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Should you have any questions or comments, please do not hesitate to contact me at 717.231.3300.

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2022 Criminal	No. of Cases	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	424	
New Cases Filed in 2022	1,511	
Reopened Cases	91	
Cases Available for Processing	2,026	
Processed by:		
Withdrawn/Dismissed	40	2.5%
Diversionary Disposition*	432	27.3%
Guilty Plea	1,011	63.8%
Non-Jury Trial	23	1.5%
Jury Trial	9	0.6%
Inactive	60	3.8%
Other	10	0.6%
Total Cases Processed	1,585	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	441	

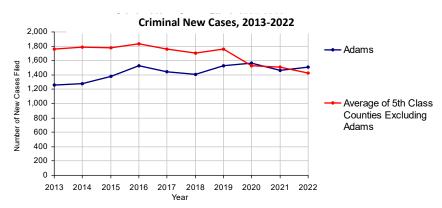


Age of Penc as of 12/3	•	es
0-60 Days	215	48.8%
61-120 Days	130	29.5%
121-180 Days	44	10.0%
181-240 Days	28	6.3%
241-300 Days	14	3.2%
301-360 Days	6	1.4%
Over 360 Days	4	0.9%
Total	441	100.0%

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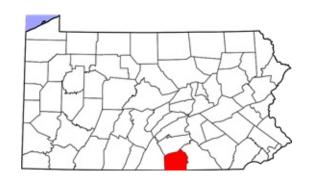
**Cases Awaiting Sentencing** 

\* Includes other diversionary programs such as Veterans Court.



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### 2022 Criminal - New Cases by Offense Type

Case Type	Felony	Misdemeanor	Summary	Total	
Person	75	79	0	154	10.2%
Property	74	64	1	139	9.2%
Drug	39	68	0	107	7.1%
Weapon	32	7	0	39	2.6%
Public Order	46	60	0	106	7.0%
Motor Vehicle - DWI/DUI	60	883	0	943	62.4%
Motor Vehicle - Other	0	18	2	20	1.3%
Other	3	0	0	3	0.2%
Total	329	1,179	3	1,511	100.0%
	21.8%	78.0%	0.2%	100.0%	

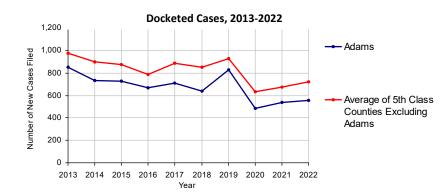
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### Criminal New Cases by Offense Type, 2012-2022 % Change from 2012 to 2022 Person 2.0% Property 51.2% Drug 3% Weapon 160.0% Public Order -4.5% Motor Vehicle - DWI/DUI 93.2% Motor Vehicle - Other 81.8% Other 2012 2013 2015 2015 2017 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2021 2022 2022

### Last Modified: August 21, 2023



2022 Civil	<b>Civil Action</b>	Other	Total			
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	331	153	484			
Docketed Cases	321	232	553			
Arbitration Appeals	4	1	5			
Transferred In	0	1	1	Age of Pendin	-	;s
Returned to Active	3	6	9	as of 12/31		
Cases Available for Processing	659	393	1,052	(Civil Action	i Only)	
-			.,	0-6 months	123	43.3%
Processed By:				7-12 months	41	<mark>14.4%</mark>
Default Judgments	155	67	222	13-18 months	39	13.7%
Cases Decided by Arbitration Boar	d 15	4	19	19-24 months	28	9.9%
Dispositive Motions	2	3	5	25-30 months	27	9.5%
Settlements	154	56	210	31-36 months	15	5.3%
Moved to Inactive Status	2	2	4	37-42 months	11	3.9%
Transferred/Withdrawn	7	3	10	43-48 months	0	
Dismissed/Discontinued	15	26	41	49-54 months	0	
Administrative Purge	17	11	28	55-60 months	0	
Other	4	20	24	61-66 months	0	
Jury Trial	0	0	0	67-72 months	0	
Non-Jury Trial	4	2	6	Over 72 months	0	
Total Cases Processed	375	194	569	Total	284	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	284	199	483			



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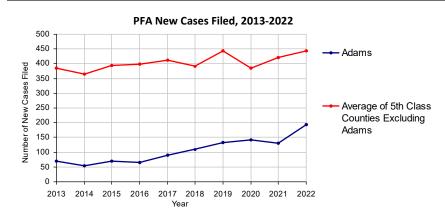
### 2022 Civil - Docketed Cases Listed by Case Type

