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## PREFACE

The state of juvenile information systems in Kansas is not good. Contradictory and confusing information emanates from numerous agencies, and decision-makers are constantly besieged with predictions and "facts" relative to the status of the "juvenile problem" in the state. At the same time, data relative to juvenile activity is often uncorrelated or basically inconsistent, or totally lacking. While efforts are under way to alleviate this deficiency in information, much work remains before useful solutions are reached.

In order to achieve a situation where information has measurable validity or reliability, recognition of the need for sound data must come from the Executive and Legislative branches of government. Currently, the Judiciary has control over the access to most pre-dispositional information. Prior to court unification on January 10, 1977, contact directly with 105 juvenile courts was the most expeditious mode of operation to secure necessary information. With unification, the 29 judicial districts became the logical reference point. Contact with 29 districts should simplify the process leaving the coordination to the district administrative judge. However, in many districts the record keeping functions have been removed from the probation staffs and housed in the Clerk of the District Court's office. Add to this the in-house reporting requirements of yet another operational level, and the problems become compounded.

The court's perspective has traditionally been for the "case". Most program planners prefer to identify the "individual" as the source of data. While "case" statistics may be extracted from "individual" data, the contrary is not true. Given a proliferation of redundant input documents, those persons charged with completing any of the requested forms will suffer from an "either/or" situation and will begin to set aside the more widely applicable demographic data forms.

Concern for this drift toward less applicable data must evolve from both the Executive and Legislative branches of government. These people, and their contemporaries at the local level, will be the ones most affected by losses in demographic-type information. While no single form can conceivably collect all relevant information, a concerted effort needs to be made to avoid duplication and triplication of basic data elements in an information system.

Currently, the Legislature is considering the need for a viable juvenile information system. Conscientious reporting of demographic data concerning juveniles involved in the court process, either formally or informally, is not a universally recognized need. Legislation supporting the concept of a juvenile information system is needed.

Social agencies, such as the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services (SRS), Department of Education or Department of Health and Environment, while not directly concerned with many of the data elements in a comprehensive juvenile information system, must gauge their relevant activities in light of the total activities of juveniles in the state. Having only a vague idea as to the extent of "the problem", social agencies and any other program people are forced into a reactive model rather than being able to assume a proactive stance. SRS has its Child Tracking System which has recently undergone massive revisions, however, this system only addresses those individuals committed to the Secretary of SRS. At no time could SRS project a caseload should any or all juvenile offenders, especially the "status" offender be deposited at their doorstep. Similar situations exist in other social agencies and in state and local governmental units. It is hoped legislation and increased awareness by all levels of government will assist in relieving the obvious constraints with which decision-makers, having limited funds, are constantly forced to deal.

This current document, while suffering from many of the shortcomings enumerated above, presents the only viable juvenile information concerning activity through the court system. The Juvenile Court Statistical Card (Appendix F) has had a long and somewhat checkered career in Kansas. Data is completed on each referral made to the court by the court's own personnel. Originally, a form was developed by Health, Education and Welfare and collected by SRS for a yearly report; the data is now submitted to the National Center for Juvenile Justice (NCJJ) in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. The basic input document has never undergone a revision since its inception in a revised format in 1962. Many states are using the original form with little or no modification, while others are using the format of specific data elements but have vastly expanded the data base. A National Model, developed through the National Council of Juvenile Court Judges in conjunction with the NCJJ, has attempted to bring uniformity to this data base. The overall goal is a comprehensive juvenile information system that will allow coordination with a national system, yet retain validity for state purposes.

Several problems can be enumerated in reference to the Statistical Card. It is by no means the ultimate in data collection technology and discussions concerning improvements of the information system need to begin by divorcing oneself from the structure of the current stat card. While many of the data elements need to be retained, a complete overhaul in the presentation is desirable. A primary problem with the stat card is the inability to tie offenses with individuals. It is relatively impossible to detect whether one person commits ten offenses or ten persons commit one offense. Similarly, while a single county may provide good records on a single juvenile's activity, should the child cross a county line, knowledge of his/her previous activity may not necessarily be available. No correlation of cross-county activity to a single individual is possible with the current stat card operation. Finally, the various courts complete the data in often conflicting manners. While unification may change procedures, the handling of cases varies across counties, hence, the data lacks clarity when comparisons are attempted.

While the foregoing is intended to provide the reader with background information as well as build a frame of reference, the task at hand is to present the best available data in the best manner possible. This publication attempts to provide the people of Kansas with some indication as to the state of juvenile court activity for the calendar year of 1977.

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## INTRODUCTION

Kansas, as is true throughout the United States, maintains separate legal provisions for juveniles. While age and terminology differences occur between states, the overriding philosophy is that juvenile matters should be treated differently than are adult cases. The philosophical underpinnings for the juvenile system of justice is the belief that the courts have broad protective powers over youth, much like those of the parent. Courts retain original jurisdiction over juveniles accused of criminal type offenses as well as cases of school truancy, waywardness, deprivation, adoption proceedings or consent to marry.

Knowledge of the activity of juveniles in the State of Kansas allows state and local officials, program planners and criminal justice personnel to gauge the needs concerning the youth of the state, and allows for informed decision-making in the disbursement of limited resources to address identified problem areas. The Juvenile Court Report (JCR) for 1977 attempts to provide decision-makers with knowledge of the juvenile activity through the now unified district court system. The Juvenile Court Statistical Card (Appendix E), which is the input document reflecting juvenile court activity in Kansas, provides basic demographic, offense, and dispositional data on all referrals to the juvenile courts. The unit of count in this information system is the individual referral and, while identified problems have been discussed elsewhere, the statistical card remains the only viable source of individual juvenile court activity for the state.

Since approximately 1960, the Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services has collected data similar to that currently being reported. Over time, resistance has developed on the part of the courts to providing the requested data. The Governor's Committee on Criminal Administration (GCCA) through the Statistical Analysis Center (SAC) is now working to streamline the reporting function as well as act as overall coordinator of the information system. Positive fruits from this coordinating effort are beginning to develop, and notice from such bodies as the Legislature and the Governor's Task Force on the Problems of Youth are lending validity to the need for sound data across the state.

Prior to state level unification, all 105 counties in Kansas were asked to report data concerning juvenile activity through their respective courts. After 1971, total reporting from all counties had not been received until 1977 when efforts of the SAC staff resulted in total reporting. Appendix A provides documentation of the number of referrals for each county in the state. It should be noted that Cherokee County's cards were lost in the mail while Butler County's cards were received too late to be included in all tables. Reporting for 1978 has begun through the 29 judicial districts. Whether reports will come in from all 105 counties or from the 29 judicial districts is unknown at this time. Regardless, the hope remains that total reporting of all juvenile activity will continue.

The Kansas Juvenile Code is found in the Kansas Statutes Annotated (38-801 et seq). The juvenile system has developed a specialized vocabulary to adequately describe the proceedings. Portions of this vocabulary are contained in Appendix C to assist the reader in understanding the material presented in this publication.

Data for this JCR, in most cases, has been broken into a "large county/all other" frame of reference. The "large counties" for the purposes of this current report are defined as Johnson, Sedgwick, Shawnee and Wyandotte Counties. Total population, juvenile probation and juvenile court activity are the determinants for inclusion into the "large county" designation; however, information may be requested on any county or any combination of counties. Projected population figures are included in Appendix B.

Finally, because data for 1976 was never published for general dissemination, selected tables are included in Appendix D although no descriptive material is provided. The 1976 data was inaccurately keypunched, thus a number of missing variables will be apparent. This data is included only as reference for those involved with juvenile activity in Kansas.

SECTION I

Juvenile Court Activity  
in 1977

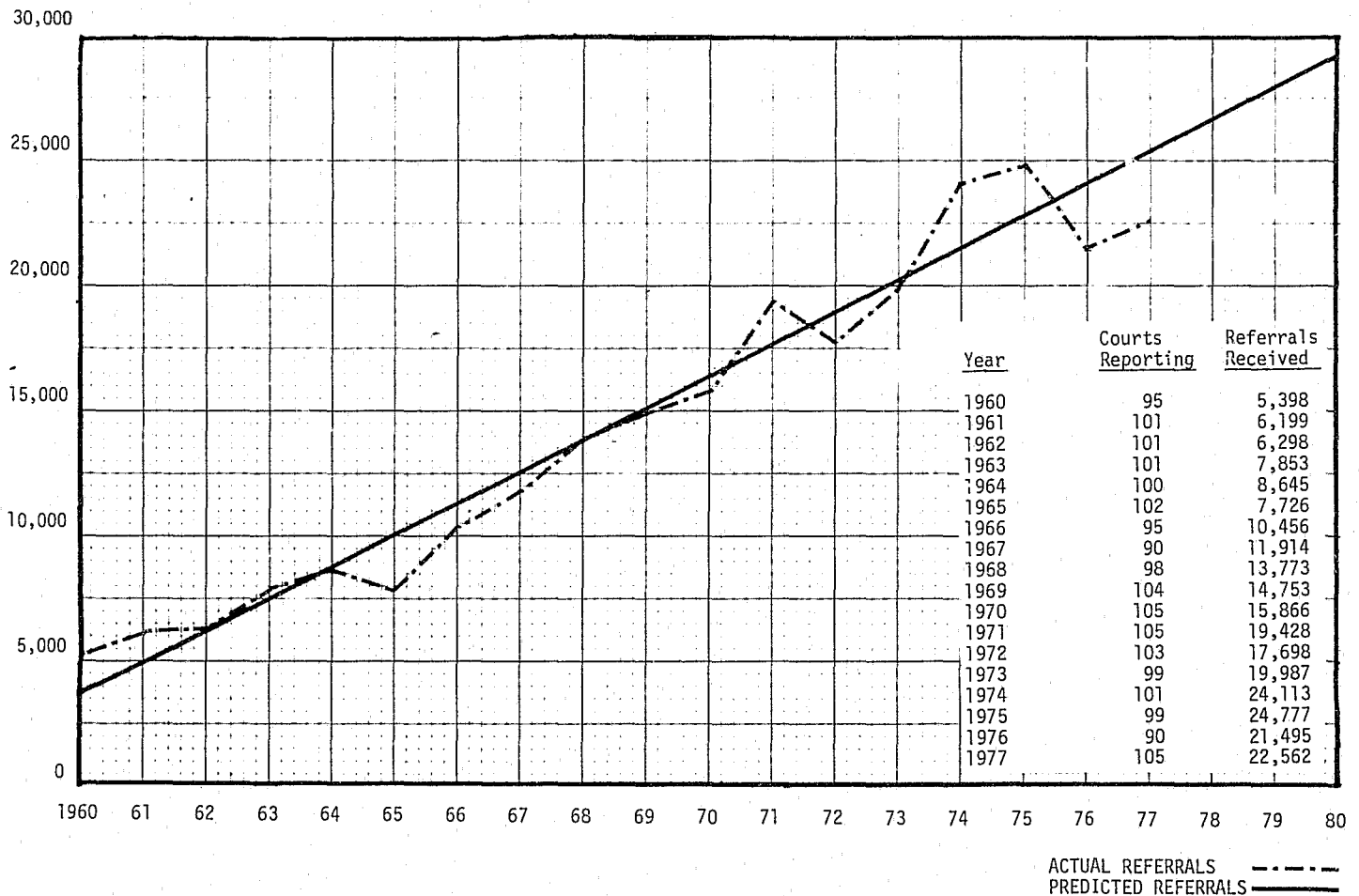
## SECTION I

### Juvenile Court Activity In 1977

#### TRENDS IN JUVENILE COURT REFERRALS

Statistical information on activity through the juvenile court in Kansas for 1977 was processed on 22,562\* referrals. Chart I exhibits the trend in referrals since record keeping began in 1960. This referral rate represents a decrease of 8.9% from the peak of 24,777 referrals in 1975.

Chart I  
TOTAL JUVENILE REFERRALS, 1969-1977



\*Note: Actual reported referrals were 23,070. Five hundred and eight cases were reported late, and, therefore, were not keypunched.

While it is hoped all courts will complete data cards on all referrals handled by any court personnel, whether formally or informally, inconsistency of reporting is a major failing of this information system. Hence, the numbers presented are very probably a conservative indicator of actual court activity. When making any cross-county comparisons, one must remember that possible inconsistencies exist in the data. While attempts are continuing to achieve a level of uniformity across jurisdictions, such has yet to be achieved. Factors that affect reporting consistency and allow variations in the data include:

- (1) Differences in interpretation of reporting standards;
- (2) Differences in administrative practices - while some courts report only formal cases, other courts may designate only the most serious cases as formal. Unification should assist in the constancy of administrative practices;
- (3) Varying community and/or parental attitudes;
- (4) Other community agencies may serve children without such activity coming to the attention of the court;
- (5) Handling policies of the law enforcement agencies;
- (6) Population size or density of the area;
- (7) A rural versus urban differentiation.

An example of the effect any of these factors may have on a particular court's reporting is found in Table 1.

Table 1  
TOTAL REFERRALS  
TREND

REFERRALS	COURTS REPORTING	STATE TOTAL	JOHNSON COUNTY	SEDGWICK COUNTY	SHAWNEE COUNTY	WYANDOTTE COUNTY	ALL OTHERS
1975	99	24777	4187	2775	3394	4979	9442
1976	90	21495	3860	1376	2548	4693	9018
1977	105	22562	3821	3186	2482	4668	8405
% Change 75-77		-8.9%	-8.7%	+14.8%	-26.9%	-6.2%	-11.0%

Table 1 shows the referral rate over a three year period by locality. Sedgwick county shows a 50.4% decrease in total referrals between 1975 and 1976.

However, further investigation into the procedural aspects of the actual reporting found that only the formal cases were submitted for 1976. When a return to the proper reporting procedure occurred for 1977, Sedgwick county becomes the only county to exhibit a net increase in referrals between 1975 and 1977.

Inferences relative to this information must take into account the aforementioned limitations on data accuracy as well as the increase in the number of courts reporting. On an average per court basis, the number of referrals has dropped from 250 per court in 1975, to 214 per court in 1977. It is unknown whether this is a true drop in juvenile activity across the state or is due to reporting variations.

From a distributional standpoint, the designated "large counties" provided 62.7% of the referrals in 1977 (14,157), while having an estimated 43.7% (341,423) of the state's juvenile population (Table 2). On a referrals per juvenile population standard, the large counties had a rate of 1 referral for every 24.12 juveniles, while for the other 101 counties, the rate was 1 referral for every 52.26 juveniles. State-wide the rate was 1 referral for every 34.60 juveniles. It is obvious the referral rate is higher in the major urban areas of the state. Of the 4 large counties, Wyandotte county maintains the highest referral rate (1 referral per every 13.75 juveniles) while Sedgwick county is better than the state average at 1 referral for every 38.18 juveniles.

Table 2  
REFERRAL RATE BY JURISDICTION

	<u>Population</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Referrals</u>	<u>%</u>	<u>Referrals/Juveniles</u>
JOHNSON	95,109		3,821		24.89
SEDGWICK	121,631		3,186		38.18
SHAWNEE	60,506		2,482		24.38
WYANDOTTE	<u>64,177</u>		<u>4,668</u>		<u>13.75</u>
Sub-total	341,423	43.7	14,157	62.7	24.12
ALL OTHERS	<u>439,244</u>	56.3	<u>8,405</u>	37.3	<u>52.26</u>
STATE	780,667		22,562		34.60

## REASONS FOR REFERRAL

The offenses for which the referrals in 1977 were made are listed in Table 3. The table has been divided into six sections relative to the type of offense and the relationship to the Kansas Juvenile Code. The first section (Murder to Trespassing) contains the delinquent and miscreant acts; the equivalent of felonies or misdemeanors if committed by an adult. The second division (Running Away to Other) contains the so called status offenses, those offenses applicable only to juveniles. The third section contains the Traffic offenses. The fourth division contains those referrals designated as Deprived (formerly dependant and neglected) in the Juvenile Code. Next are the Special Proceedings, which will include petitions to marry, adoption proceedings, custody proceedings, requests to enlist or emancipation. Finally, referrals which contained no offense entry are indicated in the "Missing" section. Throughout this publication, "Missing" will indicate any referrals lacking one or more data elements under consideration. Ironically, for 62 referrals in the 1977 submission even a county entry was missing.

