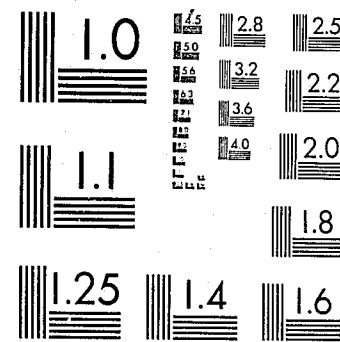


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INTRODUCTION

In the past, the Mississippi Department of Public Welfare has had statutory authority to collect and report statistical information on Mississippi Youth Courts. In 1979, the Mississippi Legislature passed a new Youth Court Act. Included in this act was the transfer of statistical reporting authority from the Mississippi Department of Public Welfare to the Youth Services Department. This act went into effect July 1, 1979. Therefore, this report covers the period of January 1, 1979 through June 30, 1979.

The Youth Court Statistical cards are sent to each county for completion through a coordinated effort of the Research and Statistics Section and through the Mississippi Department of Youth Services.

In each county, responsible clerks of the court, or other designated persons, complete a record on each case referred to the courts during the first six months of 1979. After the cards are edited in the Research and Statistics Section, cards which cannot be corrected are prepared for resubmittal to the counties for completion or corrections. The return process is again with the cooperation of the Mississippi Department of Youth Services. It is important to note that if certain significant items are not entered on the card, the card cannot be processed and the case will not be included in the total count of cases. Age, sex, race, reason for referral, type of care received, pending disposition, manner of handling the case, i.e., officially or unofficially, and case disposition, are needed on all cards in order to produce a complete and valid report.

In order that the Research and Statistics Section can meet reporting deadlines, cutoff dates must be adhered to. Cards received after the cutoff dates cannot be processed and are not reflected in the final report of cases. In consideration of the above, the data in this statistical report should be used to indicate trends or characteristics of youth court cases rather than an exact count of cases handled by the courts.

REPORTING BY YOUTH COURTS FOR 1979

A total of 6,895 delinquency, traffic, special proceedings, neglect and abuse cases were reported for the first six months of 1979.

Seventy-nine counties reported one or more cases. Three counties did not submit a report. Issaquena, Kemper, and Union did not submit a report for the first six months.

A little more than 43 percent of the cases reported were disposed of in fifteen counties reporting a hundred or more cases from January-June. the courts and the number of cases reported were in the following counties:

Adams	107	Jones	207
Bolivar	225	Lauderdale	298
Coahoma	208	Lee	120
DeSoto	348	Leflore	132
Forrest	234	Lowndes	189
Harrison	951	Monroe	108
Hinds	974	Washington	665
Jackson	539		

Of the 6,895 cases reported, 3,492 were handled officially. Official cases are those cases where a written petition is filed. When a judge, referee, or probation officer handles a case informally and no petition or affidavit is filed, the case is known as an unofficial case. There were 3,403 unofficial cases reported through June of 1979.

Each time a child is processed by the courts, it is counted as a separate case or a new referral for delinquency or neglect. The case count of 6,895 does include duplication, as there are children who have prior referrals to the court in this calendar year.

GENERAL SUMMARY

In the first six months of 1979, Mississippi Youth Courts reported 6,895 cases disposed of by the courts. Of the 6,895 cases reported, 89 percent (6,156) were delinquency cases. There were 40 traffic violation cases, which accounted for one percent of all cases. Eight percent (579) of the reported cases were neglect and abuse cases. There were 120 special proceedings cases accounting for two percent of the total cases reported.

There were more cases handled officially than there were cases handled unofficially. Of the 6,895 cases reported, 3,492 cases were handled officially and 3,403 cases handled unofficially.

The main source of referral of cases to the courts were law enforcement agencies. These agencies referred 74 percent of all cases. Parents and relatives referred 14 percent of the cases and social agencies, probation officers, schools and other sources referred 12 percent.

Males composed 71 percent of all reported cases in the first six months of 1979. Twenty-nine percent of the cases were female. Approximately 53 percent of all cases were white; 46 percent black; and one percent were Indian or of another race.

The prior delinquency referrals statistics for January-June 1979 are as follows:

Offenders with prior referrals in 1979

2,182	- No prior referrals
227	- One referral
44	- Two referrals
13	- Three referrals
11	- Four referrals
9	- Five or more referrals
11	- Unknown
2,497	Total

Offenders with referrals for previous years

1,859	- No prior referrals
326	- One referral
130	- Two referrals
52	- Three referrals
39	- Four referrals
76	- Five or more referrals
15	- Unknown
2,497	Total

DELINQUENCY

There were 6,156 delinquency cases for the first six months of 1979. The average age of the youthful offender was 17 years.

Burglary, shoplifting and runaways were the top ranked reasons for referral to the courts. There were 890 burglary cases, 760 shoplifting cases, and 757 runaways. Other significant reasons in the delinquency cases were larceny and ungovernable behavior, with 611 cases and 539 cases respectively.

Of the violent crimes, one murder and non-negligent manslaughter case was reported in 1979. For the January-June period, two manslaughter by negligence cases were reported.

Males were reported for a greater number of offenses than females. They were more frequently referred for burglary, larceny, violation of drug laws, disorderly conduct, vandalism and auto theft. On the other hand, females were referred almost twice as often as males for running away.

Seventy-five percent of the delinquency cases did not require overnight care. For those requiring detention, 9 percent were held in jails or police stations; 9 percent in detention homes; and seven percent in foster homes or other places.

