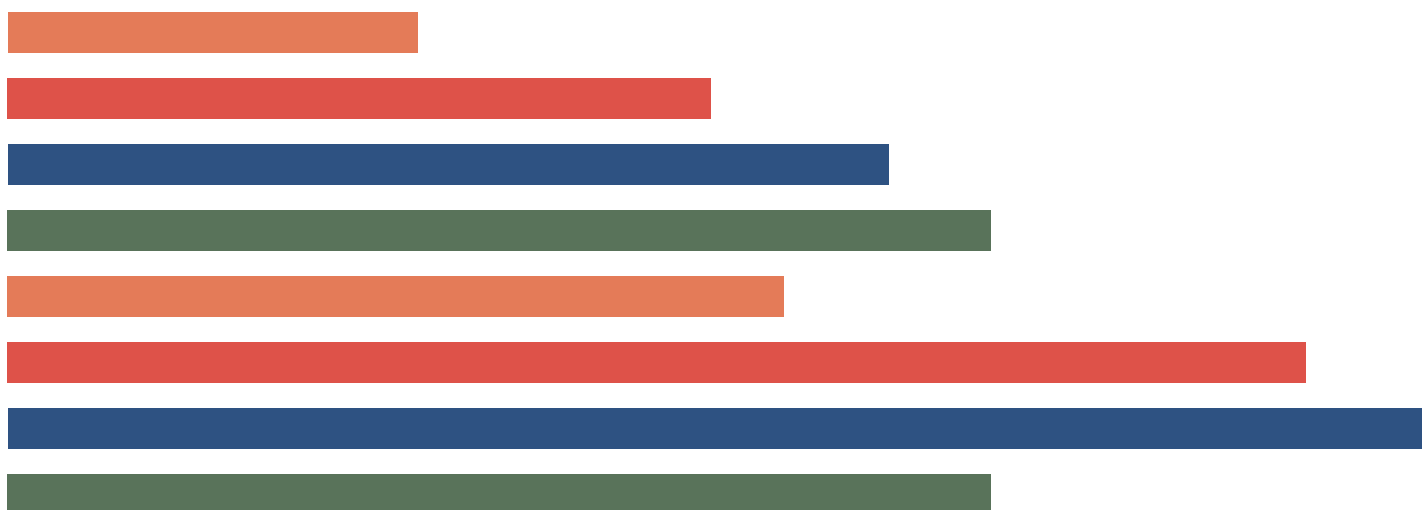
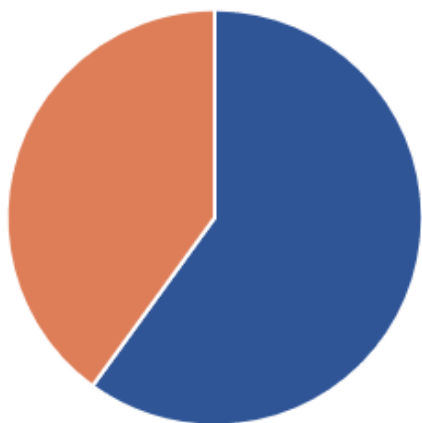


2024

Court of Common Pleas
Caseload Statistics for

Indiana County



We are pleased to provide you with a copy of the 2024 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.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sasanka', is written over a horizontal line. There are some small marks below the line, possibly initials or a date.

Sasanka Adikari, Ph.D.
Data Scientist
Department of Research and Statistics

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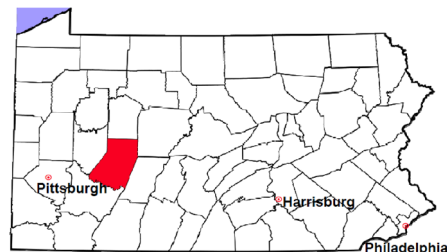
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2024 Criminal No. of Cases

Cases Pending 1/1/2024 357

New Cases Filed in 2024 737

Reopened Cases 59

Cases Available for Processing 1,153

Processed by:

Withdrawn/Dismissed	44	5.9%
Diversionsary Disposition*	183	24.3%
Guilty Plea	446	59.3%
Non-Jury Trial	6	0.8%
Jury Trial	3	0.4%
Inactive	66	8.8%
Other	4	0.5%
Total Cases Processed	752	100.0%

Cases Pending 12/31/2024 401

Cases Awaiting Sentencing 29

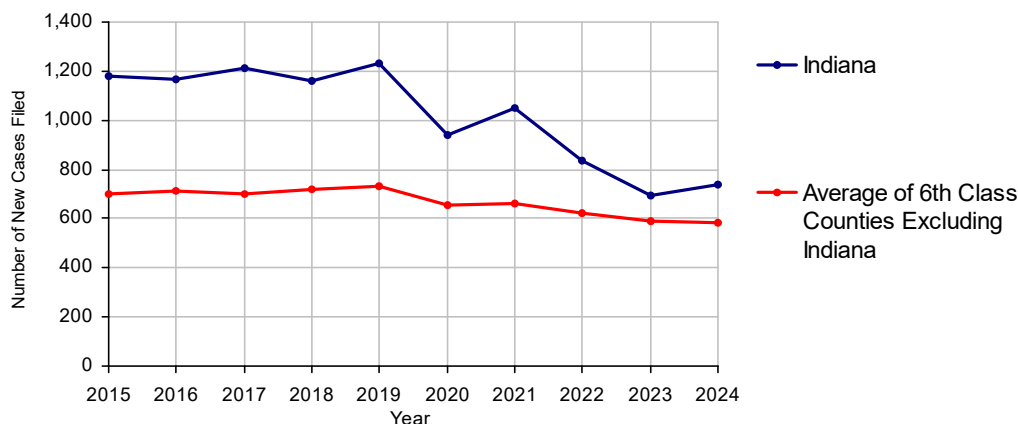
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* Includes other diversionary programs such as Veterans Court.

Age of Pending Cases as of 12/31/2024

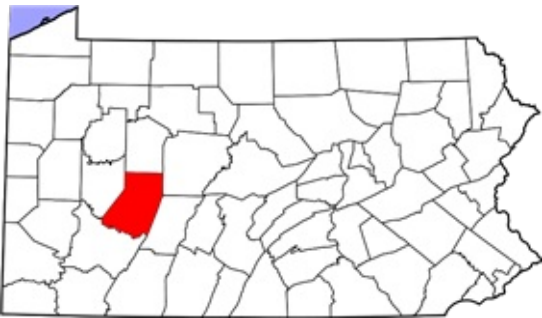
0-60 Days	127	31.7%
61-120 Days	84	20.9%
121-180 Days	67	16.7%
181-240 Days	47	11.7%
241-300 Days	26	6.5%
301-360 Days	16	4.0%
Over 360 Days	34	8.5%
Total	401	100.0%