Table 3  
REFERRAL OFFENSE  
1977

OFFENSE	TOTAL	JOHNSON	SEDGWICK	SHAWNEE	WYANDOTTE	ALL OTHERS
Murder & Non-Negligent Manslaughter	25	0	9	0	5	11
Negligent Manslaughter	4	0	1	1	1	1
Forcible Rape	17	2	3	0	3	9
Robbery-Purse Snatching	39	2	19	6	3	9
Robbery-Not Purse Snatch.	249	11	87	22	45	84
Assault-Aggravated	358	20	37	30	214	57
Assault-Non-aggravated	394	92	64	45	53	140
Burglary-Breaking & Entering	1582	126	390	119	393	554
Auto Theft-Unauth. Use	415	48	109	27	17	214
Auto Theft-Other	234	48	23	29	93	41
Larceny-Shoplifting	1705	371	190	218	457	469
Larceny-Other	1237	275	204	100	192	466
Weapons	128	28	34	3	47	16
Sex Offense-Not Rape	73	14	21	2	17	19
Drugs-Narcotic	216	5	39	13	32	127
Drugs-Not Narcotic	759	305	65	116	69	204
Drunkenness	92	46	4	10	0	32
Disorderly Conduct	584	74	51	40	223	196
Vandalism	1083	221	61	81	286	434
Other	1514	217	162	182	218	735
Arson	1	0	1	0	0	0
Trespassing	1	0	0	0	0	1
Running Away	2502	765	266	318	380	773
Truancy	1221	180	19	338	325	359
Violation of Curfew	256	0	15	1	0	240
Ungovernable Behavior	810	81	99	196	174	260
Alcohol Offenses	562	248	4	36	100	174
Other	502	192	21	50	1	238
Drunk Driving	234	59	3	15	28	129
Hit and Run	26	0	7	5	7	7
Reckless Driving	147	1	14	0	20	112
Driving without a License	890	162	158	81	93	396
All Other Traffic	1965	79	490	225	53	1118
Abuse	278	7	39	12	116	104
All Other Neglect	2141	135	423	86	932	565
Special Proceedings	175	6	36	3	67	63
Missing	143	1	18	72	4	48
Total	22562	3821	3186	2482	4668	8405

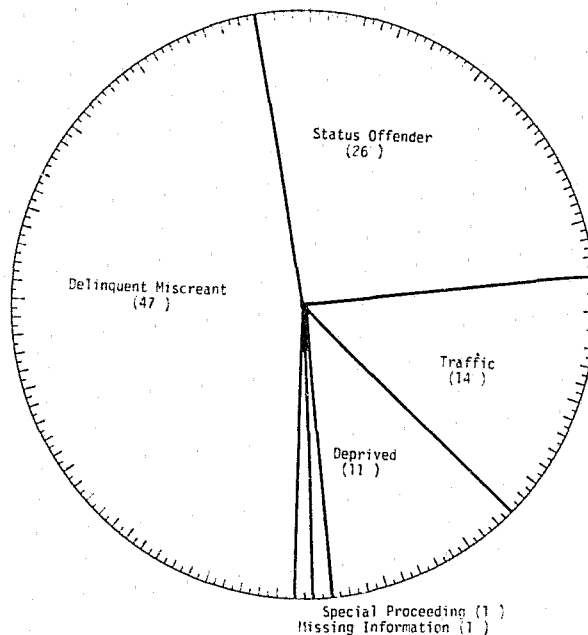
Table 4 provides a summary of this division by the defined legal category. For ease of presentation, most references throughout this booklet will be relative to these legal categorizations. Chart II provides a percentage breakdown, on the state totals, for the legal categories as referred to the courts. Delinquent and miscreant referrals comprise nearly one-half of the court activity, while status offenses represent more than a quarter of the workload. The four large courts exhibit a similar distribution of case type, although Sedgwick county shows a high number of traffic cases handled, while Wyandotte county shows a large number of deprived cases. The remainder of the courts show a distribution similar to the state totals.



Table 4  
LEGAL CATEGORY OF OFFENSE  
1977

CATEGORY OF OFFENSE	TOTAL	JOHNSON	SEDGWICK	SHAWNEE	WYANDOTTE	ALL OTHERS
Delinquent-Miscreant	10710	1905	1574	1044	2368	3819
Status Offender	5853	1466	424	939	980	2044
Traffic	3262	301	672	326	201	1762
Deprived	2419	142	462	98	1048	669
Special Proceedings	175	6	36	3	67	63
Missing	143	1	18	72	4	48
Total	22562	3821	3186	2482	4668	8405

Chart II  
PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF OFFENSE CATEGORY 1977



Offenses listed in the Kansas Criminal Code (K.S.A. 21-101 et. seq.) are classified into topical areas (i.e., Crimes Against Persons, Crimes Against Property, Sex Offenses, Crimes Against Public Safety, etc.).

Table 5 shows the distribution of delinquency/miscreant offenses into the larger topical areas. Missing are numerous offenses lost in the "Other" entry. With revisions of the data base input document, such recognized crimes as forgery, stolen property, gambling and kidnapping, will be included. Crimes against property are the most frequently referred of these major offenses (61%), with shoplifting and breaking and entering being the primary crimes against property. Assaults are the primary referral in the crimes against people category (8%). Drug offenses represent (9%) of the total of felony/misdemeanor type crimes. Chart III presents this categorical breakdown.

Table 5

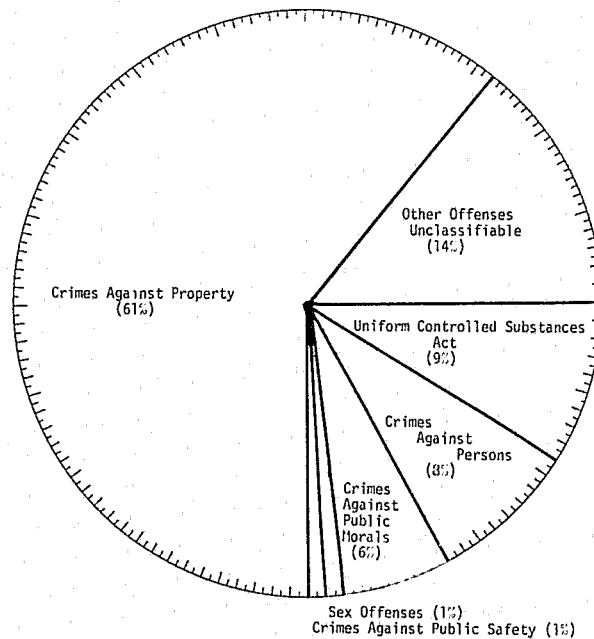
## TOPICAL CATEGORIZATION OF REFERRAL OFFENSE (1977)

	STATE TOTAL	JOHNSON	SEDGWICK	SHAWNEE	WYANDOTTE	ALL OTHERS
Crimes Against Persons	820	114	130	82	276	218
Murder/Non-Neg. Mansl.	25	0	9	0	5	11
Negligent Manslaughter	4	0	1	1	1	1
Robbery-Purse Snatching	39	2	19	6	3	9
Aggravated Assault	358	20	37	30	214	57
Non-Aggravated Assault	394	92	64	45	53	140
Crimes Against Property	6507	1100	1065	601	1483	2263
Robbery-Not Purse Snatching	249	11	87	22	45	84
Burglary	1582	126	390	119	393	554
Auto Theft	649	96	132	56	110	255
Larceny-Shoplifting	1705	371	190	218	457	469
Larceny-Other	1237	275	204	100	192	466
Vandalism	1083	221	61	81	286	434
Arson	1	0	1	0	0	0
Trespassing	1	0	0	0	0	1
Crimes Against Public Safety						
Weapons	128	28	34	3	47	16
Sex Offenses	90	16	24	2	20	28
Rape	17	2	3	0	3	9
Other Sex Offenses	73	14	21	2	17	19
Uniform Controlled Substances Act	975	310	104	129	101	336
Drugs Narcotic	216	5	39	13	32	127
Drugs-Non Narcotic	759	305	65	116	69	209
Crimes Against Public Morals						
Disorderly Conduct	584	74	51	40	223	196
Other Offenses Unclassifiable	1514	217	162	182	218	735

NOTE: Drunkenness (Public Intoxication) was repealed in 1977. There were 92 referrals for drunkenness in 1977.

Chart III

## PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION OF REFERRAL OFFENSE CATEGORY 1977



## MANNER OF HANDLING

One of the more important factors relative to the handling of juvenile cases is the decision to file a petition in the case. This decision is generally the responsibility of the county or district attorney's office after consultation with court personnel. A decision to file a formal petition places the juvenile into the mainstream of the court's activity. However, as Table 6 indicates, across Kansas 52.7% of the 1977 referrals (11,895) were handled informally. No formal petitions were filed. Informally handled cases include referrals to other community resources or resolution at intake. With the exception of Sedgwick county, this preference for informal handling is quite obvious in the large counties as 64.2% of referrals were handled in an informal manner. The contrary was true for the other counties as 64.6% of all referrals were handled via formal petition.

Table 6  
MANNER OF HANDLING  
1977

MANNER OF HANDLING	TOTAL	JOHNSON	SEDGWICK	SHAWNEE	WYANDOTTE	ALL OTHERS
Without Petition	11895	2633	1515	1520	3278	2949
With Petition	10378	1180	1650	897	1259	5392
Missing	289	8	21	65	131	64
Total	22562	3821	3186	2482	4668	8405

This disparity in handling may be explained in many ways. While court unification may bring some level of consistency to the court processes, the decision to file a petition remains with the prosecutor. Nevertheless, many judges wield a great deal of influence over the decision to file. Community attitudes may often be reflected in the manner in which juvenile cases are handled. Similarly, there are geographical considerations between urban areas where more is likely to occur and more informal resources are available, and the smaller or rural areas where fewer are available. Another consideration is that many of the smaller courts fail to complete referral forms on those cases handled informally. Hence, the numbers are disproportionately skewed in the direction of formal case handling. Once again the acceptance of uniform reporting procedures will allow more uniform data analysis in the future.

## DEMOGRAPHIC CHARACTERISTICS OF REFERRALS

The three primary demographic variables contained in the current data base are age, sex and race. From a program planning perspective, knowledge of demographic variables allows for effective allocation of limited resources to progress across the state. Table 7 shows the distribution based on sex of referrals. The percentage distribution, 70% male and 30% female, remains relatively constant across all localities.

Table 7  
REFERRALS BY SEX  
1977

SEX	STATE TOTAL	JOHNSON COUNTY	SEDGWICK COUNTY	SHAWNEE COUNTY	WYANDOTTE COUNTY	ALL OTHERS
Male	15691	2639	2313	1575	3140	6024
Female	6740	1179	864	888	1511	2298
Missing	131	3	9	19	17	83
Total	22562	3821	3186	2482	4668	8405

Table 8, the age distribution of referrals, provides an interesting and somewhat unsettling example of the problems involved in the current data base. A child prior to the first birthday would be correctly entered as "0". However, upon observing an age by category of offense table (Appendix D), it should be noted that 30 referrals are for delinquent miscreant acts or status offenses. One must question the validity of these referral cases. Nevertheless, the age distribution indicates that 15 or 16 year olds are the largest group of youths referred to the courts (44.8%).

Table 8  
REFERRALS BY AGE  
1977

AGE	TOTAL	JOHNSON	SEDGWICK	SHAWNEE	WYANDOTTE	ALL OTHERS
0	272	5	6	10	216	35
1	269	5	74	12	97	81
2	194	11	48	5	82	48
3	159	4	30	8	71	46
4	158	12	35	12	69	30
5	142	7	25	5	74	31
6	174	17	33	13	74	37
7	178	18	23	18	72	47
8	191	28	20	17	66	60
9	236	31	26	26	79	74
10	314	48	36	37	98	95
11	458	78	61	55	129	135
12	847	145	108	97	252	245
13	1702	279	282	167	448	526
14	2963	485	444	310	619	1105
15	5667	891	864	770	710	2432
16	4432	947	616	460	849	1560
17	3935	803	435	429	663	1605
Missing	271	7	20	31	0	213
Total	22562	3821	3186	2482	4668	8405

The reporting of the race of a child referred to the court appears to be problematic for some agencies (Table 9). The large number of "Missing" entries (8.5%) is not adequate for in-depth evaluation. Also, the category of Race needs to be expanded to include other designations (Oriental, Mexican-American, etc.) to reduce to entries in the "Other" category. Regardless, of the reported referrals, 77.4% were identified as white.

Table 9  
REFERRALS BY RACE  
1977

RACE	TOTAL	JOHNSON	SEDGWICK	SHAWNEE	WYANDOTTE	ALL OTHERS
White	17467	3726	1385	1898	2818	7640
Black	2648	62	326	483	1420	357
Indian	115	2	30	34	1	48
Other	410	22	59	46	107	176
Missing	1922	9	1386	21	322	184
Total	22562	3821	3186	2482	4668	8405

#### SOURCE OF REFERRAL

Examination of the data indicates law enforcement agencies were responsible for three-quarters of the total referrals to the juvenile courts in 1977 (Table 10). Referrals from social agencies, primarily SRS, parents or relatives and schools, constitute another 17% of the total. The remaining referrals emanated from various other sources with a large number (513) indicating incomplete data.

Table 10  
SOURCE OF REFERRAL  
1977

SOURCE OF REFERRAL	TOTAL	JOHNSON	SEDGWICK	SHAWNEE	WYANDOTTE	ALL OTHERS
Law Enfo. Agency	16963	3463	2403	1456	3153	6488
School Dept.	1191	198	21	343	259	370
Social Agency	1541	125	278	44	744	350
Probation Officer	279	1	94	8	49	127
Parent or Relatives	1208	13	321	163	249	462
Other Court	133	16	6	0	72	39
Other Source	734	2	26	118	142	446
Missing	513	3	37	350	0	123
Total	22562	3821	3186	2482	4668	8405

## RECIDIVISM THROUGH THE COURTS

An indication of recidivistic activity through the courts is provided by the Referrals during the Calendar Year and Referrals in Previous Years data elements. While at this stage of development it is impossible to correlate the indication of prior referrals with the offense for which an individual has been referred, work to develop this facility is progressing. In the future the hope is to provide data to tie a series of offenses to a single perpetrator.

Table 11 represents the prior referrals for the calendar year. This table may allow the only indication of an unduplicated number of individuals (not referrals) processed by the courts. There were 18,192 referrals with no priors during the year. This figure is 80.6% of the total number of referrals and should represent the individuals seen by the court.

Table 11  
PRIOR REFERRALS DURING CALENDAR YEAR  
1977

PRIOR REFERRALS	TOTAL	JOHNSON	SEDGWICK	SHAWNEE	WYANDOTTE	ALL OTHERS
0	18192	3028	2090	2066	3413	7595
1	2682	522	651	234	680	595
2	863	142	246	77	259	139
3	367	73	105	33	113	43
4	165	30	41	9	69	16
5 or more	212	22	35	13	134	8
Missing	81	4	18	50	0	9
Total	22562	3821	3186	2482	4668	8405

However, 4,289 referrals indicate some degree of additional contact during the year. This figure is 19.0% of all the referrals handled and is 23.6% of the first offenders. On a progressive basis of court involvement, the reported figures indicate that a first offender during the year has a 1 in 7 chance of returning a second time; a 1 in 3 chance of returning a third time; a 1 in 2 chance of a fourth referral, and a better than even chance of returning 5 or more times once a fourth referral is reached.

Similarly, Table 12 shows total referrals over time, prior to 1977. Once again, nearly 75% (16,750) of the total referrals had no court involvement prior to 1977. Of course, this figure is not easily related to individual activity for the year as found in Table 11. A person could conceivably have no referrals prior to 1977, yet commit 5 or more offenses in Table 11. This lack of knowledge concerning individual historical activity poses problems for program personnel, and warrants further attention.

