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Introduction

2006 was the fifteenth year the Assigned Counsel Program operated in all courts. It was also the fourth year of operation for the Conflict Defender Office.

The Conflict Defender Office has a staff of nine attorneys and three support staff. Outside support services such as investigation and service of process are done on a contract basis. The attorneys in the office represent clients in conflict cases in Family Court, Rochester City Court and all of the appellate courts. All cases in Local Criminal Court, all felony cases and all statutorily assigned cases in Superior Court are still assigned to private counsel under the Joint Monroe County/Monroe County Bar Association Plan for Conflict Assignments.

The following statistical information shows the Program's relative success in meeting the goals of the Plan:

"The objectives of this conflict assignments plan are to provide quality representation to eligible indigent defendants or other litigants in those cases where the Public Defender has a conflict of interest; to provide a coordinated and centralized assignment system for conflict cases arising in the courts specified in Article IV herein, to provide a more equitable distribution of conflict assignments among lawyers; to attract more lawyers willing to handle conflict assignments, to maintain uniform and proper billing practices; to ensure cost accountability of services, and to provide increased efficiency for the courts by making qualified attorneys more readily available to handle conflict cases."
Monroe County Bar Association Sponsored Plan for Conflict Assignments, ARTICLE II. Plan Objectives

"To Provide Quality Representation"

The Program received five initial complaints involving alleged questionable or unethical conduct by participating attorneys. This is an increase of two from 2005. This is decrease from 2004. Clients were the source of the complaints. The Monroe County Bar Association referred no complaints filed by clients. The Program has jurisdiction over open cases only. After investigation, the Assigned Counsel Program closed all complaints with no action taken against the attorney. All complaints were disposed of

either by the attorney and client reaching a mutually acceptable understanding or by the attorney's withdrawal from the case with the permission of the court.

All complaints required only administrative action. No referral to the Assigned Counsel Program Review Committee was necessary. The most frequent complaint involved failure to maintain communication with the client regarding his or her case.

In 2001, the Program started an electronic newsletter. During 2006, we continued distribution of the newsletter. The Program distributed a total of 36 such newsletters during 2006. The newsletter was posted on our web site as an E-Newsletter and an email containing notice of each new posting was sent to all panel members for whom we have e-mail addresses. The weekly e-newsletter provides the panel members with more current and timely information than the printed newsletter of the past. The Program not only saved money in postage and printing, but also increased the number of newsletters sent to the panel members. Special bulletins were distributed throughout 2006 informing the panel members of upcoming seminars and events and encouraging them to take advantage of the opportunities offered by these programs to increase their knowledge and legal skills.

Since the CLE requirements of the Assigned Counsel Program overlap with the Mandatory Continuing Legal Education requirements of the State of New York, compliance is near 100%.

2006 saw a significant increase in case assignments to the Conflict Defender Office from Family Court. Planning for the office anticipated that the four staff attorneys would have a caseload of approximately 1,000 cases per year. In 2006 the assigned cases numbered 1,309. This number approaches the caseload of an attorney assigned to Family Court in the Public Defenders Office. However, the Public Defenders Office has eight attorneys assigned to the seventeen parts of Family Court. The Conflict Defender Office has only four attorneys assigned to the same number of parts. There is no way that four attorneys can adequately cover all the parts. Additionally, the Public Defenders Office has two full-time paralegals assigned to Family Court while the Conflict Defender Office has none. Paralegals greatly reduce the amount of office time that attorneys must spend on document preparation giving the attorneys more time for court appearances and client counseling. The demands placed on attorney time by Family Treatment Court and the new Permanency legislation – requiring hearings every six months – increased the coverage problem for the Conflict Defender Office in 2006.

"To Provide A Coordinated And Centralized Assignment System For Conflict Cases"

The Assigned Counsel Program is fully computerized. The Program enters all cases reported to it in a centralized database that tracks the representation from assignment through payment of the voucher. This system avoids duplication of representation by showing all open cases for a particular client thus insuring that there is a continuity of representation if the client is arrested on new charges. This system also promptly closes any case thus clearing any potential conflict of interest that the Public Defender might have in representing the client in future cases. During 2006, in conjunction with County Executive Brooks' "Technology Initiative", work began on upgrading the Program's case management system to provide better conflict information and to take advantage of a more advanced operating system.

