

## Vision

We strive to

ACHIEVE EXCELLENCE in the performance of the responsibilities of the Juvenile Court in providing quality services for the positive development of children, the safety of the community and the preservation of the family unit.



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# COURT OVERVIEW

### Overview & Youth Served by Jurisdiction

Hamilton County Juvenile Court (HCJC) has the responsibility to hear and decide cases with children as the subject of legal complaints.

The Court administers programs and facilities providing for the custody, care and rehabilitation of youth under its jurisdiction. Placement and program services provided by the Court support this mission. Examples of these services include:

- Diversion programs
- · Competency evaluations and restorative services
- Diagnostic assessments
- Full continuum of behavioral health services
- Educational supports
- · Pro-social connections
- Residential treatment

Numerous community stakeholders and agencies give their time and expertise to enhance the lives of Court-involved youth. From chaplains and unofficial community hearing officers to lawyers and mentors, these volunteers invest in community and Court-operated programs to connect youth to needed services and supports as well as educational and developmental opportunities.

### **Delinquency & Unruly**

2,771 unique youth

**5,292 new Delinquency complaints** addressed juveniles charged with a violation of a law, which would be a crime if committed by an adult.

**1,061 new Unruly complaints** addressed juveniles alleged not to follow the rules of home, school or community.

### **Abuse, Neglect & Dependency**

1,004 unique youth

**597 new Dependency complaints** addressed allegations that a child is abused, neglected or dependent.

#### **Traffic**

1,816 unique youth

#### 2,482 new Traffic complaints

addressed a juvenile charged with a violation of a traffic law.

### **Paternity & Support**

**2,713** unique youth

**200** new complaints and **2,138** new contempt motions for Paternity and Support filings addressed actions for parentage, establishment and modifications of child support, and enforcement of non-support.

### **Custody & Companionship (Visitation)**

1,704 unique youth

**1,415** new Custody and Companionship complaints addressed allocation of custody, parenting time or visitation for children of non-married parents or married parents not divorced or separated.

#### Adult

78 adult complaints (duplicate)

**78 new Adult complaints** addressed adults charged with certain criminal offenses (misdemeanors) such as contributing to the delinquency or unruliness of a minor and child endangering.

# ANNUAL REPORTING

#### ANNUAL REPORTING DATA

Regarding Filings, Adjudications and Crimes Against the Disabled

#### **Annual Filings Data**

78
5,292
1,061
1,415
1,445
200
518
2,138
228
597
421
2,482
124
47
77

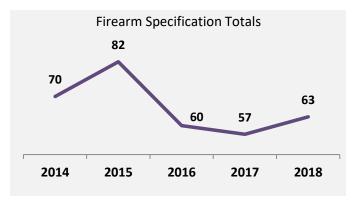
Adjudications *Includes cases from prior years	
Adult Misdemeanors & Juv. Delinquency, Unruly and Traffic	
Adjudicated Delinquent	2,194
Adjudicated Unruly	216
Adjudicated Juvenile Traffic Offender	1,297
Guilty (Adult Misdemeanor)	94

Complaint Filings of Delinquent Crimes Against the Elderly or Disabled	
Property	4
Theft	20
Violent	28

#### **Delinquency Trends**

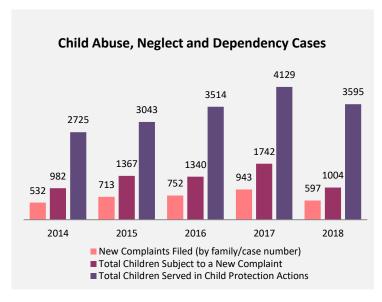
#### FIREAREM SPECIFICATION DATA

**10% decrease** in complaints alleging the use or implied use of a firearm in a delinquency complaint since 2014.



### Abuse, Neglect and Dependency Trends

#### DEPENDENCY, NEGLECT & ABUSE FILINGS DATA

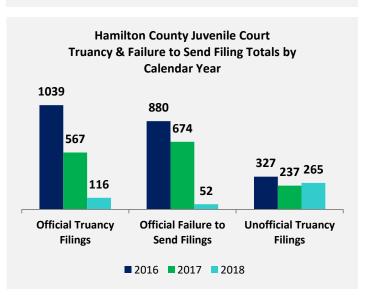


#### Addressing Truancy

Passed by the 131st Ohio General Assembly and implemented in April, 2017, House Bill 410 promotes a preventative approach to addressing excessive absences and habitual truancy in Ohio schools to combat poor educational achievement and support students' educational success to gain the skills and knowledge necessary to participate in the workforce or obtain a higher level of education. The bill prohibits schools from suspending or expelling students for truancy and instead, requires them to work with students and families to develop an absence intervention plan that identifies and addresses barriers to steady school attendance. Additionally, it requires juvenile courts across the state to consider alternatives to adjudications for unruly complaints alleging that a child is habitually absent from school.

### House Bill 410 | Annual Truancy Update

2018 House Bill 410 Reporting Data	
Truancy Filings By Youth	2018
No. Youth Placed in Alternatives to Adjudication	259
No. Youth with Findings on an Alternative to Adjudication	224
No. Youth Who Successfully Completed Alternative to Adjudication	121
No. Youth Referred to Official Processing from an Alternative to Adjudication	103
No. Youth Who Failed to Complete Alternatives to Adjudication and Adjudicated Unruly	44
Truancy Filings by Complaint Totals	
No. Official Habitual Truancy Complaints Filed	95
No. of Truancy Complaints Handled Informally*	265
*Data contains filings for both habitual truancy and chronic truan	icy.