TORT	41	7.4%	REAL PROPERTY	157	28.4%
(does not include mass tort)			Ejectment*	10	
Intentional	2		Eminent Domain/Condemnation*	1	
Malicious Prosecution	0		Ground Rent	0	
Motor Vehicle	25		Landlord/Tenant Dispute	21	
Nuisance	0		Mortgage Foreclosure:	<u> </u>	
Premise Liability	6		Residential*	106	
Product Liability	0		Commercial*	1	
Slander/Libel/Defamation	1		Partition of Real Property*	5	
Other	7		Quiet Title*	8	
MASS TORT	0		Other*	5 5	
Asbestos	0		CIVIL APPEALS	57	10.3%
Tobacco	0		- Administrative Agencies		
Toxic Tort - DES	0		Board of Assessment*	9	
Toxic Tort - Implant	0		Board of Elections*	1	
Toxic Waste	0		Dept. of Transportation*	37	
Other	0		Zoning Board*	5	
PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY	-		Statutory Appeal - Other*	0	
	2	0.4%	Other*	5	
Dental	0		MISCELLANEOUS		
Legal	0			39	7.1%
Medical Malpractice	2		Common Law/		
Other	0		Statutory Arbitration*	0	
CONTRACT	257	46.5%	Declaratory Judgment*	3	
(does not include judgments)			Mandamus*	1	
Buyer Plaintiff	4		Non-Domestic Relations	_	
Debt Collection: Credit Card	<mark>160</mark>		Restraining Order*	/	
Debt Collection: Other	76		Quo Warranto*	0	
Employment Dispute:Discrimination	0		Replevin*	4	
Employment Dispute: Other	0		Other*	24	
Other	17		TOTAL DOCKETED CASES:	553	100.0%
Of the Docketed Cases:			ICIAL DOCRETED CASES.	555	100.0 /0
Pro Se Filings: 47 8.5%	Class /	Action Suits:	0 MDJ Appeals:	3	5 6.3%

\*Civil Other



2022 Protection From Abuse	No. of Petitions	6
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	20	
New Cases Filed in 2022	194	
Of these, Petitions Requesting Temporary Orders: 194 (100.0%) Temporary Orders DENIED: 16 (8.2%), Temporary Orders GRANTED: 178 (91.8%)		
Cases Available for Processing	214	
Processed By:		
Temporary Order DENIED After Ex Parte Hearing and No Evidentiary Hearing Scheduled	11	6.1%
Temporary Order DISMISSED After Evidentiary Hearing and No Final Order Entered	0	
Final Order DENIED After Evidentiary Hearing Before a Judge or a Judicial Officer	6	3.3%
Final Order GRANTED After Evidentiary Hearing Before a Judge or a Judicial Officer	38	21.0%
Plaintiff Did Not Appear For Evidentiary Hearing	13	7.2%
Final Order by STIPULATION OR AGREEMENT Between the Parties	62	34.3%
Petition WITHDRAWN by Plaintiff	50	27.6%
TRANSFERRED to Another Jurisdiction	1	0.6%
Other	0	
Cases Processed	181	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	33	



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2022 Spousal & Child Support	No. of Petition	S
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	362	
New Cases Filed in 2022	1,101	
Dockets Transferred In (+)	9	
Dockets Transferred Out (-)	11	
Cases Available for Processing	1,461	
Processed By:		
Judge	50	4.6%
Intake Officer	1,042	95.4%
Hearing Officer	0	
Other	0	
Cases Processed	1,092	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	369	

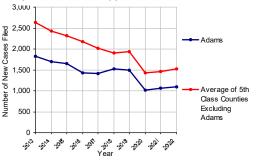
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2022 Paternity	No. of Cases	
Acknowledgements Filed:		
Non-Domestic Relations Section	119	78.8%
During Conference	24	15.9%
Non-Stipulated (post genetic test)	2	1.3%
Pre-Trial Conference	6	4.0%
Total	151	100.0%
Established:		
Stipulated by Genetic Tests	6	9.4%
Default - Father Failed to Appear	19	29.7%
Adjudication by Court Proceeding	1	1.6%
Out of State	38	59.4%
Total	64	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	59	

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Spousal & Child Support New Cases Filed, 2013-2022



#### **DEFINITIONS:**

#### ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS FILED:

NON-DOMESTIC RELATIONS SECTION: The voluntary Acknowledgement of Paternity by the alleged father. DURING CONFERENCE: The alleged father signed the Acknowledgement of Paternity-Waiver of Trial (PE-010) at the initial child support conference.