Criminal New Cases, 2015-2024



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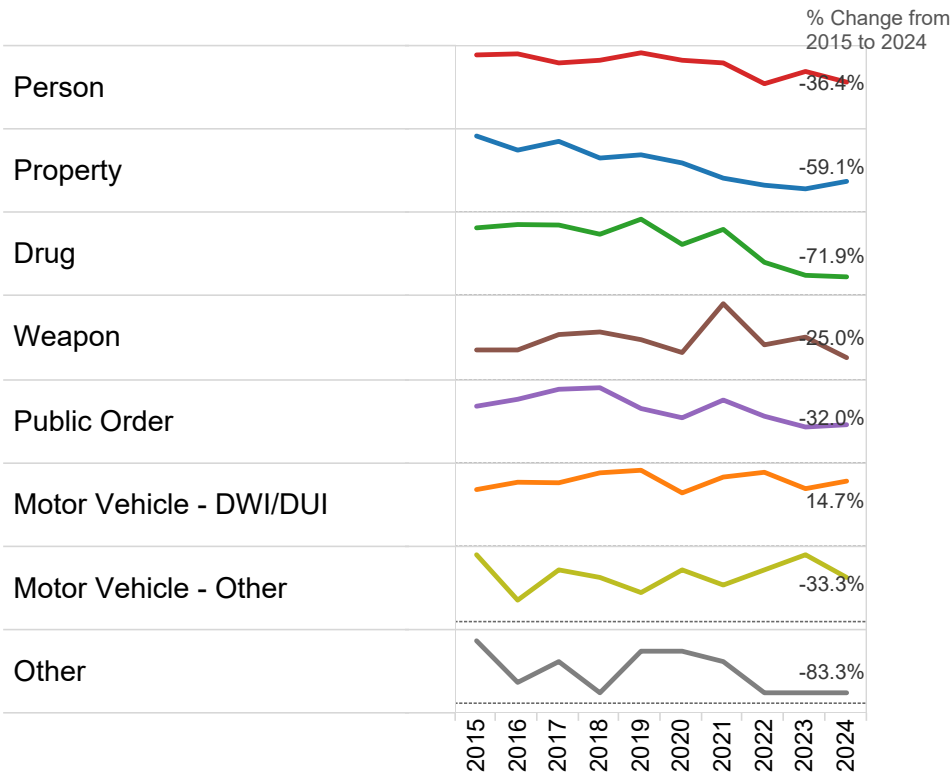


2024 Criminal - New Cases by Offense Type

Case Type	Felony	Misdemeanor	Summary	Total	
Person	45	44	0	89	12.1%
Property	77	68	2	147	19.9%
Drug	25	50	0	75	10.2%
Weapon	6	3	0	9	1.2%
Public Order	16	35	0	51	6.9%
Motor Vehicle - DWI/DUI	30	329	0	359	48.7%
Motor Vehicle - Other	2	4	0	6	0.8%
Other	1	0	0	1	0.1%
Total	202	533	2	737	100.0%
	27.4%	72.3%	0.3%	100.0%	

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Criminal New Cases by Offense Type, 2015-2024

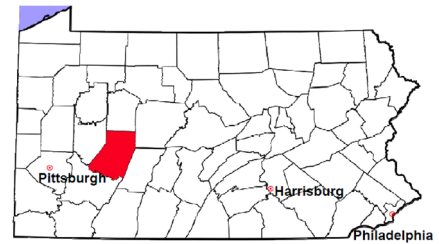


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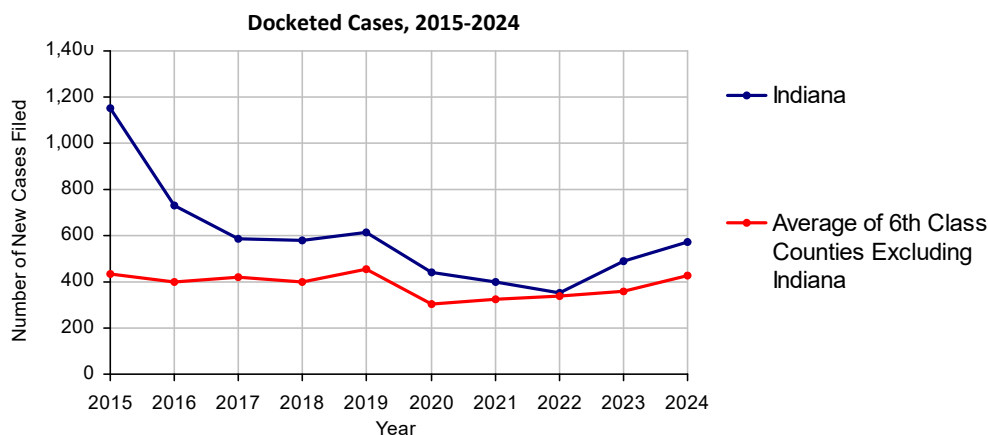


2024 Civil	Civil Action	Other	Total
Cases Pending 1/1/2024	587	303	890 (R)
Docketed Cases	411	159	570
Arbitration Appeals	0	0	0
Transferred In	1	20	21
Returned to Active	0	3	3
Cases Available for Processing	999	485	1,484
Processed By:			
Default Judgments	69	33	102
Cases Decided by Arbitration Board	2	0	2
Dispositive Motions	0	0	0
Settlements	33	18	51
Moved to Inactive Status	12	8	20
Transferred/Withdrawn	0	5	5
Dismissed/Discontinued	142	57	199
Administrative Purge	57	15	72
Other	0	3	3
Jury Trial	1	0	1
Non-Jury Trial	0	0	0
Total Cases Processed	316	139	455
Cases Pending 12/31/2024	683	346	1,029

Age of Pending Cases as of 12/31/2024 (Civil Action Only)

0-6 months	231	33.8%
7-12 months	85	12.4%
13-18 months	75	11.0%
19-24 months	35	5.1%
25-30 months	47	6.9%
31-36 months	29	4.2%
37-42 months	28	4.1%
43-48 months	31	4.5%
49-54 months	18	2.6%
55-60 months	14	2.0%
61-66 months	22	3.2%
67-72 months	23	3.4%
Over 72 months	45	6.6%
Total	683	100.0%

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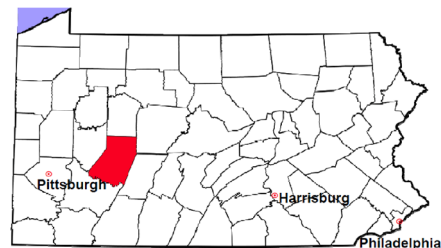


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2024 Civil - Docketed Cases Listed by Case Type

TORT 45 7.9%

(does not include mass tort)

Intentional	0
Malicious Prosecution	0
Motor Vehicle	20
Nuisance	0
Premise Liability	14
Product Liability	1
Slander/Libel/Defamation	1
Other	9

MASS TORT 0

Asbestos	0
Tobacco	0
Toxic Tort - DES	0
Toxic Tort - Implant	0
Toxic Waste	0
Other	0

PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY 7 1.2%

Dental	0
Legal	0
Medical Malpractice	7
Other	0

CONTRACT 355 62.3%

(does not include judgments)

Buyer Plaintiff	3
Debt Collection: Credit Card	206
Debt Collection: Other	134
Employment Dispute: Discrimination	0
Employment Dispute: Other	0
Other	12