TRAFFIC

There were 40 traffic law violations reported from January-June 1979. Reckless driving and driving while intoxicated were the most frequently recorded traffic offenses. Each of these offenses accounted for 30 percent of the total cases. Driving without a license made up 15 percent of the cases and all other traffic cases accounted for 25 percent. Two cases of hit and run were included in all other traffic cases.

The average age of traffic offenders was 16 years and 4 months. Males accounted for 90 percent with 36 violations. The female cases accounted for the other 10 percent with 4 cases.

In certain circumstances, overnight care is provided for the youths. In the first six months of 1979, offenders received such care with four being held overnight in jail or in the police station. Two persons were cared for in detention homes and two were placed in other facilities. In the majority of the cases, however, overnight care was not required.

The 40 traffic cases reported were disposed of in the following manner:

- Waived to criminal court - 1
- Dismissed, warned or adjusted - 17
- Continued or held open - 2
- Supervised by probations officer - 11
- Referred to another agency or individual - 1
- Public institution - 3
- Other dispositions or special proceedings - 5

NEGLECT AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS

A total of 699 neglect and special proceedings cases were reported for the January-June period in 1979. Of these cases, 579 were neglect and 120 were special proceedings.

The neglect referrals are separated into two categories; actual abuse and all other neglect. All other neglect is defined as those cases where the welfare of the juvenile is not evident. This includes lack of adequate care or support from parent or guardian, abandonment or desertion, and other reasons not in the best interest or protection of the child. There were 463 cases reported as all other neglect and 116 cases reported as abuse cases.

In the first six months of 1979, there were 281 males and 302 females reported as neglect and abuse cases. Of the cases reported as actual abuse, race and sex is not a significant factor. The average age of children referred for neglect and abuse was 8 years and 9 months.

There were 120 special proceedings cases reported for January-June 1979. Special proceedings cases include cases in which court action is essential to the provision of services to a physically handicapped child; commitment of a mentally defective child; adoption proceedings; and other cases including cases of determination of custody, application for consent of juveniles to marry or to enlist in the armed forces, holding material witness, etc.

There were 63 males and 57 females referred as special proceedings cases. The average age of the children in this category was 11 years and 4 months.

OUT-OF-STATE CASES

For the first six months of 1979, there were 117 out-of-state cases handled by the Mississippi Youth Courts.

The offenders came from twenty-nine states (see table 21). Mississippi's largest number of out-of-state offenders were from Louisiana. They accounted for 27 percent of the cases with 31 offenders. Texas was next with 15 percent of the cases and 18 offenders.

Forty-two percent of the out-of-state cases were runaways. In almost all the cases, the runaways were returned to their home state. Those that were not returned were those who committed other acts of delinquency while in Mississippi or those handled by special proceedings.

The majority of the out-of-state cases were white juveniles. They accounted for 80 percent of all referrals with 94 cases: 48 males and 46 females. Blacks amounted to 15 percent with 18 cases: 8 males and 10 females. Other races accounted for the remaining 5 percent with 5 cases, 3 males and 2 females.

The average age of the out-of-state offender handled by the Mississippi Youth Court from January through June, 1979 was 14 years and 8 months.

GENERAL TABLES

TABLE 1. DELINQUENCY, TRAFFIC, NEGLECT AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS
CHILDREN DISPOSED OF BY THE MISSISSIPPI
YOUTH COURTS BY COUNTY, BY METHOD OF HANDLING

County	Total	Official	Unofficial	County	Total	Official	Unofficial
Total	6 895	3 492	3 403				
Adams.....	107	91	16	Leflore.....	132	35	97
Alcorn.....	67	35	32	Lincoln.....	44	40	4
Amite.....	4	4	-	Lowndes.....	189	61	128
Attala.....	30	16	14	Madison.....	41	25	16
Benton.....	2	1	1	Marion.....	43	43	-
Bolivar.....	225	83	142	Marshall.....	38	37	1
Calhoun.....	7	6	1	Monroe.....	108	83	25
Carroll.....	3	2	1	Montgomery ...	9	2	7
Chickasaw...	8	3	5	Neshoba.....	22	18	4
Choctaw.....	3	3	-	Newton.....	3	3	-
Claiborne...	3	1	2	Noxubee.....	1	-	1
Clarke.....	23	8	15	Oktibbeha.....	72	15	57
Clay.....	18	11	7	Panola.....	78	8	70
Coahoma.....	208	53	155	Pearl.....	33	33	-
Copiah.....	17	17	-	Perry.....	2	-	2
Covington...	15	12	3	Pike.....	60	56	4
DeSoto.....	348	2	346	Pontotoc.....	1	1	-
Forrest.....	234	173	61	Prentiss.....	60	44	16
Franklin....	2	2	-	Quitman.....	36	17	19
George.....	17	17	-	Rankin.....	77	77	-
Greene.....	3	2	1	Scott.....	18	18	-
Grenada.....	44	6	38	Sharkey.....	22	13	9
Hancock.....	6	6	-	Simpson.....	32	32	-
Harrison....	951	158	793	Smith.....	3	3	-
Hinds.....	974	513	461	Stone.....	4	4	-
Holmes.....	24	22	2	Sunflower.....	90	90	-
Humphreys...	24	11	13	Tallahatchie...	22	18	4
Issaquena...	-	-	-	Tate.....	19	1	18
Itawamba....	97	46	51	Tippah.....	1	-	1
Jackson.....	539	255	284	Tishomingo.....	15	8	7
Jasper.....	2	2	-	Tunica.....	18	1	17
Jefferson...	47	7	40	Union.....	-	-	-
Jeff Davis..	1	1	-	Walthall.....	3	3	-
Jones.....	207	82	125	Warren.....	63	52	11
Kemper.....	-	-	-	Washington.....	665	663	2
Lafayette...	32	7	25	Wayne.....	19	5	14
Lamar.....	26	26	-	Webster.....	4	1	3
Lauderdale..	298	180	118	Wilkinson.....	1	-	1
Lawrence....	10	10	-	Winston.....	6	5	1
Leake.....	15	8	7	Yalobusha.....	12	3	9
Lee.....	120	81	39	Yazoo.....	68	11	57

