Eighth Judicial District Court

2024 Update to 2005 Weighted Caseload Study

Final Report

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Executive Summary

Findings

This abbreviated workload assessment establishes a set of workload values or case weights that provide uniform and comparable measures of the number of judicial officers needed to provide effective case resolution. Application of workload standards to fiscal year 2023 filings results in the need for a total of 88.85 FTE, or an additional 17.85 district court judicial officers in the Eighth Judicial District in Clark County, NV.

Post judgment requirements heavily influenced the family and juvenile workload standards in this review. Multiple appellate court decisions requiring additional evidentiary hearings and changes in the law occurred since the last review in 2005. In general, these decisions and changes to the law improve the quality of the record regarding decision making but also require additional time to prepare and make available calendar allocation.

A thorough review of adult and minor guardianship workload demonstrated an improved efficiency in case management by the reduction of time dedicated to various tasks. However, there is a continued need for additional judicial resources.

Changes in workload weight to some civil case types accounted for changes in case management and processing writs. A more detailed breakdown of criminal cases is necessary in order to get a clearer picture of future need.

Judicial officer activity type descriptions were insufficient in the 2005 study to clearly explain the current work. The working group made adjustments to descriptions that appear in the appendices so that the current review would be more accurate. These changes create the foundation for a future time study.

The weighted caseload review did not have the benefit of using the original data to determine the activities and times that established workload baseline. However, the over 100 years of judicial experience on the panel and the consistently conservative approach to adjustments to time creates the level of confidence necessary to support and present the updated numbers and descriptions in this report.

Recommendations

1. Consistent with most of the National Center for State Courts' weighted studies, the Delphi methodology used in this report should be a starting point for determining judicial need and should be used in conjunction with other data points for determining the need for judicial officers. Due to the strengths and weaknesses of this method, we recommend a time study once every ten years.

2. The legislature meets every other year in Nevada. Judicial future needs should be updated every other year, during the off-legislative year, using a Delphi panel or Caseload Study Committee of judges.

3. Integrity of case weights is affected by multiple influences likely to impact case processing time. In the Eighth Judicial District Court, the Chief Judge has the authority by rule to establish

committees. It is recommended that a Caseload Study Committee be created and that the District Court establish this committee by rule.

I. Project Scope

A. Background: 2005 Weighted Caseload Study

Most if not all government services and functions across Clark County, NV have been impacted by years of population growth. The Eighth Judicial District Court was faced with the same challenge of meeting the demands placed upon the court system. The question remained as to how many judicial officers were needed to successfully complete the work in an efficient and effective manner. The EJDC enlisted the expertise of the National Center for State Courts (NCSC) to assist in the completion of a weighted caseload study. The workload assessment using both time study and qualitative analysis concluded that the court needed 15 additional judicial officers at that time.

B. In *Assessing the Need for Judges and Support Staff*[1], a monograph funded by the State Justice Institute published in 1996, the NCSC argues that determining caseload standards with different weights, or workload standards, is the best method for measuring case complexity and determining the need for judges and quasi-judicial officers. In July of 2024, Chief Judge Jerry Wiese commenced a working group of the most experienced judges across all case types and assigned Judge Art Ritchie as chair and tasked him with:

- Examining the 2005 weighted caseload study conducted in the Eighth Judicial District Court and other examples of weighted caseload studies.
- Review the workload standards established in 2005 and update the amount of time dedicated to each hearing type and provide some reasoning and justification for any changes.
- Complete the review within 30 days.

II. Project Methodology

A. Introduction

Because of the short time frame, Judge Ritchie scheduled a series of three required meetings. The first meeting introduced the study group to the Delphi workload study approach and presented the group with:

- Delphi worksheets and explanation of the Delphi methodology and a review of non-related case activity by an expert from the NSCS.
- A copy of the definition of Delphi Methodology from page 14 of the Florida Delphi-based Weighted Caseload Project Final Report in January 2000,
- A more recent definition of Delphi Quality Adjustment Groups from the Study for Georgia State & Judicial Officers.
- The National Center for Juvenile Justice Family Division Assessment Report October 2019

The study group was then tasked with:

1. A review of current workload activity of calendars and percentage of work over the last 1-6 months. This review would establish a sense of workload based on hearing/activity

[1] V. Flango and B. Ostrom, *Assessing the Need for Judges and Court Support Staff*, (National Center for State Courts, 1996).

types and whether the hearing/activity types listed in 2005 should remain, be deleted, or renamed.
2. Based on experience and expertise, review how much time was dedicated to the respective hearing/activity types in an effort to validate or adjust the workload time established in the 2005 study.
3. Meet and confer and establish either an increase or decrease in time dedicated to each hearing/activity type and what percentage of those hearing types were involved in each case. Provide a justification for any adjustments.
4. Present raw data to court administration to enter the data into the Delphi worksheets and review the results.
5. Write, review, and approve a final report and recommendation to the Chief Judge.

B. Case Type and Events

In the 2005 study, there were four criminal case types, fourteen civil case types, six juvenile case types and eighteen family case types. The working group reviewed all the case types and activities that make up the case type and added warrants and specialty courts and removed drug court. Consistent with other Delphi updates, the group modified descriptions of activities/events that make up case types. A more thorough expansion and review of case types and activities/descriptions is likely to be needed should a lengthier time study analysis occur in the future. For example, an Alabama Delphi Study delineated criminal case types at their circuit court level to account for differences in weight by capital crimes, person crimes, property crimes, felony other, and drug. This delineation improves the reviewer's opportunity to pinpoint the weight of each case type thus creating a more valid weighted measure.

C. Delphi Data Collection

Essentially, a Delphi study uses "expert opinions" to review the data elements utilized in the 2005 weighted caseload standards rather than conduct a new time study. Judges reviewed their individual workloads and evaluated them against the workload standards set in 2005. Judges were faced with reviewing their individual caseloads against the 2005 results because the raw data was not available. The outcome of those evaluations was relayed to court administration who entered the new values into the Delphi spreadsheets.

D. Judge Year Value

In an effort to compare equally to the 2005 study, the standards adopted in the 2005 study were used except for one additional holiday, Juneteenth. As a result, we used 85,470 annual judicial minutes as the judicial availability. Based on the recommendation of the NCSC, we now show non-case related time as deduction of minutes to create the judicial availability. It should be noted that there are varying judge year values, some higher some lower, being applied across the United States trial courts.

III. Interpretation of the Model

A. Judicial Officer FTE Needs Estimated by the Model

Based on 2023 calendar year filings, the judicial workload assessment update supports 17.85 additional District Court judges, 9.59 in civil/criminal and 8.26 in juvenile/family.