Of the Docketed Cases:

Pro Se Filings: 25 4.4% Class Action Suits: 0 MDJ Appeals: 19 3.3%

*Civil Other

REAL PROPERTY 108 18.9%

Ejectment*	11
Eminent Domain/Condemnation*	6
Ground Rent	1
Landlord/Tenant Dispute	3
Mortgage Foreclosure:	
Residential*	69
Commercial*	1
Partition of Real Property*	2
Quiet Title*	10
Other*	5

CIVIL APPEALS 36 6.3%

- Administrative Agencies

Board of Assessment*	4
Board of Elections*	0
Dept. of Transportation*	20
Zoning Board*	1
Statutory Appeal - Other*	0
Other*	11

MISCELLANEOUS 19 3.3%

Common Law/	
Statutory Arbitration*	0
Declaratory Judgment*	2
Mandamus*	0
Non-Domestic Relations	
Restraining Order*	0
Quo Warranto*	0
Replevin*	7
Other*	10

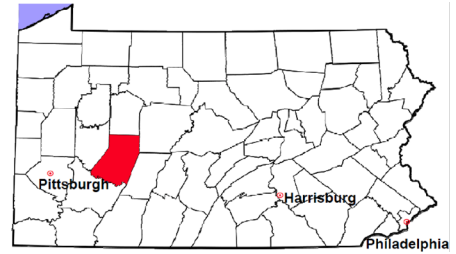
TOTAL DOCKETED CASES: 570 100.0%

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2024 Protection From Abuse

**No. of
Petitions**

Cases Pending 1/1/2024

8

New Cases Filed in 2024

196

Of these, Petitions Requesting Temporary Orders: 196 (100.0%)

Temporary Orders DENIED: 0 (0.0%), Temporary Orders GRANTED: 196 (100.0%)

Cases Available for Processing

204

Processed By:

Temporary Order DENIED After Ex Parte Hearing and No Evidentiary Hearing Scheduled

0

Temporary Order DISMISSED After Evidentiary Hearing and No Final Order Entered

57

30.8%

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

20

10.8%

Plaintiff Did Not Appear For Evidentiary Hearing

0

Final Order by STIPULATION OR AGREEMENT Between the Parties

27

14.6%

Petition WITHDRAWN by Plaintiff

74

40.0%

TRANSFERRED to Another Jurisdiction

1

0.5%

Other

6

3.2%

Cases Processed

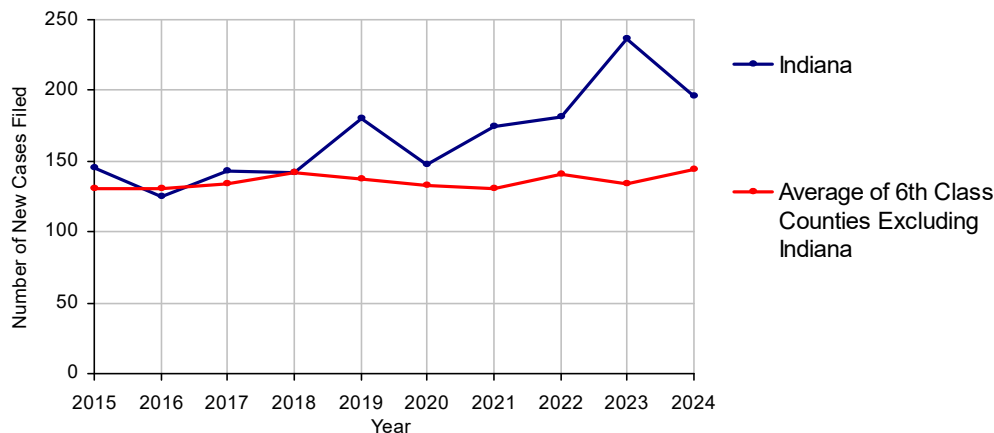
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Cases Pending 12/31/2024

19

PFA New Cases Filed, 2015-2024

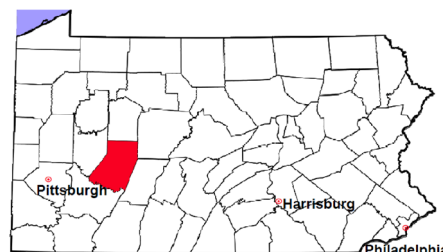


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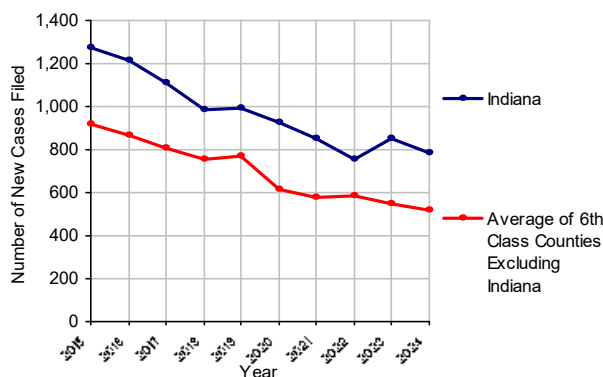
2024 Spousal & Child Support	No. of Petitions
Cases Pending 1/1/2024	259
New Cases Filed in 2024	788
Dockets Transferred In (+)	114
Dockets Transferred Out (-)	9
Cases Available for Processing	1,152
Processed By:	
Judge	7 0.7%
Intake Officer	880 92.6%
Hearing Officer	63 6.6%
Other	0
Cases Processed	950 100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2024	202

Data provided by PACSES

2024 Paternity	No. of Cases
Acknowledgements Filed:	
Non-Domestic Relations Section	22 84.6%
During Conference	4 15.4%
Non-Stipulated (post genetic test)	0
Pre-Trial Conference	0
Total	26 100.0%
Established:	
Stipulated by Genetic Tests	10 76.9%
Default - Father Failed to Appear	1 7.7%
Adjudication by Court Proceeding	0
Out of State	2 15.4%
Total	13 100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2024	12

Data provided by PACSES

Spousal & Child Support New Cases Filed, 2015-2024



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.

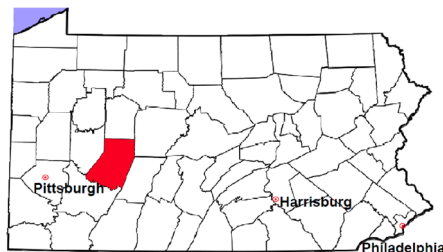
OUT OF STATE: Paternity was established in another state, "Out of state only".

