

County-Level Courts

Probate and Mental Health Activity from September 1, 2016 to August 31, 2017

100.4 Percent Reporting Rate

3,060 Reports Received Out of a Possible 3,048

PROBATE AND GUARDIANSHIP CASES							
Cases on Docket:	Decedents' Estates			Guardianships		All Other Cases	Total Cases
	Independent Administration	Dependent Administration	All Other Estate Proceedings	Minor	Adult		
New Cases, Applications or Contests Filed	35,488	1,992	15,985	611	4,575	5,940	64,591
Other Cases Added:							
<i>Ancillary Cases</i>	224	66	53	2	65	75	485
<i>All Other Matters</i>	4,798	2,388	1,826	715	12,313	10,367	32,407
Inventories Filed	25,621	1,510	---	168	1,324	---	28,623
Guardianship of Person Reports Filed	---	---	---	988	26,999	---	27,987
Annual or Final Accounts Filed	---	1,901	---	1,215	6,645	---	9,761
Additional Information:							
	Guardianships:	Total					Total
	Dismissed or Denied	318			Ch. 1102 Investigations		3,995
	Granted	3,945			Ch. 48 Removals		89
	Closed	2,804			Hearings Held		72,923
	Active	50,478			Cases in Which Plaintiff/Petitioner Represented Self		2,513

MENTAL HEALTH CASES						
	Temporary Mental Health Services	Extended Mental Health Services	Modification		Order to Authorize Psychoactive Medications	
			Inpatient to Outpatient	Outpatient to Inpatient		
Intake						
New Applications Filed	49,165	334	223	123	New Applications Filed	4,795
Orders for Protective Custody Signed	43,512	---	---	---	Dismissal Prior to Hearing	497
					Hearings Held	3,936
Hearings					Disposition at Hearing	
Probable Cause Hearings Held	36,165	---	---	---	<i>Denied</i>	115
Release/Dismissal Prior to Final Hearing	31,904	15	5	14	<i>Granted</i>	3,904
Final Commitment Hearings Held	11,322	205	9	12		
Other Information						
Disposition at Final Hearing						
<i>Denied (Release)</i>	4,006	9	0	0		
<i>Granted (Commit)</i>						
<i>Inpatient</i>	7,953	230	13	---		
<i>Outpatient</i>	265	16	---	10		