Table 12  
REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEARS  
1977

REFERRALS	TOTAL	JOHNSON	SEDGWICK	SHAWNEE	WYANDOTTE	ALL OTHERS
0	16750	2524	2495	1893	2716	7122
1	2600	594	279	231	797	699
2	1133	251	147	123	324	288
3	611	153	82	61	196	119
4	418	105	73	28	149	63
5 or more	963	190	90	96	486	101
Missing	87	4	20	50	0	13
Total	22562	3821	3186	2482	4668	8405

#### CARE PENDING DISPOSTION

The most problematic data element currently contained in the information system is the Care Pending Disposition entry. In its current form, a court is asked to combine the numbers for the provided entries should more than one type of case occur. This procedure allows for numerous combinations with a maximum total of 15 if all possibilities occur. This is not the intention of this element, and future revisions will attempt to clarify this confusion. What is needed is an indication of out-of-home care due to the immediate occurrence of the referral offense. Table 13 is provided only as reference and as an indication of the problems with this variable. Of the total referrals, 75% indicated no detention overnight while 12% (2744) referrals had some form of confinement sometime prior to disposition.

Table 13  
CARE PENDING DISPOSITION  
1977

CARE PENDING DISPOSITION	TOTAL	JOHNSON	SEDGWICK	SHAWNEE	WYANDOTTE	ALL OTHERS
No Detention Overnight	16915	3236	1912	1546	4076	6145
Detention in Jail	1473	51	532	7	118	765
Detention Home	1271	284	167	332	240	248
Detention in Jail- Detention Home	2	0	0	0	0	2
Foster Home	759	12	293	76	148	230
Detention in Jail- Foster Home	9	0	5	0	1	3
Detention Home- Foster Home	1	0	0	1	0	0
Jail, Detention Home, Foster Home	2	0	0	0	0	2
Other Placement	788	238	221	48	85	196
Jail-Other Placement	1	0	0	0	0	1
Detention in Jail- Other Placement	2	0	2	0	0	0
Detention Home- Other Placement	1	0	1	0	0	0
Missing	1338	0	53	472	0	813
Total	22562	3821	3186	2482	4668	8405

#### CASE DISPOSTION

The manner in which a particular referral is settled by the court is presented in Table 14. Of the total referrals, 96 were waived to the adult court; Sedgwick and Shawnee counties accounted for 56% of these cases (54). Referrals that were dismissed constituted 42% of the total (9476) while probation occurred in 18% of the referrals. The transfer of legal custody, generally to SRS, occurred in 1,919 referrals (8.5%). No particular trends occur in this data, however, further work on the input variable is needed to bring the descriptors into line with actual activity in the state.



Table 14  
CASE DISPOSITION  
1977

DISPOSITION	TOTAL	JOHNSON	SEDGWICK	SHAWNEE	WYANDOTTE	ALL OTHERS
Waived to Criminal Court	96	3	27	4	27	35
Dismissed-Unproved	2865	97	741	345	914	768
Dismissed-Warned	6611	2574	166	448	1656	1767
Held Open	912	205	6	157	72	472
Probation	4086	437	798	430	394	2027
Referred Elsewhere	2077	19	432	408	649	569
Runaway Returned	550	2	2	107	187	252
Other	2854	241	689	400	75	1449
Custody to Pub. Inst.						
Delinquency	407	2	75	33	150	147
Cust. To Other Pub. Ins.	114	0	17	7	6	84
Cust. to Pub. Agy. Inst.	1033	225	146	15	256	391
Cust. to Priv. Inst.	49	0	4	8	4	33
Cust. to Individual	316	0	32	9	113	162
Other	249	0	33	96	50	70
Inapplicable	106	10	1	10	4	81
Missing	237	6	17	5	111	98
Total	22562	3821	3186	2482	4668	8405

#### TIME FROM REFERRAL TO DISPOSITION

For the first time an attempt has been made to compute the length of time between the date of referral and the final disposition of the referral. This variable was computed from two provided variables; the date of referral and the date of disposition. Therefore, with either variable missing the length variable was impossible to compute. Table 15 indicates 9.9% of the referrals (2,236) had missing data. One must also be aware that incorrect entries will also have a profound effect on the computations.

Table 15  
TIME ELAPSED BETWEEN REFERRAL AND DISPOSITION  
1977

TIME ELAPSED	TOTAL	JOHNSON	SEDGWICK	SHAWNEE	WYANDOTTE	ALL OTHERS
10 Days or less	5247	528	862	295	1131	2431
11-20 Days	4646	815	329	300	974	2228
21-30 Days	2457	516	265	294	554	828
31-40 Days	1991	694	289	183	356	469
41-50 Days	1437	328	352	113	341	303
51-75 Days	1919	357	408	174	596	384
76-100 Days	979	181	179	103	287	229
101-150 Days	833	126	187	106	228	186
151-200 Days	285	36	89	31	43	86
201-250 Days	146	9	55	12	23	47
251-300 Days	131	15	49	5	13	49
301+ Days	255	23	88	37	16	91
Missing	2236	193	34	829	106	1074
Total	22562	3821	3186	2482	4668	8405

Given the data as presented, nearly 58% of all referrals (12,350) were disposed of in 30 days or less across the state. This percentage increases to over 60% if the missing cases are excluded from the total. Across the state variations occurred in the lengths of time reported to disposed of cases. Johnson and Sedgwick counties complete 48% and 46% of their referrals respectively in 30 days or less. Excluding the missing data Johnson county's total increases to 51% while Sedgwick county's change is insignificant. Shawnee county exhibits the greatest difference due to missing data, from 36% to 54% of cases disposed in 30 days or less. Wyandotte county reported the largest percent of cases disposed in 30 days or less (57%) and is affected by missing data by only 1%. For the remainder of the courts, 65% of the referrals are disposed of in 30 days or less while the total jumps to 75% by disregarding the missing data.

While the speedy handling of cases is fairly apparent across the state, a concern exists for those cases remaining unresolved for lengthy periods of time. While the type of case and other considerations not presented in this section may impact heavily on time to disposition, further investigation is necessary to isolate the exact circumstances. The next section will attempt to examine more closely the factors influencing referral disposition.

## SUMMARY

The purpose of this section has been to present each variable from the current input document of the Kansas Juvenile Information System (KJIS) and provide some descriptive material highlighting the major features of the referrals for 1977. As has been apparent, many problems exist with the current data collection effort; however, the current data represents the best source of information concerning activity through the juvenile courts of Kansas. While problems may exist, efforts are underway to refine the entire process from input to report output in hopes of providing more timely and accurate data for those persons responsible for program planning, evaluation and expenditures.

Given the disparities in reporting outlined previously, one is somewhat hesitant to issue authoritative proclamations concerning juvenile activity in the state. However, at this point in time, the data presented thus far can be used as indicators of activity and a source for general trends without a great deal of specificity being drawn. The section following will attempt, somewhat advisedly, to examine various sets of variables from the data base and their interaction. Remaining tables generated from the collected data are provided beginning in Appendix D as a resource for the reader.

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The purpose of this section is to present selected variables and evaluate their interrelationships. Tables were generated for all first order cross-tabulations possible given the data elements contained in the data base. Tables with combinations of variables not included in this section will be found in Appendix D with the exception of any tables concerning the Care Pending Disposition variable. Because of the relative uncertainty surrounding the interpretation of this variable, indepth analysis would be suspect. Tables presented in this section reflect either specific trends in the data or further serious deficiencies in the data base.

Table 16 presents the Sex by Race of the referrals in 1977. Of primary concern with this table is the number of referrals left out of the cross-tabulation. With nearly 10% of the total referrals missing, inferences concerning the data are suspect at best. Also, while not a large proportion, 410 cases classified as "Other" need clarification.

Table 16  
SEX BY RACE OF OFFENDER  
1977

RACE	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
White	12225	5229	17454
Black	1813	833	2646
Indian	63	51	114
Other	308	102	410
Total	14409	6215	20624
Missing	1938		

The Category of Offense by Sex is presented in Table 17. Of the male referrals, 55.5% are for delinquent-miscreant type offenses, while only 29.8% of the females were referred for similar offenses. By contrast only 19.9% of the males were referred for status offenses; but 40.8% of the females committed status offenses.

Table 17  
CATEGORY OF OFFENSE BY SEX  
1977

CATEGORY OF OFFENSE	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Delinquent-Miscreant	8661	1996	10657
Status Offender	3105	2733	5838
Traffic	2558	687	3245
Deprived	1186	1192	2378
Special Proceedings	83	92	175
Total	15593	6700	22293
Missing	269		

By comparing the Category of Offense with the Source of Referral, one can see that, for the majority of cases, those agencies charged with certain activities are in fact involved in those activities (Table 18). The law enforcement agencies are referring the vast majority (94%) of the delinquent-miscreant type cases, and these cases constitute 59% of their activity pertaining to juvenile referrals. Status offenders and traffic referrals represent another 38% of the caseload. Likewise, school referrals are heavily skewed toward the status offenses (87%), most often the truant. Finally, of the social agencies' referrals, 86% were of the deprived type. Problematic is the 629 cases listed as "missing".

Table 18  
CATEGORY OF OFFENSE BY SOURCE OF REFERRAL  
1977

CATEGORY OF OFFENSE	LAW ENFR. AGENCY	SCHOOL DEPT.	SOCIAL AGENCY	PROBATION OFFICER	PARENTS RELATIVES	OTHER COURT	OTHER SOURCE	TOTAL
Delinquent-Miscreant	10021	91	24	52	48	71	312	10619
Status Offender	3580	1036	158	88	796	13	129	5800
Traffic	2909	1	2	5	0	6	11	2934
Deprived	345	56	1324	123	304	15	239	2406
Special Proceedings	7	3	31	11	56	28	38	174
Total	16862	1187	1539	279	1204	133	729	21933
Missing	629							

The manner in which a referral is handled relative to the category of offense is presented in Table 19. Over 66% of the status offenders are handled informally while nearly 53% of the delinquent-miscreant type referrals are processed formally.

Table 19  
CATEGORY OF OFFENSE BY MANNER OF HANDLING  
1977

CATEGORY OF OFFENSE	WITHOUT PETITION	WITH PETITION	TOTAL
Delinquent-Miscreant	4965	5592	10557
Status	3836	1942	5778
Traffic	1834	1395	3229
Deprived	1101	1295	2396
Special Proceedings	86	89	175
Total	11822	10313	22135
Missing 427			

An interesting system activity is apparent in Table 20, Manner of Handling By Source of Referral. While the formal handling of referrals represents only 47% of the total, referral by probation officer has an 86% chance of being handled formally. The data would indicate that once on probation, further violations are not viewed favorably by the probation staff.

Table 20  
MANNER OF HANDLING BY SOURCE OF REFERRAL  
1977

MANNER OF HANDLING	LAW ENFR. AGENCY	SCHOOL DEPT.	SOCIAL AGENCY	PROBATION OFFICER	PARENTS RELATIVES	OTHER COURT	OTHER SOURCE	TOTAL
Without Petition	8991	799	817	37	510	70	292	11516
With Petition	7772	364	716	239	676	61	434	10262
Total	16763	1163	1533	276	1186	131	726	21778
Missing 784								

The Disposition By Category of Offense presentation (Table 21) indicates possible difficulties in basic input. Of those referrals waived to the criminal court, 20 were for status or traffic offenses. Similarly, the 2165 traffic offenses with an "Other" disposition most probably represent some form of fine being paid. However, given the unclear nature of the data, it is difficult to ascertain the specific circumstances surrounding these entries.

Table 21  
DISPOSITION BY CATEGORY OF OFFENSE  
1977

DISPOSITION	DEL.- MISCREANT	STATUS OFFENDER	TRAFFIC	DEPRIVED	SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL
Waived to Criminal Court	76	3	17	0	0	96
Dismissed-Unproved	1828	571	174	271	2	2846
Dismissed-Warned	3382	2444	451	298	14	6589
Held Open	378	325	64	137	3	907
Probation	2973	824	237	13	10	4057
Referred Elsewhere	572	429	55	986	19	2061
Runaway Returned	38	508	1	1	0	548
Other	424	176	2165	51	3	2819
Custody to Pub. Inst.-Del.	347	53	2	0	0	402
Custody to Other Pub. Inst.	67	29	1	17	1	115
Custody to Pub. Agy.	279	273	7	456	17	1032
Custody to Priv. Agy.	16	21	0	10	2	49
Custody to Individual	82	73	14	119	27	315
Other	112	68	16	32	17	245
Inapplicable	28	12	15	5	43	103
Total	10602	5809	3219	2396	158	22184
Missing 378						

Another indication of possible inaccurate data input is found in Table 22, Disposition By Manner of Handling. Of the 95 cases represented as being waived to the adult court, 25 were reported as being handled without petition. It is doubtful such was the case. Likewise, in all the entries pertaining to the transfer of legal custody, the 228 referrals listed as being handled without petition is quite likely inaccurate. In the cited examples, either the data was incorrectly keypunched or incorrectly entered onto the original source document.



Table 22  
DISPOSITION BY MANNER OF HANDLING  
1977

DISPOSITION	WITHOUT PETITION	WITH PETITION	TOTAL
Waived to Criminal Court	25	70	95
Dismissed-Unproved	1461	1385	2846
Dismissed-Warned	5934	619	6553
Held Open	466	441	907
Probation	349	3702	4051
Referred Elsewhere	1236	829	2065
Runaway Returned	487	51	538
Other	1620	1214	2834
Custody to Pub. Inst.-Del.	12	391	403
Custody to Other Pub. Inst.	18	96	114
Custody to Pub. Agy.-Inst.	58	971	1029
Custody to Priv. Inst.	4	45	49
Custody to Individual	42	272	314
Other	94	154	248
Inapplicable	63	43	106
Total	11869	10283	22152

Missing 410

As to the lengths of time necessary to dispose of referrals, Tables 23 and 24 show the Category of Offense and the Manner of Handling. Only a little over one-half of the delinquent-miscreant or deprived referrals are completed in 30 days or less (56.6% and 54.8% respectively) while the status and traffic offenses approximate nearly 70% (68.4% and 67.0%). In many cases both the delinquent-miscreant type referrals in the deprived referrals necessitate alternative placements, hence requiring greater lengths of time to locate proper situations for the individuals.

Table 23  
TIME ELAPSED BETWEEN REFERRAL AND DISPOSITION  
BY CATEGORY OF OFFENSE  
1977

TIME BETWEEN REFERRAL & DISPOSITION	DEL.- MISCREANT	STATUS OFFENDER	TRAFFIC	DEPRIVED	SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL
10 Days or less	2082	1674	855	588	26	5225
11-20 Days	2194	1125	859	427	15	4620
21-30 Days	1293	578	361	184	22	2438
31-40 Days	1075	511	191	171	28	1976
41-50 Days	834	261	146	175	13	1429
51-75 Days	1112	328	211	237	17	1915
76-100 Days	524	176	124	137	12	973
101-150 Days	428	156	108	124	7	823
151-200 Days	112	44	82	44	0	282
201-250 Days	61	16	42	26	0	145
251-300 Days	48	14	40	28	0	130
301+ Days	86	52	66	47	0	257
Total	9849	4935	3095	2188	40	20207

Missing 2355

Table 24

TIME ELAPSED BETWEEN REFERRAL & DISPOSITION  
BY MANNER OF HANDLING  
1977

RECORDED TIME BETWEEN REFERRAL & DISPOSITION	WITHOUT PETITION	WITH PETITION	TOTAL
10 Days or less	3590	1612	5202
11-20 Days	2350	2250	4600
21-30 Days	1177	1256	2433
31-40 Days	949	1022	1971
41-50 Days	441	973	1414
51-75 Days	650	1242	1892
76-100 Days	349	611	960
101-150 Days	308	503	811
151-200 Days	134	145	279
201-250 Days	59	81	140
251-300 Days	76	55	131
301+ Days	118	135	253
Total	10201	9885	20086
Missing 2476			

Similarly, in those cases handled informally the length of time to disposition is shorter than for those handled formally (69.8% without petition in 30 days or less to 51.8% with petition).