#### **HCJC Truancy Process**

HCJC is diverting all truancy filings through an unofficial process, unless a student and/or parent is deemed ineligible for the process by a hearing officer from a prior unofficial complaint. The unofficial process allows youth subject to a complaint of habitual truancy or adults subject to a complaint alleging their failure to send a child to school to have their complaint dismissed upon improved attendance and the successful completion of any additional services deemed necessary by the presiding hearing officer.

Cincinnati Public Schools formed a partnership with HCJC to begin truancy dockets at Aiken High School and Western Hills University High School for the 2018 /19 school year to model the Northwest Local School District's S.A.F.E Council and promote enhanced student-school engagement. The Aiken High School Truancy Docket processed 73 referrals in the 2018/19 school year. The Western Hills University High School Truancy docket processed 22 referrals in the same school year.

Other HCJC Truancy Dockets include: Northwest Local School District S.A.F.E Council, dockets at the Hamilton County Educational Services Center and dedicated dockets at the Hamilton County Youth Center.

#### 2018 Truancy Forum

HCJC hosted a Truancy Forum on November 13, 2018, for local district school administrators and staff as well as legal and education professionals to discuss challenges and successes in providing effective truancy interventions. The forum produced vibrant discussions on practices adopted by local school districts to develop engagement with students who are excessively absent. Over 44 individuals attended, representing 26 organizations and school districts.

# A THANK YOU TO OUR PARTNERS

### Stronger Together: Strategic Collaborations

Hamilton County Juvenile Court values working with identified community or government agencies to improve access to the court system and outcomes for Court-involved youth. By working across various systems- legal and justice, education, child protection, and others- the Court and its partners are overcoming barriers to enhance service delivery for the public and improve the lives of youth and families in our community. Programs have reformed traditional approaches and practices to achieve significant results impacting housing, educational achievement and stability, and legal services for the economically disadvantaged individuals who do not qualify for public assistance. This Annual Report highlights and celebrates just a few of the Court's strategic partnerships from 2018. These projects are proof that through innovative collaboration and partnerships, organizations can work together to respond to the evolving needs of our community.

## Bridges

In Ohio, approximately one thousand children age out of foster care each year. Emancipating youth struggle to meet their basic needs including housing, education, and financial security. In February of 2018, House Bill 50 was implemented to help this struggling population bridge a gap in services by extending services to foster kids, when needed, until age 21. Known as Bridges, this program was designed to help young adults transition to adulthood by providing both financial support and mentoring.

In preparation for the implementation of this program, Hamilton County Juvenile Court worked diligently in conjunction with other organizations to ensure the effective application of this program locally. The collaboration of partners included ProKids, the Hamilton County Prosecutor's Office, the Office of the Hamilton County Public Defender, Hamilton County Job and Family Services, the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services and the Child and Family Health Collaborative of Ohio. In 2018, the Hamilton County Juvenile Court assisted 29 young adults transition to adulthood through the Bridges' program.

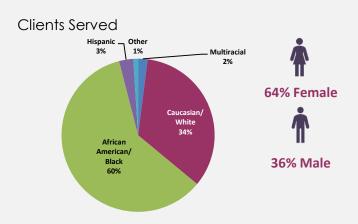
## Custody and Companionship Clinic

#### 2018 Statistics

9 Legal Aid staff attorneys and 11 volunteer attorneys staffed the Clinic.

529 hours were donated by volunteer attorneys to assist individuals utilizing the Clinic.

555 clients have utilized the Clinic's resources and sought brief, on-the-spot legal advice from its volunteer attorneys.



#### **Legal Clinic Expansion**

Hamilton County Juvenile Court, under the direction of Administrative Judge John M. Williams, opened its first Custody and Companionship Clinic on September 25, 2017. The Custody and Companionship Clinic is part of a strategic effort made by Hamilton County courts in partnership with the Legal Aid Society of Greater Cincinnati, the Volunteer Lawyers Project, and the Hamilton County Law Library to offer support to self-represented, or *pro se*, filers in domestic relations and juvenile court.

The Clinic will expand its hours of service in 2019 thanks to funding from the Cincinnati Bar Foundation and the Ohio Civil Justice Fund from the Supreme Court of Ohio. Legal Aid also secured private funding to support kinship caregivers served by the Clinic who are applying for legal custody. Hamilton County Juvenile Court has dedicated permanent space to house and sustain operations and also committed \$25,000 per year for three years to support the project's budget.

## Kids In School Rule!

Kids in School Rule! (KISR!) is a collaboration that supports students in Cincinnati Public Schools (CPS) who are in the custody or under the supervision of the Hamilton County Department of Job & Family Services (HCJFS). KISR! is a partnership between HCJC, CPS, HCJFS, the Legal Aid Society of Greater Cincinnati/Southwest Ohio and The Children's Home of Cincinnati.

The program seeks to promote school success for KISR! students through child specific interventions and systemic improvements that use data to help focus on issues of school stability, academic achievement, school engagement, grade promotion, and graduation.

The educational outcomes of KISR! students demonstrate that investment in education is a powerful influence in maximizing the potential of children in foster care. KISR! has been nationally recognized as a model worthy of replication by other local and state jurisdictions. In 2016, the Hechinger Report, a non-profit independent news agency dedicated to featuring equality and innovation in education, highlighted KISR! for its proven success.