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2024 Custody/Partial Custody/Visitation

No. of
Petitions

Cases Pending 1/1/2024 850^(R)

New Cases Filed in 2024 153

Cases Available for Processing 1,003

Processed By:

Judge 1 1.6%

Non-Judicial Officer 63 98.4%

Administrative Review/Purge 0

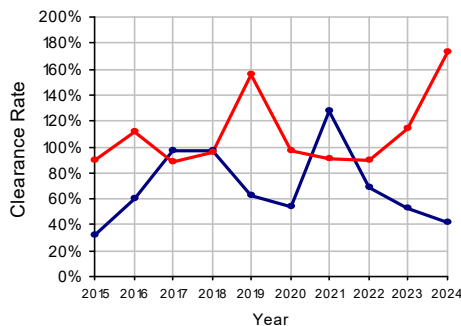
Other 0

Cases Processed 64 100.0%

Cases Pending 12/31/2024 939

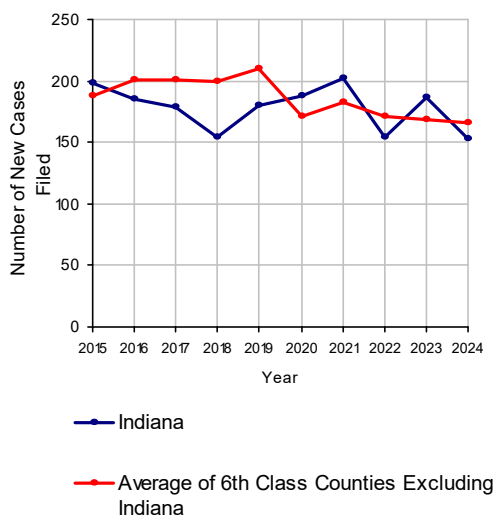
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Clearance Rate, 2015-2024

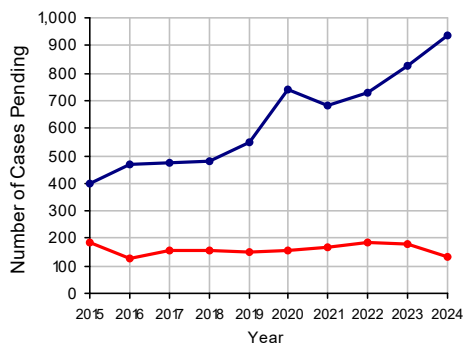


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Custody/Partial Custody/Visitation New Cases Filed, 2015-2024



Cases Pending at the End of Year, 2015-2024

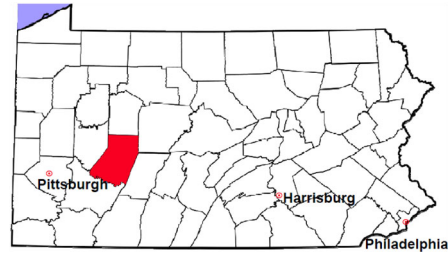


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2024 Divorce

No. of Petitions

Cases Pending 1/1/2024

374 (R)

New Cases Filed in 2024

189

Cases Available for Processing

563

Processed By:

Contested Before a Judge

1

0.9%

Contested Before a Non-Judicial Officer

7

6.1%

Uncontested

90

78.9%

Administrative Review/Purge

0

Other

16

14.0%

Cases Processed

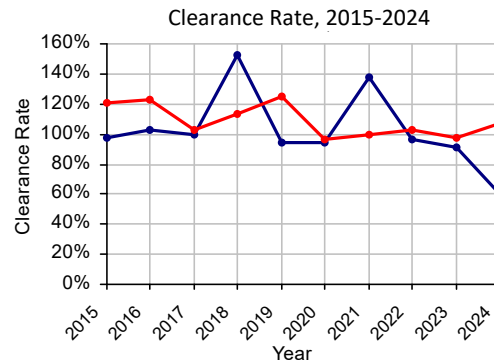
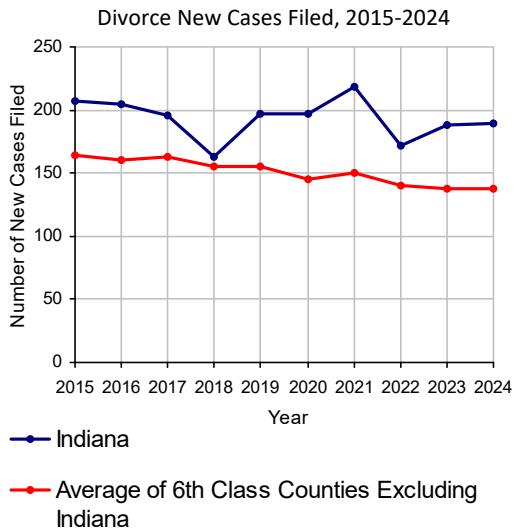
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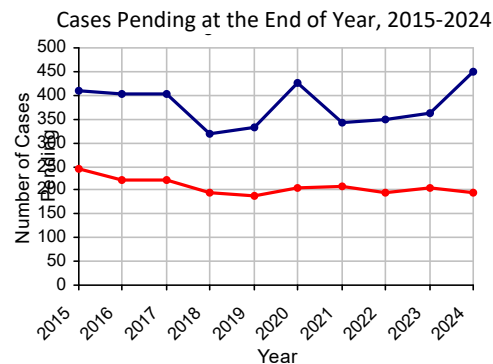
Cases Pending 12/31/2024

449

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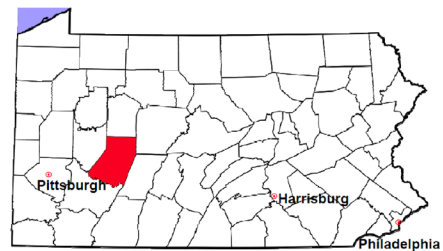


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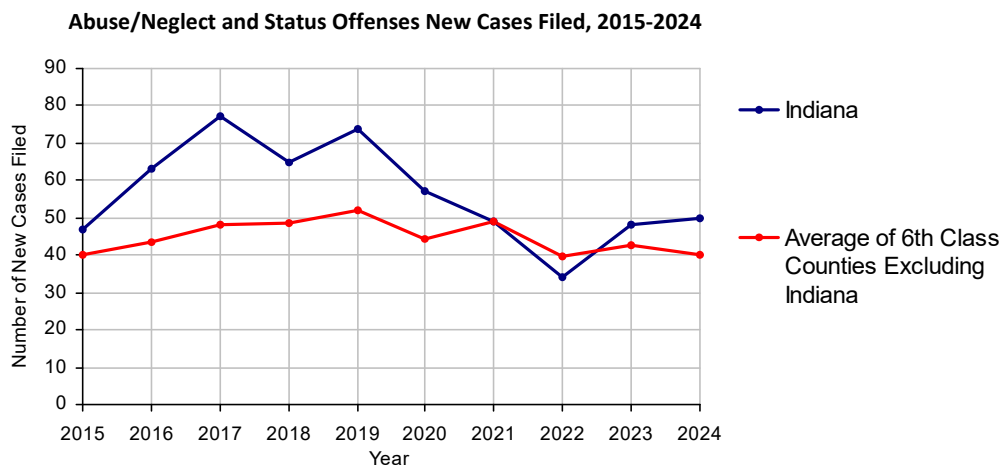
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2024 Juvenile Dependency - Petitions Pending Adjudication

