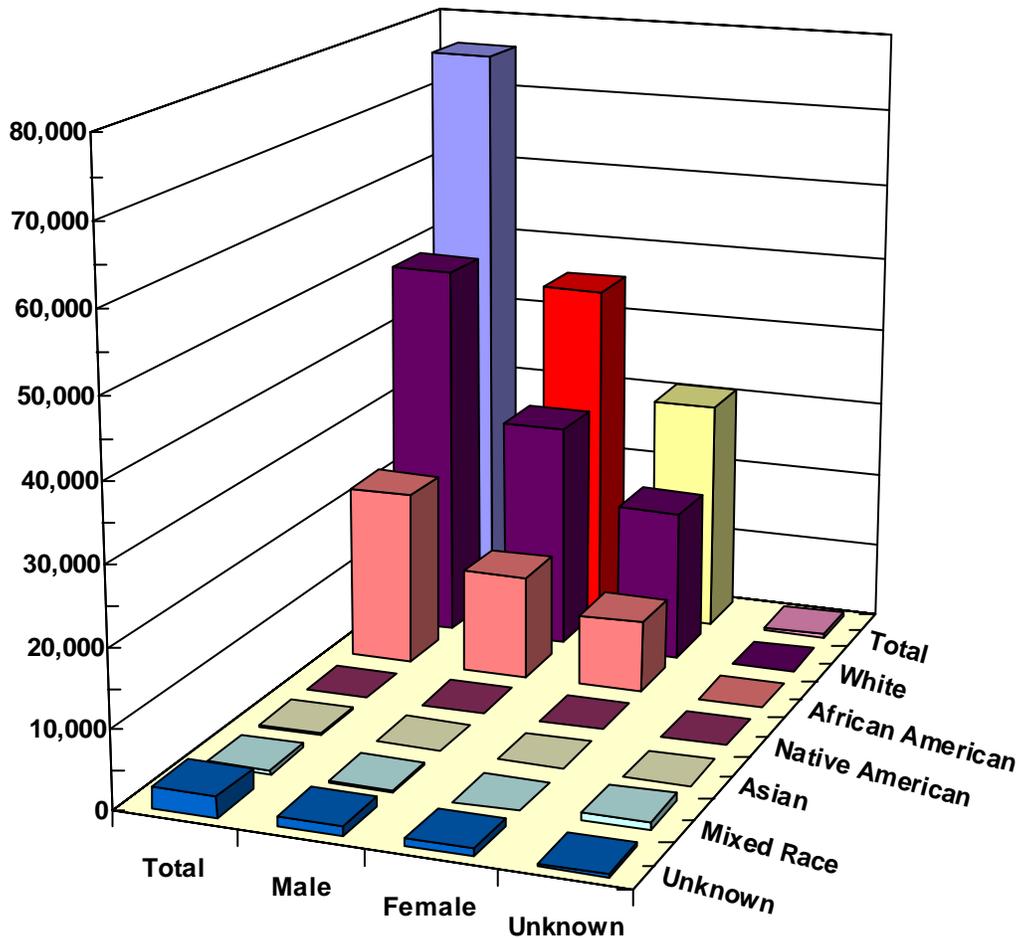
Looking at the status/unruly category, white males, white females, African American males and African American females are found most often in the age group 15 through 16.

Looking at neglected/dependent category all youth are found most in the Birth through Age 10 group.

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**Race by Sex and Hispanic Origin by Sex
Based on Number of Individual Children Disposed
January 1, 2005 - December 31, 2005**



	Total	Male	Female	Unknown
Total	75,961	44,974	30,508	479
White	49,394	29,631	19,725	38
African American	22,812	13,409	9,344	59
Native American	49	30	19	0
Asian	214	133	81	0
Mixed Race	525	399	2	926
Unknown	2,566	1,246	940	380

<u>Hispanic Origin</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Unknown</u>	<u>Total</u>
	906	489	5	1,400

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WU = White Unknown Sex	AAU = African American Unknown Sex	NAU = Native American Unknown Sex
AU = Asian Unknown Sex	MRU = Mixed Race Unknown Sex	UU = Unknown Race Unknown Sex

County Name	WM	AAM	NAM	AM	MRM	UM	WF	AAF	NAF	AF	MRF	UF	WU	AAU	NAU	AU	MRU	UU	Total
Anderson	460	68	1	2	10	16	266	14	0	1	3	8	1	0	0	0	0	8	858
Bedford	178	16	0	0	3	0	106	23	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	329
Benton	137	7	0	0	0	0	108	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	256
Bledsoe	95	7	0	0	6	0	62	1	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	174
Blount	1,065	103	0	1	22	5	778	63	1	1	26	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2,068
Bradley	393	39	1	2	7	5	244	25	0	0	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	725
Bristol	466	20	0	0	1	6	300	11	0	2	2	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	818
Campbell	300	4	0	0	1	0	209	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	514
Cannon	108	2	0	0	5	0	52	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	172
Carroll	138	19	1	1	5	2	68	4	0	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	245
Carter	346	4	0	2	5	7	275	6	0	1	1	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	656
Cheatham	344	17	0	0	1	0	254	6	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	624
Chester	118	31	0	0	6	1	58	22	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	239
Claiborne	190	1	0	0	3	0	108	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	303
Clay	62	3	0	0	3	5	25	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100
Cocke	452	26	1	1	8	17	438	22	0	0	1	11	1	0	0	0	0	3	981
Coffee	219	22	0	0	1	0	120	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	371
Crockett	41	16	0	0	1	4	21	5	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	89
Cumberland	291	5	0	2	0	60	200	0	0	1	0	73	1	0	0	0	0	14	647
Davidson	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Decatur	83	5	0	0	3	0	51	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	144
Dekalb	115	5	0	0	0	3	56	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	180
Dickson	371	32	0	1	2	35	229	19	0	0	1	24	1	6	0	0	0	18	739
Dyer	195	106	0	1	1	3	97	46	0	0	1	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	454
Fayette	57	70	1	0	0	9	42	59	0	0	0	19	1	4	0	0	0	10	272
Fentress	111	1	0	0	0	0	55	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	168
Franklin	212	13	0	0	1	0	123	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	355
Gibson	267	239	0	0	10	31	199	208	0	1	11	45	3	19	0	0	0	58	1,091
Giles	247	52	0	0	5	4	136	24	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	470
Grainger	275	0	0	0	4	3	153	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	439
Greene	549	8	0	1	5	8	369	5	0	0	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	950
Grundy	183	0	0	0	0	0	140	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	323
Hamblen	455	49	0	0	4	8	295	25	0	0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	846
Hamilton	1,019	1,143	1	6	10	53	707	811	0	4	20	37	2	0	0	0	0	6	3,819
Hancock	36	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	64
Hardeman	89	110	0	0	1	6	51	71	0	0	1	1	0	3	0	0	0	36	369
Hardin	160	5	0	0	1	3	102	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	275
Hawkins	607	8	0	0	0	2	516	7	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,142
Haywood	74	479	0	0	9	0	72	404	0	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,045
Henderson	328	46	0	1	20	0	265	22	0	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	693
Henry	124	33	1	0	0	6	73	15	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	258

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County Name	WM	AAM	NAM	AM	MRM	UM	WF	AAF	NAF	AF	MRF	UF	WU	AAU	NAU	AU	MRU	UU	Total
Hickman	211	7	0	0	6	0	147	3	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	378
Houston	32	10	0	0	4	0	21	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	69
Humphreys	161	8	0	0	2	15	115	6	0	0	2	19	0	0	0	0	0	9	337
Jackson	104	1	0	0	0	0	55	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	161
Jefferson	466	14	0	0	2	52	328	11	0	0	0	38	2	0	0	0	0	36	949
Johnson	236	1	0	0	1	0	141	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	387
Johnson City	760	83	0	2	46	3	566	64	2	1	29	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	1,560
Knox	1,873	539	0	7	41	310	1,432	356	1	6	34	220	13	14	0	0	1	103	4,950
Lake	47	15	0	0	0	3	27	4	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	1	103
Lauderdale	218	272	7	0	9	5	181	229	1	0	7	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	933
Lawrence	450	15	0	0	0	0	376	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	862
Lewis	84	4	0	0	0	0	43	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	132
Lincoln	225	32	0	1	3	0	100	21	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	384
Loudon	415	12	0	0	0	0	245	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	674
Macon	288	2	0	0	2	2	213	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	510
Madison	158	381	0	0	4	1	80	210	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	835
Marion	159	14	0	0	0	0	128	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	320
Marshall	250	52	0	4	17	0	188	31	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	548
Maury	570	216	0	1	21	37	368	118	0	0	8	21	0	2	0	0	0	3	1,365
McMinn	299	32	0	1	0	0	149	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	496
McNairy	265	40	0	1	3	0	132	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	458
Meigs	64	1	0	0	2	0	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	105
Monroe	406	22	1	0	7	7	293	8	0	0	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	752
Montgomery	685	334	4	14	84	29	450	219	5	19	56	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,917
Moore	33	3	0	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51
Morgan	158	0	0	0	0	2	85	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	247
Obion	199	23	0	1	0	0	120	16	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	361
Overton	130	2	0	0	0	0	103	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	237
Perry	52	6	0	0	2	1	22	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	86
Pickett	34	1	0	0	1	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52
Polk	15	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25
Putnam	127	8	2	0	0	28	74	3	0	0	0	13	1	0	0	0	0	0	256
Rhea	63	3	0	0	0	0	33	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	100
Roane	163	3	1	0	3	1	91	3	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	267
Robertson	555	145	0	0	4	105	293	131	1	0	10	94	5	7	0	0	0	52	1,402
Rutherford	680	272	0	37	7	11	413	129	1	6	8	6	0	1	0	0	0	0	1,571
Scott	193	1	0	0	1	0	66	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	262
Sequatchie	81	2	0	0	0	1	67	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	152
Sevier	1,041	21	0	2	15	16	752	3	0	0	27	16	0	0	0	0	0	3	1,896
Shelby	1,344	7,431	4	28	11	181	1,044	5,377	1	30	17	93	0	0	0	0	0	0	15,561
Smith	128	6	0	0	2	0	75	2	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	217

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County Name	WM	AAM	NAM	AM	MRM	UM	WF	AAF	NAF	AF	MRF	UF	WU	AAU	NAU	AU	MRU	UU	Total
Stewart	114	2	0	0	2	1	70	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	193
Sullivan Div. I	474	0	0	0	0	2	306	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	783
Sullivan Div. II	459	30	0	0	2	3	316	30	0	1	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	849
Sumner	977	144	2	4	20	42	590	113	0	2	22	36	1	0	0	0	0	0	1,953
Tipton	110	58	0	0	1	1	30	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	210
Trousdale	124	13	0	0	3	0	65	9	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	216
Unicoi	90	0	0	0	0	0	79	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	170
Union	216	0	0	0	0	0	131	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	350
Van Buren	37	0	0	0	0	0	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	59
Warren	395	20	1	0	6	0	262	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	701
Washington	346	6	0	0	1	32	174	5	0	0	1	34	0	1	0	0	0	9	609
Wayne	201	14	0	0	1	6	123	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	348
Weakley	195	29	0	0	8	5	125	15	0	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	381
White	89	1	0	0	3	0	43	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	139
Williamson	897	115	1	8	11	32	467	80	2	3	13	26	3	1	0	0	1	6	1,666
Wilson	525	129	0	1	3	10	376	84	4	1	2	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,141
Totals	29,631	13,409	30	133	525	1,246	19,725	9,344	19	81	399	940	38	59	0	0	2	380	75,961

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Children* Referred to Juvenile Courts
With Delinquent Referrals in Tennessee for 2005

	White	African American	Native American	Asian	Mixed Race	Unknown Race	Total
Male	30,272	15,670	37	142	441	804	47,366
Female	12,560	6,771	6	45	163	242	19,787
Unknown Sex	17	20	0	0	0	80	117
Totals	42,849	22,461	43	187	604	1,126	67,270

Children* Referred to Juvenile Courts
With Dependent, Neglect and Abuse Allegations in Tennessee for 2005

	White	African American	Native American	Asian	Mixed Race	Unknown Race	Total
Male	2,473	1,148	1	5	87	178	3,892
Female	2,661	1,199	3	4	92	146	4,105
Unknown Sex	9	1	0	0	0	45	55
Totals	5,143	2,348	4	9	179	369	8,052

Children* Referred to Juvenile Courts
With Status/Unruly Referrals in Tennessee for 2005

	White	African American	Native American	Asian	Mixed Race	Unknown Race	Total
Male	9,473	3,248	8	33	124	191	13,077
Female	6,866	2,312	4	41	89	184	9,496
Unknown Sex	0	1	0	0	0	14	15
Totals	16,339	5,561	12	74	213	389	22,588

* A child may be counted in more than one category

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**Tennessee is divided into eight (8) major regions
and four (4) metropolitan areas.**



East: Anderson, Blount, Campbell, Claiborne, Cocke, Grainger, Hamblen, Jefferson, Loudon, Monroe, Morgan, Roane, Scott, Sevier and Union

Mid-Cumberland: Cheatham, Dickson, Houston, Humphreys, Montgomery, Robertson, Rutherford, Stewart, Sumner, Trousdale, Williamson and Wilson

Northeast: Bristol City, Carter, Greene, Hancock, Hawkins, Johnson City, Sullivan Division 1, Sullivan Division 2, Unicoi and Washington

Northwest: Benton, Carroll, Crockett, Dyer, Gibson, Henry, Johnson, Lake, Obion and Weakley

South Central: Bedford, Coffee, Giles, Hickman, Lawrence, Lewis, Lincoln, Marshall, Maury, Moore, Perry and Wayne

Southeast: Bledsoe, Bradley, Franklin, Grundy, Marion, McMinn, Meigs, Polk, Rhea and Sequatchie

Southwest: Chester, Decatur, Fayette, Hardeman, Hardin, Haywood, Henderson, Lauderdale, Madison, McNairy and Tipton

Upper Cumberland: Cannon, Clay, Cumberland, Dekalb, Fentress, Jackson, Macon, Overton, Pickett, Putnam, Smith, Van Buren, Warren and White

Davidson/Nashville

Shelby/Memphis

Hamilton/Chattanooga

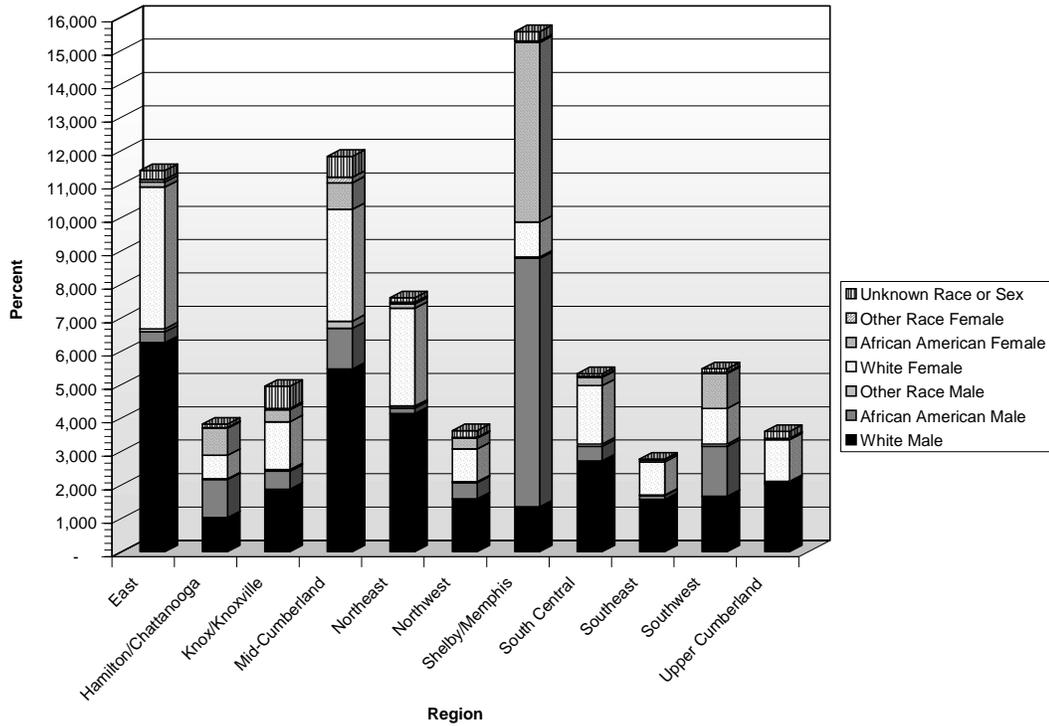
Knox/Knoxville

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**Number of Individual Children Referred to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee – 2005
Sex and Race by Regions and Metropolitan Regions
Based on Number of Individual Children**

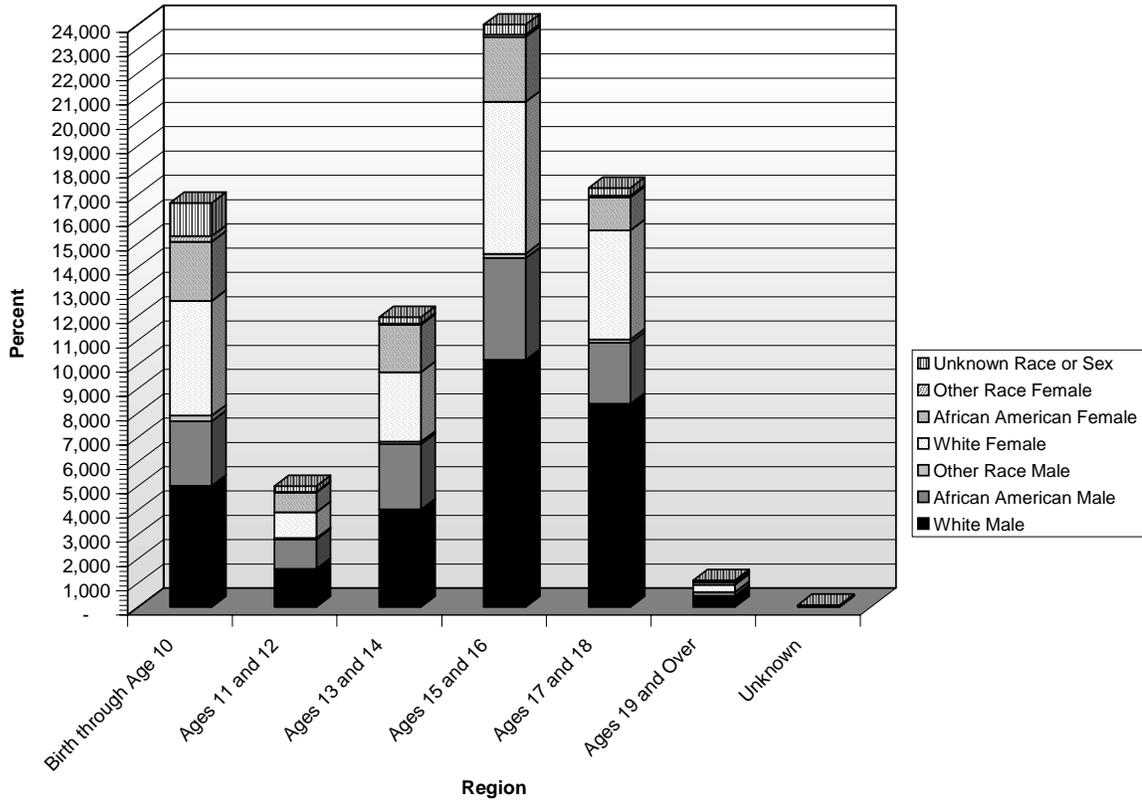


Region	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Hamilton/Chattanooga	1,019	1,143	17	707	811	24	98	3,819
Knox/Knoxville	1,873	539	48	1,432	356	41	661	4,950
East	6,255	324	90	4,238	155	76	268	11,406
Mid-Cumberland	5,465	1,221	215	3,343	799	161	624	11,828
Northeast	4,133	159	65	2,929	129	48	138	7,601
Northwest	1,579	488	31	979	325	22	201	3,625
Shelby/Memphis	1,344	7,431	43	1,044	5,377	48	274	15,561
South Central	2,720	439	65	1,744	252	26	78	5,324
Southeast	1,564	111	20	994	68	5	13	2,775
Southwest	1,660	1,497	67	1,064	1,048	31	106	5,473
Upper Cumberland	2,019	57	27	1,251	24	17	204	3,599
Totals	29,631	13,409	688	19,725	9,344	499	2,665	75,961

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Age Group of Children Based on Number of Individual Children
from last Date of Referral for January 1, 2005 - December 31, 2005



Individual Children Referred to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee for 2005

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Totals
Birth through Age 10	4,998	2,652	229	4,722	2,439	236	1,356	16,632
Ages 11 and 12	1,571	1,217	47	1,067	815	30	232	4,979
Ages 13 and 14	4,018	2,694	95	2,860	1,947	63	261	11,938
Ages 15 and 16	10,185	4,181	183	6,259	2,666	101	407	23,982
Ages 17 and 18	8,375	2,511	132	4,491	1,367	65	312	17,253
Ages 19 and Over	461	148	2	305	100	3	75	1,094
Unknown	23	6	0	21	10	1	22	83
Totals	29,631	13,409	688	19,725	9,344	499	2,665	75,961

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Children * Referred to Juvenile Courts With Delinquent Referrals in Tennessee for 2005

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Totals
Birth through Age 10	625	492	24	318	230	21	142	1,852
Ages 11 and 12	1,000	1,264	44	407	536	19	68	3,338
Ages 13 and 14	4,133	3,802	117	1,810	1,900	44	150	11,956
Ages 15 and 16	13,233	6,566	270	5,450	2,755	70	403	28,747
Ages 17 and 18	11,180	3,524	165	4,514	1,316	60	380	21,139
Ages 19 and Over	100	22	0	49	31	0	13	215
Unknown	1	0	0	12	3	0	7	23
Total	30,272	15,670	620	12,560	6,771	214	1,163	67,270

Children * Referred to Juvenile Courts With Neglect/Dependent and Abuse Allegations in Tennessee for 2005

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Totals
Birth through Age 10	1,758	773	83	1,723	789	81	289	5,496
Ages 11 and 12	206	107	1	229	114	5	36	698
Ages 13 and 14	227	123	4	278	130	3	25	790
Ages 15 and 16	202	115	5	315	124	3	15	779
Ages 17 and 18	75	26	0	111	37	6	9	264
Ages 19 and Over	5	4	0	5	5	1	3	23
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Total	2,473	1,148	93	2,661	1,199	99	379	8,052

Children * Referred to Juvenile Courts With Status/Unruly Referrals in Tennessee for 2005

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Totals
Birth through Age 10	492	167	6	428	142	15	21	1,271
Ages 11 and 12	636	230	11	379	129	14	34	1,433
Ages 13 and 14	2,050	733	30	1,694	591	29	88	5,215
Ages 15 and 16	4,252	1,519	85	3,036	1,076	46	184	10,198
Ages 17 and 18	2,027	597	33	1,319	370	30	60	4,436
Ages 19 and Over	16	2	0	10	4	0	2	34
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Total	9,473	3,248	165	6,866	2,312	134	390	22,588

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Living Arrangement of the Child at the Time of Referral to Juvenile Court in 2005

Consistent with the data gathered in previous years, the chart on page 27 shows the largest numbers (29,969 or 39.5%) of the children within the general juvenile court population were reported to be "living with their mothers only" at the time of referral to juvenile court. The second and third most reported living arrangements for the general juvenile court population were "living with both natural parents" (17.2%) and "with relatives" (11.0%) with the "unknown" at (10.8%).

