

Caseloads of the Courts of Washington

Adoption and Parentage Cases Completed by Type of Case (1) - 2023 Annual Report

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County/Court	Parentage/ UIFSA	Parentage	Relinquishmen t	Termination	Adoption	Modification	Confidential Name Change	Initial/ Pre-Placement Reports Filed With Clerk	Total Adoption/ Parentage/ Name Change
Adams	0	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	6
Asotin	0	3	2	0	5	0	0	0	10
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
...Judicial District	0	3	2	0	5	0	0	0	10
Benton	0	131	0	0	44	0	0	0	175
Franklin	0	20	0	0	13	0	0	0	33
...Judicial District	0	151	0	0	57	0	0	0	208
Chelan	1	14	0	0	33	0	0	0	48
Clallam	1	82	0	0	62	0	0	0	145
Clark	4	386	32	5	224	2	16	1	670
Cowlitz	3	56	0	0	30	1	0	0	90
Douglas	0	8	0	0	4	0	0	0	12
Ferry	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Pend Oreille	1	10	0	0	2	0	0	0	13
Stevens	0	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	5
...Judicial District	1	15	0	0	3	0	0	0	19
Grant	0	32	0	0	34	0	0	0	66
Grays Harbor	0	15	0	0	25	0	0	0	40
Island	0	11	2	0	15	0	2	0	30
Jefferson	0	6	0	1	5	0	1	0	13
King	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kitsap	4	72	0	2	47	0	0	0	125

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Kittitas	0	7	0	0	7	0	1	0	15
Klickitat	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Skamania	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
...Judicial District	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
Lewis	0	36	0	0	31	1	4	0	72
Lincoln	0	2	0	0	19	0	0	0	21
Mason	0	14	0	0	4	0	0	0	18
Okanogan	0	4	0	0	3	0	0	0	7
Pacific	0	5	0	0	2	0	0	0	7
Wahkiakum	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
...Judicial District	0	8	0	0	2	0	0	0	10
Pierce	0	343	0	0	299	0	8	0	650
San Juan	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1
Skagit	1	24	0	0	24	0	7	0	56
Snohomish	4	148	0	0	125	0	11	0	288
Spokane	2	198	0	1	265	0	45	0	511
Thurston	2	42	0	1	73	0	10	0	128
Walla Walla	0	12	0	0	17	0	0	0	29
Whatcom	0	63	0	0	29	0	7	0	99
Whitman	1	5	1	0	2	0	0	0	9
Yakima	2	121	5	0	79	0	2	0	209
Statewide Total:	26	1,887	42	10	1,526	4	114	1	3,610

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