

Table 70
Circuit Court, FY 2010
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	146	(100)	0	(0)	0	(0)	146
2	415	(100)	0	(0)	0	(0)	415
3	258	(98)	4	(2)	0	(0)	262
4	159	(100)	0	(0)	0	(0)	159
5	240	(100)	0	(0)	0	(0)	240
6	96	(100)	0	(0)	0	(0)	96
7	340	(94)	21	(6)	2	(1)	363
8	19	(90)	1	(5)	1	(5)	21
9	129	(98)	0	(0)	3	(2)	132
10	194	(100)	0	(0)	0	(0)	194
11	565	(95)	27	(5)	4	(1)	596
12	497	(98)	9	(2)	2	(0)	508
13	914	(100)	1	(0)	0	(0)	915
14	301	(96)	7	(2)	6	(2)	314
15	187	(99)	1	(1)	0	(0)	188
16	3,991	(98)	64	(2)	37	(1)	4,092
17	722	(94)	23	(3)	22	(3)	767
18	370	(100)	0	(0)	0	(0)	370
19	299	(96)	10	(3)	3	(1)	312
20	743	(96)	21	(3)	6	(1)	770
21	4,046	(98)	37	(1)	27	(1)	4,110
22	3,585	(100)	4	(0)	0	(0)	3,589
23	2,076	(99)	4	(0)	7	(0)	2,087
24	909	(98)	9	(1)	7	(1)	925
25	1,071	(100)	4	(0)	0	(0)	1,075
26	1,319	(100)	0	(0)	0	(0)	1,319
27	361	(97)	5	(1)	5	(1)	371
28	156	(89)	18	(10)	2	(1)	176
29	1,513	(97)	47	(3)	6	(0)	1,566
30	555	(100)	0	(0)	0	(0)	555
31	2,897	(100)	8	(0)	3	(0)	2,908
32	569	(100)	0	(0)	2	(0)	571
33	336	(99)	4	(1)	0	(0)	340
34	300	(97)	4	(1)	4	(1)	308
35	1,315	(97)	30	(2)	6	(0)	1,351
36	417	(99)	5	(1)	0	(0)	422
37	329	(98)	8	(2)	0	(0)	337
38	947	(100)	1	(0)	2	(0)	950
39	944	(100)	3	(0)	0	(0)	947
40	1,372	(93)	55	(4)	56	(4)	1,483
41	286	(99)	2	(1)	1	(0)	289
42	619	(97)	13	(2)	4	(1)	636
43	234	(96)	9	(4)	2	(1)	245
44	250	(98)	6	(2)	0	(0)	256
45	534	(100)	1	(0)	0	(0)	535
Total	37,525	(98)	466	(1)	220	(1)	38,211

() : percentage of current circuit total

Table 71
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Reason for Delay

	Reason for Delay	
	# of Hearings	(%)
Unavailable Court Date	71	10.3%
Unavailable Judicial Officer	10	1.5%
Unavailable Counsel/GAL	95	13.8%
Unavailable Lay Witness	2	0.3%
Unavailable Professional Witness	10	1.5%
Unavailable Medical Evidence	27	3.9%
Unavailable Child Service Worker	1	0.1%
Unavailable Juvenile Officer	2	0.3%
Unavailable Parent	31	4.5%
Unavailable Report from Third Party	0	0.0%
Unavailable Report from DSS CD	1	0.1%
Change of Judge	16	2.3%
Contested Hearing Requested	83	12.1%
Parent Requesting Attorney	91	13.3%
Unsuccessful Service	3	0.4%
Order for Publication Issued	9	1.3%
Other	225	32.8%
Reason Not Reported*	9	1.3%
Total	686	100.0%

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