When examining the 2005 juvenile court population by race and gender categories, different living arrangement patterns can be seen (see chart on page 27). White female data revealed a higher percentage of "living with mothers only" (34.9%) over "living with both natural parents" (19.3%), "unknown" (12.12%) or "living with relatives" (9.9%).

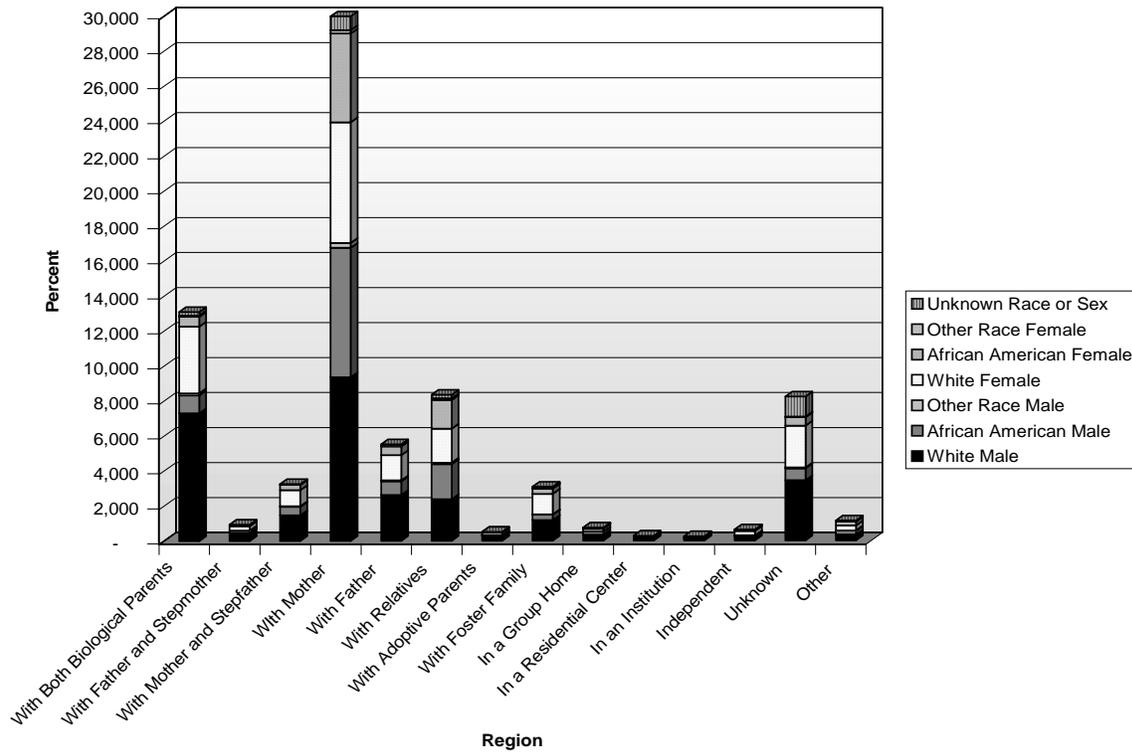
Data regarding African American females continued to be reflective of a different living arrangement. Over half (54.3%) of African American females were reported to be "living with mothers only," followed by "relatives" (17.5%), "living with both natural parents" (6.0%) and "living with father" (5.3%).

Once again, the 2005 data reflected a change from the historical trend of white males living more often with both natural parents. As in 1995 through 2003 the 2005 data showed that the largest category for white males was "living with mother only" with (31.6%). "living with both natural parents" continued to be the second most reported living arrangement for white males (24.7%), followed by "unknown" (11.6%).

Data associated with African American males revealed that over half (55.1%) of African American males were reported as "living with mother only" at the time of referral, (14.9%) reported "living with relatives" and (7.6%) "with both biological parents".

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Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral
January 1, 2005 – December 31, 2005
Based on Number of Individual Children



	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Totals
With Both Biological Parents	7,311	1,021	118	3,811	561	67	198	13,087
With Father and Stepmother	465	126	6	251	65	4	17	934
With Mother and Stepfather	1,480	481	32	914	295	22	28	3,252
With Mother	9,358	7,392	275	6,892	5,074	188	790	29,969
With Father	2,629	775	57	1,442	491	31	95	5,520
With Relatives	2,387	1,996	82	1,950	1,639	84	209	8,347
With Adoptive Parents	283	41	10	144	23	4	9	514
With Foster Family	1,184	298	27	1,170	296	36	73	3,084
In a Group Home	345	170	8	147	53	7	14	744
In a Residential Center	148	49	3	54	18	1	5	278
In an Institution	63	79	1	31	53	0	23	250
Independent	213	77	1	255	70	0	16	632
Unknown	3,436	675	56	2,382	481	45	1,138	8,213
Other	329	229	12	282	225	10	50	1,137
Totals	29,631	13,409	688	19,725	9,344	499	2,665	75,961

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School Status of Individual Children at the Time of Referral to Juvenile Court in 2005

The chart on page 30 shows that, in 2005, a majority (70%) of the children were reported as being formally enrolled (either full or part-time) in regular school at the time of referral to juvenile court, while 12.9% were reported as being out or not formally enrolled in regular school. This "out of regular school" category also included those children who had been expelled. Additionally, 4.1% of the general juvenile court population was reported as being enrolled in a special education curriculum at the time of referral.

It should be noted that for 13,005 (17.1%) children no information was reported for school enrollment.

NOTE: The Council has concerns over the accuracy of the school data that is being reported. The Council is working on methods to increase the accuracy of this information.

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Educational Information about Individual Children Based on Number of Individual Children January 1, 2005 - December 31, 2005

The following school statistics pertain to the 75,961 children whose cases were processed.

School Enrollment of Child

	Number	Percent
Too Young for School	4,185	5.5%
Pre-School	475	0.6%
Kindergarten	895	1.2%
First Grade	950	1.3%
Second Grade	861	1.1%
Third Grade	957	1.3%
Fourth Grade	1,151	1.5%
Fifth Grade	1,925	2.5%
Sixth Grade	3,561	4.7%
Seventh Grade	4,989	6.6%
Eighth Grade	7,869	10.4%
Ninth Grade	8,491	11.2%
Tenth Grade	8,495	11.2%
Eleventh Grade	6,077	8.0%
Twelfth Grade	1,296	1.7%
Non-Graded Special-Ed	25	0.0%
GED	475	0.6%
Graduated	329	0.4%
Never Been to School	2,474	3.3%
Unknown	19,826	26.1%
Other	655	0.9%
Total	75,961	100.0%

Is Child Enrolled In School

	Number	Percent
Enrolled in School	53,150	70.0%
Not Enrolled in School	9,806	12.9%
Unknown	13,005	17.1%
Total	75,961	100.0%

Special Education Status

	Number	Percent
Enrolled in Special Education	3,139	4.1%
Not Enrolled in Special Education	51,287	67.5%
Unknown	21,535	28.4%
Total	75,961	100.0%

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Referral Information by Race, Sex, and Class of Referral/Offense 2005

During the reporting period between January 1, 2005 and December 31, 2005, information regarding 133,735 referral reasons disposed of by Tennessee juvenile courts was reported to the Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges. Half (50.3%) of the 2005 referral reasons disposed of by juvenile courts fell into the category of alleged delinquent offenses. Status offenses represented 16.9% of referral reasons, while non-offense referral reasons comprised an additional 32.8% of the total 2005 juvenile court referral reasons.

For the following report, the broad categories of referrals/offenses (delinquent, status, and non-offense) were broken into these classes of referrals/offenses:

Offenses Against Persons – Delinquent offenses, such as criminal homicide, assault, rape, etc., that were committed against persons.

Offenses Against Property – Delinquent offenses, such as burglary, arson, vandalism, etc., that were committed against property.

Illegal Conduct – Delinquent offenses such as possession or sale of controlled substances, disorderly conduct, criminal trespass, etc.

Status Offenses – Offenses committed by a child that, if committed by an adult, would not be considered an offense or unlawful act. These can include such actions as runaway, truancy, unruly behavior, etc.

Dependency/Neglect Issues – Issues that affect the safety and well being of the referred child, such as abuse, dependency, neglect, termination of parental rights, etc. This is a non-offense category as the referred child is the “victim”, not the offender.

Parentage Issues – Issues that affect custody of the child, visitation, determining parentage and child support.

Other Violation Proceedings – Violation of pretrial diversion and violation of informal adjustment.

Special Proceedings – Judicial reviews, administrative reviews and foster care reviews that are conducted by the court. This is also a non-offense category.

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The chart on page 33 indicates that the most often reported class of referral reasons for males are the same for both White and African American races. Among white males, the two most commonly reported classes of referral/offense were "Illegal Conduct" and "Status Offenses". Thirty-nine point three (39.3%) percent of white male referral reasons were for "Illegal Conduct" and 17.2% were for "Status Offenses". "Offenses Against Property" represented the third most reported class of referral/offense for white male referrals at 10.0% followed by "Parentage" at 9.6.

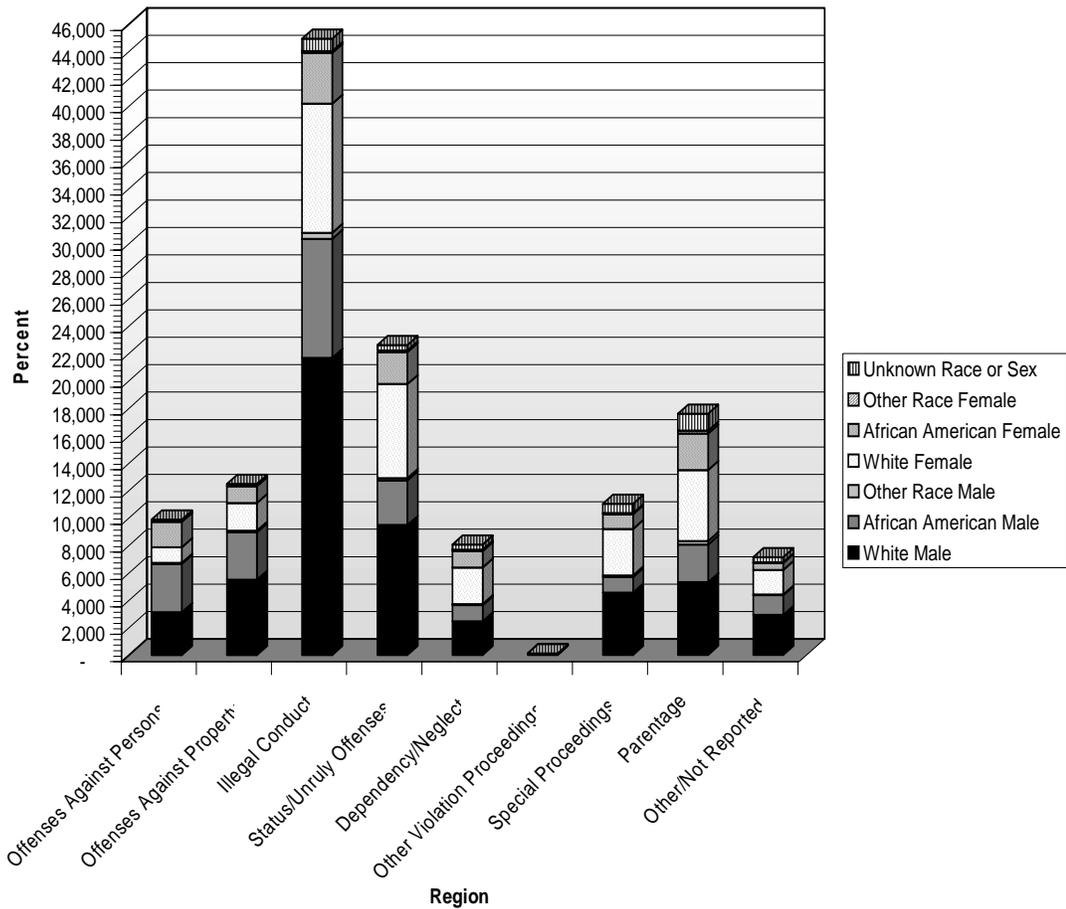
Thirty-four point three (34.3%) percent of African American male referral reasons were for "Illegal Conduct". The second and third most reported class of referral/offense for African American males were "Offenses Against Persons" (13.9%) and "Offenses Against Property" (13.6%).

The first and second most reported class of referral/offense for white females were for "Illegal Conduct" at 29.0% and "Status Offenses" at 21.2%. The third most reported referral/offense for white females was "Parentage" at 15.9%.

The most often reported class for African American females in 2005 was "Illegal Conduct" at 25.6%. The second and third most reported referral/offense for African American females were "Parentage" at 18.3% and "Status Offenses" at 15.9%.

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Referrals to Juvenile Court in Tennessee for 2005
by Class of Referral/Offense, Sex and Race
Based on Number of Referrals



	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Totals
Offenses Against Persons	3,131	3,522	70	1,126	1,856	45	119	9,869
Offenses Against Property	5,499	3,443	123	2,029	1,206	45	142	12,487
Illegal Conduct	21,642	8,705	427	9,405	3,709	124	902	44,914
Status/Unruly Offenses	9,473	3,248	165	6,866	2,312	134	390	22,588
Dependency/Neglect	2,473	1,148	93	2,661	1,199	99	379	8,052
Other Violation Proceedings	58	5	1	37	10	1	0	112
Special Proceedings	4,552	1,129	103	3,393	1,068	88	683	11,016
Parentage	5,295	2,764	244	5,169	2,651	218	1,238	17,579
Other/Not Reported	2,915	1,441	55	1,774	503	52	378	7,118
Totals	55,038	25,405	1,281	32,460	14,514	806	4,231	133,735

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Referral Reasons by Race and Sex in 2005

Please refer to the tables on pages 34–36 regarding referral reasons by race and gender. Since these data are spread between 83 potential referral reasons, most of the percentages presented in this discussion will be small. **It is important to note that many juvenile courts do not hear traffic cases. In these jurisdictions, traffic cases go to the court with jurisdiction for hearing adult traffic violations. It is also important to note that the category of “Unknown” includes not reported.**

The 2005 data showed the most commonly reported delinquent referral reasons to be traffic offenses, assault, theft of property and disorderly conduct. The most often reported status offense referral reasons were truancy, unruly behavior and possession of tobacco products. These were followed closely by in-state runaway. Referral reasons surrounding issues of custody and child support are the most prevalent within the non-offense category.

When looking by race and gender, the top four specific referral reasons for white males reported in 2005 were “Traffic” (17.8%), “Judicial Review” (5.6%), “Truancy” (5.6%), and “Other” (5.3%).

The most often reported specific referral reasons associated with African American males were “Assault” (9.4%), “Disorderly Conduct” (8.9%), “Theft of Property” (6.6%), and “Traffic” (5.9%).

The most often cited specific referral reasons for white females were “Traffic” (15.1%), “Truancy” (8.1%), “Custody” (7.9%), and “Dependency/Neglect” (7.6%).

Regarding African American females, the most often cited specific referral reasons in 2005 were “Disorderly Conduct” (12.2%), “Assault” (11.2%), “Child Support” (8.6%), and “Dependency/Neglect” (7.9%).

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2005 Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals

<u>Offenses Against Persons</u>	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Criminal Homicide	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	4
1st Degree Murder	9	28	0	1	1	0	0	39
2nd Degree Murder	5	2	1	1	0	0	0	9
Aggravated Rape	8	6	1	2	0	0	0	17
Rape of a Child	97	43	0	5	2	0	1	148
Aggravated Vehicular Homicide	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	4
Esp. Aggravated Robbery	10	8	0	1	1	1	0	21
Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping	3	2	0	0	0	0	1	6
Aggravated Robbery	30	314	1	1	9	1	8	364
Aggravated Kidnapping	1	17	0	0	0	0	1	19
Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect	8	0	0	6	0	0	0	14
Aggravated Sexual Battery	103	26	0	2	3	1	6	141
Rape	50	26	0	4	1	0	1	82
Vehicular Homicide	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	6
Sexual Abuse of a Child	47	2	0	7	0	0	0	56
Other Sexual Offense	85	53	1	7	32	0	6	184
Aggravated Assault	395	405	16	77	164	4	18	1,079
Robbery	25	95	3	0	5	0	0	128
Criminally Negligent Homicide	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Attempt a Crime Against a Person	16	15	1	2	0	0	0	34
Assault	1,999	2,394	42	971	1,625	38	71	7,140
Reckless Endangerment	230	86	4	33	13	0	6	372
Total	3,131	3,522	70	1,126	1,856	45	119	9,869

<u>Offenses Against Property</u>	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Aggravated Arson	22	11	0	1	2	0	0	36
Arson	87	17	1	12	1	0	3	121
Aggravated Burglary	342	498	7	36	21	0	5	909
Theft of Property	2,456	1,681	59	1,529	975	32	83	6,815
Vandalism	1,618	699	30	256	159	10	27	2,799
Forgery	46	20	3	44	11	1	4	129
Worthless Checks	5	1	0	20	2	1	1	30
Illegal Poss./Fraud Use of Credit/Debit Cards	46	28	0	10	0	0	1	85
Burglary	699	389	18	54	11	0	11	1,182
Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle	154	78	5	66	24	1	7	335
Cruelty to Animals	24	21	0	1	0	0	0	46
Total	5,499	3,443	123	2,029	1,206	45	142	12,487

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2005 Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals

Illegal Conduct	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Sale of Controlled Substances	144	288	6	37	22	0	6	503
Other Drug Offenses	950	129	16	267	22	5	19	1,408
Possession of Controlled Substance	1,746	776	29	547	88	8	27	3,221
Criminal Attempt	34	99	0	6	9	0	2	150
Carrying Weapons on School Property	125	215	3	27	78	0	13	461
Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon	175	320	8	19	29	0	10	561
Evading Arrest	287	389	5	40	42	0	7	770
Escape	64	34	1	16	10	0	1	126
Driving Under Influence (DUI)	181	9	5	24	2	0	9	230
Possession/Consumption of Alcohol	1,609	120	26	706	36	5	31	2,533
Resisting, Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search	210	266	12	80	97	0	9	674
Aggravated Criminal Trespass	19	25	1	6	5	0	1	57
Harassment	162	19	0	85	54	1	6	327
Failure to Appear	61	10	0	31	9	2	1	114
Filing a False Police Report	99	39	3	64	7	0	0	212
Criminal Impersonation	79	60	6	65	22	4	3	239
Disorderly Conduct	1,072	2,252	43	586	1,772	21	42	5,788
Criminal Trespass	489	659	8	118	166	3	16	1,459
Public Intoxication	330	117	6	156	23	1	15	648
Gambling	0	62	2	0	2	0	0	66
Traffic	9,778	1,506	157	4,911	607	40	402	17,401
Local Ordinances	278	59	7	70	21	3	15	453
Violation of Wildlife Regulations	162	1	0	5	0	0	2	170
Contempt of Court	601	253	28	498	258	18	212	1,868
Violation of Probation	2,866	919	52	1,024	284	13	53	5,211
Violation of Aftercare	121	79	3	17	44	0	0	264
Total	21,642	8,705	427	9,405	3,709	124	902	44,914

Status Offenses	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Unruly Behavior	1,839	536	31	1,472	359	36	63	4,336
Truancy	3,075	1,093	62	2,641	815	45	149	7,880
In-State Runaway	763	536	19	1,002	602	22	55	2,999
Out-of-State Runaway	29	6	1	43	15	0	3	97
Possession of Tobacco Products	2,406	204	17	863	47	7	45	3,589
Violation of Valid Court Order	583	161	20	450	98	10	30	1,352
Violation of Curfew	778	712	15	395	376	14	45	2,335
Total	9,473	3,248	165	6,866	2,312	134	390	22,588

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2005 Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals

<u>Dependency/Neglect</u>	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Sexually Abused Child	7	0	0	19	0	0	0	26
Physically Abused Child	32	11	0	30	8	1	4	86
Dependency/Neglect	2,267	1,082	80	2,458	1,140	85	294	7,406
Termination of Parental Rights	167	55	13	154	51	13	81	534
Total	2,473	1,148	93	2,661	1,199	99	379	8,052

<u>Other Violation Proceedings</u>	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Violation of Pretrial Diversion	45	4	1	27	4	1	0	82
Violation of Informal Adjustment	13	1	0	10	6	0	0	30
Total	58	5	1	37	10	1	0	112

<u>Parentage</u>	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Custody	2,348	1,022	125	2,551	1,021	101	421	7,589
Visitation	348	209	10	372	244	19	66	1,268
Paternity/Legitimation	527	148	19	359	144	14	102	1,313
Child Support	2,072	1,385	90	1,887	1,242	84	649	7,409
Total	5,295	2,764	244	5,169	2,651	218	1,238	17,579

<u>Special Proceedings</u>	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Judicial Review	3,077	259	57	2,216	194	38	450	6,291
Administrative Review	514	756	13	372	808	18	150	2,631
Foster Care Review	954	114	33	788	61	32	83	2,065
Request for Medical Treatment	4	0	0	3	5	0	0	12
Consent to Marry	3	0	0	14	0	0	0	17
Total	4,552	1,129	103	3,393	1,068	88	683	11,016

<u>Offenses Against Property</u>	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Other	2,915	1,441	55	1,774	503	52	378	7,118

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The Referral Sources of Referrals to the Juvenile Court in 2005

Anyone perceiving a need for the court to intervene in a child's affairs can refer that child to the juvenile court. Frequently, the referral source is closely related to the reason for referral. For example schools refer truants and law enforcement officers refer children who have committed illegal acts.