B. Qualitative Factors Affecting the Determination of Resources

According to the National Center for State Courts, many factors affect judicial resource needs. These factors can include culture, attorney practice styles, local calendaring practices (tracks), urban areas

and efficiencies through specialization and economies of scale. All these factors should be taken into consideration when evaluating workload and can be done when a more comprehensive time study occurs.

IV. Conclusions

The integrity of a judicial resource request to the executive and legislative branches is of paramount importance to the Eighth Judicial District Court. Filings per judge and time to disposition were the leading indicators used in previous requests and resulted in adding judges, 2009(6), 2011(9), and 2019(6). While filings per judge is an important metric, it is not the only one. Weighted caseload analysis is nationally recognized as a leading benchmark for analyzing judicial need and resources. Court leadership believed it was important to review this approach before submitting its formal request for new judges. Ultimately, the Eighth Judicial District Court's weighted caseload study update concluded that additional judicial resources are required. Further, a complete time study should be completed in the near future to verify and/or reset new judicial resource needs.

The committee membership is comprised of extraordinarily experienced judges who have spent numerous hours reviewing their own work and communicating with court administration to complete this project. There is little doubt that our review and the adjustments made to various parts of the 2005 study not only reminded us of the tremendous amount of work asked of this district but also the great pride we take in our responsibilities. This task also substantially reinforced our confidence in a request for additional judicial resources. Ensuring that our executive and legislative partners understand these needs is essential to our branch of government and creating the opportunity to prioritize a safe and secure community.

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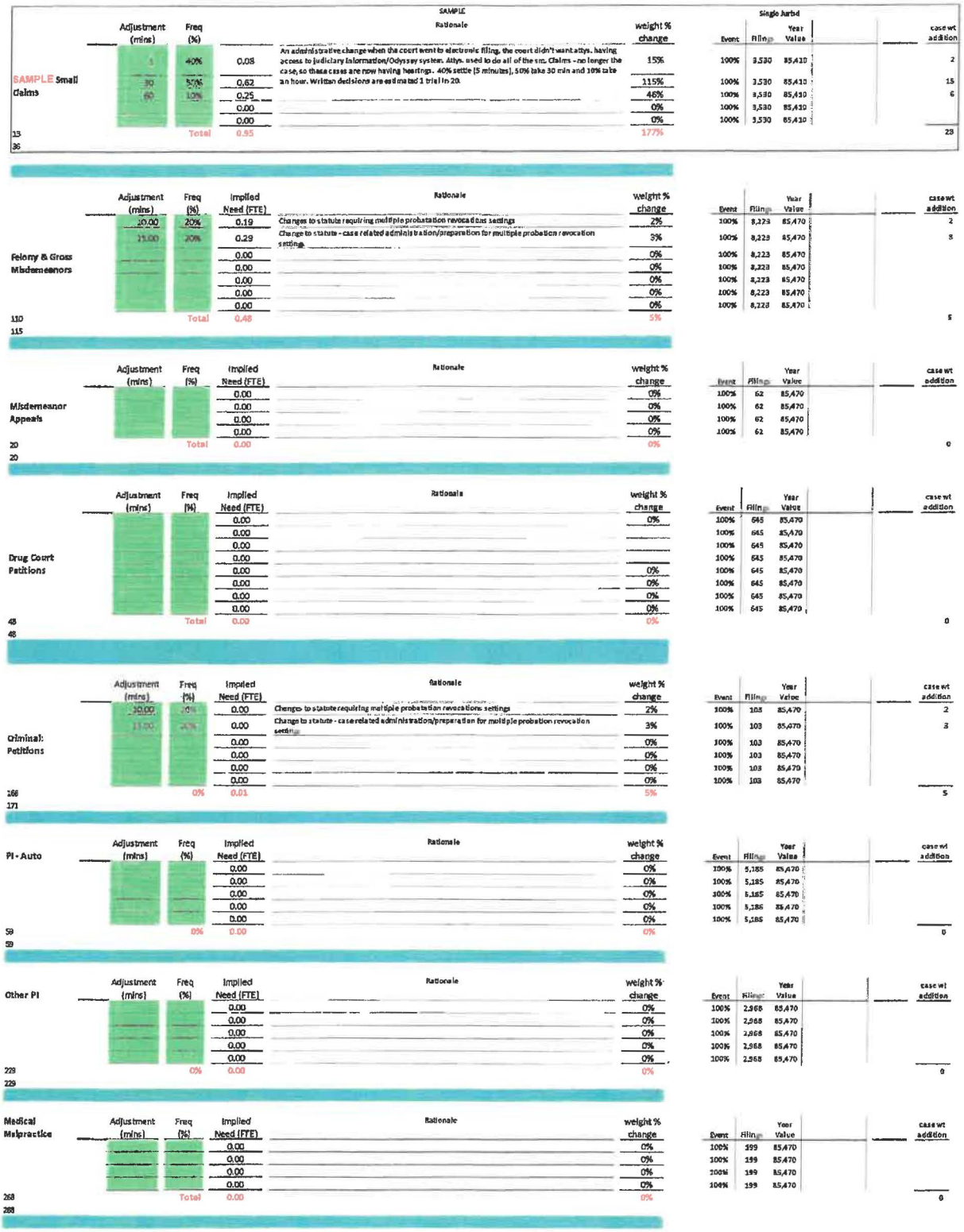
Judge Linda Marquis