#### SUMMARY

Included in this section have been selected tables representing either notable occurrences in the juvenile information system or to highlight areas of concern when attempting to evaluate the collected data. Additional tables are included in Appendix D for use as reference.

APPENDIX A

Juvenile Court Referrals by  
Manner of Handling, Offense  
Type and Sex 1977

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## JUVENILE COURT REFERRALS BY MANNER OF HANDLING, OFFENSE TYPE AND SEX, 1977

County	Total Referrals**	Cases Handled Without Petition										Cases Handled With Petition									
		Delinquent/Miscreant		Status		Traffic		Dependent/Neglect		Special Proceedings		Delinquent/Miscreant		Status		Traffic		Dependent/Neglect		Special Proceedings	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Allen	72	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	1	4	1	21	2	1	4	4	11
Anderson	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Atchison	102	29	7	9	2	5	1	-	-	-	-	33	6	4	1	1	2	-	-	-	-
Barber	30	-	-	1	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	5	2	-	-	11	6	-	-	-	-
Barton	261	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	116	17	30	26	31	7	9	11	-	-
Bourbon	263	45	3	82	38	1	-	-	1	-	-	32	6	4	3	18	9	5	9	-	1
Brown	89	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	12	21	6	2	4	5	-	12	14	3	5
Butler++	353	107	8	73	47	44	9	2	2	-	-	31	1	12	6	4	-	2	-	-	-
Chase	13	1	-	1	1	-	-	2	2	-	-	1	-	2	1	-	-	2	-	-	-
Chautauqua	34	1	1	3	3	2	-	-	5	-	1	2	1	1	3	3	1	2	2	-	1
Cherokee	139+	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cheyenne	4	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clark	11	5	1	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Clay	33	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	11	2	8	3	1	1	-	-
Cloud	40	16	1	-	2	6	3	-	1	-	-	5	-	1	2	1	-	1	-	-	-
Coffey++	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	1	2	3	-	5	2	-	-
Comanche	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Cowley	173	5	1	3	-	4	2	-	-	-	-	74	20	16	18	8	3	3	9	-	-
Crawford	250	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	103	11	35	30	25	9	16	20	-	-
Decatur	10	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-
Dickinson	161	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	71	6	12	14	16	6	16	19	-	-
Doniphan	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	1	3	3	11	1	-	1	-	-
Douglas	521	111	34	84	53	70	13	3	3	1	1	65	20	11	22	7	2	8	6	-	-
Edwards	30	1	-	1	2	3	1	-	-	-	-	11	1	1	1	7	1	-	-	-	-
Elk	17	-	-	4	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ellis	500	95	27	130	52	65	17	19	11	-	-	31	19	12	10	4	2	-	3	-	-
Ellsworth	34	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	6	4	2	2	-	3	-	-
Finney	203	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	106	22	26	26	17	4	-	1	-	-
Ford	158	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	85	12	6	8	22	14	-	1	-	-
Franklin	113	47	9	12	9	9	11	-	-	-	-	9	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

Geary	258	75	36	17	4	12	3	3	3	-	-	48	5	6	6	21	-	8	11	-	-
Gove	19	1	2	2	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	4	3	1	-	1	-	-	2	-	-
Graham	25	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	6	1	-	4	7	3	2	-	-	-
Grant	74	3	-	6	2	9	2	-	1	-	-	17	5	5	6	1	1	8	4	-	-
Gray	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	1	11	2	1	-	2	-
Greeley	8	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Greenwood	164	9	6	26	17	1	1	31	32	-	-	16	5	4	4	10	2	-	-	-	-
Hamilton	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Harper	64	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	-	7	2	24	2	1	1	-	-
Harvey	44	9	1	8	6	5	3	-	-	-	-	5	1	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	-
Haskell	20	2	-	2	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	9	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Hodgeman	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jackson	30	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	3	2	11	5	-	1	-	-
Jefferson	93	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	3	11	1	22	6	4	7	-	-
Jewell	28	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	16	1	-	1	2	-	2	2	-	-
Johnson	3821	1060	291	685	526	38	9	5	14	3	1	450	96	124	129	209	44	60	63	1	1
Kearny	26	3	-	-	-	5	-	1	-	-	-	3	3	-	1	5	2	1	2	-	-
Kingman	145	6	1	11	11	20	10	-	-	-	-	45	9	12	9	6	-	2	2	-	-
Kiowa	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	1	1	-	-	-	4	5	-	-
Labette	172	1	-	2	1	4	-	-	2	-	-	49	3	8	10	56	18	5	9	-	-
Lane	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
Leavenworth	293	19	-	12	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	91	1	31	23	51	15	15	14	-	-
Lincoln	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	2	13	-	2	1	6	2	2	1	-	-
Linn	28	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	3	5	2	7	4	-	-	-	-
Logan	41	-	-	-	1	22	8	-	-	-	-	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lyon	529	114	38	73	64	43	12	11	14	-	-	52	12	20	21	12	4	16	13	-	2
Marion	26	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	1	2	1	7	2	3	3	-	-
Marshall	61	-	-	1	-	15	2	-	-	-	-	5	2	10	8	11	1	4	1	-	-
McPherson	160	41	5	31	31	22	6	-	2	-	-	14	1	-	2	2	1	-	-	-	-
Meade	22	-	-	-	-	4	3	-	-	-	-	7	1	1	-	6	-	-	-	-	-
Miami	116	7	4	2	3	11	6	-	-	-	-	29	2	10	9	11	2	8	7	-	-
Mitchell	31	5	1	-	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	11	2	1	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
Montgomery	228	42	11	10	16	5	1	-	-	-	-	64	21	10	20	18	6	-	1	-	-
Morris	22	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	5	-	2	-	-	-
Morton	38	-	-	1	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	13	-	1	-	-	3	10	6	-	-

JUVENILE COURT REFERRALS BY MANNER OF HANDLING, OFFENSE TYPE AND SEX, 1977

County	Total Referrals**	Cases Handled Without Petition										Cases Handled Without Petition									
		Delinquent/Miscreant		Status		Traffic		Dependent/Neglect		Special Proceedings		Delinquent/Miscreant		Status		Traffic		Dependent/Neglect		Special Proceedings	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Nemaha	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-
Neosho	74	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	4	2	6	10	3	7	6	-	-
Ness	24	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	1	1	8	2	-	-	-	-
Norton	50	4	1	1	3	10	-	-	-	-	-	9	3	2	6	9	-	-	1	-	-
Osage	84	11	5	10	19	2	-	-	-	2	-	18	-	2	2	4	1	3	1	-	-
Osborne	19	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ottawa	33	7	2	6	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pawnee	46	8	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	18	3	3	4	4	-	2	2	-	-
Phillips	49	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	-	3	3	23	5	-	-	-	-
Pottawatomie	64	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	30	8	6	6	5	-	2	3	-	-
Pratt	129	9	4	15	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	31	6	10	10	20	5	5	4	-	-
Rawlins	20	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	1	-	-	2	-	3	2	-	-
Reno	308	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	136	32	76	40	4	1	5	9	-	-
Republic	18	3	-	-	-	1	3	-	-	1	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Rice	93	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47	10	1	3	13	7	5	7	-	-
Riley	139	2	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	40	11	13	15	37	9	6	2	-	-
Rooks	39	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	22	3	2	3	4	-	2	1	-	-
Rush	26	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	3	-	1	13	4	-	-	-	-
Russell	109	17	-	-	-	38	16	-	-	-	-	9	2	7	10	7	-	-	2	-	-
Saline	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	26	7	5	5	4	2	-	-	-	-
Scott	109	-	-	1	-	4	-	1	-	2	5	28	2	7	6	26	13	1	1	1	-
Sedgwick	3186	329	101	115	154	529	122	79	-	72	2	990	134	65	90	14	1	149	158	13	19
Seward	77	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	35	7	8	12	5	2	-	6	-	-
Shawnee	2482	378	159	306	287	228	69	16	-	22	2	367	111	148	171	13	2	29	24	-	-
Sheridan	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sherman	159	20	1	7	4	36	29	1	-	-	-	36	3	3	3	4	4	4	3	-	-
Smith	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	5	-	7	1	-	2	-	-
Stafford	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	21	2	-	-	3	-	1	2	-	-
Stanton	20	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	2	2	3	4	-	-	-	-	-
Stevens	15	10	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-

Sumner	218	1	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	107	11	23	18	25	4	-	1	-	-
Thomas	90	14	6	5	-	24	5	-	-	-	-	14	2	6	3	10	-	-	1	-	-
Trego	49	-	2	5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	2	1	1	11	3	2	5	-	-
Wabaunsee	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	1	-	1	6	3	-	-	-	-
Wallace	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Washington	22	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	7	1	1	-	4	3	-	-	-	-
Wichita	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	-
Wilson	42	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	11	2	5	2	15	4	-	1	-	-
Woodson	13	-	-	-	-	7	3	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Wyandotte	4668	1219	357	395	374	134	21	358	360	23	20	620	96	76	100	29	5	182	123	15	9
Total	23,070*	3913	1132	2170	1750	1476	402	533	553	44	42	4764	824	962	988	1106	288	650	631	39	50

\* 508 Total Missing

\*\* 62 Referrals had no County Entry, 131 no Sex Entry, 318 no Offense Entry, 289 no Manner Entry (800)

+ Cards lost in mail

++ Cards received to late to process

## APPENDIX B

### Estimated Juvenile Population by County



ESTIMATED JUVENILE POPULATIONS BY COUNTY

1977

COUNTY	AREA (SQ. MILES)	1977 TOTAL POPULATION	1970 JUNENILE % POPULATION	ESTIMATED JUVENILE POPULATION
Allen	505	15,668	30.9	4,848
Anderson	557	8,314	32.5	2,702
Atchison	421	21,494	32.2	6,921
Barber	1,146	6,659	31.0	2,064
Barton	865	37,090	36.0	13,352
Bourbon	639	16,750	27.5	4,606
Brown	578	12,956	29.2	3,783
Butler	1,443	42,140	34.0	14,496
Chase	774	3,406	28.4	969
Chautauqua	647	5,046	25.8	1,302
Cherokee	587	22,507	31.0	6,977
Cheyenne	1,027	4,016	31.8	1,277
Clark	983	2,757	30.1	830
Clay	658	10,035	29.8	2,990
Cloud	711	14,076	30.2	4,251
Coffey	656	8,016	28.7	2,300
Comanche	800	2,854	28.9	825
Cowley	1,136	35,381	29.9	10,579
Crawford	598	37,934	25.7	9,749
Decatur	899	4,933	32.7	1,613
Dickinson	855	22,570	31.5	7,110
Doniphan	379	10,015	32.9	3,295
Douglas	468	62,842	25.5	16,025
Edwards	614	4,456	32.5	1,448
Elk	647	4,004	25.9	1,037

# ESTIMATED JUVENILE POPULATIONS BY COUNTY

1977

COUNTY	AREA (SQ. MILES)	1977 TOTAL POPULATION	1970 JUVENILE % POPULATION	ESTIMATED JUVENILE POPULATION
Ellis	900	25,108	32.5	8,160
Ellsworth	718	7,288	29.7	2,165
Finney	1,302	26,195	40.1	10,504
Ford	1,083	25,009	34.8	8,703
Franklin	577	21,280	31.3	6,660
Geary	399	23,415	29.2	6,837
Gove	1,070	3,985	38.6	1,538
Graham	891	4,498	37.3	1,678
Grant	568	7,342	40.5	2,973
Gray	869	5,231	34.6	1,810
Greeley	783	2,198	37.4	822
Greenwood	1,150	9,091	28.0	2,545
Hamilton	992	3,139	34.9	1,095
Harper	801	8,029	27.8	2,232
Harvey	540	28,890	32.3	9,331
Haskell	579	4,193	39.5	1,656
Hodgeman	860	2,650	36.7	973
Jackson	656	11,651	33.1	3,856
Jefferson	549	13,943	35.4	4,936
Jewell	907	5,859	29.8	1,746
Johnson	476	250,947	37.9	95,109
Kearney	853	3,399	38.3	1,302
Kingman	865	10,070	34.3	3,454
Kiowa	720	4,256	29.1	1,238
Labette	654	25,092	32.1	8,054

# ESTIMATED JUVENILE POPULATIONS BY COUNTY

1977

COUNTY	AREA (SQ. MILES)	1977 TOTAL POPULATION	1970 JUVENILE % POPULATION	ESTIMATED JUVENILE POPULATION
Lane	720	2,857	34.8	994
Leavenworth	465	51,756	33.4	17,286
Lincoln	726	4,749	27.3	1,296
Linn	605	8,300	28.5	2,365
Logan	1,073	3,778	36.5	1,379
Lyon	852	34,277	26.1	8,946
Marion	895	16,518	30.8	5,088
Marshall	959	13,568	30.3	4,111
McPherson	911	25,783	30.4	7,838
Meade	976	5,088	34.3	1,745
Miami	591	21,234	33.0	7,007
Mitchell	716	8,046	31.9	2,567
Montgomery	649	43,493	29.7	12,917
Morris	707	6,885	29.2	2,010
Morton	725	3,492	37.8	1,320
Nemaha	709	12,082	36.0	4,350
Neosho	587	17,862	31.8	5,680
Ness	1,081	4,799	32.5	1,560
Norton	880	7,097	31.7	2,250
Osage	721	13,798	32.6	4,498
Osborne	898	6,323	29.2	1,846
Ottawa	723	6,373	29.7	1,893
Pawnee	749	7,970	28.8	2,295
Phillips	906	8,330	31.9	2,657
Pottawatomie	850	13,693	32.8	4,491

# ESTIMATED JUVENILE POPULATIONS BY COUNTY

1977

COUNTY	AREA (SQ. MILES)	1977 TOTAL POPULATION	1970 JUVENILE % POPULATION	ESTIMATED JUVENILE POPULATION
Pratt	729	9,792	30.1	2,947
Rawlins	1,078	4,257	35.1	1,494
Reno	1,255	65,092	33.2	21,611
Republic	719	8,267	28.6	2,364
Rice	721	12,006	30.3	3,638
Riley	624	41,983	23.6	9,908
Rooks	888	7,281	34.1	2,483
Rush	724	5,115	30.0	1,535
Russell	897	9,484	31.4	2,978
Saline	720	48,473	36.7	17,790
Scott	723	6,933	37.8	2,621
Sedgwick	999	341,660	35.6	121,631
Seward	639	17,094	38.0	6,496
Shawnee	545	177,960	34.0	60,506
Sheridan	893	3,820	39.3	1,501
Sherman	1,055	8,518	35.4	3,015
Smith	893	6,529	28.6	1,867
Stafford	794	6,140	28.7	1,762
Stanton	676	2,740	40.6	1,112
Stevens	729	4,754	35.4	1,683
Sumner	1,182	24,166	32.8	7,926
Thomas	1,070	8,335	33.1	2,759
Trego	901	4,543	34.5	1,567
Wabaunsee	791	6,816	31.8	2,167
Wallace	911	2,269	38.4	871

ESTIMATED JUVENILE POPULATIONS BY COUNTY

COUNTY	AREA (SQ. MILES)	1977	1970	ESTIMATED JUVENILE POPULATION
		TOTAL POPULATION	JUVENILE % POPULATION	
Washington	891	9,065	30.8	2,792
Wichita	724	3,471	41.5	1,440
Wilson	574	12,380	29.0	3,590
Woodson	504	4,700	28.1	1,321
Wyandotte	150	180,781	35.5	64,177
Total	82,048	2,341,261	33.3	780,667

Notes:

- a) Population figures are from the 1977 Board of Agriculture report from County Assessors
- b) Juvenile percentages are from the 1970 Census.
- c) Estimated juvenile populations are a function of the 1970 juvenile percentages and the 1977 population figures

APPENDIX C  
Glossary of Terms

## GLOSSARY

- Adjudication - the process of deciding whether or not a youth fits into one of the categories of delinquent, miscreant, deprived, wayward or truant.
- Criminal-type offender - a child who has been charged with, or adjudicated as, being a delinquent or miscreant child.
- Delinquent child - a child less than 18 years of age who does an act which, if done by a person 18 years of age or over, would make such a person liable to be arrested and prosecuted for the commission of a felony.
- Deprived - a child less than 18 years of age:  
(1) who is without proper parental care or control, subsistence, education...or control necessary for such child's physical, mental or emotional health, and the deprivation is not due solely to the lack of financial means of such child's parents, guardian or other custodian;  
(2) who has been placed for care or adoption in violation of law;  
(3) who has been abandoned or physically, mentally, emotionally abused or neglected or sexually abused by his or her parent, guardian or other custodian;  
(4) who is without a parent, guardian or legal custodian.
- Miscreant child - a child less than 18 years of age who does an act which, if done by a person 18 years of age or over, would make such person liable to be arrested and prosecuted for the commission of a misdemeanor; or the violation of any city ordinance or county resolution; or who escapes from or runs away from any lawful court ordered placement.
- Offense - the equivalent of a "crime" in the adult vernacular.
- Petition - similar to the "complaint" in an adult case and may be filed on any child falling into the categories of delinquent, miscreant, deprived, wayward or truant.
- Status offender - a child alleged or adjudicated to be a wayward or deprived child or a truant.
- Traffic offender - a child under 14 years of age who does an act which, if done by a person 14 years of age or over, would make such person liable to be arrested and prosecuted for the violation of specific traffic offenses.