Since 2008, KISR! has served 1,600 youth . The program continues to grow. In 2018, KISR! expanded programming to include child welfare involved students who return home under the protective supervision of the court.

#### Academic Achievement

#### 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Reading Guarantee

For 3<sup>rd</sup> grade KISR! students in the program at the end of the 2017/18 school year, 100% met the Ohio 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Reading Guarantee.

#### **Graduation Rates for KISR! Students**



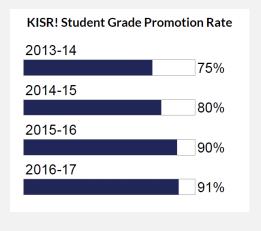
In the 2017/18 school year, the graduation rate for KISR! seniors was 89%.

Nationally, the graduation rate for foster care youth is between 40 and 63%. Cincinnati Public Schools had a 4-year graduation rate of 74.4% in 2017.

#### **Grade Promotion**

The percentage of KISR! students promoted to the next grade level has increased in the last four years.

The 2016/17 school year featured the highest grade promotion rate in KISR! history.



THANK YOU to all of our strategic partners for your contributions in 2018.

# A YEAR IN REVIEW

### HCJC YEAR-AT-A-GLANCE | 2018

From processing legal filings to conducting court proceedings and ensuring the flow of business operations, Hamilton County Juvenile Court strove to achieve excellence in its daily work. The following data metrics capture the volume and measured achievements of our various departments in ensuring the execution and administration of justice. Departments include: Case Management & Docketing, the Clerk's Office & Record Room, Security, Magistrates, Behavioral Health Services, Probation, Diversion & Community Programs, Youth Center, Finance & Information Services, and Human Resources.

#### **Hearings Data**

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HCJC staff worked to process, hear and decide cases by conducting the following:

- 105,259 Total Hearings Conducted
- 419 Hearings Conducted per Day

#### **Custody Investigation Data**

**107 custody investigations** ordered by HCJC magistrates and completed by the Court's custody investigators in 2018.

#### Mediation Data

#### **Custody & Companionship Mediation**

**70% of the 125 cases** referred by magistrates to mediation in 2018 following a pretrial hearing reached a full or partial agreement.

#### **Child Protection Mediation**

**63% of 27 families** referred by magistrates to mediation in 2018 following a pretrial hearing reached a full or partial agreement.

#### **Human Resources**

#### 2018 Staffing Levels

#### January 1, 2018:

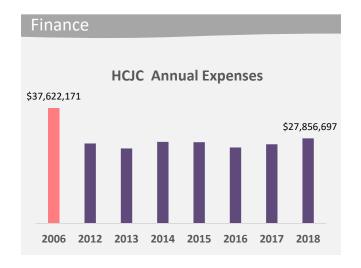
268 Full-Time Employees15 Part-Time Employees

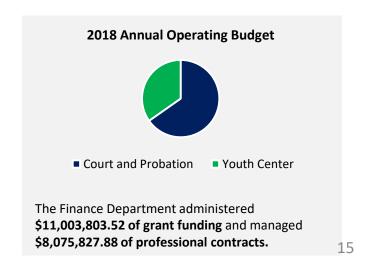
#### **December 31, 2018**:

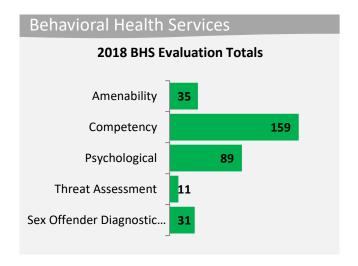
272 Full-Time Employees18 Part-Time Employees

#### **Public Service Recognition**

Juvenile Court recognized 16% of the Court's employees for achieving milestone anniversaries. 45 employees were recognized for achieving the following milestones: (6) 5 year; (7) 10 year; (9) 15 year; (13) 20 year; (5) 25 year; (5) 30 year.







#### **School Threat Assessments**

Following the school shooting in Parkland, Florida in February, 2018, the Court received **32** cases alleging that a youth made a threat of school violence.

HCJC Chief Clinical Consultant Dr. Nicole Leisgang surveyed existing research regarding the nature of school threats and developed an evaluation that assessed identified factors related to the validity of an individual to carry through on the threat. These evaluations, known as threat assessments, are postadjudicative tools used by the Court's judges or magistrates to guide dispositional planning on these cases. In 2018, Dr. Leisgang completed 11 threat assessments.

#### **Community Programs**

#### L.I.V.E. Cincinnati

Through the L.I.V.E. Cincinnati Initiative, HCJC staff continued to engage youth in local schools and parent, community and education groups on the topic of what to do when encountering an illegal firearm.

## Our Community, Our Children: A Community Roundtable Discussion

HCJC staff also participated in a series hosted by SuperSeeds and Lockland City Schools. The series facilitated roundtable dialogues among parents, school personnel and professionals from various professions regarding topics such as trauma and bullying.

## Probation Referrals

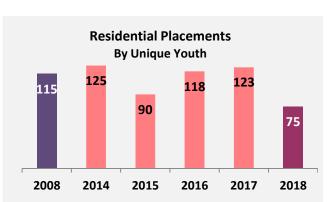
Propation Referrals		
	2017	2018
By Case		
Total Cases Referred	599	483
Prob. Investigation Ordered	429	356
Competency	144	100
Average Open Caseload	353	384
By Unique Youth		
Prob. Investigation Ordered	421	334
Placed on Probation	285	222
Courtesy Supervision	17	12

## Crisis Response, Competency Attainment and Diversion/Intervention Data

**3,182 responses** made by BHS staff to calls for Crisis Interventions on Youth Center detention units for crisis response and behavior management.