Juvenile/Family Model Worksheet
Weighted Caseload Analysis

Case Type	Case Weight (minutes) 2005 Study	Annual Filings 2006 Study * includes reopen	Annual Filings 2023 Update *includes reopen	Case Weight (minutes) 2023 Using 2005 Study	Case Weight (minutes) 2023 Judicial Committee Review
Adoptions	12.00	642	670	12.00	12.00
Child Custody	100.00	1,110	2,573	100.00	122.10
Divorce	56.00	12,593	15,014	56.00	78.10
Separate Maintenance	59.00	180	265	59.00	81.10
Annulment	5.00	791	551	5.00	5.00
Name Change	15.00	750	2,634	15.00	15.00
Paternity Suits	54.00	323	2,841	54.00	76.10
Termination of Parental Rights	123.00	515	389	123.00	123.00
Guardianship Adult - amended from 2005	147.00	1,287	2,197	147.00	80.00
Guardianship Minor - amended from 2005	147.00		2,685	147.00	108.06
Mental Commitments	30.00	795	10,445	30.00	15.00
Child Support	45.00	5,699	8,194	45.00	45.00
Temporary Protective Orders	30.00	8,260	10,354	30.00	32.86
Abuse Charge	72.00	81			72.00
Delinquent Charge	25.00	8,383	4,767	25.00	52.16
Petition for Emancipation	295.00	16	18	295.00	80.00
Abuse/Neglect Charge	205.00	782	1,434	205.00	237.96
Detention/Extradition Hearings	15.00	2,695	2,123	15.00	4.72
Protective Custody Hearings	15.00	1,941	1,560	15.00	15.00
Specialty Courts			221	48.00	131.50
Total Filings		46,743	60,221		
Case Specific Workload (Weights x Filings)		2,096,595	3,325,999		3,581,271
Judge Average Annual Availability (AAA)			117,450		117,450
State holiday (-13 days)			(5,850)		-5,850
Vacation/sick/admin (-29 days)			(13,050)		-13,050
Non-case related activity (218x60min p/day)					-13,080
AAA for Case Specific Workload			98,550		85,470
Judge Resource Calculations					
Funded FTE Positions (All judges/hearing masters)		20	35		34
Travel (-)		0.2	0.36		0.36
Non-case related activity (-)		5.54	10.08		
FTE Judge Resource Supply		14.26	25.56		33.64
FTE Judge Resource Predicted Demand		21.27	33.75		41.90
Difference		-7.01	-8.19		-8.26
Total Judge FTE		27.01	44.19		42.26
Percentage under (-%) or over (+%) FTE (Total FTE - Funded FTE)/Funded FTE		-35.07%	-22.75%		-24.30%

Civil/Criminal
Weighted Caseload Analysis

Case Type	Case Weight (minutes) 2005 Study	Annual Filings 2005 Study * does not include reopen	Annual Filings 2023 Update * does not include reopen	Case Weight (minutes) 2023 Using 2005 Study	Case Weight (minutes) 2023 Judicial Committee Review
Felony & Gross Misdemeanor Crimes*	110.00	7,797	8,223	110.00	115.00
Misdemeanor Appeals (Lower Court)*	20.00	108	62	20.00	20.00
Drug Court Petitions*	48.00	606	645	48.00	0.00
Criminal: Petitions*	166.00	98	103	166.00	171.00
PI-Auto	59.00	3,770	5,185	59.00	59.00
Other P.I.	229.00	1,250	2,968	229.00	229.00
Medical Malpractice	268.00	837	199	268.00	268.00
Real Estate-Non-Construction Defect	160.00	858	1,731	160.00	160.00
Construction Defect	1090.00	52	34	1090.00	1090.00
Petitions for Judicial Review	124.00	291	2,365	124.00	124.00
Business Court Cases	261.00	203	238	261.00	1845.07
Compromise Minor Claim	15.00	1,037	2,318	15.00	15.00
Contract Disputes	3573.00	78	3,897	3573.00	108.20
Civil: Appeals	88.00	117	254	88.00	88.00
Civil: Petitions	82.00	77	511	82.00	82.00
Probate	105.00	2,197	4,878	105.00	53.65
Civil: Other	36.00	9,102	2,689	36.00	41.80
Going Home Prepared*	205.00	77	78	205.00	0.00
Specialty Courts*			415	48.00	121.50
Warrants			9601		10.00
Total Filings		28,055	86,376		
Case Specific Workload (Weights x Filings)		2,666,360	17,316,701		8,948,368
Judge Average Annual Availability (AAA)			117450		117,450
State holiday (-13 days)			-5850		-5,850
Vacation/sick/admin (-29 days)			-18060		-18,050
Non-case related activity (219x60min p/day)					-13,140
AAA for Case Specific Workload			98550		86,410
Judge Resource Calculations					
Funded FTE Positions (All judges/hearing masters)		24	37		37
Travel (-)		0.41	0.86		0.86
Non-case related activity (-)		6.59	10.08		
FTE Judge Resource Supply		14.26	26.56		36.64
FTE Judge Resource Predicted Demand		27.06	175.71		46.23
Difference		-12.80	-149.15		-9.59
Total Judge FTE		36.80	186.15		46.59
Percentage under (-%) or over (+%) FTE (Total FTE - Funded FTE)/Funded FTE		-52.32%	-408.12%		-25.91%



	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
SAMPLE Small Claims	1	40%	0.08	An administrative change when the court went to electronic filing, the court didn't want attys. having access to judiciary information/Odyssey system. Attys. used to do all of the sm. Claims - no longer the case, so these cases are now having hearings. 40% settle (5 minutes), 50% take 30 min and 10% take an hour. Written decisions are estimated 1 trial in 20.	15%	100%	3,530	85,410	2
	30	50%	0.62		115%	100%	3,530	85,410	15
	60	10%	0.25		46%	100%	3,530	85,410	6
			0.00		0%	100%	3,530	85,410	
			0.00		0%	100%	3,530	85,410	
13		Total	0.95		177%				23
36									
Felony & Gross Misdemeanors	10.00	20%	0.19	Changes to statute requiring multiple probatation revocation hearings	2%	100%	8,223	85,470	2
	15.00	20%	0.29	Change to statute - case related administration/preparation for multiple probation revocation setting	3%	100%	8,223	85,470	3
			0.00		0%	100%	8,223	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	8,223	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	8,223	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	8,223	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	8,223	85,470	
110		Total	0.48		5%				5
115									
Misdemeanor Appeals			0.00		0%	100%	62	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	62	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	62	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	62	85,470	
20		Total	0.00		0%				0
20									
Drug Court Petitions			0.00		0%	100%	645	85,470	
			0.00			100%	645	85,470	
			0.00			100%	645	85,470	
			0.00			100%	645	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	645	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	645	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	645	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	645	85,470	
48		Total	0.00		0%				0
48									
Criminal: Petitions	10.00	0%	0.00	Changes to statute requiring multiple probatation revocations settings	2%	100%	103	85,470	2
	15.00	20%	0.00	Change to statute - case related administration/preparation for multiple probation revocation setting	3%	100%	103	85,470	3
			0.00		0%	100%	103	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	103	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	103	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	103	85,470	
166		0%	0.01		5%				5
171									
PI - Auto			0.00		0%	100%	5,185	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	5,185	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	5,185	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	5,185	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	5,185	85,470	
59		0%	0.00		0%				0
59									
Other PI			0.00		0%	100%	2,968	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	2,968	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	2,968	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	2,968	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	2,968	85,470	
229		0%	0.00		0%				0
229									
Medical Malpractice			0.00		0%	100%	199	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	199	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	199	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	199	85,470	
268		Total	0.00		0%				0
268									