Assignments referred by the courts continue to be assigned from a rotating list of available attorneys. The Program is very successful in insuring continuity of counsel where a client is re-arrested on new charges even when the arrests span differing jurisdictions. Additionally, the Program continues to track conflict of interest information so that counsel is not unnecessarily assigned when the Public Defender could ethically continue.

The notification of availability program whereby attorneys could advise us of his or her availability for appearance on a particular day greatly assisted in our ability to provide timely assignments. This notification of availability enabled us to provide counsel more expeditiously and to more equitably distribute the cases. We used a combination of fax, telephone, e-mail and web site communication to provide the attorneys with a wide choice of methods to notify us of availability for assignment.

Through this notification system and the cooperation of the panel members, we were able to insure that no clients went without counsel regardless how short a notice of the next appearance our office received.

"To Provide A More Equitable Distribution Of Conflict Assignments Among Lawyers"

While not perfect, the Program does achieve a significant improvement over the previous system of assignment of conflict cases. The Program constantly strives for new and better systems to distribute assignments more equitably among the participating attorneys. In criminal cases, the current system is highly effective. There are still several local criminal courts that do not fully utilize the services of the Program in the

assignment of counsel. This sometimes leads to a client having multiple attorneys for different pending charges. This results in increased and unnecessary costs to the taxpayer.

The District Attorney's policy change regarding felony hearings causes a situation that skews the assignment distribution toward those attorneys who were most available for assignments. Since we need attorneys very quickly, those available when called got a disproportionate number of assignments. We are working on development of systems designed to alleviate this problem. Attorneys may notify us of availability on certain dates and at certain times so we may contact them when an assignment opportunity occurs on that date and time. Notice can be emailed, telephoned or faxed to our office. In addition, the first page of our web site contains a form that can be filled out and sent to us.

With passage in 2004 of increased the hourly rates paid under Article 18-B of the County Law to \$60 per hour for misdemeanor and lesser cases and \$75 per hour for all other cases, there is increased participation among private counsel in the Program. Attorneys who previously resigned from the Program have returned and newly admitted attorneys with the requisite experience did apply for participation. There was an increase in the number of felony panel members during 2006.

Equitable distribution of cases remained low in those Family Court cases not represented by the Conflict Defender staff. A mechanism must be found to address the inequities in Family Court assignments. The fact that a very few attorneys receive the bulk of the assignments places an undue burden on those attorneys and can impact directly on the quality of representation. More training through the appropriate committee of the Bar Association is necessary to familiarize the panel attorneys with local Family Court practice. The panel requirements should be reviewed with the Family Court judges to see if they are stringent enough. Lack of confidence in the quality of representation is a possible factor in the Judges' reluctance to use the full services offered by the Assigned Counsel Program. A Family Court component of a Trial Institute might alleviate the concern of the Family Court judges regarding the training of assigned counsel.

"To Attract More Lawyers Willing To Handle Conflict Assignments"

Included in this report is a list of new panel members added during 2006.

The Program takes every opportunity to remind the current panel members to apply for the more restrictive panels once they achieve the requisite qualifications. 2006 saw an increase in the number of qualified felony attorneys. This increase is probably the result of the rate increase effective January 1, 2004. The requirements for inclusion on a felony panel include having conducted a misdemeanor jury trial or participated in jury selection in such a case coupled with conduct of a bench trial. Since so few misdemeanor trials are held each year, it is difficult for an attorney to meet this requirement. One attorney participated in the Trial Mentor Program, obtained the requisite experience and advanced to a higher felony panel.

"To Maintain Uniform And Proper Billing Practices And To Ensure Cost Accountability Of Services"

The Program has returned to the processing of routine vouchers and sending them to the Judge within 48 hours of receipt. The Administrator reviews each voucher before processing to insure compliance with the voucher regulations and notifies each attorney of any noncompliance to educate the attorney on proper procedures. The review and notification help maintain proper and uniform billing practices among the participating attorneys.

