

Table 69
Circuit Court, FY19
Child Abuse and Neglect Hearings

Data are based on reports submitted by the presiding judge of each circuit as required by Court Operating Rule 23.01.

Circuit	Hearings Held Timely		Hearings Held Late		Hearings Due Not Held		Total Hearings
	# of Hearings	(%)	# of Hearings	(%)	# of Hearings	(%)	
1	325	100%	0	0%	0	0%	325
2	634	100%	0	0%	0	0%	634
3	378	100%	1	0%	0	0%	379
4	348	100%	0	0%	0	0%	348
5	492	100%	2	0%	0	0%	494
6	168	96%	7	4%	0	0%	175
7	592	96%	21	3%	5	1%	618
8	51	86%	7	12%	1	2%	59
9	422	96%	14	3%	2	0%	438
10	599	89%	39	6%	38	6%	676
11	1,056	100%	5	0%	0	0%	1,061
12	660	100%	0	0%	2	0%	662
13	1,816	99%	5	0%	14	1%	1,835
14	527	100%	0	0%	0	0%	527
15	298	100%	0	0%	0	0%	298
16	5,431	82%	731	11%	480	7%	6,642
17	1,090	97%	12	1%	16	1%	1,118
18	440	100%	1	0%	0	0%	441
19	709	100%	3	0%	0	0%	712
20	1,224	96%	35	3%	16	1%	1,275
21	3,837	95%	110	3%	98	2%	4,045
22	2,383	100%	4	0%	2	0%	2,389
23	2,761	98%	34	1%	31	1%	2,826
24	2,934	99%	29	1%	9	0%	2,972
25	1,867	100%	0	0%	0	0%	1,867
26	1,434	100%	0	0%	0	0%	1,434
27	439	97%	14	3%	1	0%	454
28	353	100%	0	0%	0	0%	353
29	1,333	96%	51	4%	9	1%	1,393
30	822	100%	0	0%	1	0%	823
31	2,280	100%	5	0%	0	0%	2,285
32	1,330	94%	65	5%	18	1%	1,413
33	802	99%	5	1%	0	0%	807
34	973	99%	4	0%	2	0%	979
35	1,207	98%	12	1%	14	1%	1,233
36	869	82%	103	10%	92	9%	1,064
37	781	98%	11	1%	1	0%	793
38	654	99%	6	1%	0	0%	660
39	1,570	100%	0	0%	0	0%	1,570
40	714	85%	63	8%	59	7%	836
41	422	100%	0	0%	0	0%	422
42	1,161	97%	33	3%	9	1%	1,203
43	731	99%	4	1%	5	1%	740
44	638	99%	1	0%	4	1%	643
45	592	98%	10	2%	0	0%	602
46	869	100%	0	0%	0	0%	869
Total	51,016	96%	1,447	3%	929	2%	53,392

() : percentage of current circuit total

Table 70
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Reason for Delay

	Reason for Delay	
	# of Hearings	(%)
Unavailable Court Date	511	21.5%
Unavailable Judicial Officer	18	0.8%
Unavailable Counsel/GAL	212	8.9%
Unavailable Lay Witness	33	1.4%
Unavailable Professional Witness	25	1.1%
Unavailable Medical Evidence	87	3.7%
Other	635	26.7%
Unavailable Child Service Worker	11	0.5%
Unavailable Juvenile Officer	10	0.4%
Unavailable Parent	89	3.7%
Unavailable Report from Third Party	3	0.1%
Unavailable Report from DSS CD	43	1.8%
Change of Judge	54	2.3%
Contested Hearing Requested	205	8.6%
Parent Requesting Attorney	250	10.5%
Unsuccessful Service	105	4.4%
Order for Publication Issued	85	3.6%
Reason Not Reported*		
Total	2,376	100.0%

*Category "Reason Not Reported" is now being reported when delay reasons are not provided.