Real Estate Non-Construction Defect	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
160		Total	0.00		0%
160					

Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
100%	1,731	85,470	
100%	1,731	85,470	
100%	1,731	85,470	
100%	1,731	85,470	
			0

Construction Defect	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
1,090		Total	0.00		0%
1,090					

Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
100%	34	85,470	
100%	34	85,470	
100%	34	85,470	
100%	34	85,470	
			0

Petitions for Judicial Review	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
124		Total	0.00		0%
124					

Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
100%	2,368	85,470	
100%	2,368	85,470	
100%	2,368	85,470	
100%	2,368	85,470	
100%	2,368	85,470	
			0

Business Court Cases	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
261		Total	0.00		0%
261					

Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
100%	238	85,470	
100%	238	85,470	
100%	238	85,470	
100%	238	85,470	
			0

Business Court Cases	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change
	15	100%	0.04	Add Rule 16 conference activity	1%
	85	100%	0.24	Add Non-discovery Pretrial hearings & motions	6%
	150	100%	0.42	Add Discovery hearings & motions	11%
	240	25%	0.17	Add Settlement Conference	4%
	9.98	100%	0.03	Adjust pretrial conference/calendar call	1%
	2,680	30%	0.90	Add Bench Trial / Prove up / Default as title and activity	24%
	360	5%	0.05	Add Jury Trial as title and activity	1%
	423	100%	1.18	Adjust case related administration/preparation	31%
261		Total	3.02		81%
1345					

Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
100%	238	85,470	15
100%	238	85,470	85
100%	238	85,470	150
100%	238	85,470	60
100%	238	85,470	9
100%	238	85,470	324
100%	238	85,470	18
100%	238	85,470	423
			1,084

Compromise Minor Claim	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
15		Total	0.00		0%
15					

Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
100%	2,318	85,470	
100%	2,318	85,470	
100%	2,318	85,470	
100%	2,318	85,470	
			0

Contract Disputes	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change
	13.86	100%	0.63	Review by Dept 22. Modify title to remove arraignment and include motions and increase average time	13%
	-758.85	100.00%	-34.50	Review pretrial hearings and motions. Remove and add new adjustment average time and % case applicable	-701%
	30.00	15.00%	0.21	Add Pretrial hearings and motions.	4%
	-117.73	100%	-5.37	Review settlement conference. Remove 2005 analysis and add new adjustment.	-109%
	360.00	1%	0.16	Add settlement conference adjustment.	3%
	-50.58	100%	-2.31	Review and adjust time for pretrial conference/calendar call	- 47%
	-285.75	100%	-13.08	Review and remove bench trial analysis and add new adjustment	-264%
	360	1%	0.16	Add new bench trial	3%
	770	1%	0.33	Add jury trial	7%
	-115.44	100%	-5.26	Review and remove post judgement activity and add new adjustment	-107%
	80.00	1%	0.01	Add post judgement activity adjustment	0%
	-2,235.41	100%	-101.83	Review and remove case related administration and add new adjustment	-2064%
	64.00	100%	2.92	Add new case related administration/orders	59%
3,573		Total	-157.98		-3202%
108					

Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
100%	3,897	85,470	14
100%	3,897	85,470	759
100%	3,897	85,470	5
100%	3,897	85,470	218
100%	3,897	85,470	4
100%	3,897	85,470	51
100%	3,897	85,470	286
100%	3,897	85,470	4
100%	3,897	85,470	7
100%	3,897	85,470	115
100%	3,897	85,470	3
100%	3,897	85,470	- 2,233
100%	3,897	85,470	64
			- 3,465

Civil: Appeals	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
38		Total	0.00		0%
38					

Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
100%	254	85,470	
100%	254	85,470	
100%	254	85,470	
100%	254	85,470	
			0

Civil: Petitions	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
58		Total	0.00		0%
58					

Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
100%	511	85,470	
100%	511	85,470	
100%	511	85,470	
100%	511	85,470	
			0

Probate	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change
	5	100%	0.29	Reviewed with Commissioner and recommend additional activity Petitions	9%
	57.82	100%	-3.27	Remove current case weight for case related administration and add new adjustment	-107%
	10	80.00%	0.46	Add non-contested administrative work time, including decisions	15%
	2.86	100.00%	0.13	Add case related administration decisions commissioner	4%
	35	20%	0.40	Add contested work time commissioner	7%
	14.79	100%	-1.41	Adjust jury trial from 2005	-46%
	2.080	0.50%	0.31	Adjust jury trial	10%
	3	100%	0.17	Add Judicial case related administration orders	6%
105		Total	-2.93		-102%
54					

Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
100%	4,878	85,470	5
100%	4,878	85,470	- 57
100%	4,878	85,470	8
100%	4,878	85,470	2
100%	4,878	85,470	7
100%	4,878	85,470	25
100%	4,878	85,470	5
100%	4,878	85,470	3
			- 51

Civil: Other	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change
	180	1%	0.06	Adjust time to post judgment writ evidentiary hearing	4%
	350	1%	0.11	adjust time to post judgement writ case related administration, decisions/order	8%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
36		Total	0.17		13%
41					

Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
100%	2,689	85,470	2
100%	2,689	85,470	4
100%	2,689	85,470	
100%	2,689	85,470	
			5

Going Home Prepared	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
			0.00		0%
205		Total	0.00		0%
205					

Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
100%	73	85,470	
100%	73	85,470	
100%	73	85,470	
100%	73	85,470	
			0

	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Single Jurisd Year Value	case wt addition
SAMPLE Small Claims	5	40%	0.08	An administrative change when the court went to electronic filing, the court didn't want attys. having access to judiciary information/Odyssey system. Attys. used to do all of the sm. Claims - no longer the case, so these cases are now having hearings. 40% settle (5 minutes), 50% take 30 min and 10% take an hour. Written decisions are estimated 1 trial in 20.	15%	100%	3,530	85,410	2
	30	50%	0.62		125%	100%	3,530	85,410	15
	60	10%	0.25		46%	100%	3,530	85,410	6
			0.00		0%	100%	3,530	85,410	
			0.00		0%	100%	3,530	85,410	
13		Total	0.95		177%				23
35									

	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
Adoptions			0.00	Dept H review total time remained similar. No change	0%	100%	870	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	870	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	870	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	870	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	870	85,470	
12		Total	0.00		0%				0
12		-	72						