The District Attorney's policy regarding felony hearings negatively affected the overall cost of the Assigned Counsel Program. Attorneys were forced to spend more time in court and more time attempting to obtain information previously obtained before or during the felony hearing. Additionally, more cases that would have been screened by the felony hearing process were indicted leading to increased time spent in hearings and trials.

"To Provide Increased Efficiency For The Courts"

Courts fully utilizing the services of the Assigned Counsel Program report a positive impact on the efficiency in obtaining assigned counsel in conflict cases. They report a significant decrease in the burden on the court staff in finding attorneys willing to accept assignments, a decrease in the number of phone calls necessary to contact an attorney for assignment, a decrease in the voucher processing time since the vouchers are now clearly labeled as to the matter and already reviewed with comments by the Administrator, and a prompt response from the Assigned Counsel Program in obtaining assigned counsel.

2007 Goals

The following are the goals for 2007:

1. Complete County Executive Brook's technology initiative to bring further efficiency and value to the services of the Assigned Counsel Program.
 - a. This includes total replacement of and enhancements to the case management system now used for both assigned and staff cases.
2. Obtain new office space for the Conflict Defender Office more compatible with the purpose, mission and goals of the program.
 - a. The current offices are housed in the County Public Safety Building shared with the Monroe County Sheriff and the Public Safety Lab, but should be removed from any facility dedicated primarily to law enforcement activities.
3. Advocate that the Superior Courts and Family Court provide schedules and procedures that reduce wasted time spent by assigned and staff attorneys.
4. Improve the Conflict Defender Office service to Family Court by reduction of the caseload to those anticipated when the office was created. Reduction to be achieved by an increase in the number of staff attorneys by a minimum of one, but ideally two.
5. Reduce the appeals backlog by the addition of an additional appellate attorney.
6. Improve the Conflict Defender Office service to Family Court by obtaining a room in the Hall of Justice with telephone and information services capabilities.
 - a. Attorneys would be more available to staff emergency appearances in Family Court.
 - b. Attorneys would have a private place to interview clients and discuss proposed settlements increasing efficiency.
7. Continue and increase the use of law school interns to assist the Conflict Defender attorneys, prepare documents, conduct research and improve the motion and brief bank.