**223 Competency Attainment Plans** were developed by BHS staff in 2018.

776 cases were referred to BHS for outpatient individual and family treatment.



HCJC experienced the lowest total of unique youth placed in residential placements in the last five years in 2018 due to a continued heavy emphasis on community-based programming.

## YOUTH CENTER | Annual Updates

Located at 2020 Auburn Avenue, the Youth Center is a locked and secured detention facility. It provides short-term confinement and structured programming for youth alleged to be delinquent who are pending court adjudication, disposition, transfer to another jurisdiction or agency, or as a result of a juvenile sentence for a defined term imposed by the Court. While housed at the facility, youth have access to daily education services; programming to enhance prosocial skills and behaviors; 24 hours/7 days a week medical and dental health services; and on-site mental health services through the Court's Behavioral Health Services Department. The Youth Center is accredited by the National Commission on Correctional Health Care (NCCHC), Performance-based Standards (PbS) through the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention and passed all Ohio Administrative Code (OAC) mandatory inspection standards mandated by the Ohio Department of Youth Services in 2018.

#### 5-Year Trends

- **27% decrease** in the number of unique youth processed through intake at the Youth Center.
- 19% decrease in the number of unique youth admitted to the Youth Center.

#### Health and Wellness Statistics

**346 dental exams** performed for admitted youth through the program, Cincy Smiles.

**609 physical exams** performed for admitted youth by contracted Cincinnati Children's Hospital Medical Center staff.

#### 2018 Highlights & Accomplishments

The Recreation/Volunteer Manager worked with a local musician to start the Bardsong Music Program for Youth Center residents. The program teaches youth how to play the guitar and was highlighted by a local news outlet;

Youth Center staff began the Garden Project to enhance youth's science knowledge and teach them about gardening. Three garden boxes were constructed to give youth the opportunity to experience first-hand how food is grown and cultivated. Residents also put their artistic skills to use to paint the garden boxes;

Corinne Hamilton, Youth Center Crisis Response Clinician, was certified as a Simply Power Yoga instructor and has implemented a yoga program with a specified unit.

#### A Focus on Programming & Volunteerism

Youth Center Volunteer Coordinator Andrae Jones organizes a wide variety of volunteers and programming for enrichment for admitted youth. This programming includes 17 non-religious or non-spiritually based and 22 spiritually-based programs in which youth may opt to attend. Examples of this programming include the following:

- Horticulture Program;
- Mindful Yoga Therapy from Real Human Performance, Simply Power Yoga and the Court's own staff, Corinne Hamilton;
- Juvenile Justice Jeopardy! sponsored by the Children's Law Center;
- · Motivational speaking from Inspiration of a Coach and One Hand Helping the Next One to Grow;
- Bardsong Music Therapy;
- Talbert House Fatherhood Program;
- Psychoeducational groups from Behavioral Health Services staff and The Crossroads Recovery Center;
- Life skills, mentoring and coaching from BLOC Ministries, Youth Crisis, Inspired with Vision, Knowing Yourself and Healthy Visions; Never the Less; and E.P.I.P;
- Chess Program;
- Reading and literacy education through the Public Library of Cincinnati and Hamilton County and Empire Consulting;
- Various spiritual programs from local churches and organizations.

### An Emphasis on Diversion

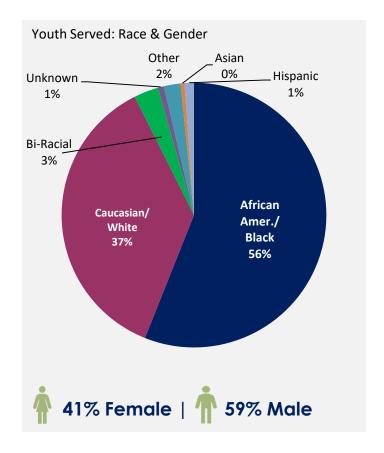
Hamilton County Juvenile Court seeks to promote positive behavior change to prevent delinquency and promote individual success for the youth we serve. In-house and contracted services focusing on education, prevention and diversion in lieu of detention and traditional sanctions employ evidence-based or promising practices/curricula to enhance the lives of Court-involved youth. This programming allows the Court to respond to the individualized needs of each youth to provide the right intervention at the right time, based upon the severity of an offense.

# In 2018, **1** in every **3.6** delinquency, unruly or traffic cases was diverted from formal processing.

#### **Delinquency Diversion Programs**

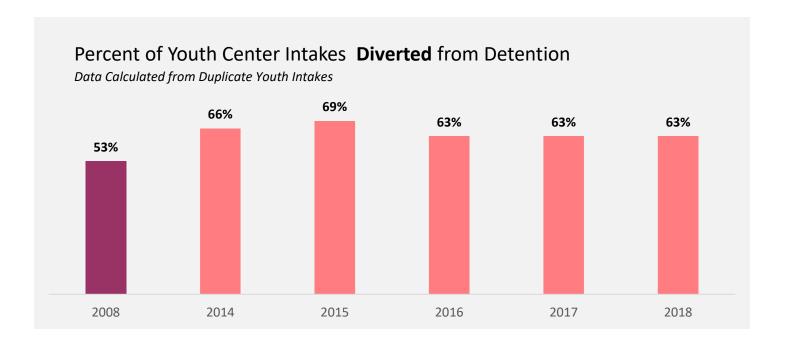
Unofficial hearings and diversion programs allow youth charged with non-violent and low level offenses to engage in services so, upon successful completion of services, the charge can be dismissed from their record. Other service-intensive programs, such as the Individual Disposition Docket, are designed to prevent high-risk offenders from further entrenchment in the juvenile justice system.