	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
Child Custody	15	45%	0.20	Rule 16.2, Rule 16.205 implemented 2/28/2017 requiring case management hearings on civil domestic cases where a complaint and answer are filed.	7%	100%	2,573	85,470	7
	180	1%	0.05	Increase in post judgement work. Appellate Court decision Kelly 2024 requiring courts to hold evidentiary hearings in post judgement matters involving medical decisions	2%	100%	2,573	85,470	2
	180	1%	0.05	Increase in post judgement work. Appellate Court decision Arcella 2017 requiring courts to hold evidentiary hearings for education matters, school choice.	2%	100%	2,573	85,470	2
	5	100%	0.15	NRS 125C legislative change joint legal custody. Requires due process hearing in all cases regarding custody.	5%	100%	2,573	85,470	5
	15	45%	0.20	Increase in post judgement work Gordan v. Gergin requiring hearings in change of visitation and custody	7%	100%	2,573	85,470	7
100		Total	0.67		22%				22
122									

	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	Weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
Divorce	15	45%	1.19	Retitle and adjust prejudgement to include Rule 16.2, Rule 16.205 implemented 2/28/2017 requiring case management hearings on civil domestic cases where a complaint and answer are filed.	12%	100%	15,014	85,470	7
	180	1%	0.32	Increase in post judgement work. Appellate Court decision Kelly 2024 requiring courts to hold evidentiary hearings in post judgement matters involving medical decisions	3%	100%	15,014	85,470	2
	180	1%	0.32	Increase in post judgement work. Appellate Court decision Arcella 2017 requiring courts to hold evidentiary hearings for education matters, school choice.	3%	100%	15,014	85,470	2
	5	100%	0.88	NRS 125C legislative change joint legal custody. Requires due process hearing in all cases regarding custody.	9%	100%	15,014	85,470	5
	15	45%	1.19	Increase in post judgement work Gordan v. Gergin requiring hearings in change of visitation and custody	12%	100%	15,014	85,470	7
			0.00		0%	100%	15,014	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	15,014	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	15,014	85,470	
56		Total	3.88		39%				22
78									

	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
Separate Maintenance	15	45%	0.02	Retitle and adjust prejudgement to include Rule 16.2, Rule 16.205 implemented 2/28/2017 requiring case management hearings on civil domestic cases where a complaint and answer are filed.	12%	100%	255	85,470	7
	180	1%	0.01	Increase in post judgement work. Appellate Court decision Kelly 2024 requiring courts to hold evidentiary hearings in post judgement matters involving medical decisions	3%	100%	255	85,470	2
	180	1%	0.01	Increase in post judgement work. Appellate Court decision Arcella 2017 requiring courts to hold evidentiary hearings for education matters, school choice.	3%	100%	255	85,470	2
	5	100%	0.01	NRS 125C legislative change joint legal custody. Requires due process hearing in all cases regarding custody.	9%	100%	255	85,470	5
	15	45%	0.02	Increase in post judgement work Gordan v. Gergin requiring hearings in change of visitation and custody	12%	100%	255	85,470	7
			0.00		0%	100%	255	85,470	
59		146%	0.07		39%				22
81									

	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
Annulment			0.00		0%	100%	551	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	551	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	551	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	551	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	551	85,470	
5		0%	0.00		0%				0
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Name Change	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
			0.00	Dept H. review. No change	0%	100%	2,634	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	2,634	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	2,634	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	2,634	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	2,634	85,470	
15		0%	0.00		0%				0
15									

Paternity Suits	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
	15	45%	0.22	Rule 16.2, Rule 16.205 implemented 2/28/2017 requiring case management hearings on civil domestic cases where a complaint and answer are filed.	13%	100%	2,841	85,470	7
	180	1%	0.06	Increase in post judgement work. Appellate Court decision Kelly 2024 requiring courts to hold evidentiary hearings in post judgement matters involving medical decisions	3%	100%	2,841	85,470	2
	180	1%	0.06	Increase in post judgement work. Appellate Court decision Arcella 2017 requiring courts to hold evidentiary hearings for education matters, school choice.	3%	100%	2,841	85,470	2
	5	100%	0.17	NRS 125C legislative change joint legal custody. Requires due process hearing in all cases regarding custody	9%	100%	2,841	85,470	5
	15	45%	0.22	Increase in post judgement work Gordan v. Gergis requiring hearings in change of visitation and custody	13%	100%	2,841	85,470	7
54		Total	0.73		41%				22
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Termination of Parental Rights	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
			0.00		0%	100%	389	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	389	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	389	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	389	85,470	
123		Total	0.00		0%				0
123									

Adult Guardianship	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
	1.85	100%	-0.05	Dept Q removed pretrial hearings and motions	- 2%	100%	2,197	85,470	- 2
	9.54	100%	0.25	Renamed initial appearance initial Citation	12%	100%	2,197	85,470	10
	30.27	100%	-0.78	Removed non-trial disposition	- 38%	100%	2,197	85,470	- 30
	10.00	35%	0.09	Added activity - Accountings	4%	100%	2,197	85,470	4
	15.00	40%	0.15	Added activity - Other petitions	8%	100%	2,197	85,470	6
	5.00	100%	0.13	Added activity - Compliance 3 yr reviews	6%	100%	2,197	85,470	5
	20.09	5%	0.03	Added activity - Return hearing	1%	100%	2,197	85,470	1
	10.00	5%	0.01	Added activity - Chambers calendar	1%	100%	2,197	85,470	1
	20.00	5%	0.03	Added activity - Orders to show cause	1%	100%	2,197	85,470	1
	15.00	30%	0.12	Added activity - Status checks	6%	100%	2,197	85,470	5
	66	100%	-1.69	Reduce case related administration/preparation - Compliance division	- 82%	100%	2,197	85,470	- 66
147		Total	-1.72		- 84%				- 87
80									

Minor Guardianship	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
	46	100%	-0.01	Dept Q removed pretrial hearings and motions	- 9%	100%	2,685	85,470	
	32	66%	0.62	Renamed initial appearance initial Citation	396%	100%	2,685	85,470	20
	30.27	100%	-0.95	Removed non-trial disposition	-605%	100%	2,685	85,470	- 30
	30	5%	0.05	Added activity - Accountings	30%	100%	2,685	85,470	2
	30	20%	0.19	Added activity - Other petitions	120%	100%	2,685	85,470	6
	5	100%	0.16	Added activity - Compliance 3 yr reviews	100%	100%	2,685	85,470	5
	30	5%	0.05	Added activity - Return hearing	30%	100%	2,685	85,470	2
	3	60%	0.06	Added activity - Chambers calendar	40%	100%	2,685	85,470	2
	180	5%	0.28	Evidentiary Hearings/Trial	180%	100%	2,685	85,470	9
	15	5%	0.02	Added activity - Status checks	15%	100%	2,685	85,470	1
	53.74	100%	-1.69	Reduce case related administration/preparation - Compliance division	-1075%	100%	2,685	85,470	54
147		Total	-1.22		-779%				- 39
108									

