2022 Union Court of Common Pleas Caseload Statistics for County





We are pleased to provide you with a copy of the 2022 County Caseload Display pages. They can also be viewed on the AOPC webpage at www.pacourts.us in the *News & Statistics* section under *Research & Statistics*.

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

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Class of County: 7th

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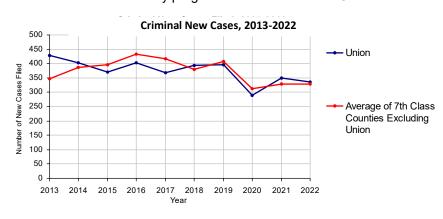
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2022 Criminal	No. of Cases	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	184	
New Cases Filed in 2022	336	
Reopened Cases	36	
Cases Available for Processing	556	
Processed by:		
Withdrawn/Dismissed	21	5.8%
Diversionary Disposition*	10	2.7%
Guilty Plea	279	76.4%
Non-Jury Trial	3	0.8%
Jury Trial	12	3.3%
Inactive	32	8.8%
Other	8	2.2%
Total Cases Processed	365	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022		
Cases Awaiting Sentencing	86	



Age of Pend as of 12/3	es	
0-60 Days	49	25.7%
61-120 Days	48	25.1%
121-180 Days	40	20.9%
181-240 Days	21	11.0%
241-300 Days	12	6.3%
301-360 Days	3	1.6%
Over 360 Days	18	9.4%
Total	191	100.0%

^{*} Includes other diversionary programs such as Veterans Court.

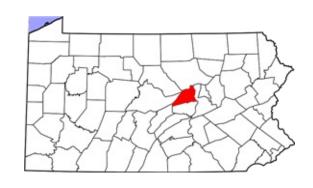


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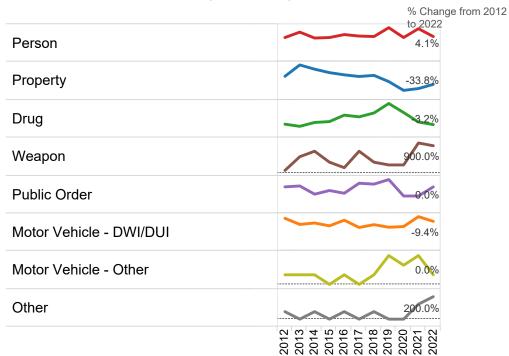


2022 Criminal - New Cases by Offense Type

Case Type	Felony	Misdemeanor	Summary	Total	
Person	31	20	0	51	15.2%
Property	45	41	0	86	25.6%
Drug	10	20	0	30	8.9%
Weapon	7	3	0	10	3.0%
Public Order	7	22	0	29	8.6%
Motor Vehicle - DWI/DUI	9	116	0	125	37.2%
Motor Vehicle - Other	0	2	0	2	0.6%
Other	3	0	0	3	0.9%
Total	112	224	0	336	100.0%
	33.3%	66.7%	0.0%	100.0%	

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Criminal New Cases by Offense Type, 2012-2022



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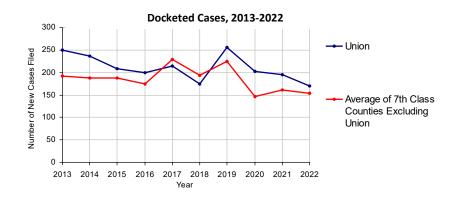
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2022 Civil	Civil Action	Other	Total			
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	150	79	229			
Docketed Cases	120	50	170			
Arbitration Appeals	0	0	0	A (D !!		
Transferred In	1	0	1	Age of Pendir	•	es
Returned to Active	0	0	0	as of 12/31	-	
Cases Available for Processing	271	129	400	(Civil Action	Only)	
_	,			0-6 months	40	33.9%
Processed By:				7-12 months	25	21.2%
Default Judgments	46	8	54	13-18 months	17	14.4%
Cases Decided by Arbitration Boar	^r d 7	0	7	19-24 months	4	3.4%
Dispositive Motions	1	0	1	25-30 months	7	5.9%
Settlements	69	16	85	31-36 months	9	7.6%
Moved to Inactive Status	2	0	2	37-42 months	5	4.2%
Transferred/Withdrawn	3	2	5	43-48 months	3	2.5%
Dismissed/Discontinued	16	8	24	49-54 months	3	2.5%
Administrative Purge	1	2	3	55-60 months	3	2.5%
Other	6	0	6	61-66 months	0	
Jury Trial	1	0	1	67-72 months	1	0.8%
Non-Jury Trial	1	12	13	Over 72 months	1	0.8%
Total Cases Processed	153	48	201	Total	118	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	118	81	199			