Diversion Programming		
	Total Served	Full/Substantial Compliance Achieved
Unofficial Delinquency/Unruly		
Dockets		
HCJC Delinquency/Unruly	697	NA
Community Courts	307	NA
CALL Youth Court	66	93%
Truancy	265	NA
Official Mental Health Courts		
Individualized Disposition Docket	37	64%
Pretrial Diversion Docket	20	58%
Other Dockets		
Traffic	815	71%
Substance Abuse	169	57%
Unofficial Adult Complaints		
Failure to Send a Child to School	137	NA



#### **Detention Diversion**

The State of Ohio directs juvenile courts across the state to avoid court action and access other community resources when appropriate. In 2018, HCJC diverted 217 youth with misdemeanor offenses or violations from detention to shelter care through services through the Lighthouse Crisis Center when the Court could not contact a parent, guardian or custodian or could not identify a suitable caregiver for release.



#### Alternative to Placement Program (APP) and Alternative to Placement Intervention (API)

HCJC utilized two programs through Lighthouse Youth Services in 2018 that provide an alternative to residential placement for youth on probation. These programs served 34 unique youth in 2018 while engaging these youth and families in intensive outpatient, community-based therapeutic services in lieu of residential placement.

The Alternative to Placement Intervention Program (API) began in 2018 to provide enhanced programming provided by Lighthouse Youth Services to younger youth ages 10 to 14 years' old who are referred on a felony offense. It served 7 youth in its first year.

34

Unique youth were referred to intensive outpatient treatment programs in an attempt to divert them from residential placement.



#### **Assessment Center Planning**

Hamilton County Juvenile Court launched initial planning for an Assessment Center to open in late 2019. The Center will serve as a central location for youth charged with low level offenses to be screened and assessed for risk and need and connected to services prior to formal court processing. The Center will expand existing diversion initiatives with the help of identified community partners.

# STATISTICAL INDEX

Note: Some data extraction and reporting methods used by HCJC changed in 2015 and may be reflected in the changes of data over time.

**New Filing Totals** 

New Filing Totals	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
	2014	2013	2010	2017	2010
New Complaint Filings					
Delinquency & Unruly	11,155	9,987	8,622	7,326	6,353
Traffic	2,537	2,648	2,709	2,707	2,482
Paternity & Support	305	297	296	125	200
Dependency, Neglect & Abuse	663	674	752	943	605
Custody & Visitation	1,380	1,346	1,524	1,555	1,415
Adult Misdemeanor	852	1,102	936	726	78
Other	54	143	113	110	124
Other Filing Totals					
Admin. Modification Order	1,165	853	788	639	400
Contempt Motions (Support and Visitation)	2,407	1,903	2,622	2,288	2,445
nvestigative Report	3,872	3,504	4,093	3,979	3,512
Modification of Support	443	440	425	411	518
Obj. To Magistrate Dec./Set Aside Order	433	427	483	542	505
Objection to Administrative Order	230	236	230	222	228
Registration of Administrative Order	2,135	2,157	1,959	2,066	2,073
Registration of Foreign Order	54	22	33	20	23
All Filings	30,382	27,450	27,430	26,272	24,004

<sup>\*</sup>Note: Some data extraction and reporting methods used by HCJC changed in 2015 and may be reflected in the changes of data over time.

**Dispositions for 2018 Filings** 

Dispositions for 2019 Fillings	
	2018
Adjudications	
Adjudicate Delinquent	2,194
Adjudicate Unruly	216
Adjudicate Juvenile Traffic Offender	1,297
Guilty (Adult Misdemeanor)	94
Dismissals	
Dismissed for Want of Prosecution	707
Dismissed per Plea Agreement	1,128
Dismissed without Prejudice	355
Dismissed Req. of Pros. Witness	563
Dismissed- Heard Unofficially	114
Dismissed as in Child's Best Interest	96
Dismissed on the Merits	118
Other Orders	
Court Costs	1,345
Costs Remit	3,017
Work Detail	263
Probation Investigations (By Youth)	334
Official Probation (By Youth)	222
Bound over to Grand Jury (By Youth)	33
Permanent DYS Commitment (By Youth)	46
Residential Placements	83
Restitution Orders	30
Stayaway Orders	997

Dispositions of Delinquent Crimes Against the Elderly or Disabled

	Property	Theft	Violent
Total Complaints	4	20	28
Adjudications	0	9	7
Adjudications with Restitution	0	6	3
Committed to an Institution	0	0	0
Transferred for Criminal			•
Prosecution	0	0	0