Mental Commitments	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
	13.82	100%	-1.70	Reviewed by Dept. 1, adjustment to Non-trial disposition	- 46%	100%	10,445	85,470	- 14
	1.08	100%	-0.13	Reviewed by Dept 1, increase to case-related administration	- 4%	100%	10,445	85,470	- 1
			0.00		0%	100%	10,445	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	10,445	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	10,445	85,470	
30		Total	-1.83		- 50%				- 15
15									

Child Support	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
			0.00		0%	100%	3,194	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	3,194	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	3,194	85,470	
			0.00		0%	100%	3,194	85,470	
45		Total	0.00		0%				0
45									

Temporary Protective Orders	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
	39	100%	-0.05	HM recommended removal pretrial/trial management activity as category	- 1%	100%	10,354	85,410	
	- 50	100%	-0.06	HM recommended removal non-trial disposition as a category	- 2%	100%	10,354	85,410	- 1
	10	15%	0.18	New hearings established by live TPO court, extension hearings	5%	100%	10,354	85,410	2
	3	75%	0.27	New initial hearings established by live TPO court	7%	100%	10,354	85,410	2
30		Total	0.35		9%				3
33									

Abuse Charge	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
			0.00	Combined Abuse and Neglect into Neglect category and renamed.	0%	100%	0	85,410	
			0.00		0%	100%	0	85,410	
			0.00		0%	100%	0	85,410	
			0.00		0%	100%	0	85,410	
72		Total	0.00		0%				0
72									

Delinquent Charge	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
	1.11	100.00%	0.0620	Review by Department B using average of cases over Jan-July 2024.	4%	100%	4,767	85,410	1.11
	1.18	100.00%	0.0659	Review by Department B using average of cases over Jan-July 2024.	5%	100%	4,767	85,410	1.18
	0.31	100.00%	0.0173	Review by Department B using average of cases over Jan-July 2024.	1%	100%	4,767	85,410	0.31
	1.10	100.00%	0.0614	Review by Department B using average of cases over Jan-July 2024.	4%	100%	4,767	85,410	1.10
	7.83	100.00%	0.4370	Legislative and court practice changes, need complexity of children	31%	100%	4,767	85,410	7.83
	5.75	100.00%	0.3209	Legislative and court practice changes, need complexity of children	23%	100%	4,767	85,410	5.75
	1.05	100.00%	0.0586	Review by Department B using average of cases over Jan-July 2024.	4%	100%	4,767	85,410	1.05
	-0.77	100.00%	-0.0430	Dept B. review of activity. Removed, workload evaluated in other category	- 3%	100%	4,767	85,410	-0.77
	180.00	5.00%	0.5023	Certification case related preparation/orders adjustment	36%	100%	4,767	85,410	9.00
	12.00	5.00%	0.0335	Legislative and court practice changes, need complexity of children	2%	100%	4,767	85,410	0.60
25.00		Total	1.52		109%				27.18
52.16									

Petition for Emancipation	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
	- 265	100%	-0.06	Review by Department B using average of cases over Jan-July 2024.	-883%	100%	18	85,410	- 265
			0.00		0%	100%	18	85,410	
			0.00		0%	100%	18	85,410	
			0.00		0%	100%	18	85,410	
295		Total	-0.06		-883%				- 265
30									

Neglect Charge	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
	35	10%	0.06	NRS 432B.157 post adjudicatory hearings	1%	100%	1,434	85,410	4
	45	10%	0.08	NRS 432B.553 post adjudicatory hearings	2%	100%	1,434	85,410	5
	- 10.0	100%	-0.17	Sentencing overstated - Rattle to Disposition	- 4%	100%	1,434	85,410	10
	20	85%	0.29	Semi-Annual reviews	7%	100%	1,434	85,410	17
	25	85%	0.36	Annual reviews	9%	100%	1,434	85,410	21
	- 31.81	100%	-0.53	General Call of Docket/Calendar	- 13%	100%	1,434	85,410	32
	300	1%	0.05	Placement Hearings not delineated in original study	1%	100%	1,434	85,410	3
	420	1%	0.07	TPP Trials not delineated in original study	2%	100%	1,434	85,410	4
	20	10%	0.03	Motions significantly underweighted.	1%	100%	1,434	85,410	2
	15	15%	0.04	Adoptions	1%	100%	1,434	85,410	2
	20	2%	0.01	UCCJEA	0%	100%	1,434	85,410	
	16	2%	0.01	Guardianship citations	0%	100%	1,434	85,410	
	10	1%	0.00	Name changes	0%	100%	1,434	85,410	
	15	100%	0.25	Adjust case related administration/preperation	6%	100%	1,434	85,410	15
	15	5%	0.02	Initial TPR	1%	100%	1,434	85,410	1
205		Total	0.55		14%				99
238									

Detention/ Extradition Hearings	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
	10.28	100%	-0.26	Review by Dept. 8 to modify title of activity and evaluation of time spent on initial appearances.	-218%	100%	2,123	85,410	- 10
			0.00		0%	100%	2,123	85,410	
			0.00		0%	100%	2,123	85,410	
			0.00		0%	100%	2,123	85,410	
15		Total	-0.26		-218%				- 10
5									

Protective Custody Hearings	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
	5	100%	0.09		25%	100%	1,550	85,410	5
			0.00		0%	100%	1,550	85,410	
			0.00		0%	100%	1,550	85,410	
			0.00		0%	100%	1,550	85,410	
15		Total	0.09		25%				5
20									

Specialty Courts	Adjustment (mins)	Freq (%)	Implied Need (FTE)	Rationale	weight % change	Event	Filings	Year Value	case wt addition
	5	100%	0.01	Initial Petition add activity	4%	100%	221	85,410	5
	64	100%	0.17	Status Checks add activity	53%	100%	221	85,410	64
	15	30%	0.01	In-custody add activity	4%	100%	221	85,410	5
	48	30%	0.12	Case Related Administration/Preparation/Staffing add activity	40%	100%	221	85,410	48
0		Total	0.31		100%				122