	Abuse/ Neglect	Status Offenses	Total
Cases Pending 1/1/2024	3	0	3
New Petitions Filed in 2024	50	0	50
Other	11	1	12
Total Petitions Available for Processing	64	1	65
Processed by:			
Adjudicated Dependent			
Judge	44	1	45
Juvenile Court Hearing Officer	0	0	0
Adjudicated NOT Dependent			
Judge	0	0	0
Juvenile Court Hearing Officer	0	0	0
Withdrawn/Transferred	1	0	1
Dismissed/Other	11	0	11
Total Petitions Processed	56	1	57
Cases Pending 12/31/2024	8	0	8

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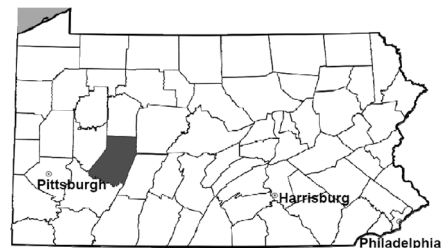


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2024 Juvenile Dependency - Adjudicated Dependent Inventory

	Abuse/ Neglect	Status Offenses	Total
Cases Pending 1/1/2024	64	4	68
New Adjudicated Dependent Cases	44	1	45
Other	0	0	0
Total Adjudicated Dependent Cases	108	5	113

Court Supervision Terminated:

Family Reunification	9	23.7%	2	50.0%	11	26.2%
Adoption	13	34.2%	0		13	31.0%
Placement with a Relative/Guardian	13	34.2%	1	25.0%	14	33.3%
Aged Out	3	7.9%	1	25.0%	4	9.5%
Other Permanency Outcomes*	0		0		0	
Other**	0		0		0	
Total Adjudicated Dependent Cases Terminated	38	100.0%	4	100.0%	42	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2024	70		1		71	

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

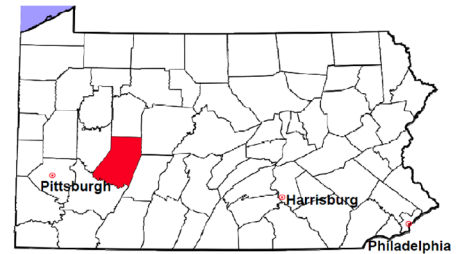
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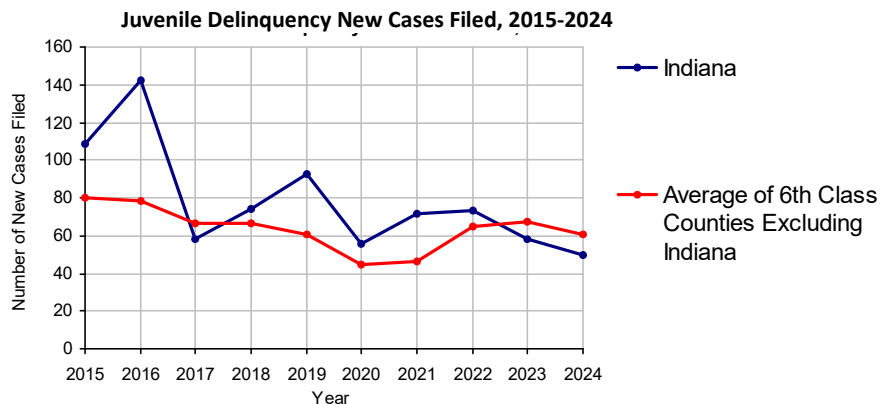
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2024 Juvenile Delinquency - Cases Pending Disposition

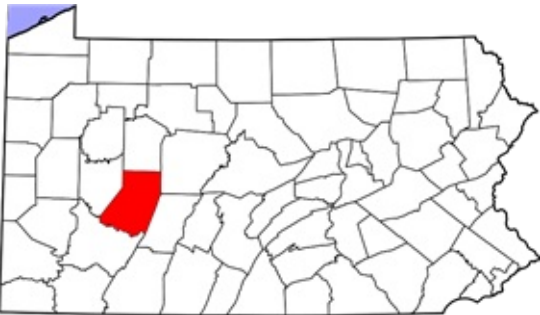
Begin Pending	16
New Cases	50
Consent Decree Revoked	1
Informal Adjustment Program Revoked	0
Alternative Program Revoked	0
Warrant Returned	1
Other	5
Total Cases Available for Disposition	73
Warrant Issued	1
Disposed by:	
Adjudicated Delinquent by a Judge	21
Adjudicated Delinquent by a Juvenile Court Hearing Officer	0
Consent Decree Entered	22
Informal Adjustment Program Entered	0
Warned and Counseled (Pre-Petition)	0
Dismissed/Withdrawn/Transferred	9
Transferred to Criminal Court	0
Other	2
Total Cases Disposed	54
End Pending	18

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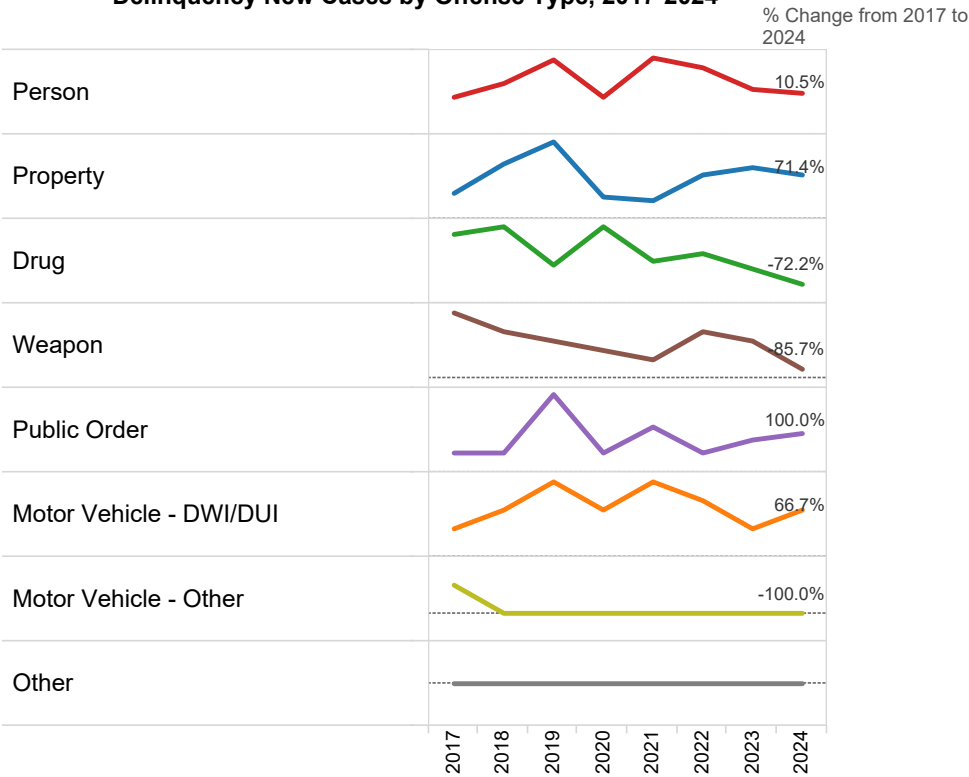