TABLE 2. DISPOSITION OF CHILDREN'S CASES
BY MANNER OF HANDLING

	Total Cases	Official Cases	Unofficial Cases
Total.....	6 895	3 493	3 402
Waived to Criminal Court.....	127	109	18
Dismissed.....	2 617	1 008	1 609
Held open without further action.....	703	160	543
Probation officer to supervise.....	1 829	1 257	572
Referred to another agency.....	418	125	293
Runaways returned.....	241	37	204
Public institution for delinquents....	360	345	15
Other public institution.....	24	21	3
Referred to public agency or department.....	135	99	36
Private agency or institution.....	48	47	1
Referred to individual.....	140	132	8
Other disposition.....	174	127	47
Special proceedings.....	79	26	53

TABLE 3. REFERRALS OF CHILDREN'S CASES
BY SOURCE OF REFERRAL

Referred By	Total Cases
Total Cases.....	6 895
Law enforcement agency.....	5 105
School department.....	93
Social agency.....	249
Probation officer.....	52
Parents or relatives.....	981
Other court.....	47
Other source.....	352
Unspecified.....	16

TABLE 4. PLACE OF CARE BY TYPE OF CASE

Place of Care	Total	Delinquency	Traffic	Special Proceedings	Neglect and Abuse
Total.....	6,895	6,156	40	120	579
No overnight care.....	5,157	4,651	32	82	392
Jail or police station.....	648	640	4	1	3
Detention home.....	653	642	2	6	3
Foster family home.....	68	7	-	3	58
Other.....	360	209	2	27	123
Unspecified.....	9	7	-	1	-

TABLE 5. PRIOR DELINQUENCY REFERRALS
(EXCLUDING TRAFFIC)

	This Calendar Year (1978)	In Prior Years
0 prior referrals.....	2,182	1,859
1 prior referral.....	227	326
2 prior referrals.....	44	130
3 prior referrals.....	13	52
4 prior referrals.....	11	39
5 or more prior referrals.....	9	76
Unspecified.....	11	15

TABLE 6. AGE OF CHILDREN IN JAIL BY TYPE OF CASE

Age of Child	Total	Delinquency	Traffic	Special Proceedings	Neglect and Abuse
Total	648	640	4	1	3
Less than 1 year.....	-	-	-	-	-
1 year.....	-	-	-	-	-
2 years.....	-	-	-	-	-
3 years.....	-	-	-	-	-
4 years.....	-	-	-	-	-
5 years.....	-	-	-	-	-
6 years.....	-	-	-	-	-
7 years.....	-	-	-	-	-
8 years.....	1	-	-	-	1
9 years.....	-	-	-	-	-
10 years.....	5	5	-	-	-
11 years.....	7	7	-	-	-
12 years.....	20	20	-	-	-
13 years.....	38	38	-	-	-
14 years.....	77	74	1	1	1
15 years.....	122	121	-	-	1
16 years.....	184	182	2	-	-
17 years.....	191	190	1	-	-
18 years.....	3	3	-	-	-
19 years.....	-	-	-	-	-
Unknown.....	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE 7. CHILDREN IN JAIL OR POLICE STATION BY RACE AND SEX

Race	Total	Boys	Girls
Total.....	648	515	133
White.....	290	210	80
Black.....	352	299	53
Indian.....	6	6	-
Other.....	-	-	-

TABLE 8. PRIMARY REASON REFERRED BY RACE AND SEX

Reason Referred	Total	Male				Female			
		White	Black	Indian	Other	White	Black	Indian	Other
Total.....	6,895	2,496	2,374	12	13	1,217	770	2	11
Murder or non-Negligent manslaughter.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Manslaughter by negligence..	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forcible rape.....	14	6	7	1	-	-	-	-	-
Robbery.....	90	26	56	-	-	2	6	-	-
Assault.....	501	125	245	-	-	44	86	1	-
Burglary.....	890	326	536	6	-	12	10	-	-
Auto theft.....	108	54	42	3	-	9	-	-	-
Shoplifting.....	760	118	351	-	-	103	187	-	1
Larceny - excludes shoplifting.....	611	253	309	-	1	18	30	-	-
Weapons - carrying, possessing, etc.....	66	39	24	-	-	2	1	-	-
Sex offenses - except forcible rape.....	26	15	9	-	-	1	1	-	-
Violation of drug laws.....	285	195	30	-	1	54	5	-	-
Drunkenness.....	114	77	19	-	-	14	4	-	-
Disorderly conduct.....	321	128	97	-	-	45	51	-	-
Vandalism.....	202	125	64	-	-	10	3	-	-
Other: Offenses applicable to both juveniles and adults.....	689	272	285	1	2	64	65	-	-
Runaways.....	757	187	43	-	2	395	125	-	5
Truancy.....	22	16	2	-	-	4	-	-	-
Violation of curfew.....	55	23	8	-	-	20	4	-	-
Ungovernable behavior.....	539	204	98	-	1	168	66	1	1
Possessing or drinking of liquor.....	70	50	7	-	-	13	-	-	-
Other: Offenses applicable to juveniles only, excluding traffic.....	33	15	9	-	-	3	6	-	-
Driving while intoxicated...	12	11	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Hit and run.....	2	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Reckless driving.....	12	8	3	-	-	1	-	-	-
Driving without a license...	6	2	3	-	-	-	1	-	-
All other traffic.....	8	6	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Special proceedings.....	120	44	17	-	2	39	18	-	-
Neglect and abuse.....	579	169	107	1	4	194	100	-	4