The table on page 37 lists each referral source and its corresponding percentage of referrals. As can be seen by this table, in 2005, "law enforcement" remained the most often cited referral source for juveniles to the courts (47.6%), while "parents" continued to represent the second most often cited referral source (11.5%). The 2005 data shows "Department of Children Services" (9.6%) as the third most often reported source, while "school" (8.5%) was the fourth and "Court Staff" (7.3%) was the fifth.

When looking at the six most frequently reported referral reasons associated with each referral source, the tables on pages 40 – 42 reveal that in 2005, "law enforcement" personnel continued to appear more likely to refer juveniles for traffic complaint, while "custody" was the most often cited reason for referral by parents. With regard to schools, "truancy" remained the most cited referral reason with "tobacco products" being the second most referral reason by schools. Victims continue to refer more often for theft of property.

The tables on pages 43 and 44 show sex and race by the three (3) categories of delinquent, status/unruly and neglect dependent.

Within the delinquent category law enforcement personnel are more likely to refer juveniles (80.3% of the total delinquent referrals). Of "law enforcement" referrals 35.3% of these referrals were for white males, 14.1% were for white females, 20.2% were for African American males, and 8.4% were for African American females when compared to the total delinquent referrals.

Schools were first with 41.5% of referrals within the category status/unruly. Of the school referrals 18.3% were white males, 13.3% were white females, 5.1% were African American males and 3.6% were African American females when compared to the total status/unruly category. Within the status/unruly category law enforcement personnel were second and referred 30.9%. Of the law enforcement referrals 13.2% were white males, 6.9% were white females, 5.8% were African American males, and 4.0% were African American females when compared to the total status/unruly category.

Within the neglected and dependent category the Department of Children's Services referred 48.7%. Of the referrals from the Department of Children Services 18.5% were white males, 20.1% were white females, 2.8% were African American males, and 2.5% were African American females when compared to the total neglected and dependent referrals. **It must be noted that due to the method of filing neglected and dependent petitions this data is under-reported to the TCJFCJ.**

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Referral Source
Based on Number of Referrals
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Law Enforcement	63,647	47.6%
Parents	15,425	11.5%
Relatives	4,232	3.2%
Self	748	0.6%
School	11,380	8.5%
CSA	48	0.0%
DCS	12,856	9.6%
Other State Departments	4,514	3.4%
District Attorney's Office	2,889	2.2%
Court Staff	9,751	7.3%
Social Agency	1,096	0.8%
Other Court	501	0.4%
Victim	3,035	2.3%
Child & Parent	440	0.3%
Hospital	65	0.0%
Unknown	146	0.1%
Other	2,962	2.2%
Total	133,735	100.0%

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2005 Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed

	African American			Other Race			Unknown Race or Sex	Total
	White Male	American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female		
Law Enforcement								
1. Traffic	9,593	1,495	154	4,803	597	39	398	17,079
2. Assault	1,158	2,107	23	574	1,459	29	48	5,398
3. Theft of Property	1,890	1,500	48	992	795	25	64	5,314
4. Disorderly Conduct	860	2,123	35	496	1,693	19	38	5,264
5. Possession of Controlled Substance	1,578	748	28	484	85	8	25	2,956
6. Possession/Consumption of Alcohol	1,549	119	26	659	35	5	30	2,423

	African American			Other Race			Unknown Race or Sex	Total
	White Male	American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female		
Parents								
1. Custody	869	464	47	916	401	47	118	2,862
2. Unruly Behavior	1,006	304	21	970	201	25	34	2,561
3. Dependency/Neglect	363	715	11	385	773	11	43	2,301
4. Administrative Review	106	581	2	119	637	5	16	1,466
5. Other	354	296	10	312	190	12	122	1,296
6. In-State Runaway	296	151	6	507	149	11	13	1,133

	African American			Other Race			Unknown Race or Sex	Total
	White Male	American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female		
Relatives								
1. Custody	873	254	58	1,004	272	41	170	2,672
2. Dependency/Neglect	245	36	11	328	31	12	24	687
3. Other	75	16	3	74	12	0	37	217
4. Unruly Behavior	45	8	2	71	12	3	1	142
5. In-State Runaway	38	19	2	44	16	1	2	122
6. Child Support	27	4	6	38	4	2	5	86

	African American			Other Race			Unknown Race or Sex	Total
	White Male	American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female		
Self								
1. Child Support	170	15	5	136	6	3	2	337
2. Other	93	16	0	31	0	1	0	141
3. Custody	33	1	0	43	1	0	4	82
4. Judicial Review	22	1	1	25	2	2	3	56
5. Visitation	17	0	3	8	0	0	1	29
6. Paternity/Legitimation	14	0	1	11	0	0	1	27

	African American			Other Race			Unknown Race or Sex	Total
	White Male	American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female		
School								
1. Truancy	2,781	1,029	52	2,439	773	39	122	7,235
2. Possession of Tobacco Products	1,029	27	1	377	6	0	18	1,458
3. Unruly Behavior	224	60	2	82	24	1	6	399
4. Other	161	13	1	179	25	0	7	386
5. Disorderly Conduct	140	104	4	60	63	1	2	374
6. Violation of Valid Court Order	106	29	3	90	15	1	8	252

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	African			African			Other	Unknown	Total
	White	American	Other	White	African	Other	Unknown		
	Male	Male	Race Male	Female	American	Race	Race or		
Community Services Agencies									
1. Violation of Probation	9	5	0	6	1	0	0	21	
2. Judicial Review	5	0	0	5	0	0	0	10	
3. Custody	0	2	1	4	0	0	0	7	
4. Assault	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	
5. Visitation	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	
6. Dependency/Neglect	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	

	African			African			Other	Unknown	Total
	White	American	Other	White	African	Other	Unknown		
	Male	Male	Race Male	Female	American	Race	Race or		
Department of Children's Services									
1. Dependency/Neglect	1,332	190	49	1,461	169	53	196	3,450	
2. Judicial Review	906	103	25	667	52	15	213	1,981	
3. Foster Care Review	892	109	28	736	58	27	80	1,930	
4. Other	541	88	9	381	51	11	54	1,135	
5. Violation of Probation	731	106	10	218	28	0	8	1,101	
6. Custody	269	22	9	300	24	5	67	696	

	African			African			Other	Unknown	Total
	White	American	Other	White	African	Other	Unknown		
	Male	Male	Race Male	Female	American	Race	Race or		
Other State Department									
1. Child Support	566	971	25	458	877	29	120	3,046	
2. Contempt of Court	116	90	9	105	97	9	103	529	
3. Violation of Probation	285	31	5	26	2	0	0	349	
4. Paternity/Legitimation	54	88	1	15	77	2	26	263	
5. Judicial Review	35	14	1	20	14	1	11	96	
6. Other	40	6	0	17	1	0	4	68	

	African			African			Other	Unknown	Total
	White	American	Other	White	African	Other	Unknown		
	Male	Male	Race Male	Female	American	Race	Race or		
District Attorney									
1. Child Support	745	139	12	654	123	28	292	1,993	
2. Paternity/Legitimation	131	29	5	127	23	7	39	361	
3. Contempt of Court	102	32	7	97	43	5	35	321	
4. Other	49	18	2	38	6	4	2	119	
5. Judicial Review	12	5	3	9	8	1	12	50	
6. Visitation	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	5	

	African			African			Other	Unknown	Total
	White	American	Other	White	African	Other	Unknown		
	Male	Male	Race Male	Female	American	Race	Race or		
Court Staff									
1. Judicial Review	1,506	103	26	1,025	90	16	162	2,928	
2. Violation of Probation	1,266	681	30	570	217	11	37	2,812	
3. Other	382	378	9	205	54	2	33	1,063	
4.0 Violation of Valid Court Order	291	86	11	270	50	8	9	725	
5. Administrative Review	215	62	7	141	59	11	128	623	
6. Contempt of Court	198	36	5	119	25	3	2	388	

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Based On Number of Referrals Disposed

	African American			African American			Other Race	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
	White Male	American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	American Female	Race Female			
Social Agency									
1. Dependency/Neglect	28	86	4	32	104	3	4	261	
2. Violation of Probation	112	8	0	47	4	0	1	172	
3. Administrative Review	9	69	1	11	76	1	2	169	
4. Other	40	5	0	21	15	1	1	83	
5. Termination of Parental Rights	5	22	1	3	19	0	1	51	
6. In-State Runaway	22	3	1	18	1	0	1	46	

	African American			African American			Other Race	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
	White Male	American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	American Female	Race Female			
Other Court									
1. Other	45	9	0	19	0	3	6	82	
2. Theft of Property	36	14	0	16	2	1	6	75	
3. Possession/Consumption of	20	0	0	22	1	0	0	43	
4. Traffic	21	4	1	10	2	0	1	39	
5. Other Drug Offenses	21	2	0	4	0	0	2	29	
6. Possession of Controlled	19	2	0	5	0	0	0	26	

	African American			African American			Other Race	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
	White Male	American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	American Female	Race Female			
Victim									
1. Theft of Property	404	137	6	432	144	5	9	1,137	
2. Assault	391	144	10	209	99	2	13	868	
3. Vandalism	187	24	1	58	5	0	3	278	
4. Harassment	82	3	0	64	11	1	2	163	
5. Criminal Trespass	78	8	1	17	3	1	2	110	
6. Aggravated Assault	44	20	3	10	10	0	2	89	

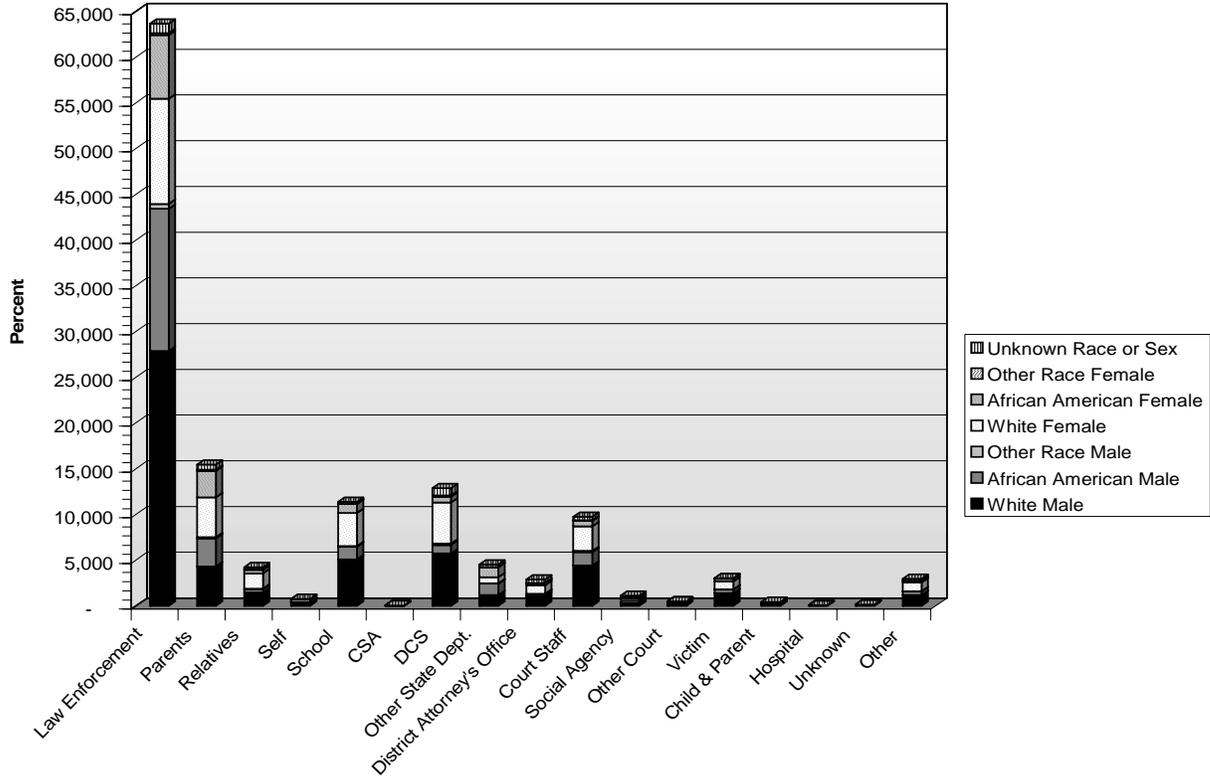
	African American			African American			Other Race	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
	White Male	American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	American Female	Race Female			
Child & Parent									
1. Child Support	47	10	18	56	5	11	50	197	
2. Assault	39	20	1	24	7	0	1	92	
3. Other	20	4	0	12	3	0	4	43	
4. Paternity/Legitimation	9	1	3	11	0	1	8	33	
5. Custody	8	2	1	3	2	0	0	16	
6. Harassment	2	0	0	1	9	0	0	12	

	African American			African American			Other Race	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
	White Male	American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	American Female	Race Female			
Hospital									
1. Paternity/Legitimation	25	2	3	11	3	0	0	44	
2. Request for Medical Treatment	2	0	0	3	5	0	0	10	
3. Child Support	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	5	
4. Truancy	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	
5. Violation of Probation	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	
6. Violation of Valid Court Order	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	

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Source of Referral for all Referrals
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Based on Number of Referrals



All Referrals	Male			Female			Unknown Race or Sex	Totals
	White	African American	Other Race	White	African American	Other Race		
Law Enforcement	27,859	15,559	548	11,485	6,976	205	1,015	63,647
Parents	4,315	3,061	146	4,331	2,904	139	529	15,425
Relatives	1,467	346	85	1,665	359	61	249	4,232
Self	404	38	10	266	10	6	14	748
School	5,085	1,400	72	3,600	987	46	190	11,380
CSA	19	8	1	18	2	0	0	48
DCS	5,741	920	163	4,487	597	138	810	12,856
Other State Dept.	1,189	1,230	41	664	1,079	43	268	4,514
District Attorney	1,064	224	29	936	210	45	381	2,889
Court Staff	4,415	1,478	103	2,696	595	62	402	9,751
Social Agency	358	233	10	219	239	12	25	1,096
Other Court	291	53	2	105	14	4	32	501
Victim	1,395	367	24	895	303	10	41	3,035
Child & Parent	156	39	23	116	28	12	66	440
Hospital	32	5	3	17	8	0	0	65
Unknown	74	22	1	29	8	0	12	146
Other	1,174	422	20	931	195	23	197	2,962
Totals	55,038	25,405	1,281	32,460	14,514	806	4,231	133,735

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Delinquent Referrals to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee for 2005
Based on Number of Referrals

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Law Enforcement	23,761	13,615	488	9,473	5,675	160	824	53,996
Parents	443	111	13	243	96	7	32	945
Relatives	72	8	2	32	3	1	2	120
Self	44	5	0	9	1	0	2	61
School	632	222	10	255	125	3	11	1,258
CSA	13	6	0	6	2	0	0	27
DCS	966	204	13	291	82	1	27	1,584
Other State Dept.	458	141	14	138	104	9	103	967
District Attorney's Office	108	33	7	102	44	5	36	335
Court Staff	1,688	781	42	774	274	16	41	3,616
Social Agency	177	30	1	70	10	1	4	293
Other Court	210	38	1	72	11	1	9	342
Victim	1,310	361	22	857	297	10	35	2,892
Child & Parent	64	22	1	29	17	0	2	135
Hospital	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
Unknown	34	14	0	12	0	0	1	61
Other	292	77	6	197	30	0	34	636
Total	30,272	15,670	620	12,560	6,771	214	1,163	67,270

Status/Unruly Referrals to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee for 2005

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Law Enforcement	2,989	1,321	38	1,561	902	37	130	6,978
Parents	1,344	469	31	1,524	355	36	49	3,808
Relatives	96	27	4	120	30	4	4	285
Self	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
School	4,144	1,151	58	2,995	820	41	154	9,363
CSA	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
DCS	269	107	11	182	87	4	23	683
Other State Dept.	14	9	0	2	6	0	0	31
District Attorney's Office	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	7
Court Staff	399	114	16	354	84	11	15	993
Social Agency	52	8	1	35	3	0	7	106
Other Court	20	5	0	5	2	0	1	33
Victim	22	0	2	13	3	0	2	42
Child & Parent	4	0	0	2	1	0	1	8
Hospital	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
Unknown	18	5	0	5	3	0	2	33
Other	88	31	4	67	15	1	2	208
Total	9,473	3,248	165	6,866	2,312	134	390	22,588

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**Dependent, Neglect, and Abuse Allegations
Referred to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee for 2005
Based on Number of Referrals**

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Law Enforcement	2,989	1,321	38	1,561	902	37	130	6,978
Parents	1,344	469	31	1,524	355	36	49	3,808
Relatives	96	27	4	120	30	4	4	285
Self	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
School	4,144	1,151	58	2,995	820	41	154	9,363
CSA	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
DCS	269	107	11	182	87	4	23	683
Other State Dept.	14	9	0	2	6	0	0	31
District Attorney's Office	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	7
Court Staff	399	114	16	354	84	11	15	993
Social Agency	52	8	1	35	3	0	7	106
Other Court	20	5	0	5	2	0	1	33
Victim	22	0	2	13	3	0	2	42
Child & Parent	4	0	0	2	1	0	1	8
Hospital	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
Unknown	18	5	0	5	3	0	2	33
Other	88	31	4	67	15	1	2	208
Total	9,473	3,248	165	6,866	2,312	134	390	22,588

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Manner of Handling the Referral 2005

After determining that a referral warrants action, the court must decide whether to process the referral formally or informally. This decision affects the manner in which the referral is handled by court staff. If the referral is to be disposed by a judge or referee through formal adjudicatory and dispositional proceedings, then a petition outlining the charges must be filed as part of the intake process. The filing of a petition, however, does not necessarily result in a formal hearing.

The table on page 46 shows that petitions or motions were filed in 63.4% of the 2005 referrals. This figure is reflective of the number of petitions or motions that resulted in judicial action of some kind. Petitions that were filed but ended in an informal adjustment are explained later in this report.

Citation/Tickets, which may be used by law enforcement in lieu of a petition, were issued in 14.9% of the referrals, while judicial, administrative and foster care reviews accounted for 5.7% of reported referrals.

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Intake Actions
Based on Number of Referrals

January 1, 2005 - December 31, 2005

	Number	Percent
Petition Filed	80,834	60.4%
Motion Filed	3,955	3.0%
Citation Processed	19,959	14.9%
Paternity Processed	67	0.1%
Judicial Review	5,425	4.1%
Administrative Review	764	0.6%
Foster Care Review	1,301	1.0%
Unknown	1,163	0.9%
Does Not Apply	17,621	13.2%
Other	2,646	2.0%
Total	133,735	100.0%

Figures based on number of reported referral reasons disposed.

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Detention Information Based on Number of Reported Cases 2005

After receiving an offense-related referral, one of the immediate decisions the court must make is whether or not to detain the child. When the court believes that a child, referred for offense-related reasons, is in need of protection or may be a threat to the community, the court may elect to detain the child. The 2005 data revealed that in 64.2% of reported cases, children were not considered for detention. In 11.1% of reported cases, however, children were considered for and detained in a juvenile detention facility. Remember that the definition of case (from page 11) is “all referral reasons/charges reported to the court (via complaint, petition, motion, etc.) on a given day for a given child.” Please refer to the table below and the chart on page 48 for more information.

Detention Information for Juvenile Court Referrals		
	Number	Percent
Non-secure Placement	2,913	2.6%
Juvenile Detention Facility	12,182	11.1%
Jail - Complete Separation	9	0.0%
Jail - Partial Separation	2	0.0%
Jail - No Separation	30	0.0%
Psychiatric Hospital	138	0.1%
Unknown	22,989	20.9%
Does Not Apply	70,663	64.2%
Other	1,082	1.0%
Total	110,008	100.0%

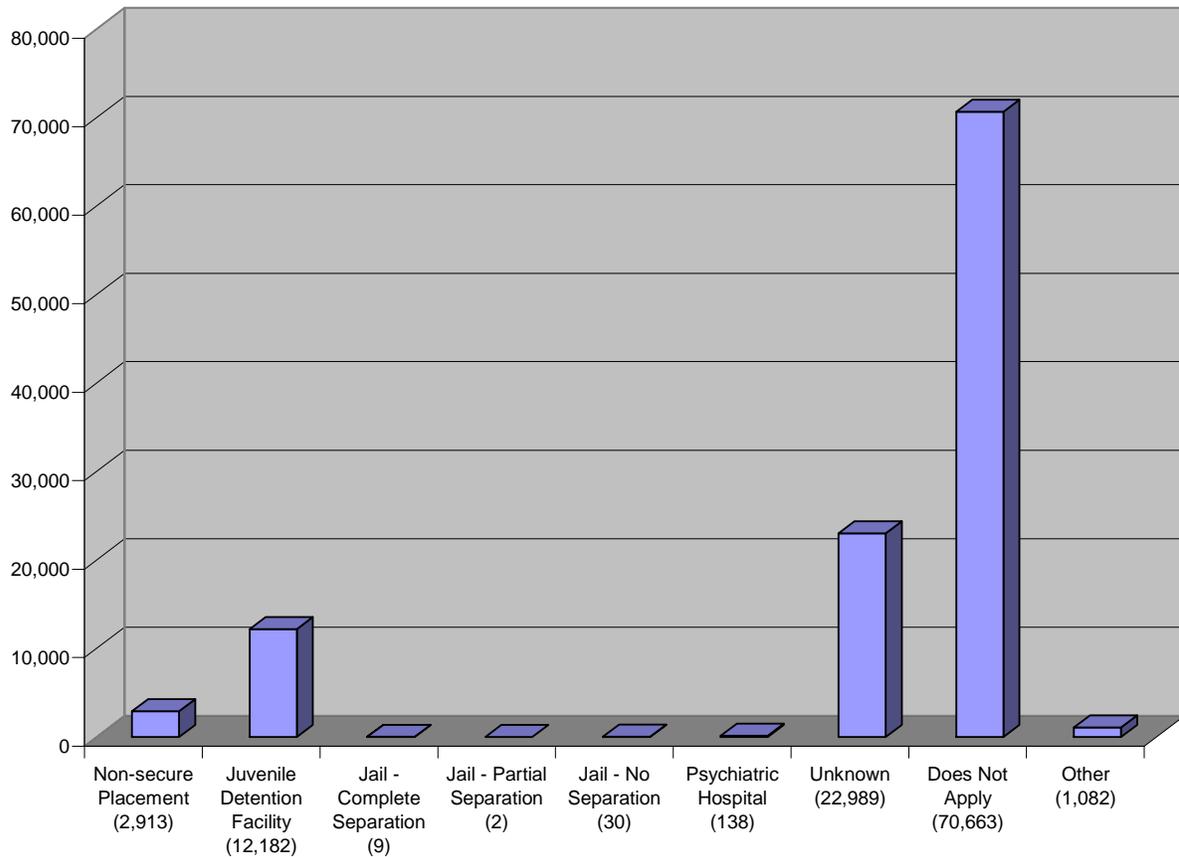
***Not Considered For Detention – These children had referrals that did not make them eligible to be detained in a detention facility or the decision was made not to detain them.**

Non-secure placements provide children with shelter and supervision in a setting that enables them to continue as many normal activities as possible. Temporary Holding Resources (THRs), emergency foster homes, and shelters constitute most of the non-secure placements used by juvenile courts. The 2005 data showed 2,913 or 2.6% of the juvenile court cases resulted in placement in one of these non-secure settings.