2024 Delinquency - New Cases by Offense Type

Case Type	Felony	Misdemeanor	Summary	Total	
Person	9	12	0	21	42.0%
Property	5	7	0	12	24.0%
Drug	1	4	0	5	10.0%
Weapon	0	1	0	1	2.0%
Public Order	2	3	1	6	12.0%
Motor Vehicle - DWI/DUI	0	5	0	5	10.0%
Motor Vehicle - Other	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Other	0	0	0	0	0.0%
Total	17	32	1	50	100.0%
	34.0%	64.0%	2.0%	100.0%	

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Delinquency New Cases by Offense Type, 2017-2024

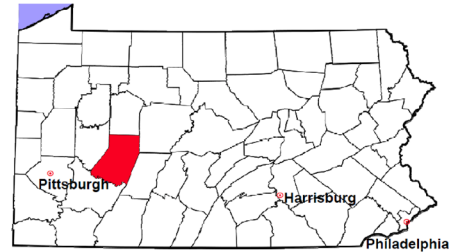


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2024 Juvenile Delinquency - Formal Dispositions

Begin Pending	41
Adjudicated Delinquent by a Judge	21
Adjudicated Delinquent by a Juvenile Court Hearing Officer	0
Warrant Returned	0
Other	4
Total Adjudicated Delinquent Cases	66
Warrant Issued	0
Court Supervision Terminated:	
Conditions Satisfied	13
Compelling Reasons	0
Reached Age 21	8
Transferred to Another Juvenile Court	0
Other	1
Total Adjudicated Delinquent Cases Terminated	22
End Pending	44

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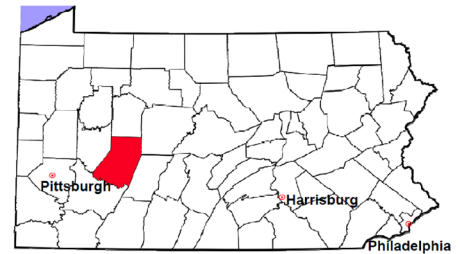
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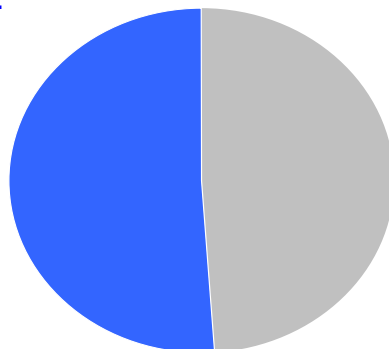
2024 Juvenile Delinquency - Informal Dispositions

Pending Consent Decrees	16
Pending Informal Adjustments	9
New Consent Decrees	22
New Informal Adjustments	0
Warrant Returned	0
Other	0
Cases Informally Disposed	47
Warrant Issued	0
Terminated by:	
Consent Decree Completed	18
Informal Adjustment Completed	8
Consent Decree Revoked	1
Informal Adjustment Program Revoked	0
Other	2
Total Informally Disposed Cases Terminated	29
End Pending	18

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Informal
Dispositions: **51%**



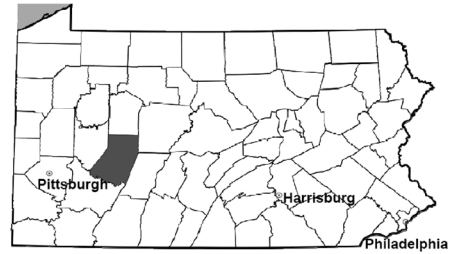
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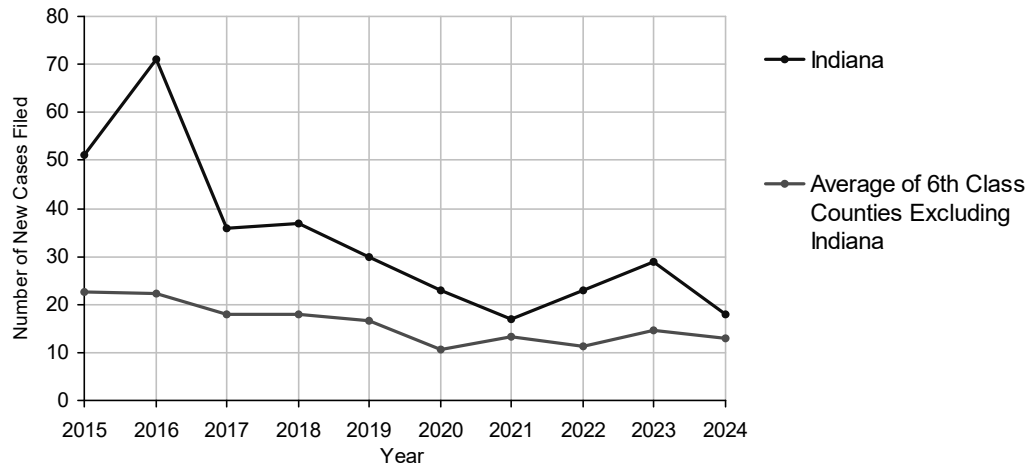
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2024 Accounts	No. of Cases	
Cases Pending 1/1/2024	1	
New Cases Filed in 2024	18	
Cases Available for Processing	19	
Processed By:		
Contested before a Judge	0	
Contested before a Non-Judicial Officer	0	
Uncontested	15	100.0%
Other	0	
Cases Processed	15	100.0%
Cases Pending 12/31/2024	4	

Accounts New Cases Filed, 2015-2024

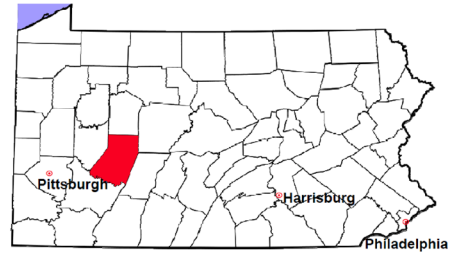


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2024 Adoptions

**No. of
Cases**

Cases Pending 1/1/2024

12

New Cases Filed in 2024

14

Cases Available for Processing

26

Processed By:

Contested before a Judge

Granted

0

Denied

0

Uncontested

Granted

15 65.2%

Denied

0

Other

8 34.8%

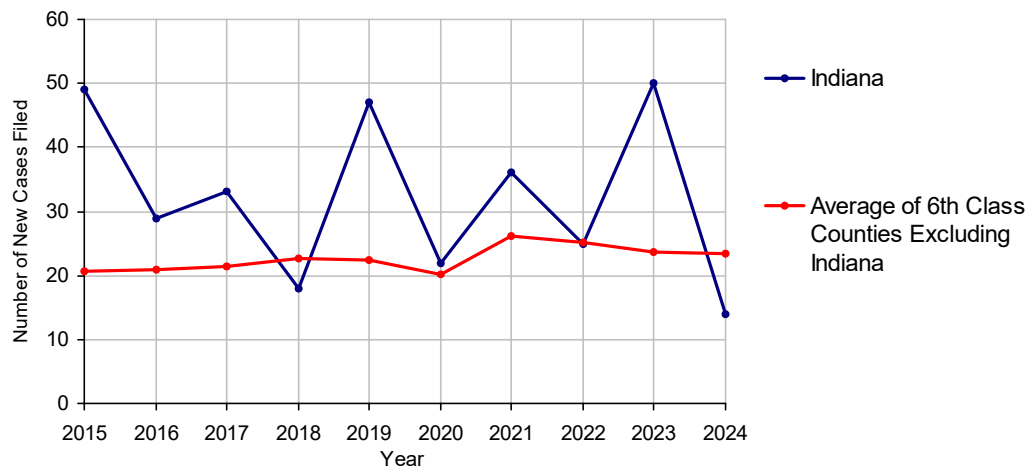
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23 100.0%