New Attorneys in 2006¹

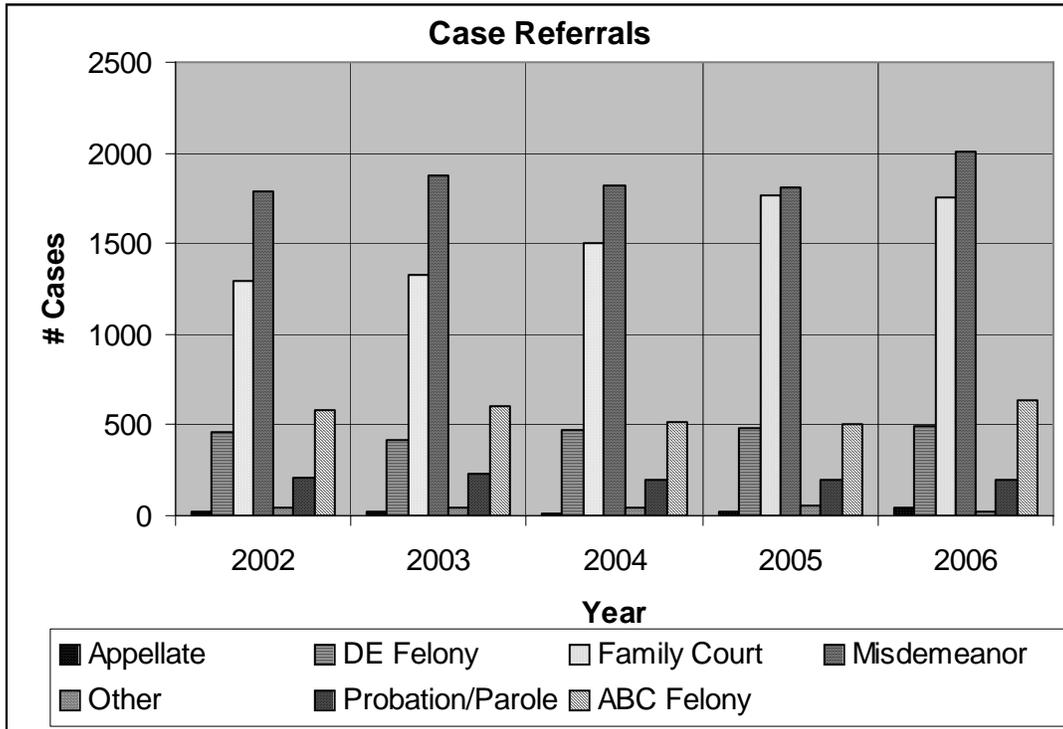
Attorney	Panel				Grand Total
	ABC Felony	DE Felony	Misdemeanor	Family Court	
Ajaka, Maroun	1	1			2
Brach, Kevin P.			1		1
Byrnes, James M.			1	1	2
Czapranski, Kimberly J.		1	1		2
Davison, Mary P.			1		1
DiPrima, Michael T.	1	1			2
Fallone, Michael			1		1
Glanville, Peter			1	1	2
Gross, Bryon W.	1				1
Holt, Karen M.			1		1
Kidera, Thomas J.	1	1	1		3
Lepold, Bonnie J.	1	1	1		3
Lester, Frederick	1				1
Lowden, Jeffrey T.			1	1	2
Meyer, Melissa A.		1	1		2
Monaghan, Lori Robb		1			1
Morabito, Kevin A.	1	1	1	1	4
Murante, Kathleen			1		1
Nafus, Matthew D.	1	1	1	1	4
Napolitano, Lorenzo		1	1		2

¹ Panel for which the attorney was approved in 2006. Attorney may have been approved in a previous year for a different panel or panels

Attorney	Panel				Grand Total
	ABC Felony	DE Felony	Misdemeanor	Family Court	
Pilato, Charles M.	1	1	1		3
Reardon, Kathleen P.			1		1
Rossow, Nicole A.			1	1	2
Schmitt, Michael D.	1				1
Shramek, William J.			1		1
Zimberlin, John F.	1	1	1		3
Shapiro, Robert A.				1	1
Laragy, Susan				1	1
Bourne, Leah K.				1	1
Bowman, Jason J.				1	1
Grand Total	11	12	20	10	53

Total Cases Referred by Panel 2002-2006¹

Panel	Year				
	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ABC Felony	584	603	511	506	641
Appellate	22	17	16	27	46
DE Felony	461	416	473	487	496
Family Court	1299	1329	1501	1765	1755
Misdemeanor	1788	1877	1815	1805	2008
Other	48	47	40	52	26
Probation/Parole	205	226	202	193	198
Grand Total	4407	4515	4558	4835	5170



1. Does not represent number of assignments made, only initial cases referred for assignment.

2006 Assignments²

The following charts show the assignments each attorney received in 2006. The number of assignments is higher than the number of cases referred because in some cases more than one attorney receives an assignment for a case. Also, an attorney might be assigned in 2006 to a case originally referred in a previous year. This occurs most often after a court relieves one attorney and either the court or the Assigned Counsel Program assigns a new attorney.

Several factors should be considered in looking at these tables. First, approved panel members receive more assignments than non-approved panel members do. Some of the attorneys with a low number of assignments are non-approved panel members. Most often, such an attorney is court assigned. Secondly, those attorneys gaining membership on a panel for the first time during 2006 will have fewer assignments in that panel because they were not on the panel for an entire year. Thirdly, a number of attorneys decline a significant number of assignments, requested removal from the Program for periods of time or resigned from the Program during 2006. While the report includes non-approved attorneys, new panel members, attorneys declining appointments, and attorneys temporarily removed from panels at their own request, concentrating on those members who participated for the full year as approved members of a particular panel gives a truer picture of the equitable distribution of assignments.