Conversely, the 2005 data revealed 9 cases that resulted in children being placed in adult jails completely separated by sight and sound from all adult prisoners, and 32 or 0.03% were placed in adult jails with partial or no separation.

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Juvenile Court Adjudicatory & Dispositional Procedures 2005

As mentioned before, 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 that address the problem but avoid a formal court hearing and an official finding of guilt. The difference between pretrial diversion and informal adjustment is seen in the extent to which the judge or referee 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. The table on page 51 reveals that informal adjustment was the result in 21.1% of the referrals to juvenile court. Pretrial diversions were the method of handling 4.9% of the referrals.

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 referee 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 either immediately or at a later date. The table on 51 indicates that 43.3% of the referrals to juvenile court resulted in a formal adjudicatory proceeding. The table on 51 further reflects that of the formally adjudicated proceedings, 68.8% of the motions/complaints against children were substantiated, while 25.4% of motion/complaints were formally dismissed and 5.8% were retired.

The table on page 53 shows how the delinquent referrals were handled. This table shows that 31.6% of the referrals were substantiated delinquent, 28.7% of the referrals were informally adjusted, 15.2% were either dismissed or retired and 7.1% were pretrial diverted.

The next table on page 53 shows the status referrals and how they were handled. Of this category it is seen that 29.9% were informally adjusted, 29.2% were substantiated status offender, 14.3% were either dismissed or retired and 7.0% were substantiated delinquent.

The table on page 54 shows the dependent and neglected referrals and how they were handled. In this category that 42.8% of the referrals are substantiated dependent and neglected and 11.2% are either dismissed or retired. There are 19.7% of these referrals that were dealt with as special proceedings that are reviews conducted by the court.

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Of the 110,008 cases disposed, the procedures used to dispose or adjust each of the 133,735 referral reasons were:

	Number	Percent
Formally Adjudicated	57,883	43.3%
Informally Adjusted	28,160	21.1%
Charges Cleared by/or Transfer to Adult Court	603	0.5%
Otherwise Handled	47,089	35.2%
Total	133,735	100.0%

Of the 57,883 referral reasons that were disposed by formal adjudicatory proceedings were:

	Number	Percent
Dismissed	14,675	25.4%
Nolle Prosequi	3,369	5.8%
Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	24,432	42.2%
Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	9,442	16.3%
Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	5,917	10.2%
Complaint Substantiated Abused	44	0.1%
Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	4	0.0%
Total	57,883	100.0%

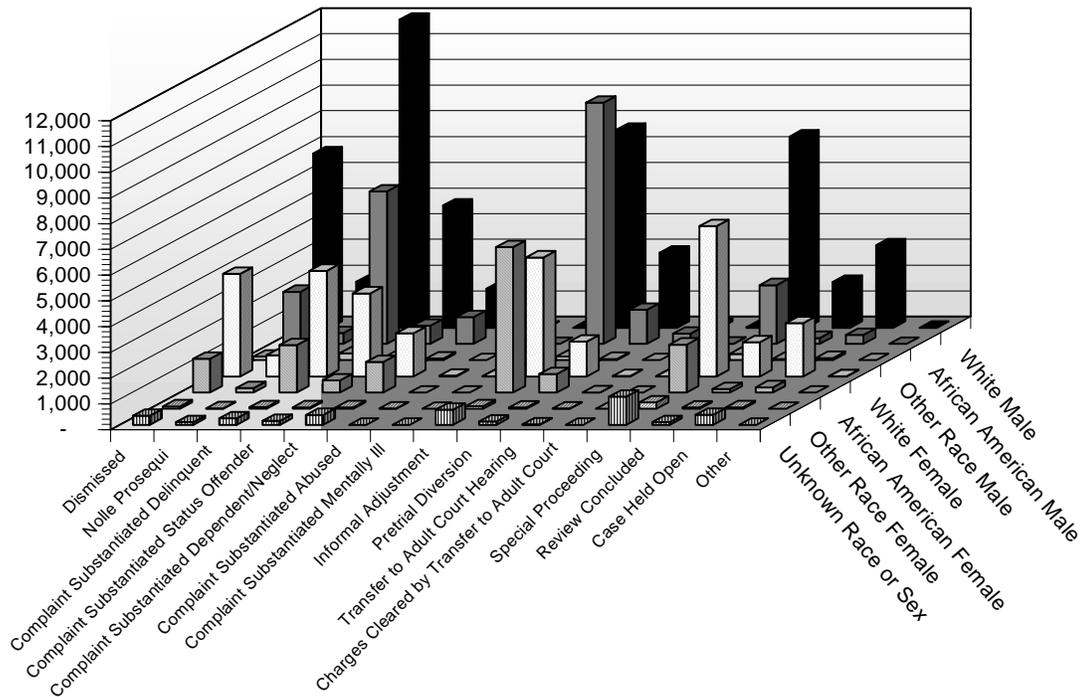
Of the 75,852 referral reasons that were otherwise handled were:

	Number	Percent
Informal Adjustment	28,160	37.1%
Pretrial Diversion	6,521	8.6%
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	560	0.7%
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	43	0.1%
Special Proceeding	18,982	25.0%
Review Concluded	3,663	4.8%
Case Held Open	6,348	8.4%
Unknown	13	0.0%
Other	11,562	15.2%
Total	75,852	100.0%

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Adjudicatory Procedures
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Based on Number of Referrals



	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Totals
Dismissed	6,786	2,025	137	3,978	1,315	90	344	14,675
Nolle Prosequi	1,796	421	35	823	178	14	102	3,369
Substantiated Delinquent	11,986	5,940	263	4,096	1,840	62	245	24,432
Substantiated Status Offender	4,761	709	83	3,218	467	54	150	9,442
Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	1,522	1,046	63	1,672	1,182	54	378	5,917
Substantiated Abused	16	2	1	23	0	1	1	44
Substantiated Mentally Ill	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	4
Informal Adjustment	7,705	9,378	135	4,613	5,642	96	591	28,160
Pretrial Diversion	2,919	1,329	53	1,344	712	37	127	6,521
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	119	403	0	16	8	2	12	560
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	26	10	1	6	0	0	0	43
Special Proceeding	7,441	2,284	242	5,839	1,856	234	1,086	18,982
Review Concluded	1,782	236	53	1,317	129	39	107	3,663
Case Held Open	3,209	357	81	2,063	204	47	387	6,348
Other	6	3	0	4	0	0	0	13
Totals	50,076	24,144	1,147	29,013	13,533	730	3,530	122,173

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Delinquent Referrals to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee for 2005

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Totals
Dismissed	4,203	1,074	85	1,832	450	29	122	7,795
Nolle Prosequi	1328	332	29	560	115	6	59	2,429
Substantiated Delinquent	10,610	5,330	247	3,359	1,459	55	176	21,236
Substantiated Status Offender	1521	151	17	836	81	7	49	2,662
Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	44	23	0	51	9	1	8	136
Substantiated Abused	1	2	1	1	0	0	0	5
Substantiated Mentally Ill	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Informal Adjustment	5,226	6,622	100	3,016	3,851	59	441	19,315
Pretrial Diversion	2333	988	39	878	438	19	58	4,753
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	104	386	0	8	8	1	12	519
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	19	8	1	5	0	0	0	33
Special Proceeding	1525	269	23	608	114	14	91	2,644
Review Concluded	85	39	6	51	13	3	4	201
Case Held Open	1209	159	28	421	76	6	76	1,975
Unknown	4	3	0	4	0	0	0	11
Other	2059	283	44	930	157	14	67	3,554
Total	30,272	15,670	620	12,560	6,771	214	1,163	67,270

Status/Unruly Referrals to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee for 2005

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Dismissed	1,130	231	24	940	178	17	45	2,565
Nolle Prosequi	344	45	4	210	33	6	13	655
Substantiated Delinquent	759	229	7	442	112	2	26	1,577
Substantiated Status Offender	3,141	551	61	2,318	377	45	96	6,589
Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	68	15	0	80	19	3	11	196
Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Substantiated Mentally Ill	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Informal Adjustment	2,105	1,770	28	1,376	1,320	32	114	6,745
Pretrial Diversion	317	125	9	229	86	11	15	792
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	4	5	0	0	0	1	0	10
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	3
Special Proceeding	534	50	6	425	23	7	4	1,049
Review Concluded	46	10	2	28	5	1	0	92
Case Held Open	425	44	12	360	22	3	29	895
Unknown	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Other	596	172	12	457	137	6	37	1,417
Total	9,473	3,248	165	6,866	2,312	134	390	22,588

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**Dependent, Neglect, and Abuse Allegations
Referred to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee for 2005**

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Dismissed	226	187	9	245	179	11	30	887
Nolle Prosequi	5	3	0	3	3	1	0	15
Substantiated Delinquent	29	81	2	32	95	0	26	265
Substantiated Status Offender	2	0	1	5	1	0	0	9
Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	967	593	35	1,023	643	31	157	3,449
Substantiated Abused	14	0	0	19	0	1	1	35
Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Informal Adjustment	23	69	1	23	84	1	4	205
Pretrial Diversion	35	36	1	24	28	1	25	150
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	3	0	0	4	0	0	0	7
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Special Proceeding	601	102	13	702	97	24	50	1,589
Review Concluded	90	4	10	86	4	8	7	209
Case Held Open	287	11	9	263	10	13	42	635
Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	190	62	12	232	55	8	37	596
Total	2,473	1,148	93	2,661	1,199	99	379	8,052

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Dispositional Procedure Information
by Race, Gender and Class of Referral/Offense
Based on Number of Referrals
2005

In looking at classes of referrals/offenses across the general juvenile court population, the 2005 data reflected in the table on pages 56-58 continued to indicate that referrals for delinquent, status, and dependency/neglect reasons were more likely to be formally adjudicated than informally adjusted (50.9% of delinquent referral reasons handled by formal adjudication, 51.3% of status offense reasons handled by formal adjudication and 57.9% of dependency and neglect allegations handled by formal adjudication).

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Procedure Used by Class of Referral/Offense by Race and Sex January 1, 2005 - December 31, 2005 Based on Number of Referrals

	<u>Offenses Against Persons</u>						Total	
	White	African	Other	White	African	Other		
Dismissed	452	229	9	180	98	5	11	984
Nolle Prosequi	126	49	3	52	26	1	4	261
Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	1,276	1,148	38	407	397	21	25	3,312
Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	23	12	0	16	8	1	0	60
Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	12	6	0	10	2	1	0	31
Complaint Substantiated Abused	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	3
Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Informal Adjustment	342	1,533	2	171	1,160	7	35	3,250
Pretrial Diversion	342	221	7	123	115	0	16	824
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	25	219	0	2	5	0	6	257
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	5	6	1	0	0	0	0	12
Special Proceeding	195	16	1	62	9	4	1	288
Review Concluded	10	5	0	6	0	1	1	23
Case Held Open	188	31	3	60	16	0	10	308
Other	134	46	6	36	20	4	10	256
Total	3,131	3,522	70	1,126	1,856	45	119	9,869

	<u>Offenses Against Property</u>						Total	
	White	African	Other	White	African	Other		
Dismissed	593	292	6	181	70	9	11	1162
Nolle Prosequi	193	32	7	49	14	2	5	302
Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	2,611	1,424	60	742	326	7	39	5,209
Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	25	4	0	7	3	2	2	43
Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	7	14	0	6	0	0	4	31
Complaint Substantiated Abused	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Informal Adjustment	709	1,261	18	569	664	19	53	3,293
Pretrial Diversion	639	224	10	286	88	5	14	1266
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	58	61	0	0	0	1	0	120
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	7
Special Proceeding	245	21	2	70	2	0	2	342
Review Concluded	15	11	0	1	2	0	0	29
Case Held Open	198	38	10	31	8	0	4	289
Other	200	58	10	87	29	0	8	392
Total	5,499	3,443	123	2,029	1,206	45	142	12,487

	<u>Illegal Conduct</u>						Total	
	White	African	Other	White	African	Other		
Dismissed	3,158	553	70	1,471	282	15	100	5,649
Nolle Prosequi	1,009	251	19	459	75	3	50	1,866
Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	6,723	2,758	149	2,210	736	27	112	12,715
Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	1,473	135	17	813	70	4	47	2,559
Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	25	3	0	35	7	0	4	74
Complaint Substantiated Abused	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Informal Adjustment	4,175	3,828	80	2,276	2,027	33	353	12,772
Pretrial Diversion	1,352	543	22	469	235	14	28	2,663
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	21	106	0	6	3	0	6	142
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	9	0	0	5	0	0	0	14
Special Proceeding	1,085	232	20	476	103	10	88	2,014
Review Concluded	60	23	6	44	11	2	3	149
Case Held Open	823	90	15	330	52	6	62	1,378
Other	1,729	182	28	811	108	10	49	2,917
Total	21,642	8,705	427	9,405	3,709	124	902	44,914

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Status Offenses	White			African			Other			Unknown	Total
	White	African	Other	White	African	Other	White	African	Other		
Dismissed	1,130	231	24	940	178	17	45				2,565
Nolle Prosequi	344	45	4	210	33	6	13				655
Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	759	229	7	442	112	2	26				1,577
Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	3,141	551	61	2,318	377	45	96				6,589
Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	68	15	0	80	19	3	11				196
Complaint Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	1	0	0	0	0	0	0				1
Informal Adjustment	2,105	1,770	28	1,376	1,320	32	114				6,745
Pretrial Diversion	317	125	9	229	86	11	15				792
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	4	5	0	0	0	1	0				10
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	1	1	0	1	0	0	0				3
Special Proceeding	534	50	6	425	23	7	4				1,049
Review Concluded	46	10	2	28	5	1	0				92
Case Held Open	425	44	12	360	22	3	29				895
Other	598	172	12	457	137	6	37				1,419
Total	9,473	3,248	165	6,866	2,312	134	390				22,588

Neglect and Abuse	White			African			Other			Unknown	Total
	White	African	Other	White	African	Other	White	African	Other		
Dismissed	226	187	9	245	179	11	30				887
Nolle Prosequi	5	3	0	3	3	1	0				15
Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	29	81	2	32	95	0	26				265
Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	2	0	1	5	1	0	0				9
Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	967	593	35	1023	643	31	157				3,449
Complaint Substantiated Abused	14	0	0	19	0	1	1				35
Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Informal Adjustment	23	69	1	23	84	1	4				205
Pretrial Diversion	35	36	1	24	28	1	25				150
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	3	0	0	4	0	0	0				7
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	1	0	0	0	0	0	0				1
Special Proceeding	601	102	13	702	97	24	50				1,589
Review Concluded	90	4	10	86	4	8	7				209
Case Held Open	287	11	9	263	10	13	42				635
Other	190	62	12	232	55	8	37				596
Total	2473	1148	93	2661	1199	99	379				8052

Other Violation Proceedings	White			African			Other			Unknown	Total
	White	African	Other	White	African	Other	White	African	Other		
Dismissed	13	1	0	1	0	0	0				15
Nolle Prosequi	1	0	0	2	0	0	0				3
Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	17	1	0	11	1	1	0				31
Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	3	1	0	10	2	0	0				16
Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Complaint Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Informal Adjustment	4	0	0	0	0	0	0				4
Pretrial Diversion	1	0	0	0	0	0	0				1
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Special Proceeding	10	1	0	5	3	0	0				19
Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0				0
Case Held Open	5	1	1	5	4	0	0				16
Other	4	0	0	3	0	0	0				7
Total	58	5	1	37	10	1	0				112

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	White			African			Other			Unknown	Total
	White	African	Other	White	African	Other	White	African	Other		
Special Proceedings											
Dismissed	376	195	0	209	215	5	21			1,021	
Nolle Prosequi	15	3	0	11	1	0	2			32	
Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	61	59	0	32	36	0	0			188	
Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	35	1	3	22	3	1	1			66	
Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	117	330	5	142	411	6	17			1,028	
Complaint Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	
Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	
Informal Adjustment	6	24	0	4	30	0	2			66	
Pretrial Diversion	6	0	0	3	0	0	0			9	
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	0	0	0	1	0	0	0			1	
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	1	1	0	0	0	0	0			2	
Special Proceeding	1,459	206	38	1,127	153	36	378			3,397	
Review Concluded	1,361	154	26	978	88	22	66			2,695	
Case Held Open	820	59	20	671	36	14	134			1,754	
Other	295	97	11	193	95	4	62			757	
Total	4,552	1,129	103	3,393	1,068	88	683			11,016	

	White			African			Other			Unknown	Total
	White	African	Other	White	African	Other	White	African	Other		
Parentage											
Dismissed	573	256	14	584	245	20	109			1,801	
Nolle Prosequi	28	25	0	22	19	1	19			114	
Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	91	103	1	90	104	1	9			399	
Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	5	0	1	4	0	0	1			11	
Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	289	79	20	347	84	9	174			1,002	
Complaint Substantiated Abused	1	0	0	2	0	0	0			3	
Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	1	0	0	0			1	
Informal Adjustment	129	223	2	121	243	0	15			733	
Pretrial Diversion	129	157	4	167	148	3	25			633	
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	2	3	0	3	0	0	0			8	
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	1	0	0	0	0	0	0			1	
Special Proceeding	2,408	1,488	146	2,255	1,385	135	379			8,196	
Review Concluded	67	11	4	68	3	1	14			168	
Case Held Open	312	54	10	228	50	8	73			735	
Other	1,260	365	42	1,277	370	40	420			3,774	
Total	5,295	2,764	244	5,169	2,651	218	1,238			17,579	

	White			African			Other			Unknown	Total
	White	African	Other	White	African	Other	White	African	Other		
Other Referrals Not Determined											
Dismissed	265	81	5	167	48	8	17			591	
Nolle Prosequi	75	13	2	15	7	0	9			121	
Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	419	137	6	130	33	3	8			736	
Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	54	5	0	23	3	1	3			89	
Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	37	6	3	29	16	4	11			106	
Complaint Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	1	0	0	0			1	
Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0			0	
Informal Adjustment	212	670	4	73	114	4	15			1,092	
Pretrial Diversion	98	23	0	43	12	3	4			183	
Transfer to Adult Court Hearing	6	9	0	0	0	0	0			15	
Charges Cleared by Transfer to Adult Court	3	0	0	0	0	0	0			3	
Special Proceeding	904	168	16	717	81	18	184			2,088	
Review Concluded	133	18	5	106	16	4	16			298	
Case Held Open	151	29	1	115	6	3	33			338	
Other	558	282	13	355	167	4	78			1,457	
Total	2,915	1,441	55	1,774	503	52	378			7,118	

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**Number of Individual Children Transferred to Adult Court
by Court, Race and Sex
Based on Number of Children
2005**

The 2005 data were analyzed to determine the number of children transferred to adult court for the alleged delinquent offenses. The data reported in the table on page 60 shows that 287 children were transferred to adult court in 2005. At 92.7%, males were the overwhelming majority of transferred children. When looking at race, 64.1% of the children transferred were African American males, while their white male counterparts represented 26.8% of the overall transfers. African American females represented 1.7% and white females represented 5.2% of all transfers.

There are 2.5 times as many delinquent African American males transferred to adult courts as are white males despite there being more than twice as many delinquent white males. Delinquent African American males also have a lower average age than their white counterparts by 11 months. However, delinquent African American males commit offenses listed under TCA §37-1-134(1) at a higher rate (in frequency and percent) than delinquent white males.]

The court reporting the largest number of children transferred was Shelby County Juvenile Court, which accounted for 58.2% of the statewide transfers. The court with the next highest number of transfers to adult court was Blount County Juvenile Court (3.8%). Forty-two (42) courts reported at least one transfer.

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**Total Number of Individual Children
Transferred to Adult Court by Race and Sex
January 1, 2005 – December 31, 2005**

	White Male	African American Male	Other Race Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female	Unknown Race or Sex	Total
Bledsoe	2	1	0	2	0	0	0	5
Blount	4	0	0	6	1	0	0	11
Bradley	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Carroll	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Carter	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Cheatham	7	1	0	0	0	0	0	8
Chester	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Claiborne	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Coffee	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Dickson	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Dyer	3	6	0	0	0	0	0	9
Hamblen	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Hamilton	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	5
Hawkins	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	5
Henderson	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
Hickman	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Humphreys	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Jackson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Johnson City	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
Knox	2	5	0	0	0	0	0	7
Lake	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Lauderdale	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Lawrence	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
Madison	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Marshall	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Maury	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	6
McMinn	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	6
Monroe	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Montgomery	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	4
Obion	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Pickett	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Roane	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Robertson	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Sevier	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
Shelby	5	153	0	0	4	0	5	167
Stewart	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Sullivan Div. I	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Sumner	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	3
Tipton	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Union	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Weakley	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Wilson	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total	77	184	1	15	5	0	5	287

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Individual Dispositional Actions by Race and Sex for 2005

This report looks at individual dispositional actions taken by the juvenile courts in 2005. As the data are spread between sixty-four (64) potential dispositional actions, most of the percentages presented will be small.