BY RACE AND SEX

Secondary Reason Referred	Total	Male				Female			
		White	Black	Indian	Other	White	Black	Indian	Other
Total.....	304	130	124	-	-	26	23	1	-
Manslaughter by negligency...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Robbery: Purse snatching	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
by force.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Robbery: All except purse	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
snatching.....	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assault: Aggravated.....	3	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-
Assault: All except	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
aggravated.....	7	1	5	-	-	-	1	-	-
Burglary: Breaking or	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Entering.....	19	10	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Auto theft: Unauthorized	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
use.....	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Auto theft: All except	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
unauthorized use.....	4	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Larceny: Shoplifting.....	5	1	3	-	-	-	1	-	-
Larceny: All except shop-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
lifting.....	38	20	17	-	-	-	1	-	-
Weapons: Carrying,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
possessing, etc.....	8	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sex Offense (except forcible	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
rape).....	2	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Violation of drug Laws	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Narcotics.....	6	3	1	-	-	1	1	-	-
Violation of drug laws: All	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
except narcotics.....	15	12	2	-	-	-	1	-	-
Drunkenness.....	7	4	2	-	-	-	1	-	-
Disorderly Conduct.....	13	5	6	-	-	1	1	-	-
Vandalism.....	10	5	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other.....	95	32	5	-	-	6	6	-	-
Running Away.....	14	4	2	-	-	5	2	1	-
Truancy.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Violation of curfew.....	6	3	-	-	-	2	1	-	-
Ungovernable behavior.....	22	7	3	-	-	8	4	-	-
Possessing or drinking of	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
liquor.....	5	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other Reason: Applicable	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
to juveniles only.....	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Driving while intoxicated....	3	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Hit and run.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Reckless Driving.....	5	4	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
Driving without a license....	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
All other traffic.....	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Abuse.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Neglect.....	6	-	3	-	-	1	2	-	-
Special Proceedings:	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
adoptions, consent to marry,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
etc.....	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE 10.

PRIMARY REASON REFERRED BY TYPE OF DISPOSITION

Reason Referred	Total	Waived to Criminal Court	Dis-missed	Continued or Held Open	Probation Officer to Supervise	Referred to Another Agency	Runaways Returned	Committed to Public Institution for Delin.	Other Public Instit.	Referred to Public Agency or Dept.	Referred to Private Agency or Instit.	Referred to Individual	Other Disposition	Special Proceedin.
Total Cases	6,895	127	2,616	703	1,829	418	241	360	24	135	48	140	174	80
Special Proceedings, Sub-total.....	120	2	35	1	3	13	-	1	-	5	1	14	17	28
Delinquency (Applicable to both Juveniles & adults), Sub-total.....	4,680	122	1,882	474	1,562	127	8	309	9	33	19	17	107	11
Murder or non-negligent man-slaughter.....	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Manslaughter by negligence.....	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Forcible rape.....	14	-	4	4	-	2	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	-
Robbery.....	90	5	21	7	39	-	-	14	-	2	-	-	1	1
Assault.....	500	11	265	72	119	8	1	14	-	5	-	1	4	-
Burglary.....	891	40	176	49	403	21	1	149	5	9	5	5	28	-
Auto theft.....	108	2	8	7	50	7	-	25	-	3	1	2	5	-
Shoplifting.....	760	12	404	63	232	12	-	20	-	2	2	2	8	3
Larceny-excludes shoplifting.....	611	17	213	59	237	15	4	37	-	-	6	5	18	-
Weapons - Carrying, possessing, etc	66	-	37	4	14	3	-	2	1	2	-	-	3	-
Sex offenses - except forcible rape	26	-	12	4	6	1	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	1
Violation of Drug laws.....	285	10	93	22	120	23	-	4	-	4	-	1	8	-
Drunkenness.....	114	2	58	8	23	13	1	2	-	1	1	-	4	1
Disorderly conduct.....	321	5	193	42	65	5	-	5	1	1	-	-	4	-
Vandalism.....	202	4	100	11	73	1	-	5	1	-	2	-	4	1
Other delinquent behavior.....	689	14	297	122	180	16	1	28	1	2	1	3	20	4
Delinquency (Applicable to juveniles only) Sub-total.....	1,476	2	537	218	243	104	230	49	4	20	15	15	26	13
Runaways.....	757	-	227	101	104	44	227	11	1	8	3	6	15	10
Truancy.....	22	-	9	4	7	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Violation of curfew.....	55	-	36	2	9	1	1	4	-	-	-	-	2	-
Ungovernable behavior.....	539	1	220	97	94	56	2	26	2	11	10	9	8	3
Possessing or drinking of liquor...	70	1	40	12	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Other.....	33	-	5	2	13	1	-	8	1	1	2	-	-	-
Traffic Offenses, Sub-total.....	40	1	17	2	11	1	-	-	-	3	-	-	4	1
Driving while intoxicated.....	12	-	2	2	5	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	1
Hit and run.....	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Reckless Driving.....	12	-	8	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-
Driving without a license.....	6	-	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
All other traffic.....	8	1	4	-	2	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Neglect and abuse, Sub-total.....	579	-	145	8	10	173	3	1	11	74	13	94	20	27

TABLE 11.