APPENDIX E: Civil/Criminal Case Weight Composition
Revised August 2024

case type	case weight	activity	% of total	Case weight breakdown (minutes)
Felony and Gross Misdemeanor Crimes	115.00	Initial Appearances/Arraignment/**Plea**	8.81%	10.13
		Pretrial Hearings & Motions	20.88%	24.01
		Pretrial Conference/Calendar Call	0.94%	1.08
		Bench Trial	0.05%	0.06
		Jury Trial	30.51%	35.09
		Post Judgment Writs	1.04%	1.20
		Post Judgment Activity	6.79%	7.81
		Probation Revocations	7.37%	8.48
		Case-Related Administration/ **Preparation**	23.61%	27.15
		Total		115.01
Misdemeanor Appeals (Lower Court)	20.00	Pretrial Hearings & Motions	13.65%	2.73
		Post-Judgment Activity	36.35%	7.27
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**	50.00%	10.00
		Total		20.00
~~Drug Court Petitions~~	0.00	~~Pretrial Hearings & Motions~~ ~~Bench Trial~~ ~~Post-Judgment Activity~~ ~~Case Related Administration/ Preparation~~ ~~Total~~		
Criminal Petitions	171.00	Initial Appearance/Arraignment	2.34%	4.00
		Pretrial Hearings & Motions	12.87%	22.00
		Post Judgment Writs	3.51%	6.00
		Post Judgement Activity	28.07%	48.00
		Probation Revocations	16.37%	28.00
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**	36.84%	63.00
		Total		171.00
Specialty Courts	121.50	**Initial petition**	4.12%	5.00
		Status checks	52.67%	64.00
		In custody/show cause	3.70%	4.50
		Case related administration/staffing	39.51%	48.00
		Total		121.50
Search Warrant Duty	**10.00**	**Review and approval/denial**	100.00%	10
		Total		10

PI-Auto	59.00	Pretrial Hearings & Motions	12.85%	7.58
		Settlement Conference	5.12%	3.02
		Pretrial Conference/Calendar Call	2.81%	1.66
		Bench Trial	1.93%	1.14
		Jury Trial	19.93%	11.76
		Post Judgement Activity	0.41%	0.24
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**	56.97%	33.61
		Total		59.01
All Other P.I.	229.00	Pretrial Hearings & Motions	13.69%	31.36
		Settlement Conference	3.36%	7.7
		Pretrial Conference/Calendar Call	0.97%	2.21
		Jury Trial	53.44%	122.38
		Post Judgment Activity	0.13%	0.29
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**	28.41%	65.07
		Total		229.01
Medical Malpractice	268.00	Pretrial Hearings & Motions	37.14%	99.54
		Settlement Conference	13.89%	37.23
		Pretrial Conference/Calendar Call	3.55%	9.51
		Jury Trial		
		Post Judgment Activity	0.10%	0.26
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**	45.32%	121.46
		Total		268.00
Real Estate Non-Construction Defect	160.00	Pretrial Hearings & Motions	15.63%	25.01
		Settlement Conference	11.48%	18.37
		Pretrial Conference/Calendar Call	1.36%	2.18
		Bench Trial	23.80%	38.08
		Jury Trial	30.22%	48.35
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**	17.51%	28.02
		Total		160.01
Construction Defect	1090.00	Initial Appearance/Arraignment	1.10%	11.96
		Pretrial Hearings & Motions	19.44%	211.85
		Settlement Conference	30.56%	333.15
		Bench Trial	9.40%	102.51
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**	39.50%	430.53
		Total		1090.00
Petitions for Judicial Review	124.00	Pretrial Hearings & Motions	16.58%	20.56
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**	83.42%	103.44
		Total		124

Business Court Cases	1345.07	Rule 16 Conferences/Hearings	0.0111518	15
		Non-discovery hearings & motions		
		Pretrial Hearings & Motions	#DIV/0!	4.69
		Pretrial Conference/Calendar Call	#DIV/0!	1.03
		Post Judgment Activity	#DIV/0!	0.04
		Bench Trial	#DIV/0!	20.25
		Jury Trial		
		Settlement Conference		
		Case Related Administration/**Preparation**		
		Total		26.01
Compromise Minor Claim	15.00	Pretrial Hearings & Motions	32.73%	4.91
		Settlement Conference	14.07%	2.11
		Post Judgment Activity	5.87%	0.88
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**	47.40%	7.11
		Total		15.01
Contract Disputes	108.20	Initial Appearance/~~Arraignment~~**Motions**	12.94%	14
		Pretrial Hearings & Motions	4.62%	5
		Settlement Conference	3.70%	4
		Pretrial Conference/Calendar	9.24%	10
		Bench Trial	3.70%	4
		Jury Trial	6.47%	7
		Post-Judgment Activity	0.28%	0.3
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**		64
		Total		108.3
Civil Appeals	38.00	Initial Appearance/Arraignment	2.00%	0.76
		Pretrial Hearings & Motions	2.00%	0.76
		Pretrial Conference/Calendar Call	4.00%	1.52
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**	92.00%	34.96
		Total		38
Civil Petitions	82.00	Pretrial Hearings & Motions	7.04%	5.77
		Post-Judgment Activity	16.90%	13.86
		Probation Revocations	67.61%	55.44
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**		6.93
		Total		82
Probate	53.65	Pretrial Hearings & Motions	10.34%	5.55
		Petitions	9.32%	5
		Settlement Conference	0.37%	0.2
		Bench Trial	31.95%	17.14
		Jury Trial	9.32%	5
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**	49.04%	26.31
		Total		53.65

Civil: Other	41.30	Initial Appearance/Arraignment	0.02%	0.01
		Pretrial Hearings & Motions	29.54%	12.2
		Settlement Conference	9.35%	3.86
		Pretrial Conference /Calendar Call	0.31%	0.13
		Bench Trial	0.73%	0.3
		Jury Trial	9.81%	4.05
		Post Judgment Writs	13.10%	5.41
		Post Judgment Activity	0.29%	0.12
		Case Related Administration/ **Preparation**	36.85%	15.22
		Total		41.30
~~Going Home Prepared~~	0.00	~~Pretrial Hearings & Motions~~		
		~~Case Related Administration~~		
		~~Total~~		