NOTE: Starting in the 2001 Annual Report the counting of the data was changed so that each child was only counted "One time per disposition date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous annual reports), however this will reflect a more accurate number of Outcome Referrals that were ordered per court hearing (disposition date).

With respect to the 2005 reporting of individual dispositional actions, the table on pages 62 and 63 reveals that the most often reported specific dispositional choice was "Other". **Because of the un-interpretable nature of this dispositional choice, "Other" will not be included in the most often cited dispositional actions presented in the remainder of this discussion.**

When looking at race and gender, the top three dispositional actions reported were "Court Costs" with 11.7% of the total dispositional actions (52.7% white males, 28.2% white females, 9.8% African American males, and 5.3% African American females based on the total "Court Costs" dispositional action). The second highest dispositional action is "Warned/Counseled" with 8.2% of the total dispositional actions (28.8% white males, 18.5% white females, 29.5% African American males, and 20.6% African American females based on the total "Warned/Counseled" dispositional action). Also, "Case Dismissed" disposition action is 7.7% of the total dispositional actions (38.1% white males, 24.7% white females, 19.5% African American males and 13.2% African American females based on the total "Case Dismissed" dispositional action).

The most often reported dispositional actions associated with white males were court costs at 13.9%, case dismissed at 6.6%, public service at 6.4% and held open for review at 5.7% based on total dispositional actions.

The most often reported dispositional actions associated with white females were court costs at 12.8%, case dismissed at 7.4%, help open for review at 6.4% and warned/counseled at 5.9% based on total dispositional actions.

The most often reported dispositional actions associated with African American males were warned/counseled at 15.0%, case dismissed at 9.4%, court costs at 7.2% and held open at 6.3% based on total dispositional actions.

The most often reported dispositional actions associated with African American females were warned/counseled at 18.0%, case dismissed at 10.8%, relative placement at 7.9% and held open for review at 7.3% based on total dispositional actions.

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Outcome/Dispositional Data January 1, 2005 - December 31, 2005

General Action Codes	African American			Other Race			Unknown Race or Sex	Total
	White Male	Male	Male	White Female	African American Female	Other Race Female		
Case Dismissed	6,087	3,111	122	3,937	2,102	85	516	15,960
Nolle Prosequi	1,572	454	41	833	233	13	115	3,261
Warned/Counseled	4,873	4,990	87	3,129	3,495	70	282	16,926
Held Open for Review	5,234	2,090	115	3,437	1,425	92	497	12,890
Probation to Juvenile Court	4,222	1,796	80	2,170	738	29	133	9,168
Probation to Parents	401	181	6	227	110	0	12	937
Referred for Supervision	1,487	561	34	953	381	18	35	3,469
Mental Health Counseling	1,104	568	22	559	294	7	23	2,577
Alcohol and Drug Counseling	1,709	218	24	735	68	5	26	2,785
Alternative School	104	23	3	30	3	1	3	167
Private Child Agency	46	9	0	33	8	0	1	97
Defensive Driving School	2,902	143	43	1,707	82	12	56	4,945
Alcohol Safety School	455	89	12	166	17	1	6	746
Court Education-Based Program	1,157	189	25	611	153	21	61	2,217
Driver's License Held Informally	1,313	381	22	506	57	3	15	2,297
Voluntary DMHMR Placement	4	1	2	1	0	0	0	8
Private MH Placement	38	7	1	23	0	0	0	69
Private MR Placement	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	4
City/County Placement	241	1,120	12	81	217	3	77	1,751
Relative/Other Placement	633	1,448	27	628	1,542	23	76	4,377
Fine	5,047	389	70	2,400	195	17	116	8,234
Public Service	5,859	1,561	102	2,571	745	26	133	10,997
Restitution	1,642	675	30	461	176	4	37	3,025
Runaway Returned	45	24	1	76	33	1	3	183
No Contact Order	1,787	591	44	1,170	340	20	136	4,088
Injunction	294	147	3	233	111	1	14	803
House Arrest	746	772	27	285	91	4	28	1,953
Court Defined Curfew	619	264	21	364	131	10	13	1,422
Dismissed from Informal Adjustment	405	56	5	247	29	0	12	754
Dismissed from Pretrial Diversion	515	96	9	270	77	2	26	995
Released from Probation	624	68	10	321	44	1	16	1,084
Total	51,167	22,023	1,000	28,165	12,897	469	2,468	118,189

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<u>Formal Action Codes</u>	White	African	Other	White	African	Other	Unknown	Total
	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	Race or Sex	
Transferred to Adult Court	105	234	1	20	5	0	6	371
DMHMR Involuntary Commitment	11	5	0	2	2	0	0	20
DCS Commitment - Determinate	69	47	3	14	2	0	0	135
DCS Commitment - Custody	1,791	878	54	986	456	32	128	4,325
DCS Commitment - Suspended	557	291	13	143	66	6	10	1,086
DCS Intensive Probation	120	30	3	33	4	0	0	190
Other Intensive Probation	611	148	14	200	31	1	3	1,008
DCS Probation	1,660	338	26	499	156	11	24	2,714
Placed Under a Valid Court Ord	2,103	435	69	1352	246	39	91	4,335
Supervision by DCS	207	28	5	179	13	7	21	460
Transferred to Another Juvenile Ct	606	133	8	325	41	6	10	1129
Parental Rights Terminated	153	41	5	142	52	8	57	458
Parental Rights not Terminated	7	0	0	3	1	0	1	12
Total	8,000	2,608	201	3898	1075	110	351	16,243

<u>Special Proceedings</u>	White	African	Other	White	African	Other	Unknown	Total
	Male	Male	Male	Female	Female	Female	Race or Sex	
Order of Reference to DCS	177	21	2	152	12	2	9	375
Court Costs	12,819	2,388	296	6,857	1,290	148	544	24,342
Foster Care Terminated	256	30	16	205	21	7	19	554
Foster Care Continued	1,246	286	40	1,120	216	54	283	3,245
Custody Changed	2,460	583	113	2,371	599	88	327	6,541
Custody Unchanged	816	115	25	663	79	17	67	1,782
Visitation Changed	884	387	24	939	401	22	149	2,806
Visitation Unchanged	90	13	3	94	7	4	16	227
Paternity Voluntary Acknowledgmt	63	15	6	47	15	3	34	183
Paternity Determined	272	117	14	172	94	10	44	723
Paternity Not Determined	13	1	0	11	4	0	3	32
Child Support Granted	1,070	343	42	893	243	34	467	3,092
Child Support Amended	338	101	18	262	66	12	45	842
Child Support Denied	28	2	0	44	1	0	8	83
Child Support Terminated	40	19	5	44	25	3	10	146
Medical Treatment Granted	25	23	1	22	24	0	7	102
Medical Treatment Denied	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Consent to Marry Granted	2	0	0	12	0	0	0	14
Consent to Marry Denied	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Total	20,599	4,444	605	13,910	3,097	404	2,032	45,091

<u>All Other Outcome Actions</u>	12,201	4,191	263	7,402	2,400	178	1,181	27,816
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Totals	86,224	30,522	1,989	51,312	18,380	1,176	5,546	195,149
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**Juvenile Court Referrals Disposed by
 January 1, 2005 - December 31, 2005
 Based on Number of Referrals**

As mentioned earlier in this report, juvenile court cases and referrals can be disposed (depending upon the procedure used) by judges, referees, or youth services/probation officers. All cases resulting in a formal hearing and adjudication must be disposed by judicial staff (judges, referees, special judges). Cases that are handled informally through informal adjustment or other informal, non-judicial actions can be disposed by the court officers.

The 2005 data, as reflected in the table below, shows that 80.4% of referral reasons were disposed by judicial staff: 59.6% by judges and 20.8% by referees. Youth Services/Probation Officers were reported as disposing of 5.0% of referral reasons, while 14.6% of referral reasons were reported as being disposed by Other/Not Reported.

NOTE ABOUT 2004: Referral reasons in 2004 were disposed by judges in 46% of cases, referees disposed 28.0% of cases, YSOs disposed 18.6% of cases and the other/unknown category was 7.3%

Judge	79,768	59.6%
Referee	27,800	20.8%
YSO	6,641	5.0%
Unknown	18	0.0%
Other	19,508	14.6%
Total	133,735	100.0%

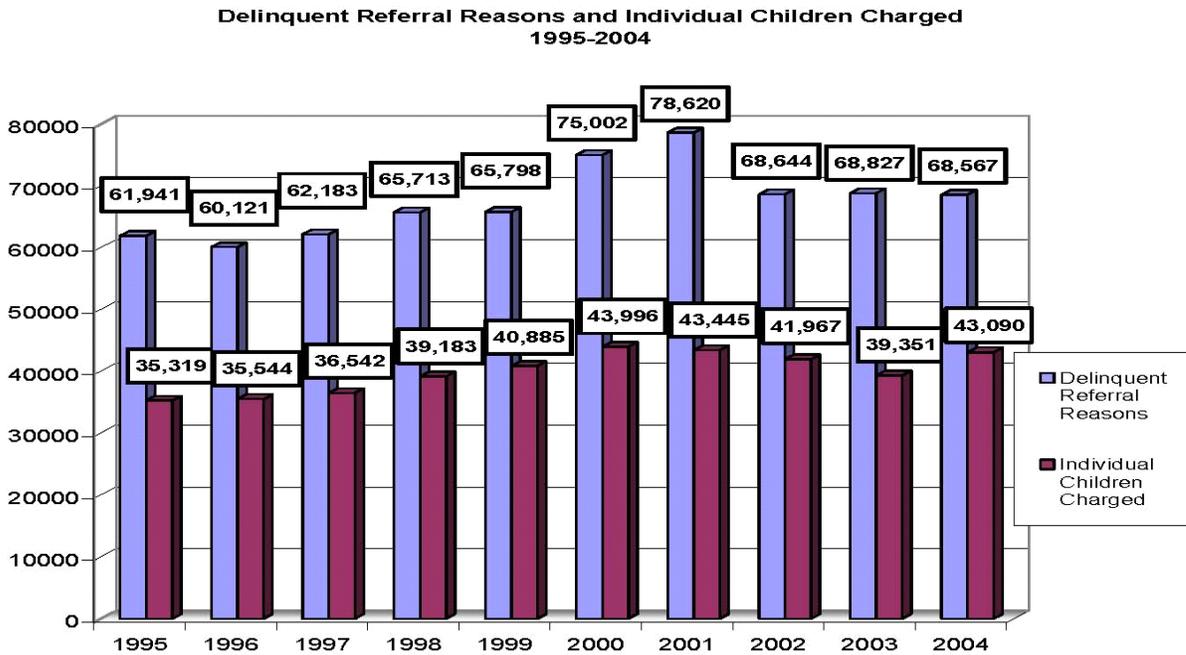
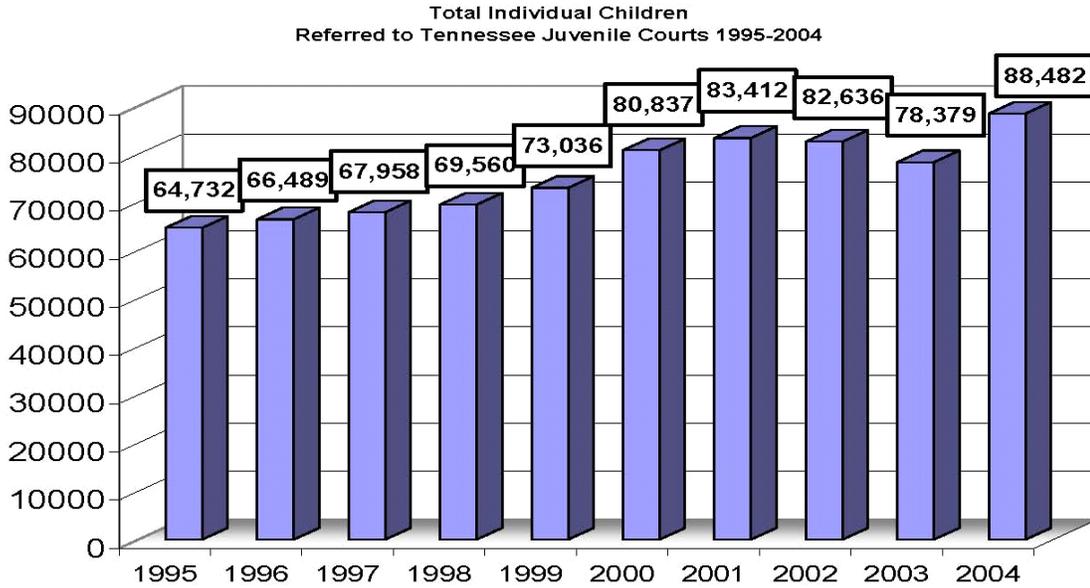
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Trends Over Time

NOTE: Each chart on this page has different scales of measurement and reflects 2004 data.

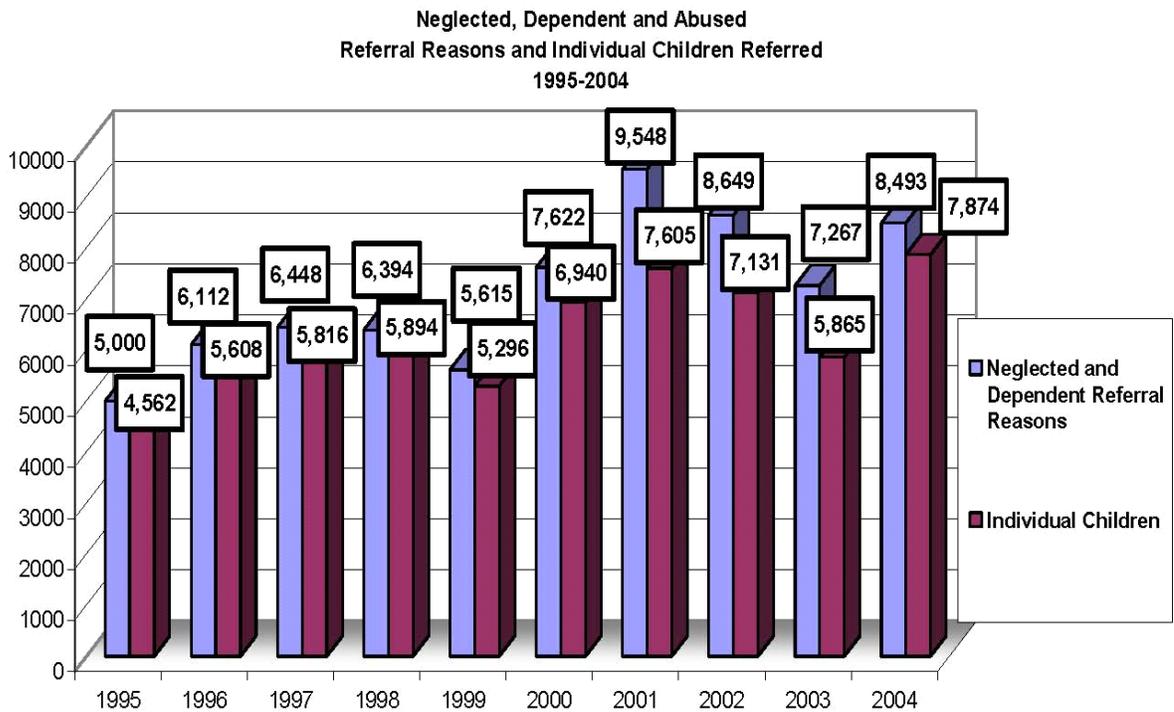
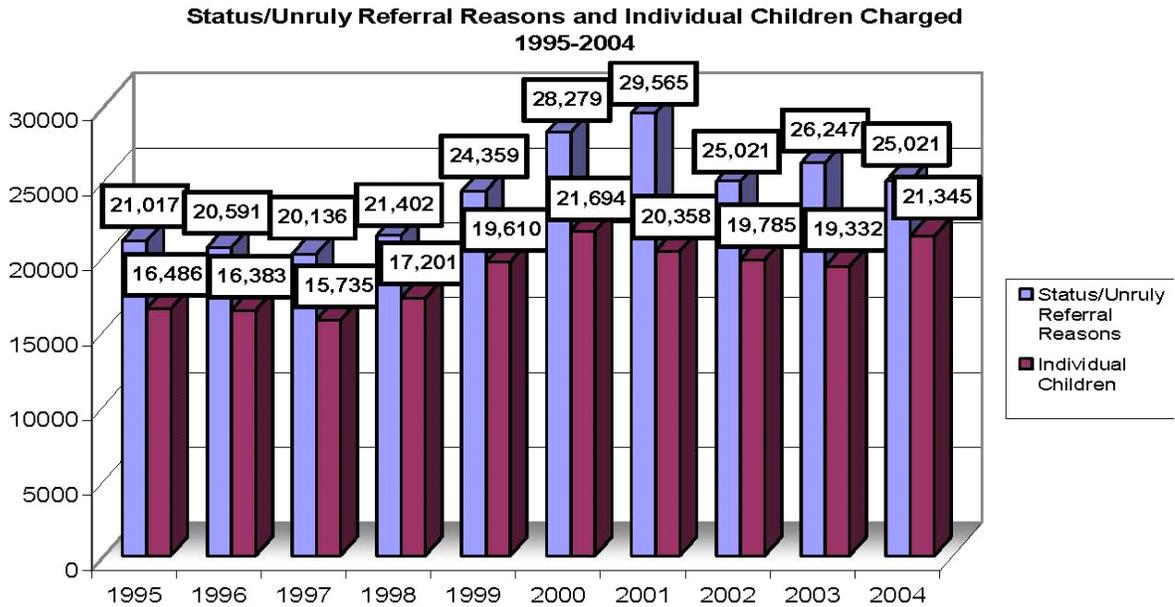


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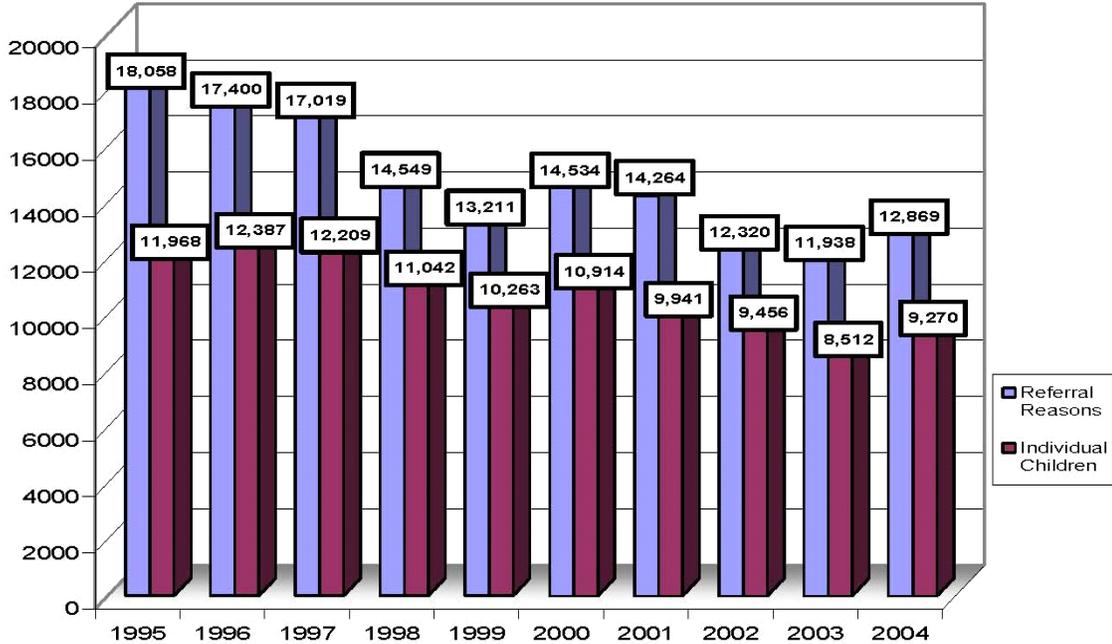
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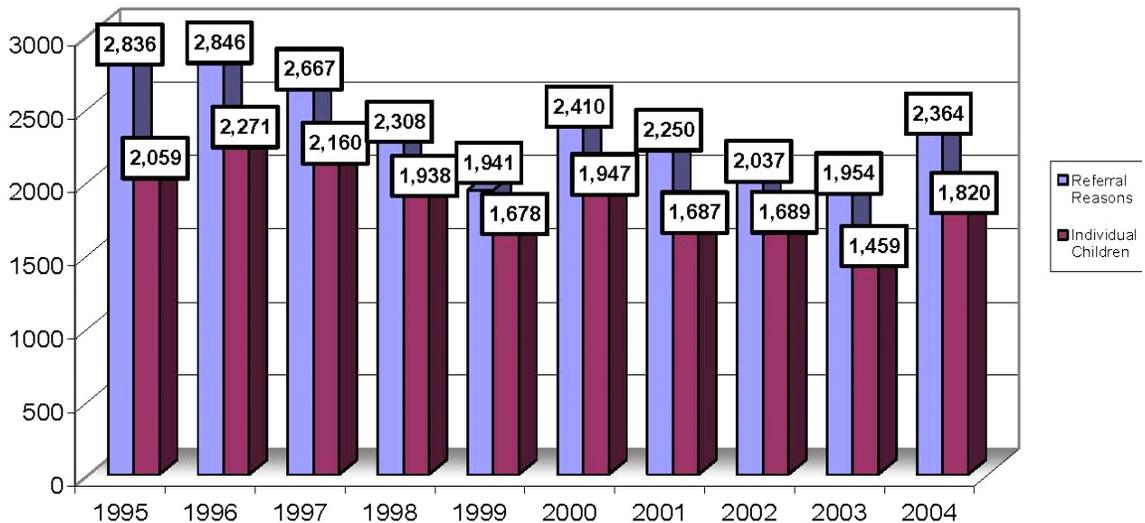
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**Tennessee Juvenile Court Crime Index Referrals 1995-2004 for
(Homicide*, Robbery*, Aggravated Assault, Rape*, Larceny*, Burglary*)**