PRIMARY REASON REFERRED BY SEX OF CHILD

Reason Referred	Total	Male	Female
Total Cases.....	6,895	4,895	2,000
Special Proceedings, Sub-total.....	120	63	57
Delinquency (Applicable to both juveniles and adults), Sub-total.....	4,680	3,851	829
Murder or non-neglect manslaughter.....	1	1	-
Manslaughter by negligence.....	2	2	-
Forcible rape.....	14	14	-
Robbery.....	90	82	8
Assault.....	501	370	131
Burglary.....	890	868	22
Auto theft.....	108	99	9
Shoplifting.....	760	469	291
Larceny - excludes shoplifting.....	611	563	48
Weapons - carrying, possessing, etc.....	66	63	3
Sex offenses - except forcible rape.....	26	24	2
Violation of drug laws.....	285	226	59
Drunkenness.....	114	96	18
Disorderly conduct.....	321	225	96
Vandalism.....	202	189	13
Other: Offenses applicable to both juveniles and adults.....	689	560	129
Delinquency (Applicable to juveniles only), Sub-total.....	1,476	665	811
Runaways.....	757	232	525
Truancy.....	22	18	4
Violation of curfew.....	55	31	24
Ungovernable.....	539	303	236
Possessing or drinking of liquor.....	70	57	13
Other: Offenses applicable to juveniles only.....	33	24	9
Traffic Offenses, Sub-total.....	40	36	4
Driving while intoxicated.....	12	11	1
Hit and run.....	2	1	1
Reckless driving.....	12	11	1
Driving without a licensed.....	6	5	1
All other traffic.....	8	8	-
Neglect and Abuse, Sub-total.....	579	281	298

TABLE 12.

AGE BY TYPE OF CASE

Age	Total	Delinquency	Traffic	Special Processings	Neglect and Abuse
Total.....	6,895	6,156	40	120	579
Less than 1 year.....	3	-	-	1	2
1 year.....	72	-	-	8	64
2 years.....	51	-	-	5	46
3 years.....	41	-	-	2	39
4 years.....	36	-	-	8	28
5 years.....	30	3	-	1	26
6 years.....	46	5	-	4	37
7 years.....	37	11	-	4	22
8 years.....	72	28	-	4	40
9 years.....	78	42	-	4	32
10 years.....	146	104	-	4	38
11 years.....	176	149	-	5	22
12 years.....	366	325	-	7	34
13 years.....	563	513	1	5	44
14 years.....	909	863	7	9	30
15 years.....	1,293	1,229	6	19	39
16 years.....	1,516	1,461	8	21	26
17 years.....	1,406	1,374	17	6	9
18 years.....	36	33	1	1	1
19 years.....	1	-	-	1	-
Unknown.....	17	16	-	1	-

TABLE 13.

NUMBER OF DISPOSITIONS BY MONTH
BY COUNTY

County	Total	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Total	6,895	963	971	1,082	1,017	1,140	880	485	143	73	85	30	25
Adams.....	108	21	15	18	12	14	12	13	3	-	-	-	-
Alcorn.....	67	12	12	8	12	1	11	10	-	-	-	-	1
Amite.....	4	-	1	1	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Attala.....	30	11	5	-	4	2	7	1	-	-	-	-	-
Benton.....	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bolivar.....	225	23	19	34	12	39	8	8	15	7	54	2	4
Calhoun.....	7	-	3	-	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carroll.....	3	-	-	-	1	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chickasaw...	8	-	-	1	5	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Choctaw.....	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Claiborne...	3	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clarke.....	23	3	9	4	4	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Clay.....	18	1	2	-	2	6	2	1	-	-	2	2	-
Coahoma.....	208	25	18	48	32	37	21	26	1	-	-	-	-
Copiah.....	17	1	7	3	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Covington...	15	4	-	-	3	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
DeSoto.....	348	54	31	43	87	69	43	16	2	1	-	-	2
Forrest.....	234	21	34	33	30	37	26	34	10	3	5	1	-
Franklin.....	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
George.....	17	1	2	7	1	2	3	1	-	-	-	-	-
Greene.....	3	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grenada.....	44	5	4	6	8	9	2	4	1	1	3	-	1
Hancock.....	6	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
Harrison.....	950	143	137	167	124	150	122	81	15	9	2	-	-
Hinds.....	974	150	133	145	125	174	168	71	7	1	-	-	-
Holmes.....	24	2	7	2	3	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	-
Humphreys...	24	10	-	3	3	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	1
Issaquena...	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Itawamba....	97	7	25	17	22	22	3	-	-	-	-	-	1
Jackson.....	539	54	59	127	93	107	58	26	6	2	3	2	2
Jasper.....	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jefferson...	47	-	-	8	23	11	1	-	4	-	-	-	-
Jeff Davis..	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Jones.....	207	21	42	39	21	23	41	7	5	3	-	3	2
Kemper.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lafayette...	32	-	6	7	4	3	4	5	3	-	-	-	-
Lamar.....	26	-	6	3	4	3	9	-	1	-	-	-	-
Lauderdale..	298	59	49	48	45	30	29	24	11	2	-	-	1
Lawrence....	10	2	1	-	2	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Leake.....	15	4	-	2	7	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE 13.
(continued)NUMBER OF DISPOSITIONS BY MONTH
BY COUNTY