NON-STIPULATED (POST GENETIC TEST): The alleged father signed the Acknowledgement of Paternity-Waiver of Trial after genetic tests were conducted and resulted in the alleged father being determined to be the biological father. PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE: The alleged father signed the Acknowledgement of Paternity-Waiver of Trial at the pre-trial conference.

#### ESTABLISHED:

STIPULATED BY GENETIC TESTS: The alleged father requested genetic tests and signed a stipulation that if the test results had a 99% or higher probability of paternity then the alleged father would be stipulated as the biological father of the child.

DEFAULT - FATHER FAILED TO APPEAR: The alleged father failed to appear after being served for either a support conference, hearing, or genetic test and a default paternity order was entered by the court.

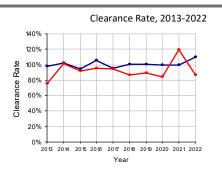
ADJUDICATION BY COURT PROCEEDING: The alleged father was determined to be the biological father of the child through a court proceeding.

OUT OF STATE: Paternity was established in another state, "Out of state only".

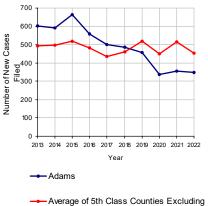
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2022 Custody/Partial Custody/Visitation	No. of Petitions	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	106	
New Cases Filed in 2022	348	
Cases Available for Processing	454	
Processed By:		
Judge	297	77.7%
Non-Judicial Officer	53	13.9%
Administrative Review/Purge	0	
Other	32	8.4%
Cases Processed	382	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	72	

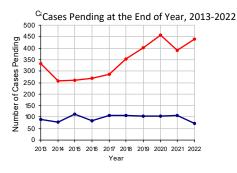


<sup>C</sup> Custody/Partial Custody/Visitation New Cases Filed, 2013-2022



Average of 5th Class Counties Exc

Note: Clearance Rate = Cases Processed / New Cases Filed



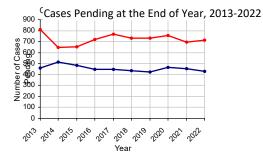
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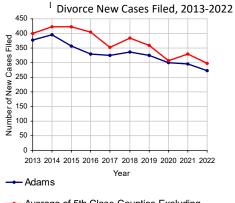


2022 Divorce	No. of Petitions	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	451	
New Cases Filed in 2022	273	
Cases Available for Processing	724	
Processed By:		
Contested Before a Judge	3	1.0%
Contested Before a Non-Judicial Officer	3	1.0%
Uncontested	254	86.4%
Administrative Review/Purge	25	8.5%
Other	9	3.1%
Cases Processed	294	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	430	



Note: Clearance Rate = Cases Processed / New Cases Filed





 Average of 5th Class Counties Excluding Adams

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# 2022 Juvenile Dependency - Petitions Pending Adjudication

	Abuse/ Neglect	Status Offenses	Total
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	7	0	7
New Petitions Filed in 2022	60	2	62
Other	7	0	7
Total Petitions Available for Processing	74	2	76
Processed by:			
Adjudicated Dependent			
Judge	53	1	54
Juvenile Court Hearing Officer	0	0	0
Adjudicated NOT Dependent			
Judge	0	0	0
Juvenile Court Hearing Officer	0	0	0
Withdrawn/Dismissed/Transferred	7	0	7
Other	1	0	1
Total Petitions Processed	61	1	62
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	13	1	14

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#### Abuse/Neglect and Status Offenses New Cases Filed, 2013-2022

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### 2022 Juvenile Dependency - Adjudicated Dependent Inventory

	Abuse/ Neglect		Status Offenses	5	Total	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	73		0		73	
New Adjudicated Dependent Cases	53		1		54	
Other	1		0		1	
Total Adjudicated Dependent Cases	127		1		128	
Court Supervision Terminated:						
Family Reunification	31	48.4%	0		31	48.4%
Adoption	9	14.1%	0		9	14.1%
Placement with a Relative/Guardian	21	32.8%	0		21	32.8%
Aged Out	1	1.6%	0		1	1.6%
Other Permanency Outcomes*	0		0		0	
Other**	2	3.1%	0		2	3.1%
Total Adjudicated Dependent Cases Terminated	64	100.0%	0	100.0%	64	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	63		1		64	

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\* Other Permanency Outcomes include: adjudicated delinquent, death due to natural causes, emancipation, permanent living arrangement, and parent has come forward.