Traffic offender (cont.) Whenever a child of 14 years of age or older is charged with a traffic offense, the prosecution of such offense shall not be heard pursuant to the juvenile code but shall be commenced in a court of competent jurisdiction in the same manner as prosecutions involving adults.

Truant - a child who, being by law required to attend school, absents himself or herself therefrom to the extent of being a truant.

Wayward child - a child less than 18 years of age:

- (1) whose behavior is injurious to his or her welfare;
- (2) who has deserted his or her home without good or sufficient cause;
- (3) who is habitually disobedient to the reasonable and lawful commands of his or her parent, guardian or other lawful custodian;
- (4) who does an act the commission of which by persons under the age of 18 years is specifically prohibited and made unlawful by state law, city ordinance or county resolution.



## APPENDIX D

### 1977 Resource Tables

## D-1

MANNER OF HANDLING BY SEX  
1977

MANNER OF HANDLING	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Without Petition	7991	3858	11849
With Petition	7509	2793	10302
Total	15500	6651	22151

Missing 411

## D-2

MANNER OF HANDLING BY RACE  
1977

MANNER OF HANDLING	WHITE	BLACK	INDIAN	OTHER	TOTAL
Without Petition	9473	1566	58	207	11304
With Petition	7800	1018	57	196	9071
Total	17273	2584	115	403	20375

Missing 2187

## D-3

MANNER OF HANDLING  
BY PRIOR REFERRALS DURING CALENDAR YEAR  
1977

MANNER OF HANDLING	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	TOTAL
Without Petition	10098	1113	321	135	59	105	11831
With Petition	7905	1521	516	220	100	102	10364
Total	18003	2634	837	355	159	207	22195

Missing 367

## D-4

MANNER OF HANDLING BY  
REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEARS  
1977

MANNER OF HANDLING	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	TOTAL
Without Petition	9102	1260	540	286	197	446	11831
With Petition	7446	1310	580	314	217	490	10357
Total	16548	2570	1120	600	414	936	22188

Missing 374

D-5  
CATEGORY OF OFFENSE BY RACE  
1977

CATEGORY OF OFFENSE	WHITE	BLACK	INDIAN	OTHER	TOTAL
Delinquent-Miscreant	7805	1590	55	209	9659
Status Offender	4952	460	33	85	5530
Traffic	2935	168	5	49	3157
Deprived	1532	388	20	60	2000
Special Proceedings	132	24	1	6	163
Total	17356	2630	114	409	20509
Missing	2053				

D-7  
CATEGORY OF OFFENSE BY  
REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEARS  
1977

CATEGORY OF OFFENSE	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	TOTAL
Delinquent-Miscreant	7072	1570	700	390	261	708	10701
Status Offender	4307	690	333	173	129	215	5847
Traffic	2943	144	49	25	18	22	3201
Deprived	2164	173	42	15	7	9	2410
Special Proceedings	152	13	1	4	2	3	175
Total	16638	2590	1125	607	417	957	22334
Missing	228						

D-6  
CATEGORY OF OFFENSE BY  
PRIOR REFERRALS DURING CALENDAR YEAR  
1977

CATEGORY OF OFFENSE	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	TOTAL
Delinquent-Miscreant	7994	1611	822	127	103	8	2671
Status Offender	4590	822	258	105	45	29	5849
Traffic	3030	127	33	6	3	2	3201
Deprived	2291	103	13	2	0	1	2410
Special Proceedings	165	8	2	0	0	0	175
Total	18070	2671	856	366	165	212	22340
Missing	222						

D-8  
SOURCE OF REFERRAL BY SEX  
1977

SOURCE	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Law Enforcement Agency	12633	4262	16895
School Dept.	679	498	1177
Social Agency	770	752	1522
Probation Officer	145	134	279
Parents or Relative	540	659	1199
Other Court	85	48	133
Other Source	460	266	726
Total	15312	6619	21931
Missing	631		

D-9

SOURCE OF REFERRALS BY RACE  
1977

SOURCE	WHITE	BLACK	INDIAN	OTHER	TOTAL
Law Enforcement Agcy.	13535	1919	71	303	15828
School Dept.	934	160	9	20	1123
Social Agency	891	245	13	35	1184
Probation Officer	204	39	1	5	249
Parents or Relative	784	142	10	15	951
Other Court	108	9	0	3	120
Other Source	595	83	11	20	709
Total	17051	2597	115	401	20164

Missing 2398

D-10

REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEAR BY SEX  
1977

REFERRALS	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
0	11191	5450	16641
1	1899	690	2589
2	873	259	1132
3	485	123	608
4	333	83	416
5 or more	846	113	959
Total	15627	6718	22345

D-11

PRIOR REFERRALS DURING CALENDAR YEAR BY SEX  
1977

REFERRALS	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
0	12353	5722	18075
1	1996	676	2672
2	675	186	861
3	281	85	366
4	137	28	165
5 or more	188	24	212
Total	15630	6721	22351

Missing 211

D-12

REFERRALS DURING CALENDAR YEAR BY RACE  
1977

REFERRALS	WHITE	BLACK	INDIAN	OTHER	TOTAL
0	14628	2051	97	338	17114
1	1755	363	14	45	2177
2	520	133	2	13	668
3	233	44	1	5	283
4	101	26	0	6	133
5 or more	161	25	0	2	188
Total	17398	2642	114	409	20563

Missing 1999

## D-13

REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEARS BY RACE  
1977

REFERRALS	WHITE	BLACK	INDIAN	OTHER	TOTAL
0	13300	1645	83	311	15339
1	1944	373	18	48	2383
2	834	168	5	15	1022
3	444	103	3	6	556
4	263	92	3	5	363
5 or more	609	263	1	22	895
Total	17394	2644	113	407	20558
Missing	2004				

## D-14

AGE OF OFFENDER BY SEX  
1977

AGE	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
0	148	117	265
1	124	142	266
2	103	89	192
3	83	74	157
4	86	71	157
5	77	63	140
6	101	72	173
7	114	63	177
8	129	62	191
9	167	69	236
10	213	100	313
11	324	132	456
12	590	254	844
13	1152	549	1701
14	1999	961	2960
15	3889	1761	5650
16	3196	1229	4425
17	3065	861	3926
Total	15560	6669	22229
Missing	333		

## D-15

AGE BY RACE OF OFFENDER  
1977

AGE	WHITE	BLACK	INDIAN	OTHER	STATE TOTAL
0	153	53	0	3	209
1	163	49	2	9	223
2	125	30	1	4	160
3	93	22	1	6	122
4	101	27	0	3	131
5	81	25	1	0	107
6	113	31	2	4	150
7	114	36	1	5	156
8	128	34	2	6	170
9	153	47	1	9	210
10	197	87	4	7	295
11	340	84	6	7	437
12	614	148	6	11	779
13	1249	282	14	332	1577
14	2313	355	11	60	2739
15	4691	484	23	96	5294
16	3502	454	20	73	4049
17	3165	394	19	74	3652
Total	17295	2642	114	409	20460
Missing	2102				

## D-16

AGE BY MANNER OF HANDLING  
1977

AGE	WITHOUT PETITION	WITH PETITION	TOTAL
0	179	91	270
1	115	148	263
2	102	92	194
3	76	81	157
4	68	88	156
5	85	56	141
6	94	78	172
7	103	71	174
8	114	75	189
9	153	81	234
10	188	122	310
11	269	183	452
12	503	334	837
13	968	716	1684
14	1602	1309	2911
15	2992	2607	5599
16	2260	2127	4387
17	1939	1941	3880
Total	11810	10200	22010
Missing	552		

D-17

AGE BY CATEGORY OF OFFENSE  
1977

AGE	DEL.- MISCREANT	STATUS OFFENDER	TRAFFIC	DEPRIVED	SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL
0	24	6	0	235	7	272
1	1	1	0	261	6	269
2	0	0	0	186	6	192
3	1	1	0	154	3	159
4	1	1	0	148	7	157
5	8	6	0	125	3	142
6	16	11	0	138	9	174
7	40	24	1	108	5	178
8	65	24	4	96	1	190
9	91	28	8	106	3	236
10	134	55	9	106	10	314
11	248	75	26	104	4	457
12	454	210	61	109	9	843
13	820	565	169	121	15	1690
14	1314	962	539	123	11	2949
15	1825	1624	2045	169	14	5617
16	2757	1377	167	82	19	4402
17	2784	835	216	53	26	3914
Total	10583	5805	3245	2364	158	22155
Missing	407					

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AGE BY PRIOR REFERRALS DURING CALENDAR YEAR  
1977

AGE	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	Total
0	257	13	1	0	0	1	272
1	257	8	2	0	0	0	267
2	189	5	0	0	0	0	194
3	154	3	2	0	0	0	159
4	147	6	1	0	0	0	154
5	132	9	1	0	0	0	142
6	170	3	0	0	0	0	173
7	168	10	0	0	0	0	178
8	180	9	1	0	0	0	190
9	217	13	4	1	0	1	236
10	287	19	4	4	0	0	314
11	423	25	7	2	0	0	457
12	720	82	28	10	2	0	842
13	1317	237	78	30	18	17	1697
14	2367	360	115	48	25	41	2956
15	4590	651	221	88	32	37	5619
16	3293	661	215	114	60	86	4429
17	3077	550	180	69	27	29	3932
Total	17945	2664	860	366	164	212	22211
Missing	351						

## D-19

AGE BY SOURCE OF REFERRAL  
1977

AGE	LAW ENFO.	SCHOOL DEPT.	SOCIAL AGENCY	PROBATION OFFICER	PARENTS OR REL.	OTHER COURT	OTHER SOURCE	TOTAL
0	56	1	146	11	15	6	37	272
1	41	1	147	9	33	0	35	266
2	23	1	109	7	30	2	21	193
3	24	1	82	7	25	2	17	158
4	27	1	81	4	20	4	21	158
5	22	6	78	7	14	1	14	142
6	29	11	84	9	23	2	15	173
7	60	16	77	1	12	3	9	178
8	86	16	65	6	8	0	9	190
9	119	19	56	10	19	0	13	236
10	161	35	65	6	21	4	21	313
11	300	35	69	9	19	0	17	449
12	568	79	80	13	52	2	35	829
13	1245	159	87	31	104	9	45	1680
14	2291	235	78	35	188	14	49	2890
15	4403	440	99	55	267	22	97	5383
16	3829	63	74	40	231	40	113	4390
17	3546	43	37	15	95	22	134	3892
Total	16830	1162	1514	275	1176	133	702	21792
Missing	770							

## D-20

AGE BY REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEARS  
1977

AGE	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	TOTAL
0	257	8	1	2	1	3	272
1	256	11	0	0	0	0	267
2	182	11	1	0	0	0	194
3	147	10	1	1	0	0	159
4	140	10	2	2	0	0	154
5	121	14	6	1	0	0	142
6	154	14	2	3	0	0	173
7	160	9	6	2	0	1	178
8	164	19	6	1	0	0	190
9	201	28	5	2	0	0	236
10	265	34	8	3	3	1	314
11	383	49	14	5	2	4	457
12	656	91	43	22	7	22	841
13	1319	183	65	40	21	68	1696
14	2280	342	113	79	34	108	2956
15	4391	576	242	121	103	183	5616
16	2835	647	327	172	145	304	4430
17	2595	525	289	153	100	268	3930
Total	16506	2581	1131	609	416	962	22205
Missing	357						



D-21

AGE BY DISPOSITION  
1977

AGE	WAIVED TO CRIM. CT.	DISMISSED UNPROVED	DISMISSED WARNED	HELD OPEN	PROBATION	REFERRED ELSEWHERE	RUNAWAY RETURNED	OTHER	CUSTODY PUB. INST.-DEL.	CUSTODY PUB. INST.	CUSTODY PUB. AGY.	CUSTODY PRIV. INST.	CUSTODY INDIV.	OTHER	INAP- PLICABLE	STATE TOTAL
0	0	27	53	4	3	134	2	2	0	2	27	5	5	4	2	270
1	0	31	24	13	3	113	0	2	0	0	57	3	11	4	4	265
2	0	22	27	13	2	78	0	5	0	1	31	1	4	6	4	194
3	0	20	20	1	1	66	0	3	0	3	29	0	8	4	2	157
4	0	20	19	8	3	63	0	2	0	0	28	0	8	3	2	156
5	0	11	20	7	2	62	0	4	0	1	19	0	11	3	1	141
6	0	15	39	8	1	66	0	2	0	1	29	0	7	2	2	172
7	0	18	52	8	7	49	0	5	0	0	24	0	8	4	0	175
8	0	19	71	10	7	48	1	5	0	1	23	0	4	0	0	189
9	0	18	89	14	15	58	0	8	0	1	18	2	8	2	1	234
10	0	32	123	15	30	46	0	15	0	3	32	3	7	4	0	310
11	0	50	193	16	54	53	4	35	1	2	31	1	10	3	1	454
12	0	100	307	43	139	88	15	65	5	4	41	0	17	12	3	839
13	1	203	583	85	274	147	47	159	34	8	100	6	24	17	2	1690
14	2	351	878	113	546	199	97	454	65	18	110	12	39	31	7	2922
15	16	564	1372	226	962	294	120	1610	85	22	189	7	55	58	25	5605
16	21	698	1401	169	1022	275	163	212	145	26	164	7	39	46	18	4406
17	55	625	1292	139	964	218	96	238	68	23	66	1	43	43	26	3891
Total	95	2824	6563	892	4035	2057	545	2826	403	116	1018	48	308	246	100	22076
Missing	486															

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AGE BY TIME ELAPSED BETWEEN REFERRAL AND DISPOSITION  
1977

AGE	10 Days or Less	11-20 Days	21-30 Days	31-40 Days	41-50 Days	51-75 Days	76-100 Days	101-150 Days	151-200 Days	201-250 Days	251-300 Days	301+ Days	Total
0	69	51	39	28	14	20	12	14	0	0	0	6	253
1	70	47	21	20	18	32	12	9	7	3	6	7	252
2	56	27	15	16	13	19	12	11	0	1	3	7	180
3	38	30	14	7	11	18	8	8	5	1	2	4	146
4	43	29	8	11	10	15	11	7	1	3	1	0	139
5	31	37	12	10	9	17	6	8	0	2	2	1	135
6	43	33	19	11	11	19	13	11	0	0	2	2	164
7	32	36	21	9	17	15	11	7	2	3	0	2	155
8	35	42	17	11	11	23	10	6	5	6	0	4	170
9	53	32	16	23	15	21	15	13	5	4	4	3	204
10	63	44	35	32	24	27	17	9	6	6	1	4	268
11	98	92	67	41	32	36	23	18	4	5	2	2	420
12	188	158	105	79	63	88	42	37	9	3	1	5	778
13	369	367	186	144	106	153	72	75	21	9	8	24	1534
14	731	605	324	234	198	255	129	105	31	16	14	35	2677
15	1359	1328	642	456	289	409	231	219	92	39	51	75	5190
16	1003	861	459	450	306	426	173	148	51	24	16	37	3954
17	913	789	437	379	274	313	173	112	43	18	12	29	3492
Total	5194	4608	2437	1961	1421	1906	970	817	282	143	125	247	20111
Missing	2451												