The success of the program in achieving equitable distribution of cases is excellent when compared with other New York jurisdictions. Included are graphs showing the distribution of cases on the various panels.

Of particular significance in this report is the fact that in the criminal courts, where the Assigned Counsel Program assigns a large percentage of cases, there is a more even distribution of assignments. This is attributable to the fact that, by comparison, Family Court has a much lower percentage of cases assigned by the Assigned Counsel Program. Most assignments are directly by the court. Attaining more equitable distribution of cases is difficult, if not impossible. The Administrator and Advisory Committee must work diligently to provide a workable solution to the

² Only assignments to new clients or to old clients with more serious charges are counted here. Therefore, the total number of assignments is less than the total number reported in the "Program Use by Judiciary" section.

inequities of the Family Court assignments. Looking at the last column of the tables, it takes significantly fewer attorneys for the Family Court assignments to reach a high percentage than it does for the criminal court assignments. This is less of a concern since the Conflict Defender Office represents the bulk of the conflict cases in Family Court. Nonetheless, it is an issue that should be addressed for those cases where the Conflict Defender Office cannot represent the client in Family Court.

2006 ABC Felony Assignments

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
ACP	Shapiro, Robert A.	14	6	20
	Murante, David A.	17	1	18
	Nobles, Jamie Lee	4	14	18
	Crimi, Charles F.	16	2	18
	Rose, Angelo A.	8	6	14
	Brown, James E.	8	6	14
	Hinman, James S.	13		13
	Farrell-Gallagher, Barbara E.	13		13
	Shulman, Brian J.	7	6	13
	Vacca, James P.	12	1	13
	Josh, Sylvia W.	2	11	13
	Funk, Mark D.	9	4	13
	Garretson, Scott A.	11	2	13
	Zimmermann, Jr., Clark J.	7	6	13
	Kasperek, Lawrence L.	13		13
	Morabito, David R.	10	2	12
	Kristal, Peter L.	9	2	11
	Young, Mark A.		11	11
	MacAulay, Paul D.	11		11

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Scibetta, Michael P.	10	1	11
	Bitetti, Gary	10	1	11
	Schmitt, Michael D.	6	4	10
	Aramini, Mary E.	10		10
	Krane, Joel N.	7	3	10
	Bourtis, Eftihia	8	2	10
	Kennedy, Christian J.	1	8	9
	Kidera, Thomas J.	6	3	9
	Rain, Mary E.	4	5	9
	Ajaka, Maroun	8		8
	Feindt, Mary E.	8		8
	Owens, David L.	8		8
	Cocuzzi, Thomas J.	6	2	8
	Young, D. Scott	6	2	8
	Hurwitz, Phillip R.	8		8
	Aureli, Daniel L.	3	5	8
	Damelio, Joseph S.	5	3	8
	Nafus, Matthew D.	3	4	7
	Thomas-Diaz, Kathleen	7		7
	Annechino, John A.	7		7
	Holliday, Billie D.	7		7
	Morabito, Kevin A.	6	1	7
	Davison, Mary P.	7		7
	Rizzo, James J.	7		7
	Pilato, Charles M.	3	4	7

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Vacca, Jr., Paul J.	7		7
	Schiano, Michael P.	4	3	7
	Napier, Robert A.	7		7
	Zimberlin, John F.	6		6
	West, John R.	3	3	6
	Thompson, Donald M.	4	2	6
	Brown, J. Raymond	5	1	6
	Lewis, Herbert J.	6		6
	Johnson, Christopher G.	5		5
	DeJohn, Timothy W.	5		5
	DiSalvo, Thomas J.	5		5
	Splain, Thomas M.	4	1	5
	Pullano, Peter J.	4	1	5
	Napier, James A.	5		5
	Schiano, Jr., Charles A.	3	1	4
	Wood, Robert W.	4		4
	Byrne, Heather V.	4		4
	Barr, Culver K.	3	1	4
	DiPrima, Michael T.	3		3
	Burke, Adrian J.	3		3
	Conaty, Jr., George W.	3		3
	Perez, Gilbert R.	2		2
	Lester, Frederick	2		2
	Gross, Bryon W.	2		2
	Strazzeri, Francis A.	2		2