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2022 Civil - Docketed Cases Listed by Case Type

TORT	23	13.5%	REAL PROPERTY	22	12.9%
(does not include mass tort)			Ejectment*	1	
Intentional	0		Eminent Domain/Condemnation*	0	
Malicious Prosecution	0		Ground Rent	0	
Motor Vehicle	13		Landlord/Tenant Dispute	0	
Nuisance	0		Mortgage Foreclosure:		
Premise Liability	5		Residential*	17	
Product Liability	0		Commercial*	0	
Slander/Libel/Defamation	0		Partition of Real Property*	1	
Other	5		Quiet Title*	3	
MASS TORT	0		Other*	0	
Asbestos	0		CIVIL APPEALS	8	4.7%
Tobacco	0		- Administrative Agencies		
Toxic Tort - DES	0		Board of Assessment*	2	
Toxic Tort - Implant	0		Board of Elections*	0	
Toxic Waste	0		Dept. of Transportation*	6	
Other	0		Zoning Board*	0	
DDOFFCCIONAL LIADUITY			Statutory Appeal - Other*	0	
PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY	1	0.6%	Other*	0	
Dental	0		MISCELLANEOUS		
Legal	0		MISCELLANEOUS	20	11.8%
Medical Malpractice	1		Common Law/	_	
Other	0		Statutory Arbitration*	0	
CONTRACT	96	56.5%	Declaratory Judgment*	1	
(does not include judgments)			Mandamus*	0	
Buyer Plaintiff	2		Non-Domestic Relations		
Debt Collection: Credit Card	41		Restraining Order*	3	
Debt Collection: Other	41		Quo Warranto*	0	
Employment Dispute: Discrimination	0		Replevin*	0	
Employment Dispute: Other	0		Other*	16	
Other	12		TOTAL DOCKETED CASES.	470	400.00/
Of the Docketed Cases:			TOTAL DOCKETED CASES:	170	100.0%
Pro Se Filings: 16 9.4%	Class	Action Suits:	0 MDJ Appeals:		9 5.3%

^{*}Civil Other

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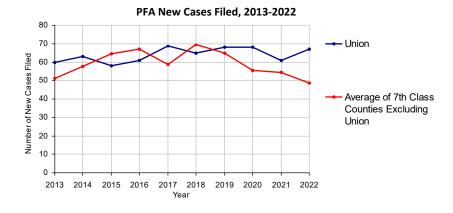
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2022 Protection From Abuse	No. of Petitions	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	6	
New Cases Filed in 2022	67	
Of these, Petitions Requesting Temporary Orders: 67 (100.0%) Temporary Orders DENIED: 0 (0.0%), Temporary Orders GRANTED: 67 (100.0%)		
Cases Available for Processing	73	
Processed By:		
Temporary Order DENIED After Ex Parte Hearing and No Evidentiary Hearing Scheduled	2	3.1%
Temporary Order DISMISSED After Evidentiary Hearing and No Final Order Entered	28	43.8%
Final Order DENIED After Evidentiary Hearing Before a Judge or a Judicial Officer	0	
Final Order GRANTED After Evidentiary Hearing Before a Judge or a Judicial Officer	17	26.6%
Plaintiff Did Not Appear For Evidentiary Hearing	0	
Final Order by STIPULATION OR AGREEMENT Between the Parties	6	9.4%
Petition WITHDRAWN by Plaintiff	9	14.1%
TRANSFERRED to Another Jurisdiction	0	
Other	2	3.1%
Cases Processed	64	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	9	