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Delinquency Complaints by Type	2017	2018		2017	2018
PERSONAL CRIMES HOMICIDE	2017	2018	PROSTITUTION	2017	2019
Attempted Murder	2	2	Prostitution	1	0
Murder-Purposely	1	0	Totals	1	0
Reckless Homicide	1	1	Totals	-	Ū
Vehicular Homicide	1	1	OBSCENITY		
Vehicular Manslaughter	2	0	Disseminate Material Harmful to Juv.	1	3
Totals	7	4	Pandering Obscenity-Prod. Material	1	2
Totals	•	-	Pandering Sexual Matter Inv. Minor	1	8
ASSAULT			Pand Obscenity Inv. Minor-Matter	0	4
Aggravated Assault	1	1	Totals	3	17
Aggravated Assault- Person Harmed	0	1		_	
Aggravated Vehicular Assault	2	0	PROPERTY CRIMES		
Attempted Aggravated Assault	1	0	ARSON AND RELATED OFFENSES		
Assault	526	508	Aggravated Arson-Person	5	23
Assault Corrections Officer	9	3	Aggravated Arson-Property	9	7
Assault Peace Officer	12	16	Attempt Aggravated Arson	1	0
Assault- Child Serv./Placing Agency	0	3	Arson-Private Property	12	1
Assault, Teacher, Admn., Bus Driver	23	16	Arson- Public Property	0	1
Attempt Felonious Assault	0	1	Arson-Land	3	0
Complicity Felonious Assault	3	0	Making Terroristic Threat	0	4
Felonious Assault	63	69	Totals	30	36
Felonious Assault- Peace Officer	2	0			
Totals	642	618	DISRUPTION, VANDALISM, DAMAGE		
	•	020	Distrupt Transportation/Utility Serv.	1	1
MENACING			Vandalism- Occupied	12	8
Aggravated Menacing	82	85	Vandalism-Unoccupied Structure	10	11
Menacing	79	73	Attempt Vandalism	0	1
Menacing-Officer	2	5	Criminal Damaging/Endangering	231	241
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Menacing-Child Serv./Agency Worker	1	0	Criminal Mischief-Tampering	12	26
Menacing by Stalking	2	0	Criminal Mischief-Tear Gas	0	4
Totals	166	163	Criminal Mischief-Safety Device	1	3
			Criminal Mischief- Fire	0	1
KIDNAPPING			Vehicular Vandalism	2	3
Kidnapping-No Risk of Harm	2	2	Railroad Vandalism/Trespass	1	0
Kidnapping-Facilitate a Felony/Flight	1	1	Totals	270	299
Kidnapping-No Harm, Ment. Incomp	0	1			
Kidnapping-Risk of Physical Harm	4	2	ROBBERY		
Kidnapping- Risk Harm, Ment. Incomp	0	1	Aggravated Robbery	120	147
Kidnapping- Restrain	2	0	Aggravated Robbery Aggravated Robbery- Law Officer	0	1
Abduction-Removal	1	0	Complicity- Aggravated Robbery	1	5
Abduction-Restraint	4	0	Complicity-Robbery	1	2
Attempt Abduction	0	1	Complicity-Aggravated Robbery	1	5
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Unlawful Restraint- Sexual Motivation	1	0	Robbery	81	51
Totals	15	8	Totals	203	208
SEXUAL OFFENSES			BURGLARY		
Attempt Rape	1	3	Aggravated Burglary	11	23
Rape	28	47	Burglary	79	108
Sexual Battery	2	0	Trespass Habitation	1	0
Gross Sexual Imposition	11	29	Attempt Burglary	6	2
Sexual Imposition	14	5	Breaking and Entering	75	47
Public Indecency	4	8	Attempt Breaking and Entering	1	2
Totals	60	92	Totals	173	182
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	2017	2018		2017
TRESPASS			CRIMES AGAINST FAMILY	
Criminal Trespass	172	162	Endangering Children	6
Aggravated Trespassing	3	3	Domestic Violence	270
Totals	175	165	Domestic Violence- Felony	7
			Domestic Violence- Imminent Harm	41
SAFECRACKING			Violation of a Protection Order	3
Tamper with Coin Machine	0	3	Totals	327
Totals	0	3		
			CRIMES AGAINST JUSTICE	
THEFT AND FRAUD			Failure to Disclose Personal Information	3
Identity Fraud	0	1	Initimidation	5
Totals	0	1	Intimidation of a Victim or Witness	1
			Falsification	96
THEFT			Tampering with Evidence	13
Theft of Drugs	2	2	Obstructing Official Business	389
Grand Theft-Over \$7500	1	1	Obstruction of Justice- Misdemeanor	3
Grand Theft- Firearm/Dang. Ord.	3	6	Resisting Arrest	98
Grand Theft- Over \$1000	12	13	Resisting Arrest- Harm Officer	1
Grand Theft Motor Vehicle	64	58	Failure to Comply with Police	8
Attempt Grand Theft	3	0	Failure to Comply with Police- Felony	21
Attempt Theft Under \$1000	14	6	Fleeing, Eluding Police	12
Complicity- Grand Theft	8	3	Attempt Escape	1
Complicity- Theft Under \$1000	16	4	Escape	26
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Theft-Elderly Person/Disabled Adult	0	3	Convey Weapon/Drug into Detention	0
Theft	578	494	Harassment by an Inmate	12
Unauthorized Use of Motor Vehicle	37	26	Totals	689
Unauthorized Use of Property	3	1		
Totals	741	617	CONSPIRACY, ATTEMPT, COMPLICITY	
			Attempt	5
MISUSE OF CREDIT CARDS			Complicity	15
Misuse Credit Card	7	10	Totals	20
Totals	7	10		
			LIQUOR CONTROL LAW	
FORGERY			Possession of an Open Flask	2
Forgery	1	7	Furnishing Alcohol to a Minor	0
Criminal Simulation	1	3	Permitting Underage Alcohol Cons.	2
Totals	2	10	Poss., Consumption or Under Influence	55
			Totals	59
RECEIVING				
Receiving Stolen Property Under \$1000	46	29	CRIMINAL GANG ACTIVITY	
Receiving Stolen Property- Ck, CC	9	7	Participation in Criminal Gang	1
Receiving Stolen Prop- >\$1k, Drug,	•			
Auto, Fire	214	146	Totals	1
Totals	269	182		
		-	HABITUAL/CHRONIC TRUANCY	
PUBLIC ORDER CRIMES			Chronic Truancy	315
GAMBLING			Totals	315
Gambling	1	0		
Totals	1	0	MISCELLANEOUS CRIMES	
		-	Fictitious License, ID Card	2
CRIMES AGAINST PEACE			Fireworks, Possession	1
Inciting to Violence	2	5	License, Display Improper Drivers	1
Aggravated Riot	16	13	Littering	1
Riot- Four or More Others	0	2	Under Age Entry/Attempt Casino	3
Disorderly Conduct	388	363	Totals	8
Disorderly Conduct-Intoxicated	6	2	iotais	3
	1	2		
Misconduct at an Emergency				
Telecommunications Harassment	11	18		
Inducing Panic	31	43		
Complicity-Inducing Panic	0	1		
Making False Alarm	9	22		
Totals	464	471		

