

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
Year to Date Summary Report
Based On Number of Reported Cases
January - December 2002 (Final update)**

Juvenile Court **Meigs**
Court Number **61**

Southeast Region

January - December 2002 (Final update) **120 Cases** Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted
Affecting **116 Children**

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00%	1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00%	2nd Degree Murder
1	OR	0.81%	Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00%	Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00%	Rape
0	OR	0.00%	Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00%	Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00%	Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	OR	0.00%	Other Sexual Offenses
1	OR	0.81%	Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00%	Robbery
0	OR	0.00%	Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00%	Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
12	OR	9.68%	Assault
0	OR	0.00%	Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00%	Arson
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Burglary
7	OR	5.65%	Theft of Property
3	OR	2.42%	Vandalism
0	OR	0.00%	Forgery
0	OR	0.00%	Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00%	Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
1	OR	0.81%	Burglary
0	OR	0.00%	Unauthorized use of a Vehicle

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0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals
0	OR	0.00% Sale of Controlled Substances
2	OR	1.61% Other Drug Offenses
2	OR	1.61% Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Attempt
0	OR	0.00% Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	OR	0.00% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
1	OR	0.81% Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Escape
0	OR	0.00% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
4	OR	3.23% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
0	OR	0.00% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
0	OR	0.00% Filing a False Police Report
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Impersonation
2	OR	1.61% Disorderly Conduct
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
1	OR	0.81% Traffic
0	OR	0.00% Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00% Contempt of Court
6	OR	4.84% Violation of Probation
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Aftercare
18	OR	14.52% Unruly Behavior
9	OR	7.26% Truancy
6	OR	4.84% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
2	OR	1.61% Possession of Tobacco Products
2	OR	1.61% Violation of a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
7	OR	5.65% Dependency/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Review
31	OR	25.00% Custody
0	OR	0.00% Visitation
0	OR	0.00% Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR	0.00% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
6	OR	4.84% Other
124	OR	100.00% Total

Of the Referral Source	120	Cases, There Were	124 Referral Sources
17	OR	13.7%	Were Referred By Law Enforcement
19	OR	15.3%	Were Referred By Parents
23	OR	18.5%	Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0%	Were Referred By Self
32	OR	25.8%	Were Referred By School
1	OR	0.8%	Were Referred By CSA
5	OR	4.0%	Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0%	Were Referred By Other State Departments
0	OR	0.0%	Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
17	OR	13.7%	Were Referred By Court Staff
0	OR	0.0%	Were Referred By Social Agency
0	OR	0.0%	Were Referred By Other Court
8	OR	6.5%	Were Referred By Victim
1	OR	0.8%	Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0%	Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0%	Were Unknown
1	OR	0.8%	Other
124	OR	100.0%	Total

Of the Intake Actions	120	Cases, There Were	124 Intake Actions
121	OR	97.6%	Petition Filed
2	OR	1.6%	Motion Filed
1	OR	0.8%	Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0%	Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0%	Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0%	Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0%	Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0%	Other
0	OR	0.0%	Unknown
0	OR	0.0%	Does Not Apply
124	OR	100.0%	Total

Of The 120 Cases:

Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0%	Non-Secure Placement
0	OR	0.0%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0%	Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0%	Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0%	Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0%	Unknown
120	OR	100.0%	Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0%	Other
120	OR	100.0%	Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

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0	OR	0.0%	Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
0	OR	0.0%	Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0%	Jail
0	OR	0.0%	Shelter Facility/Group Home
0	OR	0.0%	Foster Family
0	OR	0.0%	Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0%	Unknown
120	OR	100.0%	Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0%	Other
120	OR	100.0%	Total

During January - December 2002 (Final update) Dispositions or Adjudication

116 Children

Age of Child At Referral

21	OR	18.1%	Birth Through Age 10
6	OR	5.2%	Ages 11 Through 12
27	OR	23.3%	Ages 13 Through 14
47	OR	40.5%	Ages 15 Through 16
15	OR	12.9%	Age 17 Through 18
0	OR	0.0%	Age 19 And Over
0	OR	0.0%	Unknown/Not Reported
116	OR	100.0%	Total

Sex of Child

66	OR	56.9%	Male
50	OR	43.1%	Female
0	OR	0.0%	Unknown
116	OR	100.0%	Total

Race of Child

114	OR	98.3%	White
0	OR	0.0%	African American
0	OR	0.0%	Native American
0	OR	0.0%	Asian
2	OR	1.7%	Mixed Race
0	OR	0.0%	Unknown
116	OR	100.0%	Total