County	Total	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
Lee.....	120	19	15	11	4	12	21	30	8	-	-	-	-
Leflore.....	132	13	19	3	21	34	24	16	2	-	-	-	-
Lincoln.....	44	11	2	3	12	3	13	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lowndes.....	189	31	28	38	19	41	23	5	2	-	-	2	-
Madison.....	41	7	5	10	6	7	6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marion	43	8	19	6	-	4	4	2	-	-	-	-	-
Marshall....	38	7	8	3	3	1	2	1	6	7	-	-	-
Monroe.....	108	11	24	11	22	15	17	8	-	-	-	-	-
Montgomery..	9	5	2	-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
Neshoba.....	22	1	4	7	8	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Newton.....	3	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Noxubee.....	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oktibbeha...	72	5	14	10	17	11	12	-	-	-	1	2	-
Panola.....	78	13	23	20	5	7	4	6	-	-	-	-	-
Pearl River..	33	1	3	1	-	4	3	10	10	1	-	-	-
Perry.....	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pike.....	60	11	7	11	11	4	6	6	1	1	-	-	2
Pontotoc....	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Prentiss....	60	12	7	10	3	10	11	1	-	6	-	-	-
Quitman.....	36	4	1	12	7	10	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
Rankin.....	77	8	13	18	20	13	4	1	-	-	-	-	-
Scott.....	18	9	-	3	4	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Sharkey.....	22	6	1	2	6	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Simpson.....	32	2	9	-	8	4	9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Smith.....	3	1	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stone.....	4	1	-	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sunflower...	90	18	6	14	14	16	21	1	-	-	-	-	-
Tallahatchie.	22	-	4	3	6	8	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
Tate.....	19	7	3	-	1	6	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
Tippah.....	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tishomingo...	15	3	4	3	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tunica.....	18	-	6	1	4	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Union.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Walthall.....	3	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Warren.....	63	8	11	3	11	20	10	-	-	-	-	-	-
Washington...	665	83	81	80	99	100	67	64	26	28	15	15	7
Wayne.....	19	4	6	3	1	2	2	1	-	-	-	-	-
Webster.....	4	-	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wilkinson....	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Winston.....	6	-	2	1	1	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Yalobusha....	12	-	2	4	1	1	1	1	2	-	-	-	-
Yazoo.....	68	12	9	7	8	14	15	2	-	-	-	-	1

SUPPLEMENTARY TABLES

Tables in this section are in regard to the child's school attainment and adjustment, family income, marital status of the natural parents, etc. This data is included to give a general idea of the child's social environment.

TABLE 14.

FAMILY INCOME BY RACE

Income	Total	White	Black	Indian	Other
Total	6 895	3 713	3 144	14	24
Receiving Public Assistance.....	1 000	125	873	2	0
Under \$3,000.....	134	38	96	0	0
\$3,000 to 4,999.....	310	90	218	2	0
\$5,000 to 9,999.....	780	386	389	4	1
\$10,000 and over.....	1 267	1 062	205	0	0
Unknown.....	3 404	2 012	1 363	6	23

TABLE 15.

MARITAL STATUS OF PARENT BY RACE AND SEX

Marital Status	Total	White		Black		Indian		Other	
		Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
Total.....	6 895	2 496	1 217	2 374	770	12	2	13	11
Parents married and living together...	2 443	1 205	475	579	169	4	1	4	6
Both dead.....	57	10	10	29	8	-	-	-	-
Father dead.....	587	185	66	255	79	1	-	1	-
Mother dead.....	178	41	22	75	40	-	-	-	-
Divorced or legally separated.....	2 240	834	454	710	236	4	1	-	1
Father deserted mother.....	150	16	8	104	21	1	-	-	-
Mother deserted father.....	26	8	6	8	4	-	-	-	-
Parents separated, other reason.....	49	17	5	22	5	-	-	-	-
Parents not married to each other.....	725	42	34	484	162	1	-	2	-
Other status.....	41	9	8	20	4	-	-	-	-
Unknown.....	399	129	129	88	42	1	-	6	4

TABLE 16.

AGE BY YEARS OF SCHOOL COMPLETED

Age	Total	Years of School Completed													Unknown
		0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
Total	6 895	264	55	61	115	162	276	711	971	1 122	999	764	383	103	909
Less than 1 year..	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1 year.....	72	72	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2 years.....	51	51	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3 years.....	41	41	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4 years.....	36	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 years.....	30	22	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
6 years.....	46	26	9	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9
7 years.....	37	1	15	8	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	12
8 years.....	72	-	12	26	18	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15
9 years.....	78	-	1	12	33	11	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19
10 years.....	146	1	3	4	41	45	20	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	28
11 years.....	176	-	1	5	13	49	61	16	3	-	-	1	-	-	27
12 years.....	366	1	6	2	5	21	97	151	33	6	-	-	-	-	44
13 years.....	563	-	3	-	2	17	43	181	197	52	2	-	-	-	66
14 years.....	909	-	-	1	-	10	28	142	261	264	79	4	-	-	120
15 years.....	1 293	3	1	-	2	2	11	98	235	341	324	110	8	-	158
16 years.....	1 516	2	-	1	-	3	9	76	150	276	366	337	86	4	206
17 years.....	1 406	5	1	-	-	3	5	40	90	176	223	305	284	92	182
18 years.....	36	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	4	5	7	5	7	4
19 years.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Unknown.....	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	13

TABLE 17.

AGE BY SCHOOL ATTAINMENT

Age	Total	Retarded	Expected Level	Accelerated	Not Applicable (Not in School)	Unknown
Total	6 895	1 792	2 477	16	1 810	800
Less than 1 year...	3	-	-	-	3	-
1 year.....	72	-	-	-	72	-
2 years.....	51	-	-	-	51	-
3 years.....	41	-	-	-	41	-
4 years.....	36	-	-	-	36	-
5 years.....	30	-	4	-	26	-
6 years.....	46	2	16	-	19	9
7 years.....	37	2	23	-	1	11
8 years.....	72	14	39	-	4	15
9 years.....	78	15	42	-	4	17
10 years.....	146	44	69	-	5	28
11 years.....	176	54	84	1	11	26
12 years.....	366	94	195	2	33	42
13 years.....	563	176	271	1	57	58
14 years.....	909	288	397	2	108	114
15 years.....	1 293	418	497	2	229	147
16 years.....	1 516	386	436	5	509	180
17 years.....	1 406	289	395	2	582	138
18 years.....	36	8	8	1	16	3
19 years.....	1	1	-	-	-	-
Unknown.....	17	1	1	-	3	12

TABLE 18.