*Homicide includes: Criminal Homicide, First Degree Murder, Second Degree Murder, Aggravated Vehicular Homicide and Vehicular Homicide
 *Robbery includes: Especially Aggravated Robbery, Aggravated Robbery and Robbery
 *Rape includes: Aggravated Rape, Rape of a Child and Rape
 *Larceny includes: Theft of Property
 *Burglary includes: Aggravated Burglary and Burglary

**Tennessee Juvenile Court Violent Crime Index Referrals 1995-2004 for
(Homicide*, Robbery*, Aggravated Assault, Rape*)**



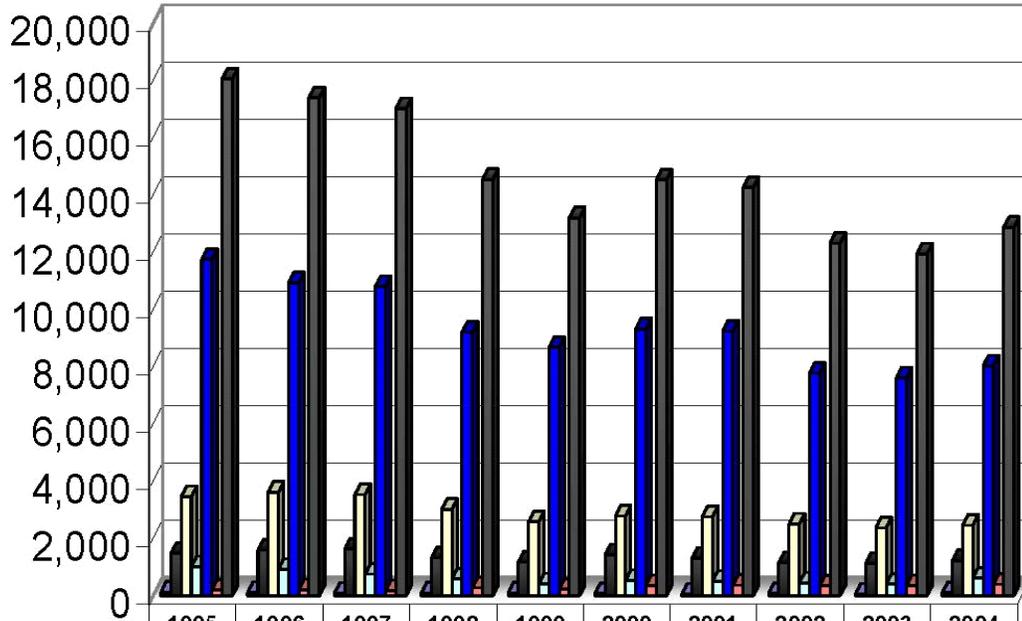
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 *Rape includes: Aggravated Rape, Rape of a Child and Rape

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**Tennessee Juvenile Court Referrals 1995-2004 for
Homicide*, Aggravated Assault, Burglary*, Robbery*, Larceny* and Rape***



	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
■ Homicide	128	116	91	96	108	80	61	79	61	109
■ Aggravated Assault	1,485	1,596	1,638	1,331	1,177	1,430	1,315	1,161	1,128	1,233
□ Burglary	3,466	3,618	3,541	3,023	2,588	2,794	2,764	2,503	2,376	2,472
□ Robbery	1,021	927	758	593	420	542	509	451	409	626
■ Larceny	11,756	10,936	10,811	9,218	8,682	9,330	9,250	7,780	7,608	8,033
■ Rape	202	207	180	288	236	358	365	346	356	396
■ Totals	18,058	17,400	17,019	14,549	13,211	14,534	14,264	12,320	11,938	12,869

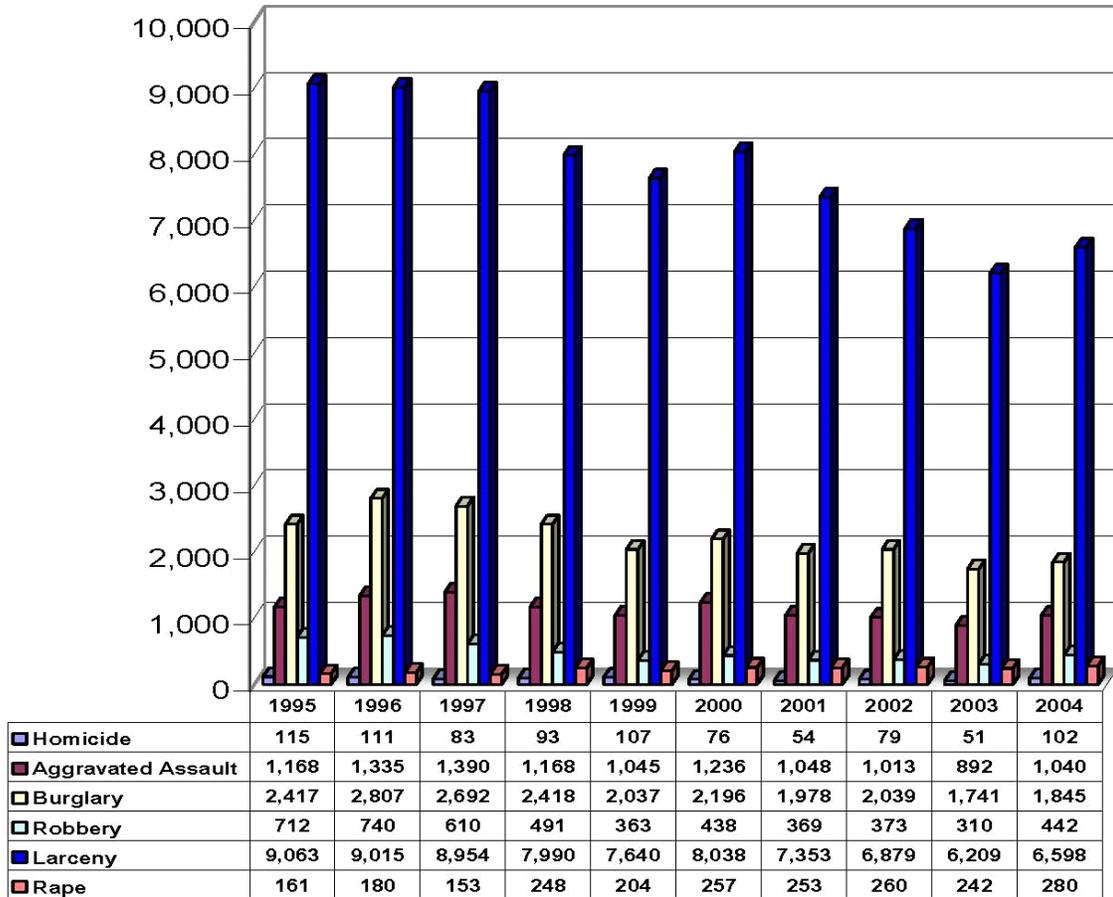
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**Tennessee Juvenile Court Referrals 1995-2004 for
Homicide*, Aggravated Assault, Burglary*, Robbery*, Larceny* and Rape***
Number of Children may be counted in more than one category



***Homicide includes:** Criminal homicide, First Degree Murder, Second Degree Murder, Aggravated Vehicular Homicide and Vehicular Homicide

***Burglary includes:** Aggravated Burglary and Burglary

***Robbery includes:** Especially Aggravated Robbery, Aggravated Robbery and Robbery

***Larceny includes:** Theft of Property

***Rape includes:** Aggravated Rape, Rape of a Child and Rape

NOTE: Totals have been omitted intentionally. Since children can occur in multiple offense categories, they are counted only once per that category in this chart. Including totals here would show falsely inflated numbers as children could be counted more than once. On page 65 each juvenile is counted only once per the calendar year.

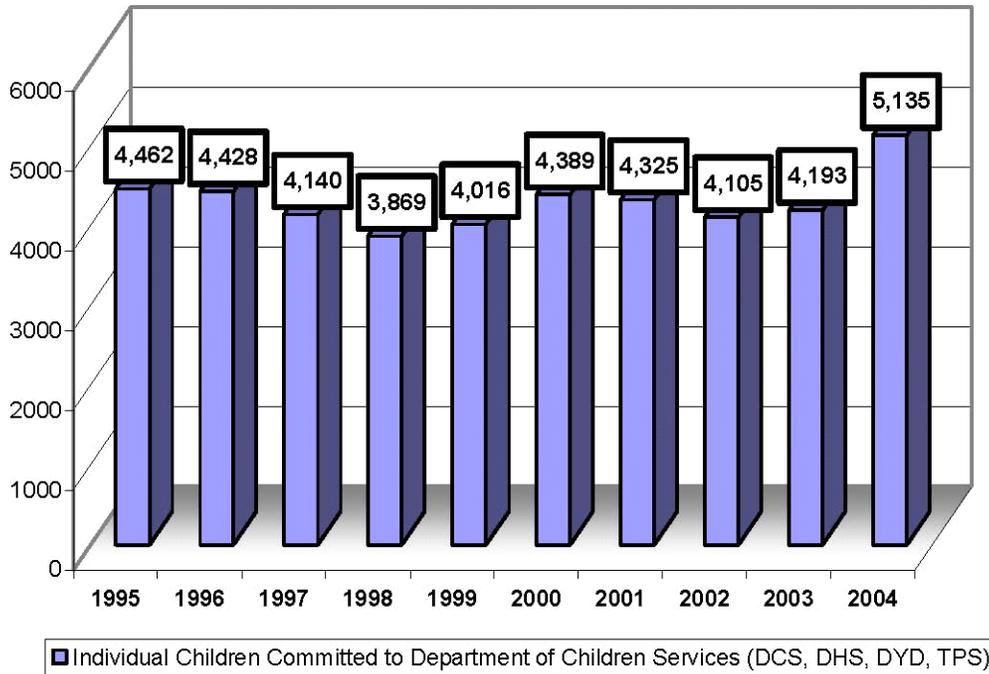
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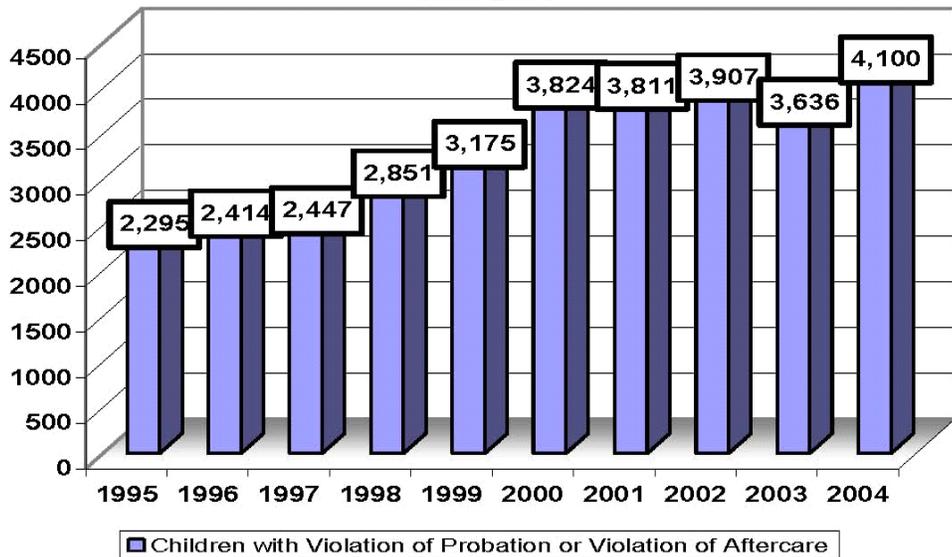
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**Commitments to the Department of Children Services (DCS, DHS, DYD)
Individual Juveniles Committed for Secure or Non-Secure Placement
For Delinquent, Status or Neglect and Dependent
1995-2004**



**Individual Juveniles Referred to Juvenile Courts for
Violation of Probation or Violation of Aftercare
1995-2004**



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Adjudication	Judicial fact finding determination (judgment) of a case (ex. 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.
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.
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.
Crime Index	Includes homicide, robbery, aggravated assault, rape, larceny and burglary.
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 parents or guardians, 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 parents.
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 case progresses through the juvenile justice system.

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Disposition	Definite action taken or treatment plan decided on regarding a particular case. (ex: a course of treatment and rehabilitation).
Disposition Date	The date that the disposition (outcome) or the informal adjustment of each referral took place. This is the date on which all reports produced by TCJFCJ are based.
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.
Intake	Intake department first screens 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 judge presiding over the juvenile court proceedings.
Juvenile	Any individual under the chronological age of eighteen (18) and that has not been previously transferred to adult court.
Larceny/Theft	The unlawful taking, carrying, leading, or riding away of property from the possession of another.
Motion	Oral or written request before, during or after 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, 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 referee must approve any agreement.

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Probation	Supervision of the child to monitor behavior after finding of guilt.
Referee	An individual, licensed to practice law in Tennessee, who is appointed by the judge to hear cases. A referee 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.
Review Hearing	Held by the juvenile court to review dispositions and to 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; that can be adjudicated only by a juvenile court.
Termination of Parental Rights	A legal proceeding forever severing all legal rights and obligations of the parent so that others may adopt the child.
Violent Crime Index	Includes 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.

Davidson County Summarized 2005 Juvenile Court Data

Number of Children, Cases and Referral Reasons by Court Based on Number of Reported Cases	PAGE 2	CHILDREN 2005	CASES 2005	REFERRAL REASONS 2005
		12118	25952	31007

Number of Referrals to Tennessee Juvenile Courts	PAGE 4	DEL	NEG/DEP/ABUSE	STATUS/ UNRULY	PARENTAGE	OTHER	SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL
		4035	1806	1096	4216	470		11623

Number of Children Referred to Tennessee Juvenile Courts	PAGE 5	DEL	NEG/DEP/ABUSE	STATUS/ UNRULY	DEL/STATUS	STATUS/ DEP & NEG	DEP & NEG/ DEL	ALL THREE
		4035	1806	1096				

Number of Referrals for Status/Unruly Offenses	PAGE 6	VIOLATION OF A VALID COURT ORDER	VIOLATION OF CURFEW	UNRULY BEHAVIOR	TRUANCY	IN-STATE RUNAWAY	OUT-OF-STATE RUNAWAY	POSSESSION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS
		27	6	119	123		977	197

Number of Individual Children, Cases and Referral Reasons by Court Based on Number	PAGE 12	Children	Cases	Referral Reasons
		12118	25952	31007

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Race by Sex and Hispanic Origin by Sex Based on Number of Individual Children Disposed	PAGE 17		WHITE	AFRICAN AMERICAN	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	MIXED RACE	UNKNOWN	TOTALS
		MALE	1511	2675	2	40	128	192	4548
		FEMALE	1008	1844	2	17	99	160	3130
		UNKNOWN	4	21	0	1	1	132	159
		TOTAL	2523	4540	4	58	228	484	7837

Hispanic Origin	PAGE 17	MALE	FEMALE	UNKNOWN	TOTAL
		203	79	2	284

Total Number of Children by Race, Sex and Court Based on Number of Individual Children	PAGE 18		WHITE	AFRICAN AMERICAN	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	MIXED RACE	UNKNOWN	TOTALS
		MALE	2303	3913	5	55	208	346	6830
		FEMALE	1716	2797	1	41	147	282	4984
		UNKNOWN	8	30	0	0	0	266	304
		TOTAL	4027	6740	6	96	355	894	12118

Children * Referred to Juvenile Courts With Delinquent Referrals	PAGE 21		WHITE	AFRICAN AMERICAN	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	MIXED RACE	UNKNOWN	TOTALS
		MALE	1070	1597	1	35	32	55	2790
		FEMALE	493	680	1	9	14	22	1219
		UNKNOWN	1	3	0	0	0	22	26
		TOTAL	1564	2280	2	44	46	99	4035

Children * Referred to Juvenile Courts With Status/Unruly Referrals	PAGE 21		WHITE	AFRICAN AMERICAN	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	MIXED RACE	UNKNOWN	TOTALS
		MALE	248	303	0	7	11	12	581
		FEMALE	253	221	0	9	13	11	507
		UNKNOWN	2	2	0	0	0	4	8
		TOTAL	503	526	0	16	24	27	1096

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Children * Referred to Juvenile Courts With Dependent, Neglect, and Abuse Allegations	PAGE 21		WHITE	AFRICAN AMERICAN	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	MIXED RACE	UNKNOWN	TOTALS
		MALE	355	473	0	2	56	25	911
		FEMALE	376	432	0	3	51	11	873
		UNKNOWN	0	5	0	0	0	17	22
		TOTAL	731	910	0	5	107	53	1806

Number of Individual Children Referred to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee Sex and Race by Regions and Metropolitan Regions Based on Number of Individual Children	PAGE 23		WHITE	AFRICAN AMERICAN	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	MIXED RACE	UNKNOWN	TOTALS
		MALE	2303	3913	5	55	208	346	6830
		FEMALE	1716	2797	1	41	147	282	4984
		UNKNOWN	8	30	0	0	0	266	304
		TOTAL	4027	6740	6	96	355	894	12118

Age Group of Children Based on Number of Individual Children	PAGE 24		WHITE MALE	AFRICAN AMERICAN MALE	OTHER RACE MALE	WHITE FEMALE	AFRICAN AMERICAN FEMALE	OTHER RACE FEMALE	UNKNOWN RACE or SEX	TOTALS
		Birth Through AGE 10	170	360	40	176	293	28	75	1142
		AGE 11 and 12	133	261	15	114	216	11	56	806
		AGE 13 and 14	164	427	19	166	278	17	85	1156
		AGE 15 and 16	466	686	46	313	459	21	83	2074
		AGE 17 and 18	702	884	28	376	446	25	69	2530
		AGE 19and Over	120	244	5	42	121	3	69	604
		Unknown	9	14	0	11	11	2	45	92
TOTALS	1764	2876	153	1198	1824	107	482	8404		

Children * Referred to Juvenile Courts With Delinquent Referrals in Tennessee	PAGE 25		WHITE MALE	AFRICAN AMERICAN MALE	OTHER RACE MALE	WHITE FEMALE	AFRICAN AMERICAN FEMALE	OTHER RACE FEMALE	UNKNOWN RACE or SEX	TOTALS
		Birth Through AGE 10	10	33	1	12	13	0	3	72
		AGE 11 and 12	32	67	3	7	25	3	3	140
		AGE 13 and 14	101	231	7	56	97	2	19	513
		AGE 15 and 16	352	530	35	179	257	8	37	1398
		AGE 17 and 18	544	692	22	234	269	11	29	1801
		AGE 19and Over	19	28	0	2	4	0	2	55
		Unknown	5	7	0	3	6	0	8	29
TOTALS	1063	1588	68	493	671	24	101	4008		

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Children * Referred to Juvenile Courts With Neglect/Dependent and Abuse Allegations in Tennessee	PAGE 25		WHITE MALE	AFRICAN AMERICAN MALE	OTHER RACE MALE	WHITE FEMALE	AFRICAN AMERICAN FEMALE	OTHER RACE FEMALE	UNKNOWN RACE or SEX	TOTALS
		Birth Through AGE 10	222	293	44	238	280	46	45	1168
		AGE 11 and 12	36	46	3	35	33	2	4	159
		AGE 13 and 14	30	46	5	35	31	3	5	155
		AGE 15 and 16	41	58	6	35	59	1	2	202
		AGE 17 and 18	21	27	0	20	24	2	0	94
		AGE 19and Over	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Unknown	1	3	0	6	2	0	2	14
TOTALS	351	473	58	369	429	54	58	1792		

Children * Referred to Juvenile Courts With Status/Unruly Referrals in Tennessee	PAGE 25		WHITE MALE	AFRICAN AMERICAN MALE	OTHER RACE MALE	WHITE FEMALE	AFRICAN AMERICAN FEMALE	OTHER RACE FEMALE	UNKNOWN RACE or SEX	TOTALS
		Birth Through AGE 10	3	9	0	3	3	1	0	19
		AGE 11 and 12	7	17	1	8	11	1	1	46
		AGE 13 and 14	31	42	4	44	37	2	0	160
		AGE 15 and 16	93	134	7	104	109	11	16	474
		AGE 17 and 18	110	99	5	78	63	7	9	371
		AGE 19and Over	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	2
		Unknown	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	2
TOTALS	245	302	17	238	223	22	27	1074		

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Living Arrangement of Child at Time of Referral	PAGE 27		WHITE MALE	AFRICAN AMERICAN MALE	OTHER RACE MALE	WHITE FEMALE	AFRICAN AMERICAN FEMALE	OTHER RACE FEMALE	UNKNOWN RACE or SEX	TOTALS
		both biological parents	404	236	39	219	81	15	26	1020
father and stepmother	33	37	3	17	14	4	7	115		
mother and stepfather	84	109	8	58	49	4	14	326		
Mother	1090	2851	117	786	1571	73	205	6693		
Father	296	235	20	170	11	10	29	771		
relatives	263	509	20	183	353	23	26	1377		
adoptive parents	25	51	0	11	25	1	3	116		
foster family	38	72	2	33	37	2	2	186		
group home	23	28	0	12	11	0	0	74		
residential	11	9	1	3	2	0	2	28		
institution	0	1	0	0	3	0	0	4		
Independent	15	11	0	6	10	2	5	49		
Unknown	2412	4429	347	1857	2959	347	771	13122		
Other	344	588	36	284	258	36	31	1577		
TOTALS	5038	9166	593	3639	5384	517	1121	25458		

Educational Information about Individual Children Based on Number of Individual Children - School Enrollment of Child	PAGE 27			
		868	3.32%	Too Young for School
25	0.10%	Pre-school		
146	0.56%	Kindergarten		
120	0.46%	1st Grade		
96	0.37%	2nd Grade		
117	0.45%	3rd Grade		
154	0.59%	4th Grade		
243	0.93%	5th Grade		
410	1.57%	6th Grade		
582	2.22%	7th Grade		
1540	5.88%	8th Grade		
1662	6.35%	9th Grade		
1263	4.83%	10th Grade		
553	2.11%	11th Grade		
130	0.50%	12th Grade		
1	0.00%	Non-Graded Special-ED		
45	0.17%	GED		
35	0.13%	Graduated High School		
22	0.08%	Never Been in School		
18140	69.31%	Unknown		
19	0.07%	Other		
26171	100.00%	TOTAL		