D-23

PRIOR REFERRALS THIS CALENDAR YEAR BY SOURCE OF REFERRAL  
1977

REFERRALS	LAW ENFR. AGENCY	SCHOOL DEPT.	SOCIAL AGENCY	PROBATION OFFICER	PARENTS RELATIVES	OTHER COURT	OTHER SOURCE	TOTAL
0	13412	932	1436	224	1001	95	649	17749
1	2162	182	81	39	141	21	45	2671
2	709	46	15	9	44	11	23	857
3	318	16	6	4	15	2	5	366
4	147	8	2	1	3	3	1	165
5 or more	195	7	0	2	2	1	3	210
Total	16943	1191	1540	279	1206	133	726	22018
Missing	544							

D-24

REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEARS BY SOURCE OF REFERRALS  
1977

REFERRALS	LAW ENFR. AGENCY	SCHOOL DEPT.	SOCIAL AGENCY	PROBATION OFFICER	PARENTS RELATIVES	OTHER COURT	OTHER SOURCE	TOTAL
0	12228	852	1349	208	977	80	609	16303
1	20714	172	110	37	112	19	70	2594
2	904	76	38	15	54	15	29	1131
3	514	30	20	6	30	5	4	609
4	355	23	13	6	12	4	3	416
5 or more	863	38	10	6	21	10	10	958
Total	16938	1191	1540	278	1206	133	725	22011

## D-25

REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEARS  
BY PRIOR REFERRALS DURING CALENDAR YEAR  
1977

REFERRALS PAST YEAR	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	TOTAL
0	14730	1445	342	126	50	53	16746
1	1755	488	184	74	31	68	2600
2	697	265	91	44	19	16	1132
3	344	155	63	28	9	12	611
4	220	93	55	25	17	7	417
5 or more	441	233	126	70	38	55	963
Total	18187	2679	861	367	164	963	22469
Missing	93						

## D-26

DISPOSITION BY SEX  
1977

DISPOSITION	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Waived to Criminal Court	86	10	96
Dismissed-Unproved	2114	731	2845
Dismissed-Warned	4492	2094	6586
Held Open	587	324	911
Probation	3182	873	4055
Referred Elsewhere	1181	879	2060
Runaway Returned	285	262	547
Other	2178	662	2840
Custody to Pub. Inst.-Del.	336	68	404
Custody to Other Pub. Inst.	87	29	116
Custody to Pub. Agy.-Inst.	596	431	1027
Custody to Priv. Inst.	28	21	49
Custody to Individual	184	127	311
Other	137	106	243
Inapplicable	63	43	106
Total	15536	6660	22196
Missing	366		

D-27

DISPOSITION BY RACE  
1977

DISPOSITION	WHITE	BLACK	INDIAN	OTHER	TOTAL
Waived to Criminal Court	58	25	0	2	85
Dismissed-Unproved	2006	558	25	67	2656
Dismissed-Warned	5523	769	13	107	6412
Held Open	813	77	5	5	900
Probation	2913	362	21	75	3371
Referred Elsewhere	1355	289	16	35	1695
Runaway Returned	507	29	2	6	544
Other	2479	174	9	54	2716
Custody to Pub. Inst.-Del.	236	90	5	6	337
Custody to Other Pub. Inst.	93	2	2	2	99
Custody to Pub. Agcy.-Inst.	779	127	10	29	945
Custody to Priv. Inst.	33	10	1	4	48
Custody to Individual	225	60	3	6	294
Other	186	27	2	5	220
Inapplicable	96	6	1	1	104
Total	17302	2605	115	404	20426

Missing 2136

D-28

DISPOSITION BY PRIOR REFERRALS DURING CALENDAR YEAR  
1977

DISPOSITION	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	TOTAL
Waived to Criminal Court	42	6	6	3	2	35	94
Dismissed-Unproved	1886	372	176	97	89	236	2856
Dismissed-Warned	4933	822	353	176	109	221	6608
Held Open	696	103	42	21	12	36	910
Probation	2750	659	296	137	91	150	4083
Referred Elsewhere	1759	149	52	36	22	50	2068
Runaway Returned	490	21	9	9	2	18	549
Other	2601	118	40	19	10	17	2805
Custody to Pub. Inst.-Del.	131	65	48	35	35	91	405
Custody to Other Pub. Inst.	67	13	10	7	6	13	116
Custody to Pub. Agcy.-Inst.	710	156	60	32	28	46	1032
Custody to Priv. Inst.	36	10	2	0	0	1	49
Custody to Individual	205	57	20	20	2	9	313
Other	170	25	8	18	6	21	248
Inapplicable	98	4	0	0	1	1	104
Total	16574	2580	1122	604	415	945	22240

## D-29

DISPOSITION BY SOURCE OF REFERRAL  
1977

DISPOSITION	LAW ENFR. AGENCY	SCHOOL DEPT.	SOCIAL AGENCY	PROBATION OFFICER	PARENTS RELATIVE	OTHER COURT	OTHER SOURCE	TOTAL
Waived to Criminal Court	93	2	0	0	0	1	0	96
Dismissed-Unproved	2317	88	136	17	136	16	128	2838
Dismissed-Warned	5441	510	233	14	222	29	123	6572
Held Open	514	218	30	15	79	3	43	902
Probation	3468	191	15	59	182	32	87	4034
Referred Elsewhere	884	72	654	62	257	8	121	2058
Runaway Returned	491	1	5	3	36	3	8	547
Other	2364	35	30	9	22	4	58	2522
Custody to Pub. Inst. Del.	348	2	7	5	10	12	18	402
Custody to Other Pub. Inst.	73	6	18	5	6	0	5	113
Custody to Pub. Agy. Inst.	415	26	307	58	151	6	65	1028
Custody to Priv. Inst.	26	3	10	0	3	0	6	48
Custody to Individual	156	9	50	21	55	7	17	315
Other	161	8	27	7	11	10	21	245
Inapplicable	48	1	8	1	12	0	27	97
Total	16799	1172	1530	276	1182	131	727	21817

Missing 745

## D-30

DISPOSITION BY REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEARS  
1977

DISPOSITION	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	TOTAL
Waived to Crim. Court	56	14	10	8	3	3	94
Dismissed-Unproved	2001	470	175	82	37	94	2859
Dismissed-Warned	5662	666	162	65	32	19	6606
Held Open	740	115	32	12	6	6	911
Probation	2927	735	254	93	33	42	4084
Referred Elsewhere	1862	147	37	16	3	3	2068
Runaway Returned	516	20	7	4	2	0	549
Other	2657	119	19	4	5	1	2805
Custody to Pub. Inst.-Del.	178	87	58	31	21	30	405
Custody to Other Pub. Inst.	76	27	9	2	1	1	116
Custody to Pub. Agy.-Inst.	780	151	52	31	14	4	1032
Custody to Priv. Inst.	36	8	4	1	0	0	49
Custody to Individual	251	46	9	6	2	1	315
Other	189	37	11	6	2	4	249
Inapplicable	101	2	1	0	0	0	104
Total	18032	2644	840	361	161	208	22246

Missing 316

## D-31

TIME ELAPSED BETWEEN REFERRAL AND DISPOSITION BY SEX  
1977

TIME BETWEEN REFERRAL & DISPOSITION	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
10 Days or less	3522	1702	5224
11-20 Days	3245	1379	4624
21-30 Days	1777	669	2446
31-40 Days	1394	583	1977
41-50 Days	1037	394	1431
51-75 Days	1407	501	1908
76-100 Days	719	254	973
101-150 Days	596	228	824
151-200 Days	215	68	283
201-250 Days	108	36	144
251-300 Days	87	41	128
300+ Days	171	78	249
Total	14278	5933	2351

Missing 2351

## D-32

TIME ELAPSED BETWEEN REFERRAL AND DISPOSITION BY RACE  
1977

TIME BETWEEN REFERRAL & DISPOSITION	WHITE	BLACK	INDIAN	OTHER	TOTAL
10 Days or Less	4170	558	26	106	4860
11-20 Days	3776	451	14	112	4353
21-30 Days	1895	345	13	28	2281
31-40 Days	1512	228	10	29	1779
41-50 Days	960	192	10	20	1182
51-75 Days	1348	262	9	25	1644
76-100 Days	716	143	3	16	878
101-150 Days	582	134	7	15	738
151-200 Days	222	29	3	5	259
201-250 Days	110	22	1	2	135
251-300 Days	107	14	0	1	122
301+ Days	192	31	1	7	231
Total	15590	2409	97	366	18462

Missing 4100



## D-33

TIME ELAPSED BETWEEN REFERRAL AND DISPOSITION BY SOURCE OF REFERRAL  
1977

TIME BETWEEN REFERRAL & DISPOSITION	LAW ENFR. AGENCY	SCHOOL DEPT.	SOCIAL AGENCY	PROBATION OFFICER	PARENTS RELATIVE	OTHER COURT	OTHER SOURCE	TOTAL
10 Days or Less	3991	147	321	45	392	24	183	5103
11-20 Days	3564	232	316	78	155	26	171	4542
21-30 Days	1796	195	150	32	96	12	106	2387
31-40 Days	1580	126	109	29	76	9	33	1962
41-50 Days	1089	75	135	16	68	3	30	1416
51-75 Days	1461	92	169	23	80	10	46	1881
76-100 Days	692	62	118	11	51	17	17	968
101-150 Days	571	70	71	14	52	15	22	815
151-200 Days	215	13	20	7	11	4	7	277
201-250 Days	95	6	19	2	6	3	8	139
251-300 Days	96	6	6	3	3	0	8	122
301+ Days	177	15	25	5	9	0	10	241
Total	15327	1039	1459	265	999	123	641	19853
Missing	2709							

## D-34

TIME ELAPSED BETWEEN REFERRAL AND DISPOSITION  
BY PRIOR REFERRALS DURING CALENDAR YEAR  
1977

TIME BETWEEN REFERRAL & DISPOSITION	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	TOTAL
10 Days or Less	4458	514	152	54	22	54	5224
11-20 Days	4028	418	117	37	16	16	4532
21-30 Days	1963	292	100	48	27	18	2448
31-40 Days	1399	374	115	55	20	21	1984
41-50 Days	1003	266	100	33	19	16	1437
51-75 Days	1332	301	111	57	25	84	1910
76-100 Days	722	128	60	36	17	12	975
101-150 Days	595	145	48	21	7	11	827
151-200 Days	231	38	8	3	1	2	283
201-250 Days	122	17	2	0	3	1	145
251-300 Days	118	8	1	0	0	3	130
301+ Days	230	15	2	5	2	0	254
Total	16201	2516	816	349	159	208	20249
Missing	2313						

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TIME ELAPSED BETWEEN REFERRAL AND DISPOSITION  
BY REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEARS  
1977

TIME BETWEEN REFERRAL & DISPOSITION	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	TOTAL
10 Days or Less	4174	473	227	101	73	173	5221
11-20 Days	3622	523	197	102	50	134	4628
21-30 Days	1793	284	128	98	50	97	2450
31-40 Days	1232	314	148	82	65	137	1984
41-50 Days	967	188	79	58	44	100	1436
51-75 Days	1202	317	133	56	50	152	1910
76-100 Days	657	149	65	38	25	43	977
101-150 Days	566	124	45	31	17	44	827
151-200 Days	209	25	16	7	7	19	283
201-250 Days	104	18	4	7	5	7	145
251-300 Days	107	13	3	0	0	7	130
301+ Days	214	18	9	2	6	5	254
Total	14853	2446	1054	582	392	918	20245
Missing	2317						

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TIME ELAPSED BETWEEN REFERRAL AND DISPOSITION BY DISPOSITION  
1977

TIME BETWEEN REFERRAL & DISPOSITION	WAIVED TO CRIM. CT.	DISMISSED UNPROVED	DISMISSED WARNED	HELD OPEN	PROBATION	REFERRED ELSEWHERE	RUNAWAY RETURNED	OTHER	CUSTODY PUB. INST.-DEL.	CUSTODY PUB. INST.	CUSTODY PUB. AGY.	CUSTODY PRIV. INST.	CUSTODY INDIV.	OTHER	INAP- PLICABLE	STATE TOTAL
10 Days or Less	19	899	1781	92	509	579	308	712	37	22	137	7	42	27	36	5207
11-20 Days	26	405	1697	88	891	396	37	653	70	14	216	10	49	39	20	4611
21-30 Days	10	266	739	110	534	159	9	311	54	17	122	9	48	35	8	2431
31-40 Days	8	195	673	77	452	131	3	184	44	11	117	7	28	30	5	1965
41-50 Days	7	195	248	57	457	106	2	141	34	14	105	2	22	16	8	1414
51-75 Days	10	330	271	81	539	144	5	215	72	18	132	7	46	19	6	1895
76-100 Days	2	132	153	51	284	76	3	113	27	3	66	2	22	24	1	959
101-150 Days	5	147	137	83	171	58	1	96	32	5	53	0	18	7	2	815
151-200 Days	2	46	50	19	40	19	1	74	7	2	15	1	3	3	1	283
201-250 Days	1	30	16	10	17	8	0	35	4	3	14	1	5	0	0	144
251-300 Days	0	19	25	10	18	10	0	35	2	1	4	2	1	3	0	130
301+ Days	1	37	37	11	39	25	9	66	4	1	15	1	5	1	0	252
Total	91	2701	5827	689	3951	1711	378	2639	387	111	996	49	289	204	87	20106
Missing	2456															

## APPENDIX E

### 1976 Resource Tables

## JUVENILE COURT REFERRALS BY OFFENSE TYPE AND SEX, 1976

County	Total Referrals**	Delinquent Miscreant		Status		Traffic		Deprived		Special Proceedings	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Allen	94	23	1	8	0	9	0	0	1	0	0
Anderson	17	8	1	0	0	4	0	0	2	0	0
Atchison	116	70	23	2	4	12	1	0	0	1	1
Barber	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Barton	234	82	18	31	25	54	16	2	3	0	0
Bourbon	159	67	8	31	18	13	3	9	9	0	0
Brown	107	39	1	4	3	3	0	13	12	10	20
Butler	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chase	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chautauqua	17	7	5	0	1	1	2	0	0	0	0
Cherokee	299	59	16	134	36	23	3	13	8	2	1
Cheyenne	13	1	1	0	0	3	2	0	1	0	0
Clark	10	3	0	0	0	6	1	0	0	0	0
Clay	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cloud	68	25	4	3	5	22	4	0	1	0	0
Coffey	23	9	1	2	3	4	1	0	2	0	0
Comanche	7	4	-	0	-	2	-	0	-	0	-
Cowley	225	106	24	13	12	38	11	4	3	1	2
Crawford	228	87	16	57	22	19	3	10	11	0	0
Decatur	12	1	1	6	1	3	0	0	0	0	0
Dickinson	157	69	14	24	8	15	3	9	15	0	0
Doniphan	33	16	0	2	0	8	1	1	1	1	0
Douglas	576	247	42	131	89	31	6	11	10	0	0
Edwards	27	7	0	8	1	1	1	1	2	1	1
Elk	11	2	0	1	2	2	3	0	0	0	0
Ellis	515	160	39	111	69	73	21	13	24	0	0
Ellsworth	29	15	1	3	1	6	1	2	0	0	0
Finney	176	104	16	20	31	4	0	0	1	0	0
Ford	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Franklin	72	35	11	7	12	4	0	0	1	0	0
Geary	301	148	51	23	12	30	8	18	11	0	0
Gove	11	2	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	2
Graham	15	8	2	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0
Grant	138	35	3	36	13	25	11	2	5	0	0
Gray	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Greeley	20	13	0	1	0	4	1	0	0	0	0
Greenwood	248	56	11	40	40	9	2	39	44	0	0
Hamilton	16	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
Harper	48	16	2	5	4	16	2	0	1	0	0
Harvey	227	114	18	19	16	44	9	2	4	0	0

