

Caseload Breakdown - Fiscal Year 2022 - Civil Case Filings

	Child Support/New Non-support		Child Support/Modifications		Child Support/Arrearages		Child Support/Verified Notice of Income Attachment	
New Castle County	2,931	18.6%	585	3.7%	518	3.3%	7	0.0%
Kent County	1,214	17.2%	285	4.0%	101	1.4%	1	0.0%
Sussex County	1,234	17.5%	280	4.0%	408	5.8%	0	0.0%
State	5,379	18.0%	1,150	3.9%	1,027	3.4%	8	0.0%
	Child Support/Determination of Parentage		Child Support/Revocation		Child Support/Registration of Foreign Order		Child Support/Notice of Adm.in. Adjustment	
New Castle County	158	1.0%	239	1.5%	105	0.7%	2,347	14.9%
Kent County	59	0.8%	112	1.6%	55	0.8%	1,257	17.8%
Sussex County	59	0.8%	94	1.3%	54	0.8%	1,630	23.1%
State	276	0.9%	445	1.5%	214	0.7%	5,234	17.5%
	Child Support/Other Support		Custody		Dependency/Neglect		Visitation	
New Castle County	9	0.1%	1,591	10.1%	209	1.3%	205	1.3%
Kent County	8	0.1%	683	9.7%	66	0.9%	95	1.3%
Sussex County	9	0.1%	624	8.8%	27	0.4%	68	1.0%
State	26	0.1%	2,898	9.7%	302	1.0%	368	1.2%
	Termination of Parental Rights		Civil Dissolution*		Guardianship		Spousal Support	
New Castle County	105	0.7%	0	0.0%	779	5.0%	50	0.3%
Kent County	30	0.4%	0	0.0%	444	6.3%	23	0.3%
Sussex County	40	0.6%	0	0.0%	371	5.3%	14	0.2%
State	175	0.6%	0	0.0%	1,594	5.3%	87	0.3%
	Expungements (Juv. & Adult)		Imperiling Family Relationships		Protection from Abuse		Divorce/Annulment	
New Castle County	943	6.0%	8	0.1%	2,405	15.3%	1,650	10.5%
Kent County	353	5.0%	3	0.0%	1,251	17.7%	714	10.1%
Sussex County	372	5.3%	4	0.1%	746	10.6%	755	10.7%
State	1,668	5.6%	15	0.1%	4,402	14.7%	3,119	10.4%
	Rules to Show Cause/Other Civil Contempt		Minor Name Change		Miscellaneous Civil		Adoption	
New Castle County	487	3.1%	166	1.1%	170	1.1%	68	0.4%
Kent County	174	2.5%	47	0.7%	62	0.9%	39	0.6%
Sussex County	110	1.6%	40	0.6%	74	1.0%	39	0.6%
State	771	2.6%	253	0.8%	306	1.0%	146	0.5%
	Total							
New Castle County	15,735	100%						
Kent County	7,076	100%						
Sussex County	7,052	100%						
State	29,863	100%						

*As of FY19, Family Court no longer handles these cases.

Source: Court Administrator, Family Court; Administrative Office of the Courts.

Caseload Breakdown - Fiscal Year 2022 - Civil Case Dispositions

	Child Support/New Non-support		Child Support/Modifications		Child Support/Arrearages		Child Support/Verified Notice of Income Attachment	
New Castle County	2,512	16.1%	682	4.4%	734	4.7%	4	0.0%
Kent County	1,201	16.8%	281	3.9%	160	2.2%	0	0.0%
Sussex County	1,488	19.6%	342	4.5%	682	9.0%	1	0.0%
State	5,201	17.1%	1,305	4.3%	1,576	5.2%	5	0.0%
	Child Support/Determination of Parentage		Child Support/Revocation		Child Support/Registration of Foreign Order		Child Support/Notice of Admin. Adjustment	
New Castle County	124	0.8%	223	1.4%	89	0.6%	2,342	15.0%
Kent County	70	1.0%	108	1.5%	62	0.9%	1,176	16.4%
Sussex County	54	0.7%	88	1.2%	59	0.8%	1,633	21.5%
State	248	0.8%	419	1.4%	210	0.7%	5,151	17.0%
	Child Support/Other Support		Custody		Dependency/Neglect		Visitation	
New Castle County	5	0.0%	1,629	10.5%	174	1.1%	226	1.5%
Kent County	7	0.1%	696	9.7%	42	0.6%	86	1.2%
Sussex County	9	0.1%	597	7.9%	26	0.3%	59	0.8%
State	21	0.1%	2,922	9.6%	242	0.8%	371	1.2%
	Termination of Parental Rights		Civil Dissolution*		Guardianship		Spousal Support	
New Castle County	110	0.7%	0	0.0%	777	5.0%	48	0.3%
Kent County	33	0.5%	0	0.0%	427	6.0%	33	0.5%
Sussex County	16	0.2%	0	0.0%	324	4.3%	14	0.2%
State	159	0.5%	0	0.0%	1,528	5.0%	95	0.3%
	Expungements (Juv. & Adult)		Imperiling Family Relationships		Protection from Abuse		Divorce/Annulment	
New Castle County	932	6.0%	7	0.0%	2,489	16.0%	1,582	10.2%
Kent County	348	4.9%	3	0.0%	1,303	18.2%	781	10.9%
Sussex County	399	5.2%	2	0.0%	777	10.2%	788	10.4%
State	1,679	5.5%	12	0.0%	4,569	15.1%	3,151	10.4%
	Rules to Show Cause/Other Civil Contempt		Minor Name Change		Miscellaneous Civil		Adoption	
New Castle County	491	3.2%	141	0.9%	194	1.2%	57	0.4%
Kent County	204	2.8%	44	0.6%	71	1.0%	30	0.4%
Sussex County	101	1.3%	47	0.6%	76	1.0%	21	0.3%
State	796	2.6%	232	0.8%	341	1.1%	108	0.4%
	Total							
New Castle County	15,572	100%						
Kent County	7,166	100%						
Sussex County	7,603	100%						
State	30,341	100%						

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