	2017	2018
WEAPONS CONTROL		
Carry Concealed Weapon	60	58
Carry Concealed Weapon-Felony	3	3
Possession Obj. Indistinct from Firearm	3	6
Poss/Con Weap /Ord School Safety	11	4
Weapon Under Disability	23	17
Use Weapon While Intoxicated	0	1
Improp. Handling Firearm in Mot. Veh.	1	4
Transport Loaded Firearm	8	12
Transport Unloaded Firearm	0	1
Improp. Disch. Firearm into School/Hab	4	1
Disch. Firearm on/near Prohib Premises	0	2
Disch. Firearm on/near Pub. Road/Hwy.	6	1
Possessing Defaced Firearm	4	3
Underage Purchase of Firearm	3	2
Possession of Criminal Tools, Firearm	15	17
Totals	141	132
DRUG OFFENSES		
Corrupt Another with Drugs	1	0
Agg. Trafficking Drugs near School	3	0
Trafficking Drugs	2	1
Trafficking Drugs near School	1	2
Trafficking Marjiuana	7	5
Trafficking Marijuana near School	8	1
Trafficking Cocaine near School	2	3
Trafficking Heroin	1	5
Trafficking Heroin near School	1	4
Trafficking L.S.D. near School	1	0
Possession of Hashish	4	2
Possession of Cocaine	16	12
Aggravated Possession of Drug	1	5
Drug Possession	23	13
Possession of Dangerous Drug	0	1
Possession of Heroin	10	5
Possession of L.S.D.	2	0
Possession of Marijuana (<100 grams)	356	309
Possession of Marijuana (>100 grams)	3	1
Possession of Drug Abuse Instrument	0	1
Possession of Drug Paraphernalia	56	35
Marijuan Drug Paraphernalia	70	64
Possession of Counterfeit Control Sub.	2	3
Totals	576	475

MISCELLANEOUS LOCAL CODES		
Aggravated Menacing- CMC	1	1
Criminal Trespass in a Med. FacCMC	1	0
Spitting in a Public Place-CMC	1	1
Weapon on School Property-CMC	1	0
Littering in a Public Place-CMC	2	3
Dangerous Drug Possession- CMC	2	0
Discharge of Firearm-CMC	1	0
Discharge of Firearm- Harrison	3	0
In Park After Hours- Loveland	2	0
City Park Violation- Reading	3	0
Vehicle Trespass- Reading	1	0
Animals at Large	0	2
Operating Powercraft w/o Safe Boat.	1	0
Placing Harmful Obj. in Food/Confect.	3	0
Park Board After Hours (Rule 21)	3	0
Soliciting- Viol. State, Township	0	1
Totals	25	8
VIOLATIONS		
False Info-Underage Tobacco	1	1
Violation of Court Order (VCO)	6	6
Delinquency	2	3
VCO Curfew	115	94
VCO Incorrigible	115	91
VCO Placement	188	146
VCO Runaway	222	241
VCO Truancy	185	21
VCO Tobacco	0	0
Motions on Violations*(includes Electronic		
Monitoring, Probation, Work Detail, and	665	571
Parole Violations)		
Totals	1,513	1,187
*Data reflects changes in filing procedures for v	violating co	urt orders.

#### **Unruly Complaints by Type**

	2017	2018
Habitual Truancy	69	95
Incorrigible	129	153
Runaway	587	584
Tobacco	1	2
Unruly	27	47
Curfew Violations		
Anderson Twp	2	0
Blue Ash	1	0
Cheviot	0	2
Cincinnati	128	72
Colerain Twp	9	16
Delhi Twp	27	12
Elmwood Pl	0	1
Forest Park	2	10
Greenhills	8	0
Harrison	5	2
Loveland	3	3
Madeira	1	0
Montgomery	2	0
Mt. Healthy	9	3
North Bend	3	0
North College Hill	6	2
Norwood	12	4
Reading	13	4
Springfield Twp.	6	6
St. Bernard	3	1
Sycamore Township	1	0
Wyoming	1	2
Totals	242	140

Daytime Curfew Violations		
Cincinnati	31	29
Greenhills	0	2
North College Hill	4	1
Reading	0	1
Springfield Twp	3	6
Totals	38	39