County	Total Referrals**	Delinquent Miscreant		Status		Traffic		Deprived		Special Proceedings	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Haskell	21	4	0	7	1	3	1	3	2	0	0
Hodgeman	6	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jackson	55	22	0	4	4	18	4	1	0	0	0
Jefferson	71	31	6	2	0	8	2	10	7	0	0
Jewell	23	4	4	0	0	7	2	0	0	0	0
Johnson	3860	1721	454	738	511	253	57	57	53	5	4
Kearny	26	15	0	0	1	7	1	1	0	0	0
Kingman	210	80	13	31	19	49	6	5	6	0	0
Kiowa	24	15	1	1	0	0	1	4	2	0	0
Labette	159	63	8	16	9	33	15	8	3	1	0
Lane	67	40	6	5	5	0	0	5	3	1	0
Leavenworth	345	150	28	36	35	57	14	13	12	0	0
Lincoln	38	15	1	0	0	6	1	1	1	5	6
Linn	41	1	1	3	0	10	5	6	4	6	5
Logan	39	6	1	9	2	15	4	0	0	0	0
Lyon	568	218	47	98	103	48	19	19	15	0	0
Marion	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marshall	62	21	0	5	5	19	3	3	4	0	0
McPherson	238	54	9	45	49	44	15	5	5	0	1
Meade	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Miami	194	93	21	11	12	37	10	4	3	0	0
Mitchell	43	21	0	5	3	3	6	1	3	0	1
Montgomery	333	151	38	20	25	56	22	9	9	0	0
Morris	20	12	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Morton	9	4	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0
Nemaha	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Neosho	111	27	5	2	5	0	0	2	1	24	44
Ness	26	17	0	0	0	7	2	0	0	0	0
Norton	41	25	3	4	1	3	1	1	1	1	0
Osage	55	24	0	5	4	9	4	4	5	0	0
Osborne	17	10	0	0	0	0	1	3	2	0	0
Ottawa	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pawnee	38	10	1	4	3	6	3	4	3	0	0
Phillips	56	17	1	6	3	19	2	3	5	0	0
Pottawatomie	32	20	3	3	0	5	1	0	0	0	0
Pratt	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rawlins	16	5	2	3	0	6	0	0	0	0	0
Reno	602	233	103	171	53	2	2	24	12	0	0
Republic	31	19	3	1	2	1	1	0	0	1	0
Rice	71	30	3	7	4	17	5	2	3	0	0
Riley	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rooks	22	11	0	1	0	3	0	2	3	0	0
Rush	30	9	0	4	2	8	5	0	0	1	0
Russell	39	11	4	2	5	9	2	3	1	0	0
Saline	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

County	Total Referrals**	Delinquent Miscreant		Status		Traffic		Deprived		Special Proceedings	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Scott	101	35	5	9	5	25	6	3	12	0	1
Sedgwick	1376	550	166	110	137	115	36	104	131	4	3
Seward	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shawnee	2548	768	251	502	487	245	65	112	93	1	0
Sheridan	3	2	-	1	-	0	-	0	-	0	-
Sherman	202	64	10	11	6	76	23	6	0	0	0
Smith	6	1	-	2	-	2	-	0	-	0	-
Stafford	34	23	2	1	2	2	2	1	1	0	0
Stanton	19	6	0	5	3	2	2	0	0	0	0
Stevens	11	7	-	0	-	1	-	0	-	0	-
Sumner	376	166	22	96	40	23	8	3	4	0	1
Thomas	95	55	4	9	1	10	4	3	0	0	0
Trego	28	9	1	0	1	10	4	3	0	0	0
Wabaunsee	18	4	0	7	1	4	1	1	0	0	0
Wallace	5	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Washington	24	11	0	0	1	10	2	0	0	0	0
Wichita	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wilson	51	15	4	6	5	11	2	1	3	0	0
Woodson	17	5	0	1	0	5	2	1	0	3	0
Wyandotte	4693	2045	422	609	470	149	29	462	416	32	31
Total	21495*	8618	1988	3347	2458	1969	519	1052	1000	101	124

\* 319 Total Missing

\*\* 125 Referrals has no Sex Entry, 197 had no Offense Entry (322)

Two counties reported no referrals for 1976: Nemaha and Seward.

Six counties had their cards lost: Chase, Gray, Meade, Ottawa, Pratt and Riley.

Seven counties failed to report: Barber, Butler, Clay, Ford, Marion, Saline and Wichita.

## E-2

REFERRALS BY AGE  
1976

AGE	STATE TOTAL	JOHNSON COUNTY	SEDGWICK COUNTY	SHAWNEE COUNTY	WYANDOTTE COUNTY	ALL OTHERS
0	238	0	8	4	226	0
1	200	10	26	21	66	77
2	165	6	14	17	73	55
3	135	4	13	19	64	35
4	129	11	16	14	57	31
5	147	14	14	16	59	44
6	147	19	21	8	61	38
7	148	7	7	27	59	48
8	180	27	13	19	67	54
9	231	38	16	37	73	67
10	325	51	21	45	89	119
11	470	89	28	43	157	153
12	829	155	44	104	235	291
13	1679	357	116	206	401	596
14	3031	597	203	344	667	1220
15	5447	990	371	738	906	2442
16	4078	804	220	465	799	1790
17	3549	659	202	390	634	1664
Missing	370	22	23	31	0	294
Total	21495	3860	1376	2548	4693	9018

## E-3

REFERRALS BY SEX  
1976

SEX	STATE TOTAL	JOHNSON COUNTY	SEDGWICK COUNTY	SHAWNEE COUNTY	WYANDOTTE COUNTY	ALL OTHERS
Male	15223	2777	893	1630	3298	6625
Female	6147	1080	475	899	1373	2320
Missing	125	3	8	19	22	73
Total	21495	3860	1376	2548	4693	9018

## E-4

REFERRALS BY RACE  
1976

RACE	STATE TOTAL	JOHNSON COUNTY	SEDGWICK COUNTY	SHAWNEE COUNTY	WYANDOTTE COUNTY	ALL OTHERS
White	17838	3779	1045	1944	2922	8148
Black	2857	52	236	500	1645	424
Indian	114	3	19	26	13	53
Other	407	13	63	50	75	206
Missing	279	13	13	28	38	187
Total	21495	3860	1376	2548	4693	9018



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REFERRAL BY LEGAL CATEGORY  
1976

CATEGORY	STATE TOTAL	JOHNSON COUNTY	SEDGWICK COUNTY	SHAWNEE COUNTY	WYANDOTTE COUNTY	ALL OTHERS
Delinquent						
Miscreant	10646	2175	722	1024	2471	4254
Status	5827	1250	249	993	1083	2252
Traffic	2510	310	151	317	178	1554
Deprived	2085	112	235	208	889	641
Special Pro- ceedings	230	9	7	1	65	148
Missing	197	4	12	5	7	169
Total	21495	3860	1376	2548	4693	9018

E-6

REFERRALS BY OFFENSE  
1976

OFFENSE	STATE TOTAL	JOHNSON COUNTY	SEDGWICK COUNTY	SHAWNEE COUNTY	WYANDOTTE COUNTY	ALL OTHERS
Murder & Non-Negligent Manslaughter	11	3	1	0	3	4
Negligent Manslaughter	5	0	0	1	1	3
Forcible Rape	27	4	1	1	15	6
Robbery-Purse Snatching	21	0	2	5	5	9
Robbery-Not Purse Snat.	221	7	13	16	61	124
Assault-Aggravated	357	8	12	35	225	77
Assault-Non-Aggravated	411	127	28	80	48	128
Burglary-B&E	1701	265	138	136	495	667
Auto Theft-Unauthorized Use	337	52	54	19	23	189
Auto Theft-Other	273	33	30	26	140	44
Larceny-Shoplifting	1797	415	109	242	413	618
Larceny-Other	1179	200	91	88	264	536
Weapons	165	50	8	8	60	39
Sex Offenses-Not Rape	76	25	11	7	22	11
Drugs-Narcotic	187	3	10	10	35	129
Drugs-Not Narcotic	756	305	38	56	123	234
Drunkenness	110	51	1	10	0	48
Disorderly Conduct	561	100	9	33	201	218
Vandalism	991	254	32	99	229	377
Other	1420	273	94	152	108	793
Arson	1	0	1	0	0	0
Trespassing	39	0	39	0	0	0
Running Away	2295	687	179	336	441	682
Truancy	1376	189	14	413	370	390
Violation of Curfew	299	0	0	3	0	287
Ungovernable Behavior	894	93	28	148	196	429
Alcohol Offenses	503	124	2	56	105	216
Other	460	157	17	37	1	248
Drunk Driving	142	28	1	22	12	79
Hit and Run	19	0	1	1	11	6
Reckless Driving	112	8	2	0	13	89
Driving w/o License	702	161	70	3	96	372
All Other Traffic	1535	113	77	291	46	1008
Abuse	192	0	11	12	91	78
All Other Neglect	1893	112	224	196	798	563
Special Proceedings	230	9	7	1	65	148
Missing	197	4	12	5	7	169
Total	21495	3860	1376	2548	4693	9018

## E-7

PRIOR REFERRALS (YEAR)  
1976

PRIOR REFERRALS	STATE TOTAL	JOHNSON COUNTY	SEDGWICK COUNTY	SHAWNEE COUNTY	WYANDOTTE COUNTY	ALL OTHERS
0	17850	3046	1122	2016	3560	8106
1	2254	517	131	336	619	651
2	771	171	71	122	226	181
3	282	69	23	45	102	43
4	129	24	12	17	54	22
5 or more	209	33	17	12	132	15
Total	21495	3860	1376	2548	4693	9018

## E-8

PRIOR REFERRALS (TOTAL)  
1976

PRIOR REFERRALS	STATE TOTAL	JOHNSON COUNTY	SEDGWICK COUNTY	SHAWNEE COUNTY	WYANDOTTE COUNTY	ALL OTHERS
0	15794	2678	1082	1708	2686	7640
1	2553	520	158	319	822	734
2	1143	228	58	165	368	324
3	685	165	28	118	240	134
4	403	85	25	77	148	68
5 or more	917	184	25	161	429	118
Total	21495	3860	1376	2548	4693	9018

## E-9

REFERRALS BY DISPOSITION  
1976

DISPOSITION	STATE TOTAL	JOHNSON COUNTY	SEDGWICK COUNTY	SHAWNEE COUNTY	WYANDOTTE COUNTY	ALL OTHERS
Waived to Criminal Court	71	9	1	7	17	37
Dismissed-Unproved	2567	98	367	271	1016	815
Dismissed-Warned	6715	2116	221	626	1718	2034
Held Open	1104	241	10	169	169	515
Probation	3940	769	229	416	470	1986
Referred Elsewhere	1664	148	140	327	417	632
Runaway Returned	591	1	1	135	182	272
Other	2399	262	229	358	89	1461
Custody to Pub. Inst.-Del.	414	14	18	71	115	196
Custody to Other Pub. Inst.	80	1	2	9	7	61
Custody to Pub. Agy.-Inst.	823	161	41	82	258	281
Custody to Priv. Inst.	54	1	1	28	4	20
Custody to Individual	296	1	13	19	140	123
Other	200	28	9	27	4	132
Inapplicable	571	8	23	3	87	450
Missing	6	2	1	0	0	3
Total	21495	3860	1376	2548	4693	9018

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## E-10

REFERRALS BY CARE PENDING DISPOSITION  
1976

CARE PENDING	STATE TOTAL	JOHNSON COUNTY	SEDGWICK COUNTY	SHAWNEE COUNTY	WYANDOTTE COUNTY	ALL OTHERS
No Detention Overnight	15918	3205	602	1770	4061	6280
Detention in Jail	1299	38	342	6	6	907
Detention Home	1241	265	117	442	202	215
Det. In Jail-Det. Home	2	1	0	0	0	1
Foster Home	488	44	129	69	88	158
Det. in Jail-Foster Home	2	0	0	0	1	1
Det. Home-Foster Home	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jail, Det. Home, Foster Home	0	0	0	0	0	0
Other Placement	731	8	123	47	319	234
Jail-Other Placement	1	0	0	0	0	1
Det. Home-Other	1	0	1	0	0	0
Jail, Det. Home, Other	5	0	0	1	1	2
Foster Home-Other	1	0	0	0	0	1
Missing	1807	299	62	213	15	1218
Total	21495	3860	1376	2548	4693	9018

## E-11

AGE BY RACE OF OFFENDER  
1976

AGE	STATE TOTAL	WHITE	NEGRO	INDIAN	OTHER
0	216	136	74	1	5
1	198	142	44	2	10
2	159	123	27	2	7
3	135	105	24	2	4
4	129	103	23	0	3
5	144	110	26	3	5
6	145	115	25	0	5
7	147	94	45	4	4
8	178	127	47	1	3
9	230	171	50	3	6
10	323	253	58	4	8
11	464	321	126	4	13
12	821	628	167	10	16
13	1668	1346	285	10	27
14	3004	2539	385	14	66
15	5383	4681	588	19	95
16	4041	3468	481	23	69
17	3527	3095	368	10	54
Total	20912	17557	2843	112	400
Missing	583				

## E-12

AGE BY PRIOR REFERRALS DURING CALENDAR YEAR  
1976

AGE	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	STATE TOTAL
0	211	16	6	1	0	4	238
1	193	7	0	0	0	0	200
2	158	5	2	0	0	0	165
3	128	5	2	0	0	0	135
4	124	4	1	0	0	0	129
5	142	5	0	0	0	0	147
6	142	4	1	0	0	0	147
7	137	8	1	1	1	0	148
8	174	6	0	0	0	0	180
9	215	15	1	0	0	0	231
10	300	17	5	2	1	0	325
11	402	49	14	4	1	0	470
12	701	80	31	8	4	5	829
13	1404	177	52	19	9	15	1676
14	2438	344	130	59	31	29	3031
15	4477	579	224	81	40	46	5447
16	3235	513	177	74	28	51	4078
17	2921	404	122	31	13	58	3549
Total	17502	2238	769	280	128	208	21125
Missing	370						

## E-13

AGE BY CATEGORY OF OFFENSE  
1976

AGE	DELINQUENT-MISCREANT	STATUS OFFENDER	TRAFFIC	DEPRIVED	SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS	STATE TOTAL
0	35	7	0	188	7	237
1	2	1	1	180	13	197
2	1	1	0	159	3	164
3	0	1	0	132	2	135
4	7	3	0	114	4	128
5	11	5	0	120	11	147
6	31	8	0	106	1	146
7	35	11	1	93	6	146
8	61	20	0	93	6	180
9	117	20	3	86	4	230
10	177	37	7	96	7	324
11	314	69	7	73	3	466
12	467	247	24	80	6	824
13	900	565	91	95	12	1663
14	1407	1078	400	104	20	3009
15	1919	1669	1661	112	21	5382
16	2522	1231	159	89	42	4043
17	2521	797	133	39	36	3526
Total	10527	5770	2487	1959	204	20947
Missing	548					

## E-14

AGE BY SEX OF OFFENDER  
1976

AGE	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
0	132	92	224
1	109	90	199
2	97	65	162
3	76	59	135
4	73	56	129
5	93	53	146
6	89	58	147
7	84	64	148
8	115	63	178
9	164	67	231
10	239	85	324
11	344	125	469
12	591	233	824
13	1134	540	1674
14	2083	941	3024
15	3779	1653	5432
16	2999	1070	4069
17	2830	715	3545
Total	15031	6029	21060
Missing	435		