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Educational Information about Individual Children Based on Number of Individual Children - Is Child Enrolled In School	PAGE 27	7896	30.15%	Enrolled in School
		1457	5.56%	Not Enrolled in School
		16835	64.29%	Unknown
		26188	100.00%	TOTAL

Educational Information about Individual Children Based on Number of Individual Children - Special Education Status	PAGE 27	676	2.58%	Enrolled in Special Education
		4917	18.78%	Not Enrolled in Special Education
		20593	78.64%	Unknown
		26188	100.00%	TOTAL

Referrals to Juvenile Court in Tennessee by Class of Referral/Offense, Sex and Race Based on Number of Referrals	PAGE 32		WHITE MALE	AFRICAN AMERICAN MALE	OTHER RACE MALE	WHITE FEMALE	AFRICAN AMERICAN FEMALE	OTHER RACE FEMALE	UNKNOWN RACE or SEX	TOTALS	
		Offenses Against Persons	382	998	40	125	319	14	53	1931	
		Offenses Against Property	425	690	27	114	205	3	26	1490	
		Illegal Conduct	1407	2929	84	452	691	29	98	5690	
		Status/Unruly Offenses	1023	1359	68	738	659	45	71	3963	
		Dep/Neg	419	567	62	438	542	56	65	2149	
		Other Violation Proceedings	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
		Special Proceedings	1448	3281	257	1232	2447	204	571	9440	
		Parantage	See Special Proceedings								0
		Other/Not Reported	1246	1941	164	989	1333	113	562	6348	
TOTALS	6350	11765	702	4088	6196	464	1446	31011			

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		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Offenses Against Persons	PAGE 34	Criminal Homicide	2	22	0	0	0	0	0
		Aggravated Rape		3			0	0	0
		Rape of a Child	47	54	21	0	5	0	1
		Esp. Aggravated Robbery	1	8	0	0	0	0	0
		Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping	0	6	0	0	0	0	0
		Aggravated Robbery	7	177	0	1	3	0	4
		Aggravated Kidnapping	16	36	7	34	34	4	5
		Aggravated Sexual Battery	29	32	2	0	0	0	3
		Rape	9	2	0	0	0	0	
		Vehicular Homicide	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
		Other Sexual Offenses (not listed)	11	22	2	1	0	0	0
		Aggravated Assault	33	152	2	18	65	3	9
		Robbery	6	31	1	0	1	0	2
		Attempt to Commit a Crime	13	11	1	1	0	0	1
		Assault	192	369	9	71	201	7	19
		Reckless Endangerment	16	72	1	9	0	0	3

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Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Offenses Against Property	PAGE 34		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK		
		Aggravated Arson	3	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	8
		Arson	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
		Aggravated Burglary	46	72	5	7	7	0	3	140	
		Theft of Property	183	384	17	73	150	4	11	822	
		Vandalism	123	146	3	24	35	0	11	342	
		Forgery	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	
		Illegal Possession/ Fraudula	1	3	0	1	7	0	0	12	
		Burglary	53	70	2	1	5	0	2	133	
		Unauthorized use of a Vehic	9	9	1	3	4	0	2	28	
		Cruelty to Animals	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	
	426	689	28	110	209	4	29	1495			

Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Illegal Conduct	PAGE 35		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK
		Sale of Controlled Substanc	5	34	0	2	2	0	0
		Other Drug Offenses	80	47	3	30	9	0	1
		Possession of Controlled Su	225	441	10	66	54	3	22
		Criminal Attempt	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Carrying a Weapon on Scho	11	8	3	1	6	0	0
		Unlawful Carrying/Possessi	33	215	4	6	16	1	6
		Evading Arrest	49	198	5	8	12	0	9
		Escape	19	26	2	4	4	0	2
		Driving Under Influence (D	12	1	0	7	0	0	0
		Possession/Consumption of	138	32	5	58	5	1	1
		Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt,	25	102	3	11	36	0	4
		Aggravated Criminal Tress	2	3	0	0	2	0	0
		Harrassment	9	6	1	5	11	0	0
		Failure to Appear	118	230	5	35	77	6	2
		Filing a False Police Report	9	23	2	2	5	0	0
		Criminal Impersonation	25	76	1	22	36	1	1
		Disorderly Conduct	99	375	8	47	187	2	11
		Criminal Trespass	66	238	4	21	50	0	7
		Public Intoxication	8	1	0	3	0	0	0
		Gambling	0	42	0	1	0	0	0
		Traffic	239	285	7	34	74	3	7
		Local Ordinances	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Contempt of Court	43	49	8	32	40	3	14
Violation of Probation	180	465	11	57	62	8	7		
Violation of Aftercare	10	32	2	0	3	0	1		

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Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Status Offenses	PAGE 35		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK
		Unruly	612	1044	40	473	455	31	36
		Truancy	75	68	5	92	96	4	26
		In-State Runaway	2	3	0	3	5	0	0
		Possession of Tobacco Products	298	184	18	149	34	7	7

Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Dependency/Neglect	PAGE 36		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK
		Dependant/ Neglect	387	504	50	407	522	51	58
		Termination of Parental Rights	32	45	12	31	38	7	7

Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Other Violation Proceedings	PAGE 36		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK
		Violation of Pretrial Diversion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Violation of Informal Adjustment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Special Proceedings	PAGE 36		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK
		Judicial Review	300	750	36	237	382	40	23
		Foster Care Review	480	994	98	394	762	67	72
		Custody	105	137	13	98	119	23	36
		Visitation	67	76	13	69	62	8	26
		Paternity/Legitimation	111	218	28	113	181	23	66
		Child Support	385	1106	69	321	941	43	342
		Request for Medical Treatment	0	0	0	0	0	0	6

Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Other	PAGE 36		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK
		99	Other	1246	1941	164	989	1333	113

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Referral Source Based on Number of Referrals	PAGE 38	Law Enforcement	9005	29.04%
		Parents	2722	8.78%
		Relatives	882	2.84%
		Self	220	0.71%
		School	798	2.57%
		Community Services Agency	3	0.01%
		Department of Children's Services	1463	4.72%
		Other State Departments	10	0.03%
		District Attorney	118	0.38%
		Court Staff	6461	20.83%
		Social Agency	42	0.14%
		Other Court	80	0.26%
		Victim	287	0.93%
		Child and Parent	70	0.23%
		Hospital	6	0.02%
		Unknown	2722	8.78%
		Other	6124	19.75%
		TOTAL	31013	100.00%

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	Law Enforcement	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
	Unruly	335	504	24	127	135	1	14	1140
	Possession of Controlled Sub	161	359	7	50	34	3	13	627
	Disorderly Conduct	87	295	7	34	147	2	7	579
	Theft of Property	129	275	4	49	92	1	6	556
	Traffic	189	226	7	26	69	2	6	525
	Assault	119	205	9	30	103	3	13	482
	Possession of Tobacco Produ	174	104	8	77	11	5	3	382
	Criminal Trespass	47	179	0	13	34	0	3	276
	Unlawful Carrying/Possession	41	184	6	8	13	1	5	258
	Evading Arrest	38	159	5	7	13	0	6	228
	Vandalism	84	99	3	10	12	0	7	215
	Aggravated Assault	25	113	3	8	40	1	5	195
	Aggravated Robbery	7	152	4	1	3	0	3	170
	Possession/Consumption of A	97	22	3	28	5	0	0	155
	Other Drug Offenses	65	53	1	17	4	0	1	141
	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, A	22	80	2	8	24	0	2	138
	Criminal Impersonation	21	67	1	14	28	0	1	132
	Burglary	48	58	1	5	2	0	2	116
	Aggravated Burglary	47	54	2	7	2	0	3	115
	Rape of a Child	34	39	17	0	0	0	2	92
	Reckless Endangerment	14	61	1	0	7	0	3	86
	Other	27	39	0	7	7	0	1	81
	Aggravated Sexual Battery	16	51	2	0	0	0	2	71
	Robbery	9	27	1	2	0	0	1	40
	Gambling	0	36	0	1	0	0	0	37
	Sale of Controlled Substances	5	27	0	1	4	0	0	37
	Carrying a Weapon on Schoo	11	10	3	1	5	0	0	30
	In-State Runaway	6	7	0	5	8	0	0	26
	Other Sexual Offenses (not li	6	18	0	0	0	0	0	24
	Attempt to Commit a Crime	10	10	1	1	0	0	1	23
	Filing a False Police Report	7	9	0	0	5	0	0	21
	Criminal Homicide	2	18	0	0	0	0	0	20
	Driving Under Influence (DU	12	1	0	6	0	0	0	19
	Unauthorized use of a Vehicl	7	6	0	0	3	0	2	18
	Escape	2	6	2	1	2	0	0	13

Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source
Based On Number of Referrals Disposed -
Law Enforcement

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Arson	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
Public Intoxication	7	1	0	1	0	0	0	9
Aggravated Criminal Trespass	2	3	0	0	2	0	0	7
Harrassment	2	2	0	0	3	0	0	7
Violation of Probation	0	5	0	1	1	0	0	7
Esp. Aggravated Robbery	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	6
Rape	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	6
Aggravated Arson	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	5
Failure to Appear	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4
Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
Truancy	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	3
Aggravated Kidnapping	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
Violation of a Valid Court Order	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Aggravated Rape	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Criminal Attempt	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Dependant/Neglect	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Forgery	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Illegal Possession/ Fraudulent	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Vehicular Homicide	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Violation of Aftercare	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
TOTAL	1932	3591	124	548	818	20	113	7146

Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Parents	PAGE 39	Parents (biological, foster, and other)	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Other	69	120	16	56	114	4	47	435
		Visitation	50	76	9	55	58	3	16	267
		Paternity/Legitimation	52	44	13	54	50	8	15	236
		Custody	37	48	7	35	46	4	14	191
		Child Support	32	53	6	19	57	4	17	188
		Dependant/Neglect	20	7	4	21	15	1	2	70
		Contempt of Court	13	17	3	11	15	1	7	67
		Unruly	9	5	4	10	10	8	0	46
		In-State Runaway	1	0	0	8	5	0	0	14
		Termination of Parental Rights	4	1	1	1	0	0	0	7
		Aggravated Kidnapping	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Possession of Controlled Substance	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Total	289	371	63	270	370	33	118	1523

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Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Relatives	PAGE 39	Relatives	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK		
		Dependant/Neglect	80	95	8	89	122	14	18	426	426
		Aggravated Kidnapping	17	29	5	25	24	2	3	105	105
		Custody	12	24	2	19	21	5	3	86	86
		Other	7	9	1	6	8	1	3	35	35
		Child Support	3	4	0	1	0	0	0	8	8
		Termination of Parental Right	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	5	5
		Visitation	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	5	5
		Unruly	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	2
		In-State Runaway	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1
		Paternity/Legitimation	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
		Truancy	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1
		Total	122	161	16	147	179	22	28	675	675
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Self	PAGE 39	Self	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK		
		Other	38	31	0	16	10	0	5	100	
		Child Support	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	
		Paternity/Legitimation	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	
		Assault	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	
		Contempt of Court	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	
		Unruly	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
		Theft of Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Total	40	33	0	16	13	0	5	107			
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - School	PAGE 39	School	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK		
		Truancy	56	52	2	67	67	2	24	270	
		Possession of Tobacco Product	97	50	10	44	16	1	4	222	
		Dependant/Neglect	27	32	1	31	30	2	7	130	
		Assault	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	
		Criminal Trespass	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	
		Unruly	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	
		Vandalism	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	
Total	181	135	14	143	114	5	35	627			

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Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Community Services Agencies	PAGE 40	Community Services Agencies	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Department of Children's Services	PAGE 40	Department of child services	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Dependant/Neglect	165	203	34	180	200	37	22	841
		Other	10	20	1	16	10	3	2	62
		Unruly	15	23	1	8	10	0	0	57
		Violation of Aftercare	10	36	2	0	2	0	1	51
		Violation of Probation	12	21	2	5	4	0	0	44
		Escape	11	18	0	6	3	0	1	39
		Termination of Parental Rights	8	8	0	7	12	2	2	39
		In-State Runaway	4	3	0	3	2	0	0	12
		Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	4
		Assault	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Custody	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Physically Abused Child	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Theft of Property	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Paternity/Legitimation	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
		Visitation	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Total		236	340	40	228	244	43	28	1159	

Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Other State Department	PAGE 40	Other State Department, not	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Custody	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
		Total	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1

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Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - District Attorney	PAGE 40	District Attorney's Office	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Other	14	15	2	0	0	1	1	33
		Rape of a Child	4	11	0	0	0	0	2	17
		Aggravated Sexual Battery	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	11
		Aggravated Robbery	0	6	0	0	0	0	1	7
		Dependant/Neglect	1	0	0	3	2	0	0	6
		Unlawful Carrying/Possession	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4
		Other Sexual Offenses (not list	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Esp. Aggravated Robbery	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Failure to Appear	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		In-State Runaway	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
		TOTAL	24	46	2	4	2	1	4	83

Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Court Staff	PAGE 40	Court Staff	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Violation of Probation	158	405	10	41	49	6	5	674
		Failure to Appear	75	173	4	17	47	3	1	320
		Unruly	34	55	5	31	48	4	0	177
		Violation of a Valid Court Or	32	54	2	40	43	3	1	175
		Other	33	49	1	8	8	1	2	102
		Dependant/Neglect	13	22	2	7	21	2	1	68
		Disorderly Conduct	0	5	0	0	2	0	0	7
		Evading Arrest	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	5
		Assault	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
		Traffic	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
		Criminal Trespass	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Custody	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Foster Care Review	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
		Possession of Tobacco Produ	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Theft of Property	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
		Vandalism	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
		Criminal Impersonation	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Judicial Review	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	1
		Other Drug Offenses	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
		Paternity/Legitimation	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Possession of Controlled Sub	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
		Reckless Endangerment	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		TOTAL	354	777	25	147	220	20	12	1553

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Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Social Agency	PAGE 41	Social Agency other than D	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Termination of Parental Right	4	9	3	2	1	1	2	22
		Other	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Custody	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
		Paternity/Legitimation	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		TOTALS	4	12	3	2	2	1	2	26

Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Other Court	PAGE 41	Courts other than this court	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK		
		Traffic	4	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	8
		Dependant/Neglect	1	2	0	2	1	0	0	6	
		Theft of Property	1	2	0	0	2	0	0	5	
		Assault	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	4	
		Unruly	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	
		Escape	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	
		Evading Arrest	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	
		Failure to Appear	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	
		In-State Runaway	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	
		Possession of Controlled Sub	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2	
		Vandalism	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	
		Criminal Attempt	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	
		Criminal Trespass	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	
		Custody	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	
		Other	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
		Possession/Consumption of A	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	
		Robbery	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	
		Unlawful Carrying/Possession	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
		Violation of Aftercare	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	
Violation of Probation	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1			
TOTAL	13	16	1	7	5	0	6	48			

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Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Victim	PAGE 41	Referral by victim	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Assault	7	12	0	4	11	0	0	34
Vandalism	9	6	0	1	5	0	0	21		
Theft of Property	5	9	0	0	2	0	0	16		
Disorderly Conduct	0	7	0	1	4	0	0	12		
Traffic	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	8		
Criminal Trespass	3	2	0	0	2	0	0	7		
Aggravated Assault	3	2	0	0	1	0	0	6		
Unruly	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	6		
Harrasment	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	5		
Reckless Endangerment	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	5		
Burglary	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4		
Evading Arrest	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4		
Aggravated Burglary	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3		
Unlawful Carrying/Possession	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	3		
Filing a False Police Report	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2		
Unauthorized use of a Vehicle	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2		
Aggravated Kidnapping	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1		
Aggravated Sexual Battery	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1		
Escape	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Illegal Possession/ Fraudulan	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1		
Other Sexual Offenses (not li	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Rape of a Child	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1		
Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, A	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Robbery	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Visitation	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1		
TOTAL		47	58	1	6	33	0	2	147	

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Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Child and Parent	PAGE 41	Child and parent are the re	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Assault	7	7	0	2	2	0	2	20
		Other	4	2	2	1	1	0	1	11
		Aggravated Assault	0	3	0	0	2	0	1	6
		Theft of Property	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	5
		Disorderly Conduct	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
		Unlawful Carrying/Possession	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
		Burglary	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2
		Child Support	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
		Criminal Trespass	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Aggravated Burglary	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Custody	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Harrassment	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Paternity/Legitimation	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Reckless Endangerment	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Robbery	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Total	19	20	5	5	8	0	4	61		

Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Hospital	PAGE 41	Child Support Services	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Hospital personnel	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
		TOTAL	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1

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	PAGE 42		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Source of Referral for all Referrals Based on Number of Referrals - Referrals for All Children Referred to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee								
		Law Enforcement	2320	4355	145	865	1139	38	143	9005
		Parents	485	706	97	458	615	66	295	2722
		Relatives	147	218	21	197	241	32	26	882
		Self	71	86	3	24	21	1	14	220
		School	213	176	15	186	160	7	41	798
		Community Services Agency	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	3
		Department of Children's Services	303	471	43	257	321	34	34	1463
		Other State Departments	3	1	1	1	3	1	0	10
		District Attorney	36	65	2	0	7	1	7	118
		Court Staff	1195	2651	160	806	1405	131	113	6461
		Social Agency	10	13	5	6	7	1	0	42
		Other Court	26	20	5	10	8	2	9	80
		Victim	72	115	4	27	66	0	3	287
		Child and Parent	15	28	5	6	11	0	5	70
		Hospital	1	0	0	2	2	1	0	6
		Unknown	568	833	71	412	598	41	199	2722
		Other	888	2025	125	831	1592	110	553	6124
		TOTAL	6354	11764	702	4088	6196	466	1443	31013

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		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK			
Delinquent Referrals to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee Based on Number of Referrals	PAGE 43	Law Enforcement	2211	4198	140	725	1017	29	134	8454	
		Parents	5	11	0	9	4	2	2	33	
		Relatives	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	
		Self	6	3	0	1	2	0	0	12	
		School	85	86	7	85	86	3	18	370	
		Community Services Agency	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	
		Department of Children's Services	44	98	3	18	15	0	3	181	
		Other State Departments	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
		District Attorney	16	42	0	0	5	0	5	68	
		Court Staff	356	801	22	143	202	19	11	1554	
		Social Agency	12	21	3	4	8	0	2	50	
		Other Court	14	12	1	3	3	0	8	41	
		Victim	72	110	4	27	65	0	3	281	
		Child and Parent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
		Hospital	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	
		Unknown	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
		Other	97	192	4	39	91	6	16	445	
		TOTAL		2920	5575	184	1055	1499	59	202	11494

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Delinquent Referrals to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee Based on Number of Referrals	PAGE 43			WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Law Enforcement		2211	4198	140	725	1017	29	134	8454
		Parents		5	11	0	9	4	2	2	33
		Relatives		1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
		Self		6	3	0	1	2	0	0	12
		School		85	86	7	85	86	3	18	370
		Community Services Agency		0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Department of Children's Services		44	98	3	18	15	0	3	181
		Other State Departments		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		District Attorney		16	42	0	0	5	0	5	68
		Court Staff		356	801	22	143	202	19	11	1554
		Social Agency		12	21	3	4	8	0	2	50
		Other Court		14	12	1	3	3	0	8	41
		Victim		72	110	4	27	65	0	3	281
		Child and Parent		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Hospital		0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
		Unknown		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Other		97	192	4	39	91	6	16	445
		TOTAL		2920	5575	184	1055	1499	59	202	11494

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Dependent, Neglect, and Abuse Allegations Referrals to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee Based on Number of Referrals	PAGE 44		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK		
		Law Enforcement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Parents	23	10	2	31	16	1	4	87	
		Relatives	96	132	11	136	147	23	16	561	
		Self	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	
		School	32	35	1	33	32	1	8	142	
		Community Services Agency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
		Department of Children's Services	205	272	34	181	260	30	28	1010	
		Other State Departments	2	1	1	1	0	1	0	6	
		District Attorney	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
		Court Staff	13	22	1	5	17	1	1	60	
		Social Agency	5	10	5	6	6	1	4	37	
		Other Court	2	3	0	2	0	1	0	8	
		Victim	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	5	
		Child and Parent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
		Hospital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
		Unknown	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3	
		Other	44	67	5	39	36	5	3	199	
TOTAL	422	556	61	435	517	64	64	2119			

		DISPOSED INTAKE ACTIONS		TOTAL INTAKE ACTIONS		
Intake Actions Based on Number of Referrals	PAGE 46	Petition Filed	9,599	92.24%	16,103	61.34%
		Motion Filed	806	7.75%	5,754	21.92%
		Citation Processed	Handled as Petitions		Handled as Petitions	
		Paternity Processed	Handled as Petitions		Handled as Petitions	
		Judicial Review	0	0.00%	1,575	6.00%
		Administrative Review	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
		Foster Care Review	1	0.01%	2,818	10.74%
		Unknown	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
		Does Not Apply	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
		Other	0	0.00%	0	0.00%
		Total	10,406	100.00%	26,250	100.00%

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Detention Information Based on Number of Reported Cases	PAGE 47&48	Not Considered for Detention	25,373	98%
		Non Secure Placement		0%
		Juvenile Detention	579	2%
		Jail Complete Separation		0%
		Jail Partial Separation		0%
		Jail No Separation		0%
		Psychiatric Hospital		0%
		Unknown		0%
		Other		0%
		Total	25,952	100%

Adjudicatory Procedures Based on Number of Referrals	PAGE 51		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Dismissed	154	407	25	122	206	16	48	978
		Retired or Nolle Prosequi	565	1197	37	156	231	9	33	2228
		Substantiated Delinquent	1177	2143	91	315	517	19	90	4352
		Substantiated Status Offense	34	29	1	16	15	0	2	97
		Substantiated Dependent/Neglected	76	102	9	89	76	5	10	367
		Substantiated Abused	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Informal Adjustmet	18	20	1	6	21	0	1	67
		Pretrial Diversion	105	119	3	46	49	0	1	323
		Transfer to Adult Court	11	111	0	0	0	0	2	124
		Charges Cleared by Transfer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Special Proceeding	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Case Held Open	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Other	463	964	72	473	947	69	250	3238
		Totals	2604	5093	239	1223	2062	118	437	11776

