

Nebraska Judicial Branch Annual Caseload Report

# **Separate Juvenile Courts**

**Fiscal Year 2017**July 1, 2016 to
June 30, 2017

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This Annual Separate Juvenile Court Caseload Report contains caseload statistics for Nebraska's three Separate Juvenile Courts. Statistics are compiled through extracts from the JUSTICE automated trial court case management system. Providing court statistics ensures transparency to the public and assists administration in ensuring efficient court practices.

Caseload data is now produced with a new, more reliable reporting software tool. Prior to FY 2016, caseload data was extracted and aggregated monthly through a programmed process. The 10 year history section of this Caseload Report should not be compared to reports prior to FY 2016.

Caseload statistics demonstrate the volume of cases in each jurisdiction and the changes that occur over time. Data are useful in determining staffing levels and for predicting the effect on caseloads due to changes in the law.

Reports are available for all levels of state appellate and trial courts at <a href="https://www.supremecourt.ne.gov">www.supremecourt.ne.gov</a> > Administration > Publications and Reports.

### Mission of the Nebraska Administrative Office of the Courts:

Under the direction of the Nebraska Supreme Court, the Administrative Office of the Courts' mission is to ensure the public has equal access to justice, using leadership, education, technology, and administrative services to implement consistent, efficient, and effective court practices.



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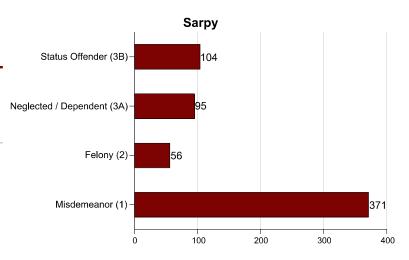
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<u>Judges</u>
Honorable Lawrence Gendler
Honorable Robert O'Neal

# Sarpy County Separate Juvenile Court FY 2017

Misdemeanor (1)	371
Felony (2)	56
Neglected / Dependent (3A)	95
Status Offender (3B)	104
Total Cases	626

Sarpy County had 180 Juvenile 3A cases opened which involved 348 children.



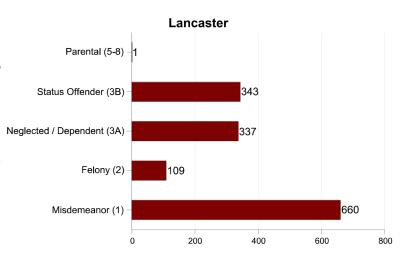
#### <u>Judges</u>

Honorable Linda Porter Honorable Reggie Ryder Honorable Roger Heideman Honorable Toni Thorson

## **Lancaster County Separate Juvenile Court** FY 2017

Misdemeanor (1)	660
Felony (2)	109
Neglected / Dependent (3A)	337
Status Offender (3B)	343
Parental (5-8)	1
Total Cases	1,450

Lancaster County had 484 Juvenile 3A cases opened which involved 928 children.



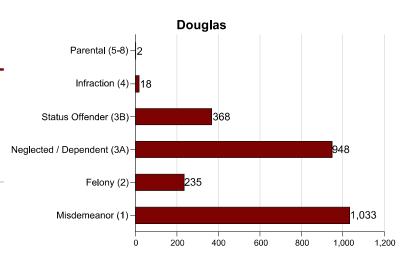
<u>Judges</u> — Christophe

Honorable Christopher Kelly
Honorable Douglas Johnson
Honorable Elizabeth
Crnkovich
Honorable Vernon Daniels
Honorable Wadie Thomas Jr.

# **Douglas County Separate Juvenile Court FY** 2017

Misdemeanor (1)	1,033
Felony (2)	235
Neglected / Dependent (3A)	948
Status Offender (3B)	368
Infraction (4)	18
Parental (5-8)	2
Total Cases	2,604

Douglas County had 970 Juvenile 3A cases opened which involved 1892 children.



### **Separate Juvenile Courts Cases Opened - 10 Year History**

	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Sarpy	931	865	855	861	692	684	653	642	624	626
Lancaster	2,298	2,163	2,078	2,190	2,013	1,924	1,797	1,694	1,623	1,450
Douglas	2,025	2,530	3,109	2,611	2,716	2,705	2,540	2,374	2,366	2,604
Summary	5,254	5,558	6,042	5,662	5,421	5,313	4,990	4,710	4,613	4,680

Case counts include Supplemental Petitions filed in Separate Juvenile Court.