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2022 Spousal & Child Support	No. of Petitions	3
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	40	
New Cases Filed in 2022	350	
Dockets Transferred In (+)	34	
Dockets Transferred Out (-)	23	
Cases Available for Processing	401	
Processed By:		
Judge	8	2.3%
Intake Officer	339	97.7%
Hearing Officer	0	
Other	0	
Cases Processed	347	100.0%

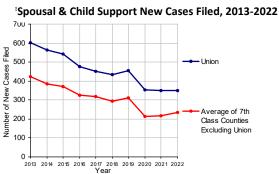
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Cases Pending 12/31/2022

2022 Paternity	No. of Cases	
Acknowledgements Filed:		
Non-Domestic Relations Section	36	94.7%
During Conference	2	5.3%
Non-Stipulated (post genetic test)	0	
Pre-Trial Conference	0	
Total	38	100.0%
Established:		
Stipulated by Genetic Tests	5	41.7%
Default - Father Failed to Appear	1	8.3%
Adjudication by Court Proceeding	0	
Out of State	6	50.0%
Total	12	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	7	

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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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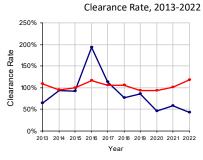
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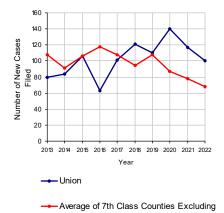


2022 Custody/Partial Custody/Visitation	No. of Petitions	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	208 ^(R)	
New Cases Filed in 2022	100	
Cases Available for Processing	308	
Processed By:		
Judge	0	
Non-Judicial Officer	22	51.2%
Administrative Review/Purge	0	
Other	21	48.8%
Cases Processed	43	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	265	

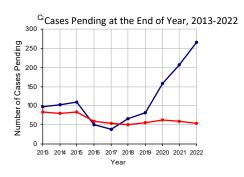
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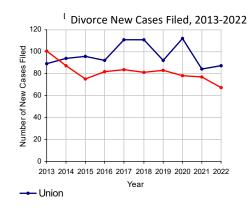
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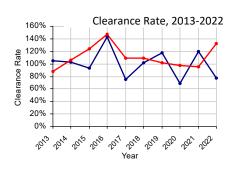


2022 Divorce	No. of Petitions	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	95(R)	
New Cases Filed in 2022	87	
Cases Available for Processing	182	
Processed By:		
Contested Before a Judge	0	
Contested Before a Non-Judicial Officer	1	1.5%
Uncontested	62	92.5%
Administrative Review/Purge	0	
Other	4	6.0%
Cases Processed	67	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	115	

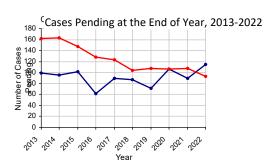
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 Average of 7th Class Counties Excluding Union



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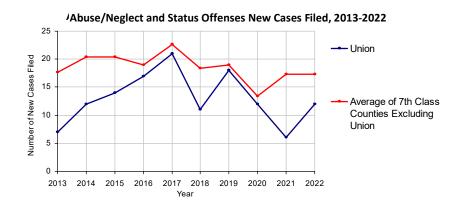
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2022 Juvenile Dependency - Petitions Pending Adjudication