Cases Pending 12/31/2024

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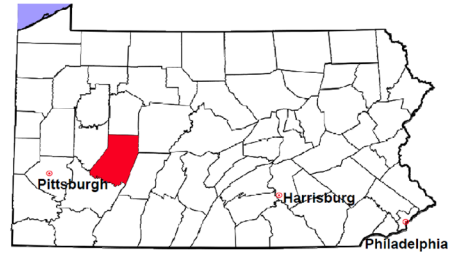


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2024 Relinquishments/Terminations

**No. of
Cases**

Cases Pending 1/1/2024

12

New Cases Filed in 2024

18

Cases Available for Processing

30

Processed By:

Contested before a Judge

3

20.0%

Uncontested

12

80.0%

Other

0

Cases Processed

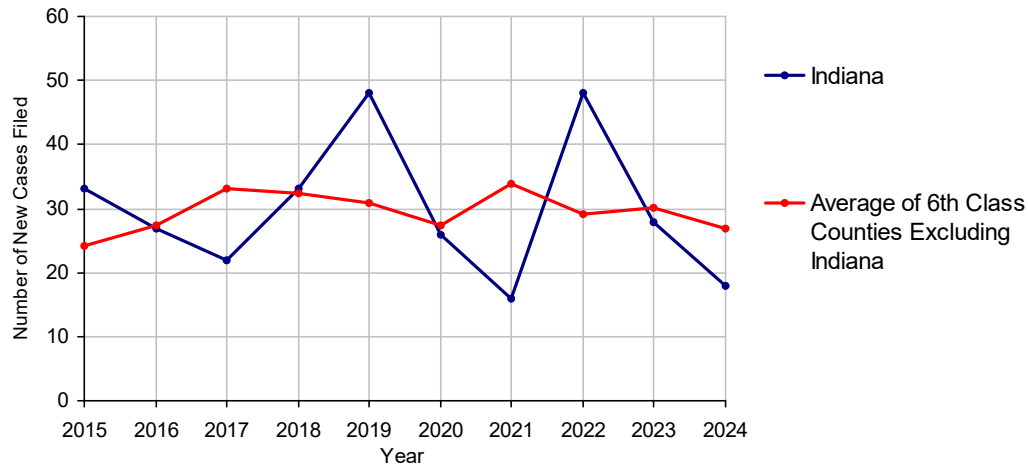
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Cases Pending 12/31/2024

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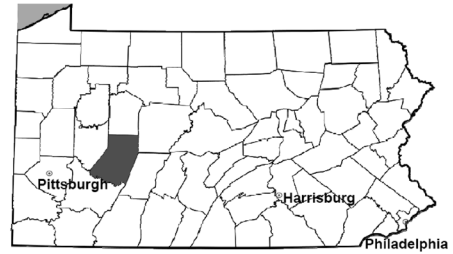


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2024 Appointment of Guardians

**No. of
Cases**

Cases Pending 1/1/2024

6

New Cases Filed in 2024

15

Cases Available for Processing

21

Processed By:

Contested before a Judge

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Uncontested

9

90.0%

Other

1

10.0%

Cases Processed

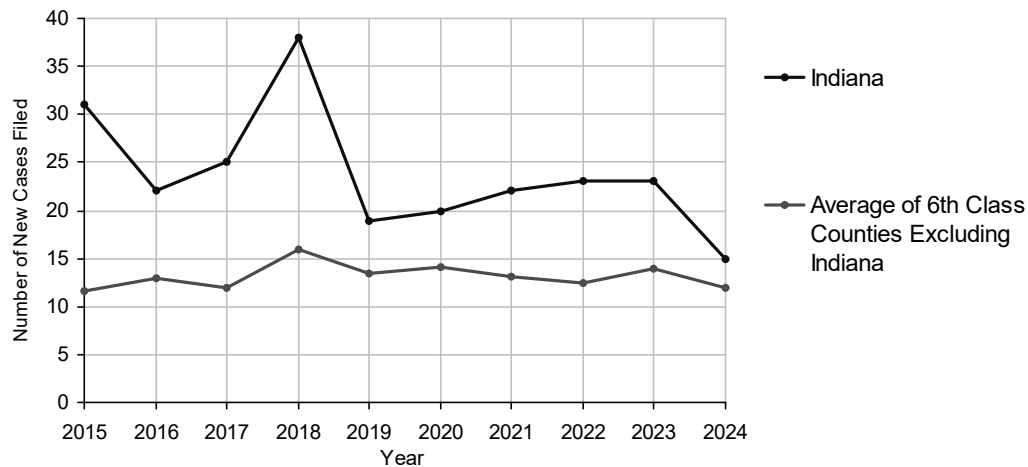
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100.0%

Cases Pending 12/31/2024

11

Appointment of Guardians New Cases Filed, 2015-2024

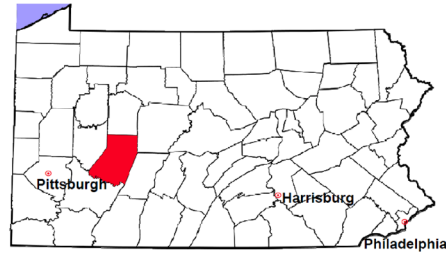


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2024 Jury Yield and Utilization

Jury Yield

Qualification Questionnaires/Summonses Mailed:	7,020	A		
Returned Undeliverable:	696	B	9.9%	Of Qualification Questionnaires/ Summonses Mailed
Not Responded to:	1,166	C	16.6%	
the Number of Prospective Jurors:				
Disqualified:	511	D	7.3%	
Exempted:	657	E	9.4%	
Excused:	1,377	F	19.6%	
Deferred to New Term:	956	G	13.6%	
Deferred from Previous Term:	605	H	8.6%	
Total Number of Qualified Jurors Available for Service:	2,262	I	32.2%	
$I = A - B - C - D - E - F - G - H$				