\*\* Other includes cases where court supervision is terminated due to transfer out of jurisdiction, withdrawal and administrative closure.

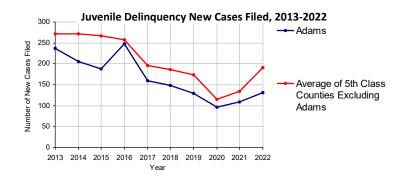
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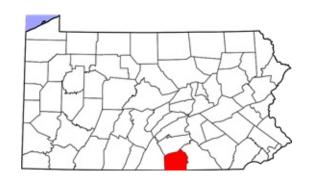
### 2022 Juvenile Delinquency - Cases Pending Disposition

Begin Pending	32
New Cases	131
Consent Decree Revoked	2
Informal Adjustment Program Revoked	0
Alternative Program Revoked	0
Warrant Returned	2
Other	20
Total Cases Available for Disposition	187
Warrant Issued	6
Disposed by:	
Adjudicated Delinquent by a Judge	46
Adjudicated Delinquent by a Juvenile Court Hearing Officer	0
Consent Decree Entered	39
Informal Adjustment Program Entered	1
Warned and Counseled (Pre-Petition)	0
Dismissed/Withdrawn/Transferred	41
Transferred to Criminal Court	0
Other	18
Total Cases Disposed	145
End Pending	36

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### 2022 Delinquency - New Cases by Offense Type

Case Type	Felony	Misdemeanor	Summary	Total	
Person	11	37	0	48	36.6%
Property	4	6	0	10	7.6%
Drug	1	29	0	30	22.9%
Weapon	1	8	0	9	6.9%
Public Order	4	10	12	26	19.8%
Motor Vehicle - DWI/DUI	0	8	0	8	6.1%
Motor Vehicle - Other	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Other	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Total	21	98	12	131	100.0%
	16.0%	74.8%	9.2%	100.0%	

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Delinquency New Cases by Off	ense Type, 2017-2022 % Change from
	2017 to 2022
Person	50.0%
Property	77.3%
Drug	-31-8%
Weapon	18.2%
Public Order	73.3%
Motor Vehicle - DWI/DUI	14.8%
Motor Vehicle - Other	-100.0%
Other	
	2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2021 2021

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### **2022 Juvenile Delinquency** - Formal Dispositions

Begin Pending	39
Adjudicated Delinquent by a Judge	46
Adjudicated Delinquent by a Juvenile Court Hearing Officer	0
Warrant Returned	0
Other	1
Total Adjudicated Delinquent Cases	86
Warrant Issued	0
Court Supervision Terminated:	
Conditions Satisfied	22
Compelling Reasons	9
Reached Age 21	0
Transferred to Another Juvenile Court	0
Other	8
Total Adjudicated Delinquent Cases Terminated	39
End Pending	47

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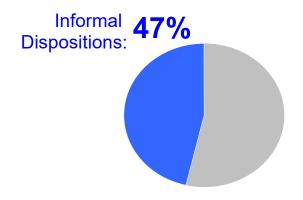
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### **2022 Juvenile Delinquency** - Informal Dispositions

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Pending Consent Decrees	10
Pending Informal Adjustments	0
New Consent Decrees	39
New Informal Adjustments	1
Warrant Returned	0
Other	2
Cases Informally Disposed	52
Warrant Issued	0
Terminated by:	
Consent Decree Completed	26
Informal Adjustment Completed	1
Consent Decree Revoked	2
Informal Adjustment Program Revoked	0
Other	6
Total Informally Disposed Cases Terminated	35
End Donding	47
End Pending	17

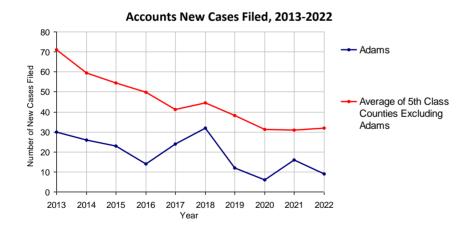
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Delinquency Cases are disposed either formally, at a proceeding held before a judge or hearing officer, or informally without a proceeding. Informal dispositions include informal adjustments supervised by a juvenile probation officer; consent decrees agreed upon with the District Attorney after a petition is filed; or other prepetition process by the juvenile probation department.