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Sercu, Stephen		2	2
	Lepold, Bonnie J.	2		2
	Easton, William T.	2		2
	Monaghan, Lori Robb		1	1
	Schiano, Christopher	1		1
	Zaretsky, Allen J.		1	1
	LaDuca, Anthony		1	1
	Owens, Clifford Paul		1	1
	Tuohey, Michael J.	1		1
	Maggio, Frank G.		1	1
	McGinn, William D.		1	1
	Czapranski, Kimberly J.		1	1
ACP Total		452	150	602
CDO ³	Bartus, Gregory J.		1	1
CDO Total			1	1
Grand Total		452	151	603

³ ABC Felony returned from Grand Jury to City Court as a misdemeanor. Original attorney unavailable and Court assigned Conflict Defender Office.

2006 DE Felony Assignments

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
ACP	Murante, David A.	13	2	15
	Schmitt, Michael D.	8	6	14
	Young, Mark A.	2	12	14
	Shapiro, Robert A.	6	5	11
	Nobles, Jamie Lee	2	9	11
	Brown, James E.	7	4	11
	Rose, Angelo A.	3	7	10
	Shulman, Brian J.	5	5	10
	Infantino, Marc	9		9
	Lester, Frederick	6	3	9
	Crimi, Charles F.	7	1	8
	Kennedy, Christian J.		8	8
	Krane, Joel N.	7	1	8
	Johnson, Christopher G.	4	4	8
	Rizzo, James J.	5	3	8
	Garretson, Scott A.	8		8
	Kristal, Peter L.	6	2	8
	Vacca, James P.	7		7
	Owens, David L.	7		7
	Ajaka, Maroun	7		7
Gross, Bryon W.	7		7	
Farrell-Gallagher, Barbara E.	7		7	
MacAulay, Paul D.	7		7	

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Czapranski, Kimberly J.	6	1	7
	Bourtis, Eftihia	6	1	7
	Nafus, Matthew D.		6	6
	Splain, Thomas M.	4	2	6
	Kidera, Thomas J.	5	1	6
	Cocuzzi, Thomas J.	3	3	6
	Zimmermann, Jr., Clark J.	2	4	6
	Josh, Sylvia W.	2	4	6
	Flowerday, Michael D.	5	1	6
	Monaghan, Lori Robb	3	2	5
	Holliday, Billie D.	5		5
	Young, D. Scott	3	2	5
	Morabito, David R.	3	2	5
	West, John R.	2	3	5
	Zimberlin, John F.	5		5
	Merante, Vincent E.	4	1	5
	Thompson, Donald M.	3	2	5
	Mix, Matthew J.	5		5
	Schiano, Jr., Charles A.	4		4
	Hinman, James S.	4		4
	Pilato, Charles M.	1	3	4
	Kasperek, Lawrence L.	3	1	4
	Scibetta, Michael P.	4		4
	Rain, Mary E.	3	1	4
	Hurwitz, Phillip R.	4		4

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Russi, Patrick K.	2	2	4
	Wood, Robert W.	4		4
	Pullano, Peter J.	4		4
	Aramini, Mary E.	3	1	4
	Funk, Mark D.	4		4
	Morabito, Kevin A.	2	1	3
	Bitetti, Gary	3		3
	Annechino, John A.	3		3
	DeJohn, Timothy W.	2	1	3
	Vacca, Jr., Paul J.	3		3
	Napier, James A.	3		3
	Byrne, Heather V.	3		3
	Brown, J. Raymond	3		3
	Schiano, Sr., Charles A.	3		3
	Perez, Gilbert R.	1	1	2
	Feindt, Mary E.	2		2
	Buettner, Brian C.	2		2
	Schiano, Michael P.	2		2
	Davison, Mary P.	2		2
	Aureli, Daniel L.	2		2
	Damelio, Joseph S.		2	2
	DiSalvo, Thomas J.	2		2
	Napier, Robert A.	2		2
	Schiano, Christopher		2	2
	Zaretsky, Allen J.	1	1	2

