

Caseloads of the Courts of Washington

Adoption and Parentage Cases Resolved without Trial by Type of Resolution (1) - 2023 Annual

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County/Court	Uncontested	Dismissed by Clerk	Change of Venue	Dismissed	Settled/Agreed Judgment	Settled by Arbitration	Default/ Summary Judgment	Closed by Court After Hearing
Adams	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asotin	5	0	0	2	1	0	3	0
Columbia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
...Judicial District	5	0	0	2	1	0	3	0
Benton	11	46	0	9	0	0	73	37
Franklin	32	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
...Judicial District	43	46	0	10	0	0	73	37
Chelan	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	29
Clallam	64	0	0	8	8	0	4	0
Clark	366	0	0	98	0	0	1	118
Cowlitz	23	16	0	5	0	0	1	6
Douglas	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ferry	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Pend Oreille	7	0	0	0	4	0	2	0
Stevens	0	1	0	0	2	0	2	1
...Judicial District	7	1	0	0	7	0	4	1
Grant	40	0	0	1	3	0	4	0
Grays Harbor	12	0	0	6	4	0	5	20
Island	1	0	0	2	0	0	9	18

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Jefferson	3	2	1	1	1	0	2	3
King	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kitsap	0	0	1	4	1	0	64	66
Kittitas	8	0	0	0	1	0	0	6
Klickitat	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Skamania	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
...Judicial District	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Lewis	67	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Lincoln	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mason	7	0	0	0	0	0	10	5
Okanogan	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Pacific	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Wahkiakum	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
...Judicial District	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pierce	14	0	0	124	0	0	13	499
San Juan	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Skagit	0	6	0	1	1	0	16	31
Snohomish	12	0	0	10	36	0	106	126
Spokane	1	0	0	16	16	0	169	309
Thurston	7	19	0	1	6	0	11	86

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Walla Walla	20	3	0	2	0	0	5	0
Whatcom	43	30	0	0	0	0	0	32
Whitman	3	1	0	1	0	0	4	0
Yakima	212	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Statewide Total:	1,018	128	2	293	85	0	507	1,395

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