LIVING ARRANGEMENT OF CHILD BY RACE AND SEX

Living Arrangement	Total	Male				Female			
		White	Black	Indian	Other	White	Black	Indian	Other
Total.....	6 895	2 496	2 374	12	13	1 217	770	2	11
With both parents.....	2 372	1 180	575	4	4	441	162	1	5
With mother and step- father.....	642	238	174	1	1	149	79	-	-
With father and step- mother.....	126	64	24	-	-	30	8	-	-
With mother only.....	2 363	583	1 133	3	4	278	360	-	2
With father only.....	276	123	75	2	-	57	19	-	-
In home of relatives....	574	125	281	1	-	77	89	1	-
In foster family home...	101	20	41	-	-	30	10	-	-
In institution.....	45	17	5	-	-	22	1	-	-
In independent living arrangement.....	88	31	11	-	-	26	20	-	-
In other place.....	84	31	19	-	-	25	7	-	2
Unspecified.....	224	84	36	1	4	82	15	-	2

TABLE 19.

LIVING ARRANGEMENT OF CHILD BY AGE

Living Arrangements	Total	AGE																			Un-Specified	
		Less Than 1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18		19
Total.....	6 895	3	72	51	41	36	33	44	37	72	78	148	177	368	573	913	1 309	1 505	1 384	33	1	17
With both parents.....	2 372	1	19	7	8	7	5	11	10	20	19	41	63	107	189	289	480	566	515	9	-	6
With mother and stepfather..	642	-	3	2	7	4	2	7	2	7	8	8	12	48	75	91	119	135	106	6	-	-
With father and stepmother..	126	-	-	1	-	1	3	-	-	-	1	6	5	4	11	20	26	24	24	-	-	-
With mother only.....	2 363	-	35	27	17	14	12	12	12	29	34	68	69	128	219	351	411	462	446	10	1	6
With father only.....	276	-	-	2	2	1	1	4	4	5	-	7	6	17	11	42	55	69	49	1	-	-
In homes of relatives.....	574	2	5	4	5	3	2	6	4	6	6	2	11	36	40	63	103	135	136	3	-	2
In foster family home.....	101	-	5	4	-	2	1	-	3	1	2	9	2	9	7	9	20	15	11	1	-	-
In institution.....	45	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	4	9	22	2	4	-	-	-
In independent living arrangements.....	88	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1	10	23	51	1	-	1
In other place.....	84	-	1	-	-	-	2	1	-	1	-	2	3	4	10	13	25	21	1	-	-	-
Unspecified.....	224	-	4	4	2	4	5	3	2	3	8	5	5	11	7	25	38	53	41	2	-	2

TABLE 20.

STATE BY TYPE OF CASE AND
BY MANNER OF HANDLING

State	Total	Official Cases			Unofficial Cases		
		Delinquency	Neglect	Special Proceedings	Delinquency	Neglect	Special Proceedings
Total	117	23	-	-	78	11	5
Alabama.....	9	3	-	-	6	-	-
Arkansas.....	4	1	-	-	3	-	-
California.....	2	1	-	-	-	-	1
Delaware.....	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Florida.....	9	1	-	-	8	-	-
Georgia.....	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
Illinois.....	3	1	-	-	2	-	-
Indiana.....	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Kansas.....	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Kentucky.....	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
Louisiana.....	31	9	-	-	17	4	1
Maine.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
Michigan.....	3	-	-	-	3	-	-
Minnesota.....	3	1	-	-	2	-	-
Missouri.....	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
New Hampshire....	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
New Jersey.....	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
New Mexico.....	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
New York.....	1	-	-	-	-	1	-
North Carolina...	2	2	-	-	-	-	-
North Dakota.....	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Ohio.....	4	1	-	-	3	-	-
Oklahoma.....	2	-	-	-	2	-	-
Pennsylvania.....	3	-	-	-	-	3	-
South Carolina...	1	-	-	-	1	-	-
Tennessee.....	4	2	-	-	2	-	-
Texas.....	18	1	-	-	16	-	1
Wisconsin.....	2	-	-	-	-	2	-
Other Country....	1	-	-	-	-	-	1

TABLES ON OUT-OF-STATE CASES

The information in this section concerns the 117 out of state children's cases handled by the Mississippi Youth Courts for the first six months of 1979.

TABLE 21.

OUT OF STATE CASES
PLACE OF CARE BY RACE AND SEX

Place of Care	Total	Male				Female			
		White	Black	Indian	Other	White	Black	Indian	Other
Total.....	117	48	8	-	3	46	10	-	2
No overnight care.....	53	24	3	-	1	21	4	-	-
Jail or police station..	21	11	2	-	-	6	2	-	-
Detention home.....	26	6	1	-	2	15	2	-	-
Foster family home.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Other place.....	17	7	2	-	-	4	2	-	2
Unspecified.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE 22.