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Barr, Culver K.	2		2
	DiPrima, Michael T.	2		2
	LaDuca, Anthony		2	2
	Keller, Kenneth C.		2	2
	Parks, Anthony	2		2
	Lewis, Herbert J.	1		1
	Bowman, Jason J.	1		1
	Callanan, Karen Smith		1	1
	Thomas-Diaz, Kathleen	1		1
	Owens, Clifford Paul	1		1
	Sercu, Stephen		1	1
	Lepold, Bonnie J.	1		1
	Strazzeri, Francis A.	1		1
	Merante, RoseMaria		1	1
	Sekharan, Raja N.	1		1
	Burke, Adrian J.	1		1
	Tuohey, Michael J.	1		1
	Conaty, Jr., George W.	1		1
	Easton, William T.	1		1
	Cianca, Mark F.	1		1
	Goldman, Ronald S.		1	1
	Napolitano, Lorenzo		1	1
	Redmond, Gregg H.		1	1
	Colombo, Jeanne M.	1		1
	Ferlicca, John J.		1	1

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Meyer, Melissa A.	1		1
	Muldoon, Gary		1	1
	Spoto, David		1	1
	Wisner, Todd J.W.	1		1
	Mastrella, Daniel J.		1	1
	Nacca, John		1	1
	Reed, Alan		1	1
ACP Total		308	139	447
CDO ⁴	Milliken, David	2	1	3
	Bartus, Gregory J.	2		2
	Crimi, Joseph P.	1		1
CDO Total		5	1	6
Grand Total		313	140	453

2006 Misdemeanor Assignments

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
ACP	Nobles, Jamie Lee	3	26	29
	Schmitt, Michael D.	8	18	26
	Murante, David A.	20	3	23

⁴ DE Felonies returned from Grand Jury to City Court as misdemeanors. Original attorney unavailable or declines to continue and Court assigned Conflict Defender Office.

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Cocuzzi, Thomas J.	4	14	18
	Lester, Frederick	15	1	16
	Young, Mark A.		15	15
	Rose, Angelo A.		14	14
	Kennedy, Christian J.	4	9	13
	Infantino, Marc	10	3	13
	Gross, Bryon W.	12	1	13
	Shapiro, Robert A.	6	6	12
	Bowman, Jason J.	12		12
	Garretson, Scott A.	6	5	11
	Hinman, James S.	9	1	10
	Brown, James E.	3	7	10
	Splain, Thomas M.	1	8	9
	Russi, Patrick K.	7	2	9
	Pilato, Charles M.	1	8	9
	Merante, Vincent E.	5	4	9
	Crimi, Charles F.	6	3	9
	Shulman, Brian J.	3	5	8
	Czapranski, Kimberly J.	3	4	7
	Krane, Joel N.	6	1	7
	Holliday, Billie D.	4	3	7
	Bourtis, Eftihia	4	3	7
	West, John R.	2	4	6
	Siragusa, Lisa Serio		6	6
	Sercu, Stephen	2	4	6

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Parks, Anthony	5	1	6
	Owens, Clifford Paul	2	4	6
	Karatas, Nigos	6		6
	Vacca, James P.	3	2	5
	Schiano, Christopher	1	4	5
	Perez, Gilbert R.	4	1	5
	Nafus, Matthew D.	2	3	5
	Farrell-Gallagher, Barbara E.	2	3	5
	Byrne, Heather V.	5		5
	Zaretsky, Allen J.	2	2	4
	Schiano, Michael P.	4		4
	Schiano, Jr., Charles A.	3	1	4
	Morabito, Kevin A.		4	4
	Lepold, Bonnie J.	3	1	4
	Flowerday, Michael D.	3	1	4
	Duclos, Marc A.	4		4
	D'Arpino, John Joseph	4		4
	Buettner, Brian C.	3	1	4
	Aramini, Mary E.	3	1	4
	Annechino, John A.	3	1	4
	Ajaka, Maroun	3	1	4
	Zimmermann, Jr., Clark J.	2	1	3
	Zimberlin, John F.	3		3
	Vacca, Jr., Paul J.		3	3
	Thomas-Diaz, Kathleen	2	1	3