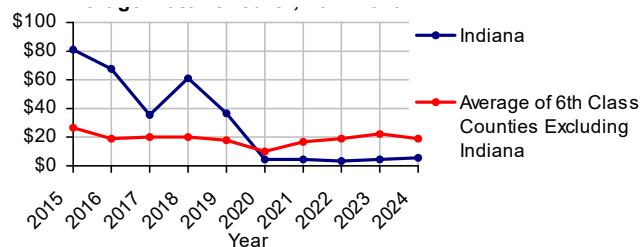
Jury Utilization

the Number of Jurors:				
Reporting for Service:	897	39.7%	Of Jurors Qualified and Available	
Told Not to Report for Service:	679	30.0%		
Sent to Courtroom for Jury Selection (Voir Dire):	590	65.8%	Of Jurors Reporting for Service	
Impaneled or Sworn (jurors/alternates):	84	9.4%		
Removed for Cause/Hardship:	168			
Removed by Peremptory Challenge:	91			
Number of Jury Trials Started:	6			
Pool Days:	11			
Zero Panel Days	4	36.4%	(Of Pool Days)	

Jury Costs

Total Annual Budget for Juror Operations:	\$39,399.00	J
Average Cost Per Juror:	\$5.61	K
$K = J/A$		

Average Cost Per Juror, 2015-2024



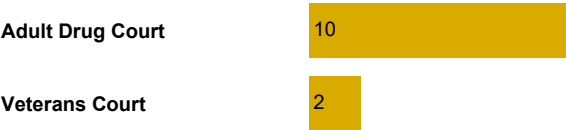
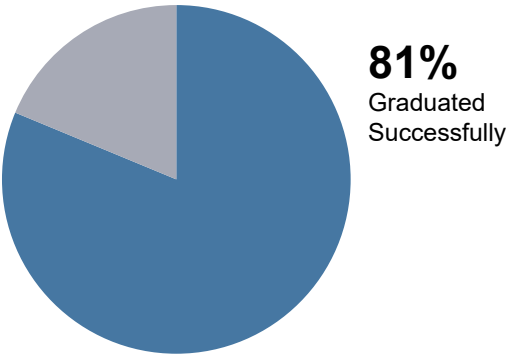
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2024 Treatment Courts

16 Discharges

12 Admissions

Of All Court Participants Discharged:

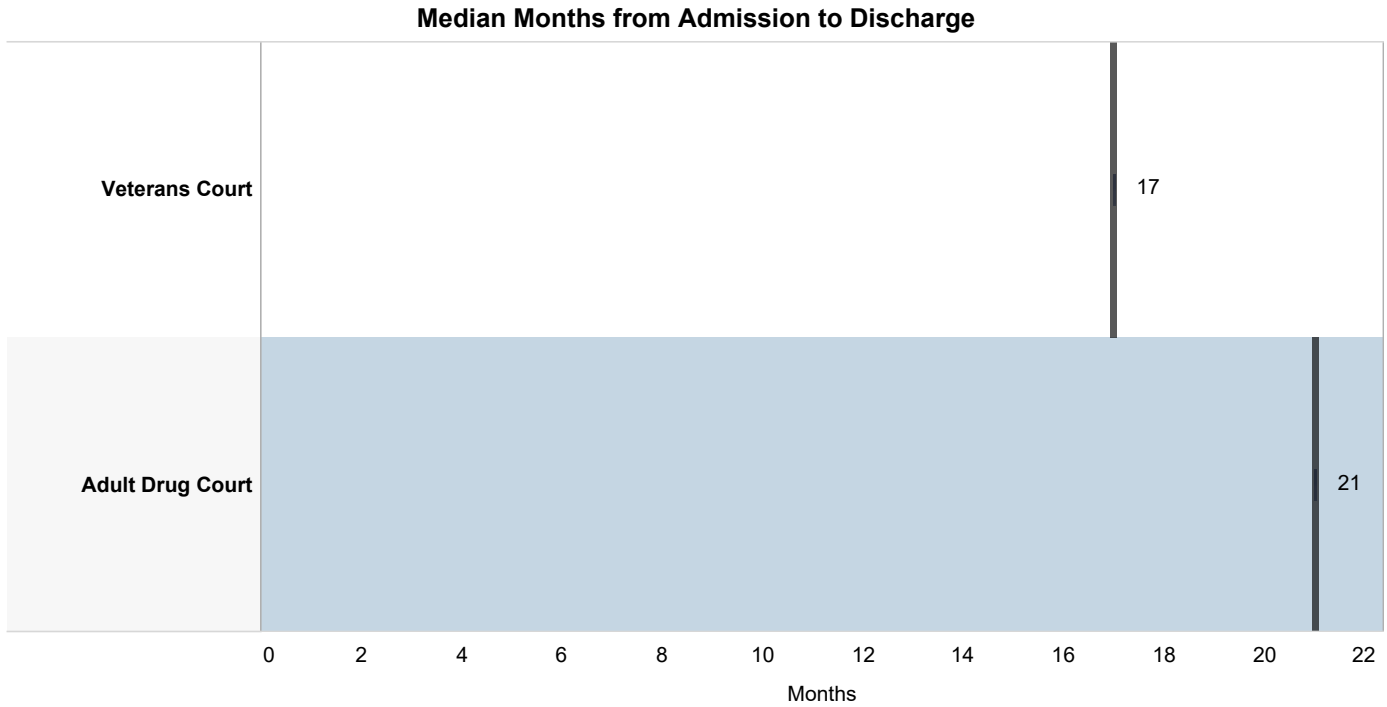


Discharge Reason

	Successfully Completed	Unsuccessful/New Offense	Unsuccessful /Non-Compliant	Unsuccessful /Absconded	Total Discharges
Adult Drug Court	12 (80.0%)	1 (6.7%)	1 (6.7%)	1 (6.7%)	15 (100.0%)
Veterans Court	1 (100.0%)				1 (100.0%)

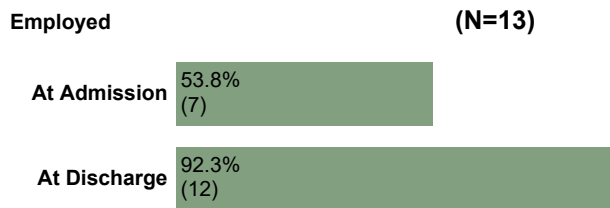
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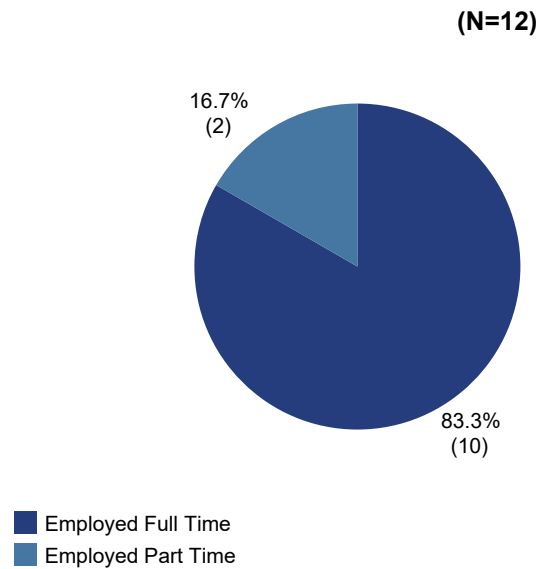


Among successful graduates, there was a 71% increase in employment.

83% of the employed successful graduates were employed full time:



19% (3) of all participants have improved in **education level** at discharge.



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