#### Juvenile Traffic Complaints by Type

	2017	2018
Licensing of Motor Vehicle	31	47
Drivers License Law	89	53
Driver License Suspension	9	18
Driving Under Suspension	26	20
Operating Vehicle w/o Valid License	337	307
Operation of Motor Vehicle	1734	1540
Equipment, Loads	159	147
Registration Required	1	0
Motor Vehicle Crimes	46	56
Traffic Violations	2	4
Traffic Signals	19	24
Pedestrian Violations	7	4
Changing Course of Vehicle	43	51
Local Ordinance	204	210

#### **Adult Misdemeanor Complaints by Type**

	2017	2018
Contributing to Delinquency/Unruly	34	0
Aid, Abet, Contribute to Del./Unruly	2	11
Endanger Child-Adult	12	6
Failure to Send Child to School	673	52
Tending to Cause- Fail. To Send	2	6
Interfere w/Custody Under 18-Adult	3	3

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#### **Probation Referral Statistics**

REFERRING OFFENSES	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Felony	408	332	381	316	253
Misdemeanors*	320	284	238	260	212
Violation of Court Orders	45	27	26	15	7
Unruly	8	11	7	7	3
Traffic	3	4	5	6	8
*NOTE: This data can include youth with prior felony adjudications f	rom a previous year.				
TERMINATIONS VS. TRANSFERS	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Total Unique Youth who Term. at P.I.	204	158	118	127	356
Total Unique Youth who Transfer into Prob.	339	286	336	283	222
REFERRALS TO PROBATION BY OFFENSE	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
Arson	6	3	2	7	7
Assaults	68	58	57	70	44
Attempt, Complicity, Conspiracy	31	23	32	46	33
Burglary	126	103	115	74	44
Disruption, Vandalism, Damaging, Endangering	9	10	13	9	6
Drug Offenses	36	31	36	21	13
Forgery/Fraud	0	0	0	0	1
Habitual / Chronic Truancy	4	9	3	0	0
Homicide	1	1	0	1	2
Kidnapping	2	0	1	0	2
Liquor Control	4	3	3	1	0
Menacing	9	12	9	5	11
Miscellaneous Offenses	0	0	0	0	0
Misuse of Credit Cards	1	1	0	1	1
Nonsupport and Child Endang.	0	0	0	21	9
Obscenity	4	0	2	0	2
Offenses Against Family	41	35	29	15	19
Offenses Against Justice	28	13	33	39	18
Offenses Against Peace	39	28	28	23	26
Prostitution	1	0	0	0	0
Receiving*	32	21	36	64	0
Robbery	97	63	86	54	46
Safecracking	0	2	0	0	0
Sexual Offenses	36	18	30	25	22
Theft and Theft Misc.	63	45	53	59	58
Traffic Related Offenses	3	2	8	7	11
Trespass	8	8	2	4	7
Violations of Court Orders	48	35	26	33	16
Weapons Offenses	56	44	46	55	30
Cruelty to Animals	0	2	0	0	0
Interstate Compact Supervision	15	11	11	15	11
*Receiving referrals now counted in "Theft and Theft Misc." ca					
AGE AT REFERRAL	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
9	0	1	0	0	1
10	2	4	0	0	2
11	7	8	7	6	8
12	22	24	20	30	31
13	54	50	44	57	46

#### **Youth Center Detention Data (Duplicate Youth)**

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
ADMISSIONS	1,942	1,622	1,604	1,481	1,406
DIVERTED	3,733	3,531	2,748	2,573	2,359
INTAKES	5,675	5,153	4,352	4,054	3,765
AVG. LENGTH OF STAY*	15.66	18.75	19.54	28.61	26.79
Without SB 337 Youth	10.82	11.69	14.04	18.62	18.01
AVG. DAILY POPULATION*	91	81	101	109	98
Without SB 337 Youth	72	67	76	84	78

<sup>\*</sup>Increase due to dispositional cases in efforts to reduce number of children sent to DYS or other placements.

#### **5-Year DYS Commitment Data**

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
TOTAL COMMITMENTS					
By Unique Youth	53	61	42	47	46
Mandatory Gun Spec.	22	41	18	25	23
Discretionary Gun Spec.	6	8	6	6	5
Gun Spec. Totals	28	49	24	31	28
By Case	94	116	94	124	146
Mandatory Gun Spec.	29	53	26	35	35
Discretionary Gun Spec.	6	9	7	9	5
Gun Spec. Totals	35	62	33	44	40
RECOMMITMENTS					
By Unique Youth	0	3	4	3	4
By Case	0	3	6	3	4
PAROLE REVOCATIONS					
By Unique Youth	6	6	1	6	6
By Case	10	9	1	7	7

#### DYS Commitment and Recommitment Totals by Felony Offense Level

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
BY CASE					
Murder/Agg. Murder	1	0	0	0	0
Felony 1	20	24	19	29	20
Felony 2	14	25	13	9	13
Felony 3	8	7	5	8	9
Felony 4	6	12	5	4	5
Felony 5	3	1	2	0	1
Totals	52	69	44	50	48

#### **Total Bind Overs**

	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
By Unique Youth	23	25	20	29	33
By Case	71	40	68	124	96

<sup>\*</sup>NOTE: Annual data is updated to reflect changes in the transfer dates of cases after State vs. Aalim, 150 Ohio St.3d 463, 2016-Ohio-8278.