OUT OF STATE CASES BY DIPOSITION

Total.....	117
Waived to criminal court.....	3
Dismissed: Not proved or found guilty.....	19
Dismissed: Warned, adjusted, counseled.....	21
Held open without further action.....	1
Probation officer to supervise.....	3
Referred to another agency for supervision or service.....	10
Runaway returned.....	54
Public institution for delinquents.....	-
Other public institution.....	3
Referred to social agency.....	-
Referred to private agency or institution.....	1
Transfer of custody to individual.....	-
Other disposition.....	1
Special proceedings.....	1

TABLE 23.

MALE OUT OF STATE CASES
BY AGE, BY RACE

Age	Total	Delinquency				Traffic				Neglect and Special Proceedings			
		White	Black	Indian	Other	White	Black	Indian	Other	White	Black	Indian	Other
Total.....	56	-	-	-	-	41	5	-	2	4	3	-	1
Less than 1 year.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1 year.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
4 years.....	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
5 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8 years.....	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-
9 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
12 years.....	3	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
13 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
14 years.....	7	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
15 years.....	10	-	-	-	-	7	2	-	1	-	-	-	-
16 years.....	12	-	-	-	-	10	1	-	-	1	-	-	-
17 years.....	18	-	-	-	-	16	2	-	-	-	-	-	-
18 years.....	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
19 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unspecified.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

TABLE 24.

FEMALE OUT OF STATE CASES
BY AGE, BY RACE

Age	Total	Delinquency				Traffic				Neglect and Special Proceedings			
		White	Black	Indian	Other	White	Black	Indian	Other	White	Black	Indian	Other
Total.....	61	43	8	-	2	-	-	-	-	6	2	-	-
Less than 1 year.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1 year.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
2 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3 years.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
4 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 years.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
6 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8 years.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
9 years.....	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
10 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
11 years.....	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
12 years.....	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
13 years.....	7	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-
14 years.....	13	11	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 years.....	11	8	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
16 years.....	15	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
17 years.....	7	3	2	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-
18 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
19 years.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Unspecified.....	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

EXHIBIT

THE NATIONAL CENTER FOR JUVENILE JUSTICE
3900 FORBES AVENUE, PITTSBURGH, PENNSYLVANIA 15260
JUVENILE COURT STATISTICAL CARD

A. COURT _____		D. DATE OF BIRTH _____ mo. day year	
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	
		G. RACE: 1 White 2 Negro 3 Indian 4 Other	
Enter only one code in the designated code box for each major category from "H" to "O"			
H. DATE OF REFERRAL _____ mo. day year	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) _____		N. DATE OF DISPOSITION _____ mo. day year O. DISPOSITION 00 Waived to criminal court 01 Dismissed: Not proved or found not involved Complaint not substantiated No transfer of legal custody 11 Dismissed: Warned, adjusted, counselled 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) _____ 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) _____ 99 Inapplicable—Special Proceedings
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	Offenses applicable to juveniles only (excluding traffic) 31 Running away 32 Truancy 33 Violation of curfew 34 Ungovernable behavior 35 Possessing or drinking of liquor 36 Other (specify) _____ Traffic offenses 41 Driving while intoxicated 42 Hit and run 43 Reckless driving 44 Driving without a license 45 All other traffic (specify) _____ Neglect (abuse, desertion, inadequate care, etc.) 51 Abuse 52 All other neglect (specify) _____ Special proceedings (adoption, consent to marry, etc.) 61 Specify _____		
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) _____ In this category ("K") if more than one code is applicable, add the appropriate codes and enter total sum in coding box.			
SUPPLEMENTARY DATA (for court's use)			
P. PRIOR TRAFFIC AND NEGLECT REFERRALS a. Total No. of prior traffic referrals 0 1 2 3 4 5 or more b. Total No. of prior neglect referrals 0 1 2 3 4 5 or more	V. LIVING ARRANGEMENT OF CHILD In own home: 01 With both parents 02 With mother and stepfather 03 With father and stepmother 04 With mother only 05 With father only 06 In home of relatives 07 In foster family home 08 In institution 09 In independent living arrangements 10 In other place (specify) _____ W. MARITAL STATUS OF NATURAL PARENTS 01 Parents married and living together One or both parents dead 02 Both dead 03 Father dead 04 Mother dead Parents separated: 05 Divorced or legally separated 06 Father deserted mother 07 Mother deserted father 08 Other reason (specify) _____ 09 Parents not married to each other 10 Other status (specify) _____		ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR USE OF COURT
Q. DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES Need for Diagnostic Services Indicated and provided Indicated but not available Not indicated a. Psychological 1 2 3 b. Psychiatric 1 2 3 c. Medical 1 2 3 d. Social 1 2 3	X. FAMILY INCOME (Annual) 1 Receiving public assistance at time of referral Not receiving public assistance at time of referral 2 Under \$3,000 3 \$3,000 to \$4,999 4 \$5,000 to \$9,999 5 \$10,000 and over 6 Unknown		
R. ESTIMATED MENTAL CAPACITY 1 Below average 3 Above average 2 Average 4 Not determined	Y. LOCATION OF RESIDENCE 1 Rural 2 Urban—predominantly residential 3 Urban—predominantly business or industrial area 4 Suburban		
S. SCHOOL ATTAINMENT & ADJUSTMENT a. Years of schooling completed: 00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10 11 12 or more b. Grade placement in relation to age: 1 Retarded 3 Accelerated 2 At expected level 4 Inapplicable (not in school) c. Serious or persistent school misbehavior 1 Yes 2 No 3 Inapplicable (not in school)			
T. EMPLOYMENT AND SCHOOL STATUS Out of School In School Not employed 1 5 Employed 2 6 Full time 3 7 Part time 4 8 Inapplicable (pre-school)			
U. LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (of child) IN COUNTY 0 Not currently resident of County 1 Under one year 2 One but less than five years 3 Five years or more			

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