## E-15

AGE BY REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEARS  
1976

AGE	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	STATE TOTAL
0	217	10	3	0	3	5	238
1	193	6	0	0	0	1	200
2	148	14	3	0	0	0	165
3	125	7	2	1	0	0	135
4	120	7	1	0	1	0	129
5	130	13	1	2	1	0	147
6	130	13	2	1	0	1	147
7	133	10	4	1	0	0	148
8	161	14	2	0	2	1	180
9	206	21	0	2	0	2	231
10	279	33	6	4	1	2	325
11	374	56	11	18	2	9	470
12	635	103	39	25	9	18	829
13	1283	183	86	45	36	43	1676
14	2231	389	171	104	45	91	3031
15	4028	621	298	166	110	224	5447
16	2737	532	277	172	95	265	4078
17	2325	501	235	144	95	249	3549
Total	15455	2533	1141	685	400	911	21125
Missing		370					

## E-16

## DISPOSITION BY RACE

DISPOSITION	1976				STATE TOTAL
	WHITE	BLACK	INDIAN	OTHER	
Waived to Criminal Court	47	24	0	0	71
Dismissed-Unproved	1846	630	6	48	2530
Dismissed-Warned	5643	927	10	94	6674
Held Open	959	106	4	17	1086
Probation	3389	422	20	91	3922
Referred Elsewhere	1366	217	8	44	1635
Runaway Returned	552	28	5	5	590
Other	2163	137	15	43	2358
Custody to Pub. Inst. - Del.	293	90	10	19	412
Custody to Other Publ. Inst.	64	14	1	1	80
Custody to Public Agency-Inst.	643	131	27	14	815
Custody to Private Inst.	41	11	0	1	53
Custody to Individual	207	65	2	20	294
Other	176	14	3	5	198
Inapplicable	443	41	3	5	492
Total	17832	2857	114	407	21210
Missing	285				

## E-17

## CATEGORY OF OFFENSE BY RACE

CATEGORY OF OFFENSE	1976				STATE TOTAL
	WHITE	BLACK	INDIAN	OTHER	
Delinquent-Miscreant	8500	1795	48	211	10554
Status Offender	5146	534	31	64	5775
Traffic	2311	108	1	48	2468
Deprived	1544	386	30	75	2035
Special Proceedings	197	24	1	3	225
Total	17698	2847	111	401	21057
Missing	438				

## E-18

## RACE BY SEX OF OFFENDER

RACE	1976		TOTAL
	MALE	FEMALE	
White	12736	5091	17827
Black	1983	872	2855
Indian	73	41	114
Other	313	94	407
Total	15105	6098	21203
Missing	292		

E-19

REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEARS  
BY PRIOR REFERRALS DURING CALENDAR YEAR  
1976

REFERRALS PAST YEAR	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	Total
0	14223	1768	726	413	245	475	17850
1	1114	460	247	153	76	204	2254
2	304	175	91	64	31	106	771
3	84	68	44	27	17	42	282
4	35	28	22	13	10	21	129
5 or more	34	54	13	15	24	69	209
Total	15794	2553	1143	685	403	917	21495

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DISPOSITION BY PRIOR REFERRALS DURING CALENDAR YEAR  
1976

DISPOSITION	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	Total
Waived to Criminal Court	41	23	5	0	0	2	71
Dismissed-Unproved	2067	302	113	41	17	27	2567
Dismissed-Warned	5929	556	128	51	15	36	6715
Held Open	912	119	38	117	5	13	1104
Probation	2865	616	246	95	45	73	3940
Referred Elsewhere	1374	182	68	20	7	13	1664
Runaway Returned	534	44	5	6	1	1	591
Other	2275	96	19	4	3	2	2399
Custody to Pub. Inst.-Del.	229	82	52	13	14	24	414
Custody to Other Pub. Inst.	52	12	8	4	3	1	80
Custody to Pub. Agy.- Inst.	613	125	48	19	11	7	823
Custody to Priv. Inst.	46	6	2	0	0	0	54
Custody to Individual	256	29	4	1	4	2	296
Other	149	25	14	6	2	4	200
Inapplicable	502	37	21	5	2	4	571
Total	17844	2254	771	282	129	209	21489
Missing	6						

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CATEGORY OF OFFENSE BY  
PRIOR REFERRALS DURING CALENDAR YEAR  
1976

CATEGORY OF OFFENSE	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	Total
Delinquent-Miscreant	8554	1240	436	169	85	162	10646
Status Offender	4581	796	278	100	36	36	5827
Traffic	2350	111	31	8	4	6	2510
Deprived	1961	95	20	5	3	1	2085
Special Proceedings	219	5	3	0	1	2	230
Total	17665	2247	768	282	129	207	21298
Missing	197						



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## DISPOSITION BY REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEARS

DISPOSITION	1976						Total
	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	
Waived to Criminal Court	26	5	13	5	1	21	71
Dismissed-Unproved	1734	328	168	108	69	160	2567
Dismissed-Warned	5151	814	309	169	106	166	6715
Held Open	776	125	67	42	17	77	1104
Probation	2535	644	315	171	81	194	3940
Referred Elsewhere	1293	151	59	55	35	71	1664
Runaway Returned	501	40	11	8	13	18	591
Other	2188	119	46	19	8	19	2399
Custody to Pub. Inst.-Del.	152	63	42	31	22	104	414
Custody to Other Pub. Inst.	49	8	10	4	4	5	80
Custody to Pub. Agency-Inst.	533	128	56	37	24	45	823
Custody to Priv. Inst.	38	5	3	2	1	5	54
Custody to Individual	221	45	12	6	6	6	296
Other	128	31	12	14	4	11	200
Inapplicable	464	47	19	14	12	15	571
Total	15789	2553	1142	685	403	917	21489
Missing	6						

E-23

CATEGORY OF OFFENSE BY  
REFERRALS IN PREVIOUS YEARS

CATEGORY OF OFFENSE	1976						Total
	0	1	2	3	4	5 or more	
Delinquent-Miscreant	7283	1423	688	417	230	605	10646
Status Offender	3977	844	364	226	147	269	5827
Traffic	2288	118	48	21	8	27	2510
Deprived	1858	156	32	17	13	9	2085
Special Proceedings	207	7	5	2	3	6	230
Total	15613	2548	1137	683	401	916	21298
Missing	197						

E-24  
OFFENSE BY SEX  
1976

REASON REFERRED	MALE	FEMALE	STATE TOTAL
Murder & Non-Negligent Manslaughter	8	3	11
Negligent Manslaughter	5	0	5
Forcible Rape	26	0	26
Robbery-Purse Snatching	17	4	21
Robbery-Not Purse Snatching	206	12	218
Assault-Aggravated	289	66	355
Assault-Non-Aggravated	330	80	410
Burglary-B&E	1586	109	1695
Auto Theft-Unauthorized Use	307	30	337
Auto Theft-Other	255	18	273
Larceny-Shoplifting	915	878	1793
Larceny-Other	1055	121	1176
Weapons	157	8	165
Sex Offenses-Not Rape	65	11	76
Drugs-Narcotic	138	48	186
Drugs-Not Narcotic	626	126	752
Drunkenness	89	21	110
Disorderly Conduct	461	100	561
Vandalism	890	97	987
Other	1171	238	1409
Arson	0	1	1
Trespassing	22	17	39
Running Away	1031	1260	2291
Truancy	847	523	1370
Violation of Curfew	234	65	299
Ungovernable Behavior	538	350	888
Alcohol Offenses	389	112	501
Other	308	148	456
Drunk Driving	137	5	142
Hit & Run	17	2	19
Reckless Driving	100	12	112
Driving Without a License	542	157	699
All Other Traffic	1173	343	1516
Abuse	97	94	191
All Other Neglect	955	906	1861
Special Proceedings	101	124	225
Total	15087	6089	21176
Missing	319		

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DISPOSITION BY CATEGORY OF OFFENSE  
1976

DISPOSITION	DEL.- MISCREANT	STATUS OFFENDER	TRAFFIC	DEPRIVED	SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS	TOTAL
Waived to Criminal Court	64	5	0	1	0	70
Dismissed-Unproved	1615	473	179	268	8	2543
Dismissed-Warned	3866	2115	412	266	21	6680
Held Open	449	472	53	120	2	1096
Probation	2705	1038	158	22	2	3925
Referred Elsewhere	527	455	29	618	26	1655
Runaway Returned	33	545	5	5	0	588
Other	480	196	1576	126	4	2382
Custody to Pub. Inst.-Del.	308	100	5	1	0	414
Custody to Other Pub. Inst.	36	23	0	18	0	77
Custody to Pub. Agy.	220	207	6	379	4	816
Custody to Priv. Agy.	22	18	2	11	0	53
Custody to Individual	41	37	17	171	28	294
Other	91	53	23	28	1	196
Inapplicable	186	88	44	51	134	503
Total	10643	5825	2509	2085	230	21292
Missing	203					

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DISPOSITION BY SEX  
1976

DISPOSITION	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Waived to Criminal Court	64	7	71
Dismissed-Unproved	1884	662	2546
Dismissed-Warned	4704	1989	6693
Held Open	783	313	1096
Probation	3089	843	3932
Referred Elsewhere	1013	631	1644
Runaway Returned	308	283	591
Other	1774	603	2377
Custody to Pub. Inst. - Del.	337	75	412
Custody to Other Pub. Inst.	56	24	80
Custody to Pub. Agy.-Inst.	487	331	818
Custody to Priv. Inst.	35	19	54
Custody to Individual	173	121	294
Other	140	58	198
Inapplicable	373	185	558
Total	15220	6144	21364
Missing	131		

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CATEGORY OF OFFENSE BY SEX  
1976

CATEGORY OF OFFENSE	MALE	FEMALE	TOTAL
Delinquent-Miscreant	8618	1988	10606
Status Offender	3347	2458	5805
Traffic	1969	519	2488
Deprived	1052	1000	2052
Special Proceedings	101	124	225
Total	15087	6089	212176
Missing	319		

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AGE BY DISPOSITION  
1976

AGE	WAIVED TO CRIM. CT,	DISMISSED UNPROVED	DISMISSED WARNED	HELD OPEN	PROBATION	REFERRED ELSEWHERE	RUNAWAY RETURNED	OTHER	CUSTODY PUB. INST.-DEL.	CUSTODY PUB. INST.	CUSTODY PUB. AGY.	CUSTODY PRIV. INST.	CUSTODY INDIV.	OTHER	INAP- PLICABLE	STATE TOTAL
0	1	32	68	8	1	68	1	5	1	0	38	4	8	0	3	238
1	0	30	13	4	1	65	1	21	0	1	26	0	20	6	12	200
2	0	28	13	10	3	56	0	9	0	0	24	0	16	3	3	165
3	0	22	22	5	2	40	0	11	0	0	17	0	12	1	3	135
4	1	12	21	6	0	35	0	11	0	0	21	0	13	2	7	129
5	0	22	23	8	0	44	1	5	0	2	16	1	12	2	11	147
6	0	23	37	9	0	31	0	8	0	1	15	3	13	2	5	147
7	0	19	42	10	2	33	2	4	0	4	16	0	9	0	7	148
8	0	23	74	7	4	28	0	8	0	1	22	1	7	0	5	180
9	0	34	96	6	10	32	1	9	0	1	24	1	11	1	5	231
10	0	44	132	19	38	26	0	14	1	5	19	2	12	2	11	325
11	0	77	216	30	52	36	2	19	1	1	16	2	6	2	10	470
12	1	91	335	68	117	67	17	53	8	3	42	0	6	4	17	829
13	0	62	655	108	294	124	44	107	21	10	86	3	18	8	35	1675
14	1	310	1010	170	595	216	98	344	41	8	117	5	30	17	68	3030
15	0	539	1480	283	964	292	145	1258	129	10	129	20	39	48	110	5446
16	17	498	1304	191	962	236	165	250	120	26	118	5	35	40	108	4075
17	49	530	1109	146	859	183	105	232	90	6	48	7	27	52	106	3549
TOTAL	70	2496	6650	1088	3904	1612	582	2368	412	79	794	54	294	190	526	21119
Missing	376															

APPENDIX F

Juvenile Court Statistical Card

A. COURT \_\_\_\_\_

D. DATE OF BIRTH - \_\_\_\_\_  
mo. day yr.

B. CHILD'S NAME OR  
NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_  
(LAST) (FIRST) (MIDDLE)

E. AGE AT TIME OF REFERRAL - \_\_\_\_\_

C. ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
Area Code or  
Census Tract \_\_\_\_\_

F. SEX: 1 - Male 2 - Female \_\_\_\_\_

ENTER ONLY ONE CODE IN THE DESIGNATED CODE BOX FOR EACH MAJOR  
CATEGORY FROM "H" TO "O"

G. RACE: 1 - White 2 - Black  
3 - Indian 4 - Other \_\_\_\_\_

H. DATE OF  
REFERRAL \_\_\_\_\_  
mo. day yr.

L. REASON REFERRED  
Offenses applicable to both juveniles and adults  
(excluding traffic)

M. MANNER OF HANDLING  
1 Without Petition  
2 With Petition \_\_\_\_\_

I. REFERRED BY  
1 Law Enforcement Agency  
2 School Department  
3 Social Agency  
4 Probation Officer  
5 Parents or Relatives  
6 Other Court  
7 Other Source (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

01 Murder and non-negligent manslaughter  
02 Manslaughter by negligence  
03 Forcible rape  
04 Robbery: Purse snatching by force  
05 Robbery: All except purse snatching  
06 Assault: Aggravated  
07 Assault: All except aggravated  
08 Burglary - breaking or entering  
09 Auto theft: Unauthorized use  
10 Auto theft: All except unauthorized use  
11 Larceny: Shoplifting  
12 Larceny: All except shoplifting  
13 Weapons - carrying, possessing, etc.  
14 Sex offenses (except forcible rape)  
15 Violation of drug laws: Narcotic  
16 Violation of drug laws: All except narcotic  
17 Drunkenness  
18 Disorderly conduct  
19 Vandalism  
20 Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_  
21 Arson  
22 Trespassing

N. DATE OF  
DISPOSITION \_\_\_\_\_  
mo. day yr.

J. PRIOR DELINQUENCY (Excluding Traffic)  
REFERRALS

a. This Calendar Year - \_\_\_\_\_  
0 1 2 3 4 5 or more referrals

b. In Prior Years - \_\_\_\_\_  
0 1 2 3 4 5 or more referrals

O. DISPOSITION  
00 Waived to Criminal Court  
Complaint Not Substantiated  
01 Dismissed: Not Proved or  
Found Not Involved

K. CARE PENDING DISPOSITION  
00 No Detention or Shelter Care Overnight  
Detention or Shelter Care Overnight  
or Longer in:  
01 Jail or Police Station  
02 Detention Home  
04 Foster Family Home  
08 Other Place (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Offenses applicable to juveniles only (excluding  
traffic)  
31 Running away 34 Ungovernable behavior  
32 Truancy 35 Possessing or drinking  
33 Violation of curfew of liquor  
36 Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Complaint Substantiated  
No Transfer of Legal Custody  
11 Dismissed: Warned, Adjusted, Counseled  
12 Held Open Without Further Action  
13 Probation Officer to Supervise  
14 Referred to Another Agency or  
Individual for Supervision or Service  
15 Runaway Returned to \_\_\_\_\_  
16 Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

In this category ("K") if more than  
one code is applicable, add the  
appropriate codes and enter total  
sum in coding box.

Traffic offenses  
41 Driving while intoxicated 44 Driving without  
42 Hit and run a license  
43 Reckless driving 45 All other traffic  
(Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Transfer of Legal Custody to:  
21 Public Institution for Delinquents  
22 Other Public Institution  
23 Public Agency or Department  
(Including Court)  
24 Private Agency or Institution  
25 Individual  
26 Other (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Neglect (abuse, desertion, inadequate care, etc.)  
51 Abuse  
52 All other neglect (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

99 Inapplicable - Specify Proceedings

Special proceedings (adoption, consent to marry, etc.)  
61 Specify \_\_\_\_\_

**END**