APPENDIX F: Juvenile/Family Case Weight Composition
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case type	case weight	activity	% of total	Case weight breakdown (minutes)
Adoptions	12.00	Initial Appearance	32.75%	3.93
		Pretrial Hearings & Motions	14.75%	1.77
		Non-Trial Disposition	18.00%	2.16
		Case Related Administration	13.08%	1.57
		General Call of Docket/Calendar	21.42%	2.57
		Total	100.00%	12
Child Custody	122.10	**Pre-Judgement Motions**	24.05%	29.36
		Post-Judgement Motions	10.07%	12.29
		Case Management Conferences	14.32%	17.49
		Family Mediation Center Returns	13.59%	16.59
		Prove-Up Hearings	4.10%	5
		NJ Trial	10.11%	12.34
		Post-Judgment Evidentiary Hearing	4.34%	5.3
		Settlement Conferences	1.54%	1.88
		~~Pretrial Hearings & Motions~~		
		~~Pretrial/Trial Management Conference~~		
		~~Bench Trial~~		
		~~Post-Judgment Activity~~		
		Case Related Administration	17.90%	21.85
		~~General Call of Docket/Calendar Call~~		
		Total		122.10
Divorce	78.10	**Pre-Judgement Motions**	17.11%	13.36
		Post-Judgement Motions	14.76%	11.53
		Case Management C	2.56%	2.00
		Family Mediation Center Returns	2.56%	2.00
		Prove up hearings	2.56%	2.00
		NJ Trial	15.80%	12.34
		Post-Judgment Evidentiary Hearing	14.08%	11
		Settlement Conferences	2.41%	1.88
		~~Pretrial Hearings & Motions~~		
		~~Pretrial/Trial Management Conference~~		
		~~Bench Trial~~		
		~~Post-Judgment Activity~~		
		Case Related Administration	28.16%	21.99
		~~General Call of Docket/Calendar Call~~		
		Total		78.10

Separate Maintenance	81.10	**Pre-Judgement Motions**	15.64%	12.68
		Post-Judgement Motions	16.97%	13.76
		Case Management Conferences	8.63%	7
		Family Mediation Center Returns	3.40%	2.76
		NJ Trial	24.66%	20
		Post-Judgment Evidentiary Hearing	23.63%	19.16
		Settlement Conferences	2.32%	1.88
		~~Pretrial Hearings & Motions~~		
		~~Pretrial/Trial Management Conference~~		
		~~Bench Trial~~		
		~~Post Judgment Activity~~		
		Case Related Administration		3.86
		~~General Call of Docket/Calendar Call~~		
		Total		81.10
Annulment	5.00	**Pre-Judgement Motions**		
		Post-Judgement Motions		
		Case Management Conferences		
		Family Mediation Center Returns		
		NJ Trial		
		Post-Judgment Evidentiary Hearing		
		Settlement Conferences		
		~~Pretrial Hearings & Motions~~		
		~~Pretrial/Trial Management Conference~~		
		~~Bench Trial~~		
		~~Post Judgment Activity~~		
		Case Related Administration		
		~~General Call of Docket/Calendar Call~~		
		Total		5
Name Change	15.00	Pretrial Hearings & Motions		3.6
		Non-Trial Disposition		3
		Case Related Administration		8.4
		Total		15
Paternity Suits	76.10	~~Pretrial Hearings & Motions~~		
		~~Bench Trial~~		
		Pre-Judgement Motions		36.24
		Post-Judgement Motions		11
		Case Management Conferences		
		Family Mediation Center Returns		
		NJ Trial		23.8
		Post-Judgment Evidentiary Hearing		5.06
		Settlement Conferences		
		Case Related Administration		
		Total		76.1

Termination of Parental Rights	123.00	Initial Appearance	3.63
		Pretrial Hearings & Motions	3.06
		Non-Trial Disposition	2.1
		Bench Trial	40.49
		Post-Judgment Activity	0.38
		Case Related Administration	70.86
		General Call of Docket/Calendar	2.48
		Total	123
Minor Guardianship	108.06	~~Initial Appearance~~	
		~~Pretrial Hearings & Motions~~	
		~~Non-Trial Disposition~~	
		Initial Citation Hearing	20
		Accountings	2
		Other petitions	6
		Annual Reviews (Rule 11)	5
		Return Hearings	2
		Chambers Calendar	2
		Status Checks	1
		Orders to Show Cause	1
		Evidentiary Hearings/Trials	9
		Case Related Administration	60
		Total	108
Adult Guardianship	80.00	**Initial Citation Hearing**	10
		Accountings	4
		Other petitions	6
		Annual Reviews (Rule 11)	5
		Return Hearings	1
		Chambers Calendar	1
		Status Checks	5
		Orders to Show Cause	1
		Rule 5 Hearings	
		Case Related Administration	47
		Total	80
Mental Commitments	15.00	Non-Trial Disposition	5
		Case Related Administration	10
		Total	15
Child Support	45.00	Initial Appearance	0.45
		Pretrial Hearings & Motions	1.2
		Pretrial/Trial Management Conference	0.23
		Non-Trial Disposition	0.12
		Bench Trial	0.49
		Sentencing	0.49
		Post-Judgment Activity	19.77
		Case Related Administration	22.26
		Total	45.01

Temporary Protective Orders	32.86	Pretrial Hearings & Motions	11.42
		Pretrial/Trial Management Conference	
		Extension hearings	2
		Non-Trial Disposition	
		Bench Trial	1.55
		Post-Judgment Activity	
		Case Related Administration	17.89
		Total	32.86
~~Abuse Charge~~	~~72.00~~	~~Initial Appearance~~	
		~~Sentencing~~	
		~~Case Related Administration~~	
		~~Total~~	
Delinquent Charge	52.16	Initial Appearance	4.72
		Pretrial Hearings & Motions	6.5
		Non-Trial Disposition	6
		Bench Trial	5
		~~Sentencing~~ **Report and Disposition**	10
		Post-Judgment Activity	6
		Case Related Administration	4.34
		General Call of Docket/Calendar	0
		Certifications	0.12
		Total	42.68
Petition for Emancipation	30.00	Pretrial Hearings & Motions	0
Heard by Hearing Master		Bench Trial	30
		Total	30
Abuse/Neglect Charge	237.96	**Adjudicatory Hearings**	32.83
		Post Adjudicatory Hearings	5
		Semi-Annual Reviews	17
		Annual reviews	21
		Placement Hearings	3
		TPR trials	4
		Adoptions	2
		UCCJEA	
		Guardianship citations	
		Name changes	
		Pretrial Hearings & Motions	6.7
		Non-Trial Disposition	
		~~Bench Trial~~	
		~~Sentencing/~~ **Disposition**	35.62
		Case Related Administration	79
		General Call of Docket/Calendar	31.81
		Total	237.96

Detention/Extradition Hearings	4.72	Initial Appearance	4.72
Heard by Hearing Master		~~Pretrial Hearings & Motions~~	
		~~Bench Trial~~	
		~~Post-Judgment Activity~~	
		~~Case-Related Administration~~	
		Total	4.72
Protective Custody Hearings	15.00	Initial Appearance	15
		Total	15
Specialty Courts	121.50	**Initial petition**	5
		Status checks	64
		In custody/show cause	4.5
		Case related administration/staffing	48
		Total	121.5