	Abuse/ Neglect	Status Offenses	Total
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	0	0	0
New Petitions Filed in 2022	12	0	12
Other	0	0	0
Total Petitions Available for Processing	12	0	12
Processed by:			
Adjudicated Dependent			
Judge	10	0	10
Juvenile Court Hearing Officer	0	0	0
Adjudicated NOT Dependent			
Judge	0	0	0
Juvenile Court Hearing Officer	0	0	0
Withdrawn/Dismissed/Transferred	0	0	0
Other	0	0	0
Total Petitions Processed	10	0	10
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	2	0	2

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2022 Juvenile Dependency - Adjudicated Dependent Inventory

	Abuse/ Neglect		Status Offenses		Total	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	6		0		6	
New Adjudicated Dependent Cases	10		0		10	
Other	0		0		0	
Total Adjudicated Dependent Cases	16		0		16	
Court Supervision Terminated:						
Family Reunification	1	11.1%	0		1	11.1%
Adoption	1	11.1%	0		1	11.1%
Placement with a Relative/Guardian	6	66.7%	0		6	66.7%
Aged Out	1	11.1%	0		1	11.1%
Other Permanency Outcomes*	0		0		0	
Other**	0		0		0	
Total Adjudicated Dependent Cases Terminated	9	100.0%	0	100.0%	9	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	7		0		7	

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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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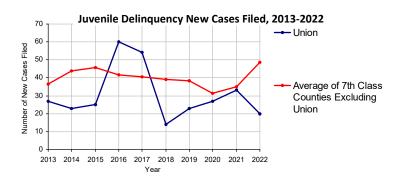
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2022 Juvenile Delinquency - Cases Pending Disposition

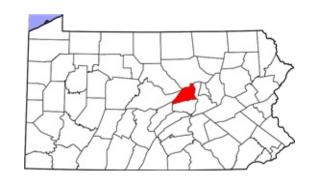
Begin Pending	27
New Cases	20
Consent Decree Revoked	0
Informal Adjustment Program Revoked	0
Alternative Program Revoked	0
Warrant Returned	0
Other	3
Total Cases Available for Disposition	50
Warrant Issued	0
Disposed by:	
Adjudicated Delinquent by a Judge	12
Adjudicated Delinquent by a Juvenile	
Court Hearing Officer	0
Consent Decree Entered	6
Informal Adjustment Program Entered	4
Warned and Counseled (Pre-Petition)	0
Dismissed/Withdrawn/Transferred	14
Transferred to Criminal Court	0
Other	4
Total Cases Disposed	40
End Pending	10
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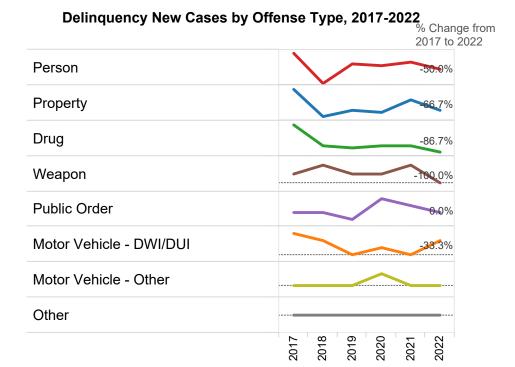
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2022 Delinquency - New Cases by Offense Type

Case Type	Felony	Misdemeanor	Summary	Total	
Person	3	6	0	9	45.0%
Property	2	3	0	5	25.0%
Drug	1	1	0	2	10.0%
Weapon	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Public Order	0	2	0	2	10.0%
Motor Vehicle - DWI/DUI	0	2	0	2	10.0%
Motor Vehicle - Other	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Other	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Total	6	14	0	20	100.0%
	30.0%	70.0%	0.0%	100.0%	

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2022 Juvenile Delinquency - Formal Dispositions