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Delinquent Referrals to Juvenile Courts	PAGE 52		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Dismissed	73	217	5	30	51	6	7	389
		Retired or Nolle Prosequi	534	1166	37	149	222	7	31	2146
		Substantiated Delinquent	1107	2096	84	304	498	11	74	4174
		Substantiated Status Offense	13	23	0	5	13	0	1	55
		Substantiated Dependent/N	3	10	1	1	2	1	0	18
		Substantiated Abused	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Informal Adjustmet	18	17	1	6	21	0	1	64
		Pretrial Diversion	105	119	3	40	48	0	1	316
		Transfer to Adult Court	11	111	0	0	0	0	2	124
		Charges Cleared by Transfe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Special Proceeding	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Case Held Open	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	59	83	5	64	86	3	12	312		
Totals	1924	3843	136	599	941	28	129	7600		

Status/Unruly Referrals to Juvenile Courts	PAGE 52		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Dismissed	5	11	0	6	10	0	5	37
		Retired or Nolle Prosequi	30	29	0	3	6	2	0	70
		Substantiated Delinquent	69	44	1	30	18	7	2	171
		Substantiated Status Offense	58	44	4	43	34	2	11	196
		Substantiated Dependent/N	0	1	0	0	4	0	0	5
		Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Informal Adjustmet	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
		Pretrial Diversion	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
		Transfer to Adult Court	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Charges Cleared by Transfe	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Special Proceeding	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Case Held Open	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	1	0	0	0	1	0	2	2		
Totals	163	132	5	84	73	11	20	486		

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Dependent, Neglect, and Abuse Allegations Referrals to Juvenile Courts	PAGE 53		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Dismissed	24	46	2	27	38	6	2	145
Retired or Nolle Prosequi	1	2	0	3	2	0	1	9		
Substantiated Delinquent	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1		
Substantiated Status Offense	0	1	3	2	1	0	0	7		
Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	73	86	7	89	72	5	8	340		
Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Informal Adjustmet	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Pretrial Diversion	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	4		
Transfer to Adult Court	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Charges Cleared by Transfer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Special Proceeding	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Case Held Open	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Other	127	151	24	124	178	23	20	647		
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Totals	225	287	36	249	291	34	31	1153		

Procedure Used By Class of Referral/Offense by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Offenses Against Persons	PAGE 55	Offenses Against Persons	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Dismissed	14	35	4	8	16	1	2	80
Retired or Nolle Prosequi	101	205	15	27	51	0	7	406		
Substantiated Delinquent	87	307	12	12	76	2	17	513		
Substantiated Status Offense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	1	4	0	3	1	0	1	10		
Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Informal Adjustmet	1	7	0	0	4	0	0	12		
Pretrial Diversion	16	32	3	2	10	0	0	63		
Transfer to Adult Court	5	64	0	0	0	0	2	71		
Charges Cleared by Transfer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Special Proceeding	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Case Held Open	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Other	12	27	2	20	20	1	4	85		
Totals	237	681	36	72	178	4	33	1240		

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Procedure Used By Class of Referral/Offense by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Offenses Against Property	PAGE 55	Offenses Against Property	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Dismissed	7	34	0	2	5	1	1	50
		Retired or Nolle Prosequi	81	156	5	19	35	1	9	306
		Substantiated Delinquent	166	210	9	0	29	59	7	480
		Substantiated Status Offense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Informal Adjustmet	2	5	0	0	4	0	0	11
		Pretrial Diversion	19	39	0	9	10	0	0	77
		Transfer to Adult Court	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	9
		Charges Cleared by Transfer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Special Proceeding	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Case Held Open	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3		
Totals	277	456	14	30	83	61	17	938		

Procedure Used By Class of Referral/Offense by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Illegal Conduct	PAGE 55	Illegal Conduct	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Dismissed	35	116	4	5	14	1	5	180
		Retired or Nolle Prosequi	222	595	11	63	101	3	11	1006
		Substantiated Delinquent	554	1223	38	126	282	13	26	2262
		Substantiated Status Offense	3	6	0	0	7	0	0	16
		Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	3
		Substantiated Abused	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Informal Adjustmet	10	6	1	3	9	0	1	30
		Pretrial Diversion	51	41	3	23	24	0	0	142
		Transfer to Adult Court	4	38	0	0	0	0	0	42
		Charges Cleared by Transfer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Special Proceeding	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Case Held Open	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	6	15	2	8	10	0	5	46		
	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Totals	886	2043	60	228	447	17	48	3729		

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Procedure Used By Class of Referral/Offense by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Status Offenses	PAGE 56	Status Offenses	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Dismissed	30	44	2	27	33	2	6	144
		Retired or Nolle Prosequi	138	219	6	44	40	5	4	456
		Substantiated Delinquent	367	355	32	162	95	4	10	1025
		Substantiated Status Offense	108	122	10	102	118	5	19	484
		Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	5
		Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Informal Adjustmet	5	2	0	3	4	0	0	14
		Pretrial Diversion	15	7	0	8	4	0	1	35
		Transfer to Adult Court	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Charges Cleared by Transfer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Special Proceeding	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Case Held Open	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	1	0	3	0	1	0	5		
Totals	665	753	50	349	295	17	40	2169		

Procedure Used By Class of Referral/Offense by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Neglect and Abuse Offenses	PAGE 56	Neglect and Abuse	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Dismissed	23	45	1	27	40	4	2	142
		Retired or Nolle Prosequi	1	2	0	1	2	0	1	7
		Substantiated Delinquent	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Substantiated Status Offense	0	2	0	3	2	0	0	7
		Substantiated Dependent/Neglect	73	93	7	86	80	5	11	355
		Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Informal Adjustmet	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Pretrial Diversion	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	4
		Transfer to Adult Court	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Charges Cleared by Transfer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Special Proceeding	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Case Held Open	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	125	141	26	113	182	24	18	629		
Totals	222	284	34	234	306	33	32	1145		

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Procedure Used By Class of Referral/Offense by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Other Violation Proceedings	PAGE 56	Other Violation Proceedings	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK		
		Dismissed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Retired or Nolle Prosequi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Delinquent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Status Offense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Dependent/Neglected	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Informal Adjustmet	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Pretrial Diversion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Transfer to Adult Court	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Charges Cleared by Transfer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Special Proceeding	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Case Held Open	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Totals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		

Procedure Used By Class of Referral/Offense by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Other Violation Proceedings	PAGE 57	Special Proceeding	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Dismissed	42	123	11	52	93	10	27	358
		Retired or Nolle Prosequi	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
		Substantiated Delinquent	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Substantiated Status Offense	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Substantiated Dependent/Neglected	4	7	1	5	3	0	0	20
		Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Informal Adjustmet	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Pretrial Diversion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Transfer to Adult Court	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Charges Cleared by Transfer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Special Proceeding	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Case Held Open	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	219	649	33	222	604	37	200	1964		
Totals	265	783	45	279	701	47	227	2347		

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Procedure Used By Class of Referral/Offense by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Parentage	PAGE 57	Parentage	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Dismissed	42	123	11	52	93	10	27	358
		Retired or Nolle Prosequi	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
		Substantiated Delinquent	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Substantiated Status Offense	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Substantiated Dependent/Neglected	4	7	1	5	3	0	0	20
		Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Informal Adjustmet	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Pretrial Diversion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Transfer to Adult Court	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Charges Cleared by Transfer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Special Proceeding	189	550	30	184	509	33	151	1646
		Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Case Held Open	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	30	100	3	38	95	4	47	317		
Totals	265	783	45	279	701	47	225	2345		

Procedure Used By Class of Referral/Offense by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Other Referrals Not Determined	PAGE 57	Other Referrals Not Determined	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Dismissed	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Retired or Nolle Prosequi	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Delinquent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Status Offense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Dependent/Neglected	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Abused	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Substantiated Mentally Ill	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Informal Adjustmet	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Pretrial Diversion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Transfer to Adult Court	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Charges Cleared by Transfer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Special Proceeding	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Review Concluded	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Case Held Open	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Totals	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		

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Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges Total Number of Individual Children Transferred to Adult Court by Race and Sex	PAGE 59		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	
		Davidson County	5	30	0	0	0	0	1	36

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Juvenile Court Referrals Disposed by	PAGE 63	Judge	532	4%
		Referee	14,245	96%
		YSO	0	0%
		Other	0	0%
		Total	14,777	100%

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			WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Offenses Against Property	PAGE 34	Aggravated Arson	3	4	0	1	0	0	0	8
		Arson	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
		Aggravated Burglary	46	72	5	7	7	0	3	140
		Theft of Property	183	384	17	73	150	4	11	822
		Vandalism	123	146	3	24	35	0	11	342
		Forgery	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Illegal Possession/ Fraudulant Use of Credit/Debit Cards	1	3	0	1	7	0	0	12
		Burglary	53	70	2	1	5	0	2	133
		Unauthorized use of a Vehicle	9	9	1	3	4	0	2	28
		Cruelty to Animals	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
		TOTALS		426	689	28	110	209	4	29
Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Illegal Conduct	PAGE 35		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
		Sale of Controlled Substances	5	34	0	2	2	0	0	43
		Other Drug Offenses	80	47	3	30	9	0	1	170
		Possession of Controlled Substances	225	441	10	66	54	3	22	821
		Criminal Attempt	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
		Carrying a Weapon on School Property	11	8	3	1	6	0	0	29
		Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon	33	215	4	6	16	1	6	281
		Evading Arrest	49	198	5	8	12	0	9	281
		Escape	19	26	2	4	4	0	2	57
		Driving Under Influence (DUI)	12	1	0	7	0	0	0	20
		Possession/Consumption of Alcohol	138	32	5	58	5	1	1	240
		Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search	25	102	3	11	36	0	4	181
		Aggravated Criminal Trespass	2	3	0	0	2	0	0	7
		Harrassment	9	6	1	5	11	0	0	32
		Failure to Appear	118	230	5	35	77	6	2	473
		Filing a False Police Report	9	23	2	2	5	0	0	41
		Criminal Impersonation	25	76	1	22	36	1	1	162
		Disorderly Conduct	99	375	8	47	187	2	11	729
		Criminal Trespass	66	238	4	21	50	0	7	386
		Public Intoxication	8	1	0	3	0	0	0	12
		Gambling	0	42	0	1	0	0	0	43
		Traffic	239	285	7	34	74	3	7	649
		Local Ordinances	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Contempt of Court	43	49	8	32	40	3	14	189		
Violation of Probation	180	465	11	57	62	8	7	790		
Violation of Aftercare	10	32	2	0	3	0	1	48		
TOTALS		1406	2929	84	452	691	28	96	5686	

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			WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Status Offenses	PAGE 35	Unruly	612	1044	40	473	455	31	36	2691
		Truancy	75	68	5	92	96	4	26	366
		In-State Runaway	2	3	0	3	5	0	0	13
		Possession of Tobacco Products	298	184	18	149	34	7	7	697
		TOTALS	987	1299	63	717	590	42	69	3767
Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Dependency/Neglect	PAGE 36		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
		Dependant/ Neglect	387	504	50	407	522	51	58	1979
		Termination of Parental Rights	32	45	12	31	38	7	7	172
		TOTALS	419	549	62	438	560	58	65	2151
Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Other Violation Proceedings	PAGE 36		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
		Violation of Pretrial Diversion	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Violation of Informal Adjustment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		TOTALS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - PARENTAGE	PAGE 36		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
		Custody	105	137	13	98	119	23	36	531
		Visitation	67	76	13	69	62	8	26	321
		Paternity/Legitimation	111	218	28	113	181	23	66	740
		Child Support	385	1106	69	321	941	43	342	3207
		TOTALS	668	1537	123	601	1303	97	470	4799
Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Special Proceedings	PAGE 36		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
		Judicial Review	300	750	36	237	382	40	23	1768
		Administrative Review	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Foster Care Review	480	994	98	394	762	67	72	2867
		Consent to Marry	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Request for Medical Treatment	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	6
		TOTALS	780	1744	134	631	1144	107	101	4641

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Referral Reasons by Race and Sex Based on Number of Referrals - Other	PAGE 36		WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
		Other	1246	1941	164	989	1333	113	562	6348
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Law Enforcement	PAGE 39	Law Enforcement	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
		Unruly	335	504	24	127	135	1	14	1140
		Possession of Controlled Substances	161	359	7	50	34	3	13	627
		Disorderly Conduct	87	295	7	34	147	2	7	579
		Theft of Property	129	275	4	49	92	1	6	556
		Traffic	189	226	7	26	69	2	6	525
		Assault	119	205	9	30	103	3	13	482
		Possession of Tobacco Products	174	104	8	77	11	5	3	382
		Criminal Trespass	47	179	0	13	34	0	3	276
		Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon	41	184	6	8	13	1	5	258
		Evading Arrest	38	159	5	7	13	0	6	228
		Vandalism	84	99	3	10	12	0	7	215
		Aggravated Assault	25	113	3	8	40	1	5	195
		Aggravated Robbery	7	152	4	1	3	0	3	170
		Possession/Consumption of Alcohol	97	22	3	28	5	0	0	155
		Other Drug Offenses	65	53	1	17	4	0	1	141
		Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search	22	80	2	8	24	0	2	138
		Criminal Impersonation	21	67	1	14	28	0	1	132
		Burglary	48	58	1	5	2	0	2	116
		Aggravated Burglary	47	54	2	7	2	0	3	115
		Rape of a Child	34	39	17	0	0	0	2	92
		Reckless Endangerment	14	61	1	0	7	0	3	86
		Other	27	39	0	7	7	0	1	81
		Aggravated Sexual Battery	16	51	2	0	0	0	2	71
		Robbery	9	27	1	2	0	0	1	40
		Gambling	0	36	0	1	0	0	0	37
		Sale of Controlled Substances	5	27	0	1	4	0	0	37
		Carrying a Weapon on School Property	11	10	3	1	5	0	0	30
		In-State Runaway	6	7	0	5	8	0	0	26
		Other Sexual Offenses (not listed)	6	18	0	0	0	0	0	24
		Attempt to Commit a Crime	10	10	1	1	0	0	1	23
		Filing a False Police Report	7	9	0	0	5	0	0	21
Criminal Homicide	2	18	0	0	0	0	0	20		
Driving Under Influence (DUI)	12	1	0	6	0	0	0	19		
Unauthorized use of a Vehicle	7	6	0	0	3	0	2	18		
Escape	2	6	2	1	2	0	0	13		

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Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Relatives	PAGE 39	Relatives	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS	
		Dependant/Neglect	80	95	8	89	122	14	18	426	
		Aggravated Kidnapping	17	29	5	25	24	2	3	105	
		Custody	12	24	2	19	21	5	3	86	
		Other	7	9	1	6	8	1	3	35	
		Child Support	3	4	0	1	0	0	0	8	
		Termination of Parental Rights	2	0	0	3	0	0	0	5	
		Visitation	0	0	0	2	2	0	1	5	
		Unruly	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	
		In-State Runaway	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	
		Paternity/Legitimation	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
		Truancy	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	
				122	161	16	147	179	22	28	675
Total		122	161	16	147	179	22	28	675		
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Self	PAGE 39	Self	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS	
		Other	38	31	0	16	10	0	5	100	
		Child Support	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	
		Paternity/Legitimation	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	
		Assault	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	
		Contempt of Court	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	
		Unruly	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
		Theft of Property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
				40	33	0	16	13	0	5	107
		Total		40	33	0	16	13	0	5	107
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - School	PAGE 39	School	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS	
		Truancy	56	52	2	67	67	2	24	270	
		Possession of Tobacco Products	97	50	10	44	16	1	4	222	
		Dependant/Neglect	27	32	1	31	30	2	7	130	
		Assault	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	
		Criminal Trespass	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	
		Unruly	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	
		Vandalism	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	
				181	135	14	143	114	5	35	627
Total		181	135	14	143	114	5	35	627		
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Community Services Agencies	PAGE 40	Community Services Agencies	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS	
			0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

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Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Department of Children's Services	PAGE 40	Department of child services	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
		Dependant/Neglect	165	203	34	180	200	37	22	841
		Other	10	20	1	16	10	3	2	62
		Unruly	15	23	1	8	10	0	0	57
		Violation of Aftercare	10	36	2	0	2	0	1	51
		Violation of Probation	12	21	2	5	4	0	0	44
		Escape	11	18	0	6	3	0	1	39
		Termination of Parental Rights	8	8	0	7	12	2	2	39
		In-State Runaway	4	3	0	3	2	0	0	12
		Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	4
		Assault	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Custody	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Physically Abused Child	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Theft of Property	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Paternity/Legitimation	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
		Visitation	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		236	340	40	228	244	43	28	1159	
Total		236	340	40	228	244	43	28	1159	
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Other State Department	PAGE 40	Other Sate Department, not dept of child services	WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
		Custody	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
		Total	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1

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			WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - District Attorney	PAGE 40	District Attorney's Office								
		Other	14	15	2	0	0	1	1	33
		Rape of a Child	4	11	0	0	0	0	2	17
		Aggravated Sexual Battery	5	6	0	0	0	0	0	11
		Aggravated Robbery	0	6	0	0	0	0	1	7
		Dependant/Neglect	1	0	0	3	2	0	0	6
		Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	4
		Other Sexual Offenses (not listed)	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Esp. Aggravated Robbery	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Failure to Appear	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		In-State Runaway	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
		24	46	2	4	2	1	4	83	
TOTAL		24	46	2	4	2	1	4	83	
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Court Staff	PAGE 40	Court Staff								
		Violation of Probation	158	405	10	41	49	6	5	674
		Failure to Appear	75	173	4	17	47	3	1	320
		Unruly	34	55	5	31	48	4	0	177
		Violation of a Valid Court Order	32	54	2	40	43	3	1	175
		Other	33	49	1	8	8	1	2	102
		Dependant/Neglect	13	22	2	7	21	2	1	68
		Disorderly Conduct	0	5	0	0	2	0	0	7
		Evading Arrest	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	5
		Assault	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
		Traffic	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
		Criminal Trespass	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Custody	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Foster Care Review	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2
		Possession of Tobacco Products	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Theft of Property	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
		Vandalism	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Aggravated Assault	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
		Criminal Impersonation	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Judicial Review	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	1
		Other Drug Offenses	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
		Paternity/Legitimation	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Possession of Controlled Substances	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
		Reckless Endangerment	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
				354	777	25	147	220	20	12
TOTAL		354	777	25	147	220	20	12	1553	

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			WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Social Agency	PAGE 41	Social Agency other than DCS or dept of state government								
		Termination of Parental Rights	4	9	3	2	1	1	2	22
		Other	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Custody	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
		Paternity/Legitimation	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
			4	12	3	2	2	1	2	26
TOTALS		4	12	3	2	2	1	2	26	
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Other Court	PAGE 41	Courts other than this court								
		Traffic	4	3	0	0	0	0	1	8
		Dependant/Neglect	1	2	0	2	1	0	0	6
		Theft of Property	1	2	0	0	2	0	0	5
		Assault	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	4
		Unruly	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4
		Escape	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	2
		Evading Arrest	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Failure to Appear	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
		In-State Runaway	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	2
		Possession of Controlled Substances	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
		Vandalism	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Criminal Attempt	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
		Criminal Trespass	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
		Custody	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
		Other	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Possession/Consumption of Alcohol	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
		Robbery	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Violation of Aftercare	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Violation of Probation	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1		
		13	16	1	7	5	0	6	48	
TOTAL		13	16	1	7	5	0	6	48	

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			WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Victim	PAGE 41	Referral by victim								
		Assault	7	12	0	4	11	0	0	34
		Vandalism	9	6	0	1	5	0	0	21
		Theft of Property	5	9	0	0	2	0	0	16
		Disorderly Conduct	0	7	0	1	4	0	0	12
		Traffic	6	1	1	0	0	0	0	8
		Criminal Trespass	3	2	0	0	2	0	0	7
		Aggravated Assault	3	2	0	0	1	0	0	6
		Unruly	2	3	0	0	1	0	0	6
		Harrassment	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	5
		Reckless Endangerment	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	5
		Burglary	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4
		Evading Arrest	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4
		Aggravated Burglary	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
		Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	3
		Filing a False Police Report	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Unauthorized use of a Vehicle	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	2
		Aggravated Kidnapping	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
		Aggravated Sexual Battery	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
		Escape	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Illegal Possession/ Fraudulant Use of Credit/Debit Cards	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
		Other Sexual Offenses (not listed)	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Rape of a Child	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
		Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Robbery	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Visitation	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		47	58	1	6	33	0	2	147	
TOTAL		47	58	1	6	33	0	2	147	

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			WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTALS
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Child and Parent	PAGE 41	Child and parent are the referral source								
		Assault	7	7	0	2	2	0	2	20
		Other	4	2	2	1	1	0	1	11
		Aggravated Assault	0	3	0	0	2	0	1	6
		Theft of Property	0	2	2	1	0	0	0	5
		Disorderly Conduct	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
		Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
		Burglary	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	2
		Child Support	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
		Criminal Trespass	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
		Aggravated Burglary	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Custody	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Harrassment	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Paternity/Legitimation	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Reckless Endangerment	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
		Robbery	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
				19	20	5	5	8	0	4
Total		19	20	5	5	8	0	4	61	
Six Most Frequent Referral Reasons by Source Based On Number of Referrals Disposed - Hospital	PAGE 41	Child Support Services								
		Hospital personnel	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
		TOTAL	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1

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			WM	AM	OM	WF	AF	OF	UNK	TOTAL
Status/Unruly Referrals to Juvenile Courts in Tennessee Based on Number of Referrals	PAGE 43	Law Enforcement	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Parents	23	10	2	31	16	1	4	87
		Relatives	96	132	11	136	147	23	16	561
		Self	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
		School	32	35	1	33	32	1	8	142
		Community Services Agency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Department of Children's Services	205	272	34	181	260	30	28	1010
		Other State Departments	2	1	1	1	0	1	0	6
		District Attorney	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Court Staff	13	22	1	5	17	1	1	60
		Social Agency	5	10	5	6	6	1	4	37
		Other Court	2	3	0	2	0	1	0	8
		Victim	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	5
		Child and Parent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Hospital	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		Unknown	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	3
		Other	44	67	5	39	36	5	3	199
		TOTAL	422	556	61	435	517	64	64	2119