



Nebraska Judicial Branch
Annual Caseload Report

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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 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 www.supremecourt.ne.gov > 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.



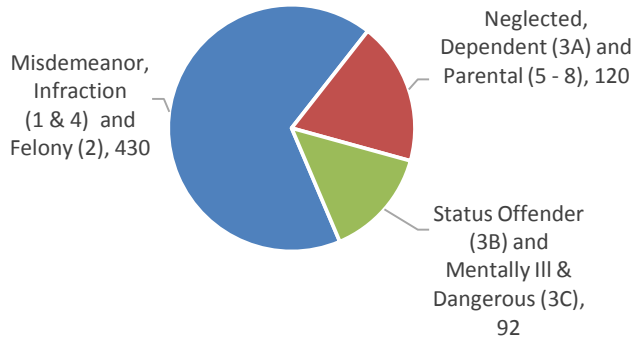
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Sarpy County Separate Juvenile Court

FY 2014 (July 1, 2013 - June 30, 2014) Case Filings



JUDGES

Honorable Lawrence Gendler
Honorable Robert O'Neal

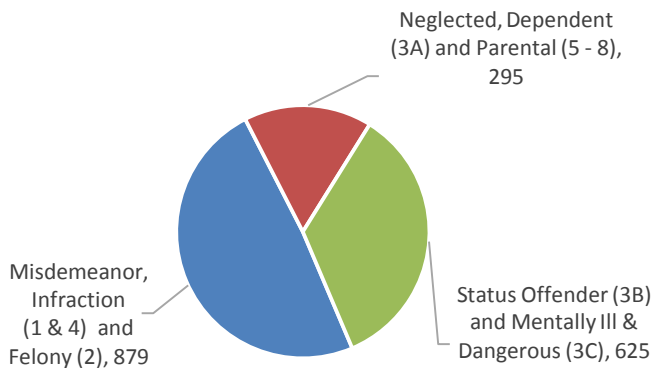
Court	Misdemeanor, Infraction (1 & 4) and Felony (2)	Neglected, Dependent (3A) and Parental (5 - 8)	Status Offender (3B) and Mentally Ill & Dangerous (3C)	Total Cases
Sarpy	430	120	92	642

120 3A cases were filed which involved 212 children

Supplemental Petitions have been added to the Sarpy County Separate Juvenile Court case counts.

Lancaster County Separate Juvenile Court

FY 2014 (July 1, 2013 - June 30, 2014) Case Filings



Judges

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

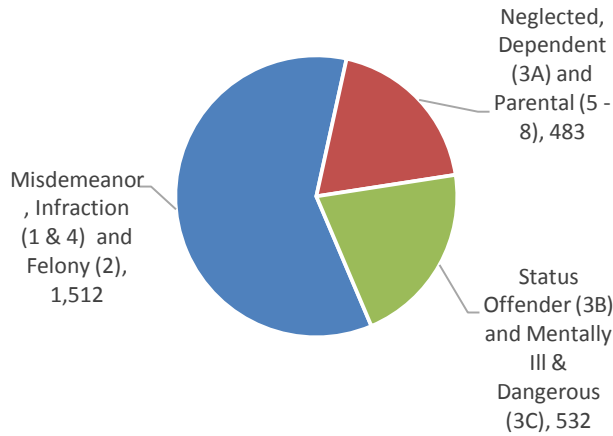
Court	Misdemeanor, Infraction (1 & 4) and Felony (2)	Neglected, Dependent (3A) and Parental (5 - 8)	Status Offender (3B) and Mentally Ill & Dangerous (3C)	Total Cases
Lancaster	879	295	625	1,799

295 3A cases were filed which involved 506 children

Supplemental Petitions have been added to the Lancaster County Separate Juvenile Court case counts.

Douglas County Separate Juvenile Court

FY 2014 (July 1, 2013 - June 30, 2014) Case Filings



JUDGES

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

Court	Misdemeanor, Infraction (1 & 4) and Felony (2)	Neglected, Dependent (3A) and Parental (5 - 8)	Status Offender (3B) and Mentally Ill & Dangerous (3C)	Total Cases
Douglas	1,512	483	532	2,527

483 3A cases were filed which involved 908 children

Supplemental Petitions have been added to the Douglas County Separate Juvenile Court case counts.

Separate Juvenile Courts - 10 Year Filings

County	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	FY 2014
Sarpy	764	759	878	913	989	930	993	796	701	642
Lancaster	1,935	1,935	2,117	2,371	2,081	2,126	2,167	1,883	1,947	1,799
Douglas	2,098	2,163	2,547	2,658	2,619	2,784	2,601	2,761	2,692	2,527
Total	4,797	4,857	5,542	5,942	5,689	5,840	5,761	5,440	5,340	4,968

Otoe County juvenile cases were included with Sarpy case counts from 2009-2012.

Supplemental Petitions are included with case counts from July 2010 forward.

Juvenile Court jurisdiction is defined in Nebraska Statute §43-247

- (1) misdemeanor
- (2) felony
- (3a) abuse, neglect or dependency
- (3b) truancy or ungovernable
- (3c) Mentally Ill
- (4) traffic infraction
- (5) parental jurisdiction
- (6) and (7) termination of parental rights
- (8) child relinquished to DHHS