Begin Pending	11
Adjudicated Delinquent by a Judge	12
Adjudicated Delinquent by a Juvenile	0
Court Hearing Officer	0
Warrant Returned	0
Other	0
Total Adjudicated Delinquent Cases	23
Warrant Issued	0
Court Supervision Terminated:	
Conditions Satisfied	4
Compelling Reasons	0
Reached Age 21	0
Transferred to Another Juvenile Court	0
Other	3
Total Adjudicated Delinquent Cases	
Terminated	7
End Pending	16

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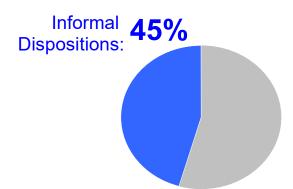
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2022 Juvenile Delinquency - Informal Dispositions

Pending Consent Decrees	6
Pending Informal Adjustments	0
New Consent Decrees	6
New Informal Adjustments	4
Warrant Returned	0
Other	0
Cases Informally Disposed	16
Warrant Issued	0
Terminated by:	
Consent Decree Completed	3
Informal Adjustment Completed	3
Consent Decree Revoked	0
Informal Adjustment Program Revoked	0
Other	2
Total Informally Disposed Cases Terminated	8
End Pending	8
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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.

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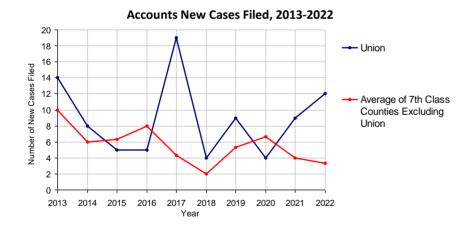
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2022 Accounts	No. of Cases	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	3	
New Cases Filed in 2022	12	
Cases Available for Processing	15	
Processed By:		
Contested before a Judge	1	7.1%
Contested before a Non-Judicial Officer	0	
Uncontested	13	92.9%
Other	0	
Cases Processed	14	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	1	



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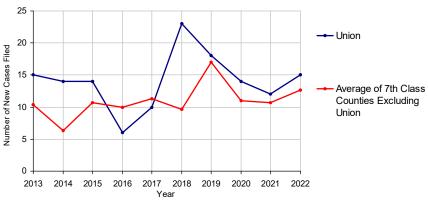
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2022 Adoptions		No. of Cases	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022		0	
New Cases Filed in 2022		15	
Cases Available for Processing		15	
Processed By:			
Contested before a Judge	Granted	3	33.3%
	Denied	0	
Uncontested	Granted	6	66.7%
	Denied	0	
Other		0	
Cases Processed		9	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022		6	

Adoptions New Cases Filed, 2013-2022



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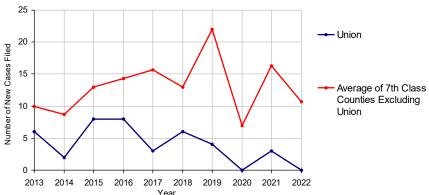
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2022 Relinquishments/Terminations	No. of Cases	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	2	
New Cases Filed in 2022	0	
Cases Available for Processing	2	
Processed By:		
Contested before a Judge	2	100.0%
Uncontested	0	
Other	0	
Cases Processed	2	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	0	

Relinquishments/Terminations New Cases Filed, 2013-2022



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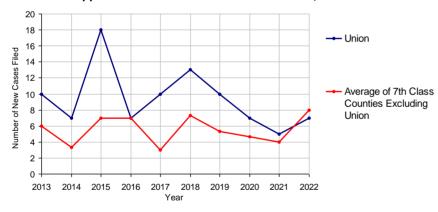
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2022 Appointment of Guardians	No. of Cases	
Cases Pending 1/1/2022	0	
New Cases Filed in 2022	7	
Cases Available for Processing	7	
Processed By:		
Contested before a Judge	0	
Uncontested	7	100.0%
Other	0	
Cases Processed	7	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2022	0	