Of the 116 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

3	OR	2.6%	Were Of Hispanic Origin
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Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

17	OR	14.7%	Living With Both Biological Parents
3	OR	2.6%	Living With Father And Stepmother
18	OR	15.5%	Living With Mother And Stepfather
40	OR	34.5%	Living With Mother
11	OR	9.5%	Living With Father
16	OR	13.8%	Living With Relatives
0	OR	0.0%	Living With Adoptive Parents
1	OR	0.9%	Living With Foster Family
0	OR	0.0%	Living In A Group Home
0	OR	0.0%	Living In A Residential Center
0	OR	0.0%	Living In An Institution
2	OR	1.7%	Living Independently
2	OR	1.7%	Unknown
6	OR	5.2%	Other
116	OR	100.0%	Total

School Enrollment of Child

98	OR	84.5%	Were Enrolled In School
17	OR	14.7%	Were Not Enrolled In School
1	OR	0.9%	Unknown
116	OR	100.0%	Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

11	OR	9.5%	Too Young For School
1	OR	0.9%	Pre-School
0	OR	0.0%	Finished Kindergarten
2	OR	1.7%	Finished Grade 1
2	OR	1.7%	Finished Grade 2
1	OR	0.9%	Finished Grade 3
2	OR	1.7%	Finished Grade 4
0	OR	0.0%	Finished Grade 5
4	OR	3.4%	Finished Grade 6
17	OR	14.7%	Finished Grade 7
19	OR	16.4%	Finished Grade 8
29	OR	25.0%	Finished Grade 9
15	OR	12.9%	Finished Grade 10
6	OR	5.2%	Finished Grade 11
2	OR	1.7%	Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0%	Non-graded Special Education
0	OR	0.0%	GED
0	OR	0.0%	Graduated
0	OR	0.0%	Never Been In School
5	OR	4.3%	Unknown
116	OR	100.0%	Total

Enrolled In Special Education

3	OR	2.6%	Were Enrolled In Special Education
107	OR	92.2%	Not Enrolled In Special Education
6	OR	5.2%	Unknown
116	OR	100.0%	Total

NOTE: In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

The Following Are The		245 Specific Case Outcomes
8	OR	3.27% Case Dismissed
0	OR	0.00% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
19	OR	7.76% Warned/Counseled
2	OR	0.82% Held Open For Review
54	OR	22.04% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
1	OR	0.41% Probation To Parents
0	OR	0.00% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
0	OR	0.00% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
0	OR	0.00% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
0	OR	0.00% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
1	OR	0.41% Fine
56	OR	22.86% Public Service
2	OR	0.82% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
0	OR	0.00% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% House Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
3	OR	1.22% DCS Commitment - Determinate
10	OR	4.08% DCS Commitment/Custody
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
0	OR	0.00% Other Intensive Probation
0	OR	0.00% DCS Probation
0	OR	0.00% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
1	OR	0.41% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated

1	OR	0.41%	Order of Reference To DCS
51	OR	20.82%	Court Costs
2	OR	0.82%	Foster Care Terminated
0	OR	0.00%	Foster Care Continued
31	OR	12.65%	Custody Changed
0	OR	0.00%	Custody Unchanged
0	OR	0.00%	Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00%	Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00%	Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
0	OR	0.00%	Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00%	Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
0	OR	0.00%	Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00%	Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00%	Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00%	Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00%	Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00%	Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00%	Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00%	Consent To Marry Denied
3	OR	1.22%	Other
245	OR	100.00%	Total

Disposed By

Of the 124 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

124	OR	100.0%	Disposed By The Judge
0	OR	0.0%	Disposed By The Referee
0	OR	0.0%	Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0%	Other
124	OR	100.0%	Total

Of The 120 Cases Disposed,
The Action Used To Dispose/Adjust Each Of The

124

Referral Reasons Was:

6	OR	4.8%	Dismissed
0	OR	0.0%	Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
33	OR	26.6%	Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
41	OR	33.1%	Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
32	OR	25.8%	Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0%	Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0%	Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
0	OR	0.0%	Informal Adjustment
1	OR	0.8%	Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0%	Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0%	Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
0	OR	0.0%	Special Proceeding
2	OR	1.6%	Review Concluded
2	OR	1.6%	Case Held Open
7	OR	5.6%	Other
124	OR	100.0%	Total