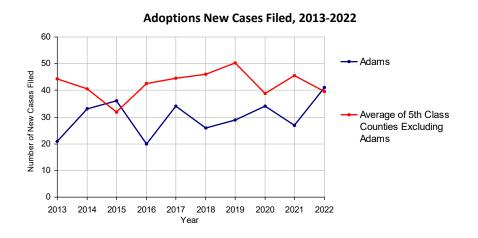


2022 Accounts	No. of Cases	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	10	
New Cases Filed in 2022	9	
Cases Available for Processing	19	
Processed By:		
Contested before a Judge	1	6.3%
Contested before a Non-Judicial Officer	0	
Uncontested	15	93.8%
Other	0	
Cases Processed	16	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	3	





2022 Adoptions		No. of Cases	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022		5	
New Cases Filed in 2022		41	
Cases Available for Processing		46	
Processed By:			
Contested before a Judge	Granted	0	
	Denied	0	
Uncontested	Granted	27	100.0%
	Denied	0	
Other		0	
Cases Processed		27	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022		19	

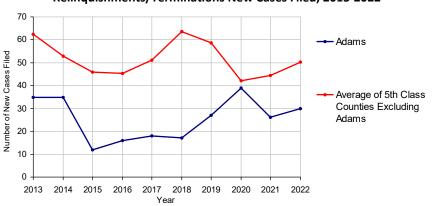


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2022 Relinquishments/Terminations	No. of Cases	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	6 <sup>(R</sup>	)
New Cases Filed in 2022	30	
Cases Available for Processing	36	
Processed By:		
Contested before a Judge	0	
Uncontested	29	96.7%
Other	1	3.3%
Cases Processed	30	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	6	

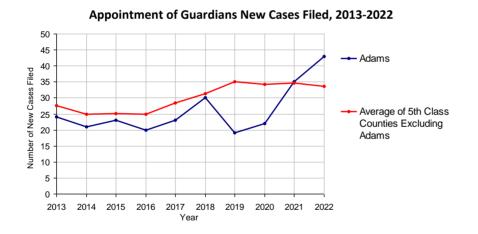
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Relinquishments/Terminations New Cases Filed, 2013-2022



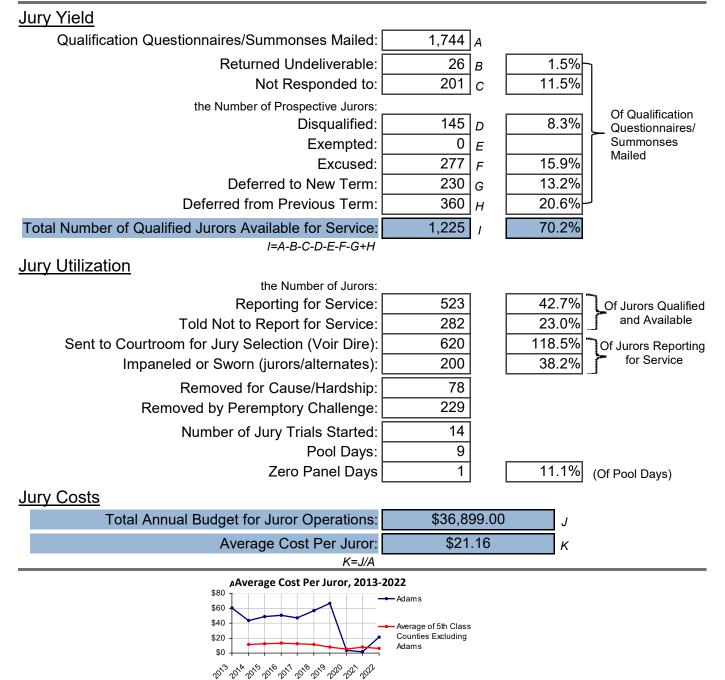
2022 Appointment of Guardians	No. of Cases	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	3	
New Cases Filed in 2022	43	
Cases Available for Processing	46	
Processed By:		
Contested before a Judge	0	
Uncontested	37	88.1%
Other	5	11.9%
Cases Processed	42	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	4	



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### 2022 Jury Yield and Utilization



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