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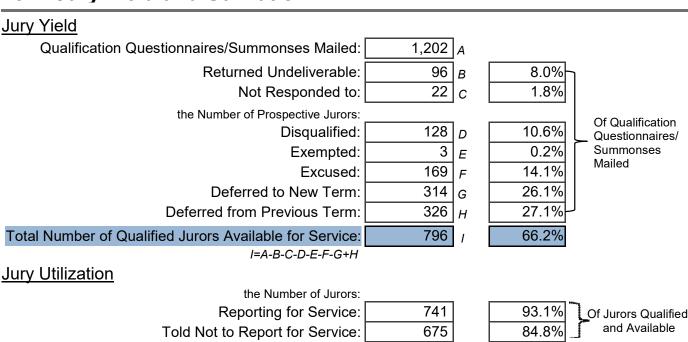
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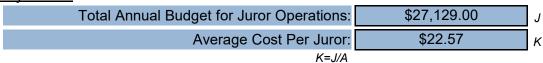


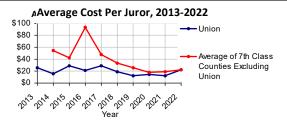
2022 Jury Yield and Utilization



the Number of Outors.		
Reporting for Service:	741	93.1% Of Jurors Qualified
Told Not to Report for Service:	675	84.8% and Available
Sent to Courtroom for Jury Selection (Voir Dire):	616	83.1% Of Jurors Reporting
Impaneled or Sworn (jurors/alternates):	280	37.8% for Service
Removed for Cause/Hardship:	97	
Removed by Peremptory Challenge:	198	
Number of Jury Trials Started:	18	
Pool Days:	7	
Zero Panel Days	4	57.1% (Of Pool Days)

Jury Costs





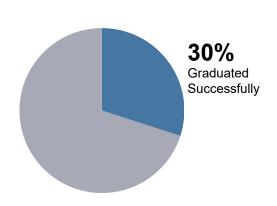
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Snyder/Union County

2022 Problem Solving Courts

10 Discharges

Of All Court Participants Discharged:



22 Admissions

Adult Drug Court	15
DUI Court	4
Adult Mental Health Court	3

Discharge Reason

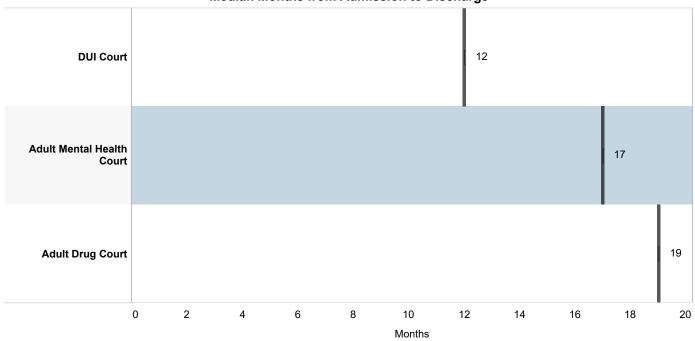
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5	4		1	Adult Drug
(100.0%)	(80.0%)		(20.0%)	Court
3	1	1	1	DUI Court
(100.0%)	(33.3%)	(33.3%)	(33.3%)	
2	1		1	Adult Mental
(100.0%)	(50.0%)		(50.0%)	Health Court

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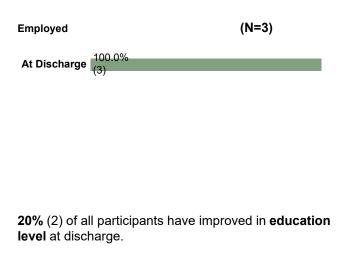
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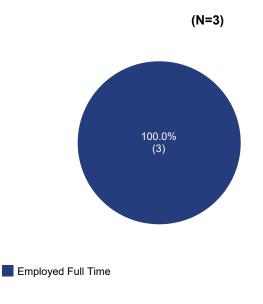




Among successful graduates, there was a increase in employment.

100% of the employed successful graduates were employed full time:





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