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Sekharan, Raja N.	3		3
	Scibetta, Michael P.	2	1	3
	Rizzo, James J.	3		3
	Owens, David L.	3		3
	O'Toole, Keith	2	1	3
	Napolitano, Lorenzo	1	2	3
	Morabito, David R.		3	3
	Maggio, Frank G.	3		3
	LaDuca, John J.	3		3
	LaBue, Eugene P.	3		3
	Kristal, Peter L.	1	2	3
	Kidera, Thomas J.	2	1	3
	Jain, Rekha	3		3
	Hurwitz, Phillip R.	3		3
	Handelman, Eric D.	2	1	3
	Goldman, Ronald S.	3		3
	Gangarosa, Edward, C.		3	3
	Funk, Mark D.	2	1	3
	Feindt, Mary E.	2	1	3
	DiSalvo, Thomas J.	3		3
	DeJohn, Timothy W.	3		3
	Cianca, Mark F.	3		3
	Bitetti, Gary	3		3
	Aureli, Daniel L.	1	2	3
	Wood, Robert W.	2		2

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Willkens, Daniel N.	1	1	2
	Tuohey, Michael J.	2		2
	Strazzeri, Francis A.	1	1	2
	Shramek, William J.	2		2
	Sadinsky, Lisa A.	2		2
	Reyes, Miguel A.		2	2
	Redmond, Gregg H.	2		2
	Rain, Mary E.		2	2
	Pennica, Kenneth L.	2		2
	O'Neill, Jr., Raymond B.	2		2
	Monaghan, Lori Robb	1	1	2
	Mix, Matthew J.	2		2
	MacAulay, Paul D.	1	1	2
	Lahman, Janice Allen	2		2
	LaDuca, Anthony		2	2
	Keller, Kenneth C.		2	2
	Kasperek, Lawrence L.	1	1	2
	Josh, Sylvia W.	1	1	2
	Johnson, Christopher G.	1	1	2
	Glanville, Peter	1	1	2
	Dimassimo, James D.	2		2
	Dedes, William C.	2		2
	Davison, Mary P.	1	1	2
	Chait, Mitchell A.	2		2
	Byrnes, James M.	2		2

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Burke, Adrian J.	2		2
	Bernacki, Jr., John E.	1	1	2
	Badain, Lara R.	2		2
	Thompson, Donald M.		1	1
	Stern, Jon M.	1		1
	Stacy, Michael P.	1		1
	Spoto, David		1	1
	Sedor, William J.		1	1
	Schiano, Sr., Charles A.	1		1
	Rossow, Nicole A.	1		1
	Plukas, Richard A.		1	1
	Napier, Robert A.	1		1
	Napier, James A.	1		1
	Murante, Kathleen	1		1
	Muldoon, Gary		1	1
	Meyer, Melissa A.	1		1
	Marcera, Jr., Salvatore J.	1		1
	Lowden, Jeffrey T.	1		1
	LePore, Rudolph J.		1	1
	King, Jr., William H.	1		1
	Hummel, Chad M.	1		1
	Hardies, Robert M.	1		1
	Gladstone, Katherine	1		1
	Fero, Matthew John		1	1
	Ferlicca, John J.		1	1

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Easton, William T.		1	1
	Demo-Vazquez, Kristine M.	1		1
	Damelio, Joseph S.		1	1
	Crowder, Debra A.		1	1
	Cooper, Jennie M.	1		1
	Colombo, Jeanne M.	1		1
	Brooker, James G.	1		1
	Brach, Kevin P.	1		1
	Abelson, Gary H.		1	1
ACP Total		341	262	603
CDO	Milliken, David	453	3	456
	Crimi, Joseph P.	433	8	441
	Bartus, Gregory J.	264	2	266
Czapranski, Kimberly J.			50	50
CDO Total		1200	13	1213
Grand Total		1541	275	1816

2006 Family Court Assignments

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
ACP	Perez, Gilbert R.	4	47	51
	Schmitt, Michael D.	8	39	47
	Ajaka, Maroun	13	23	36

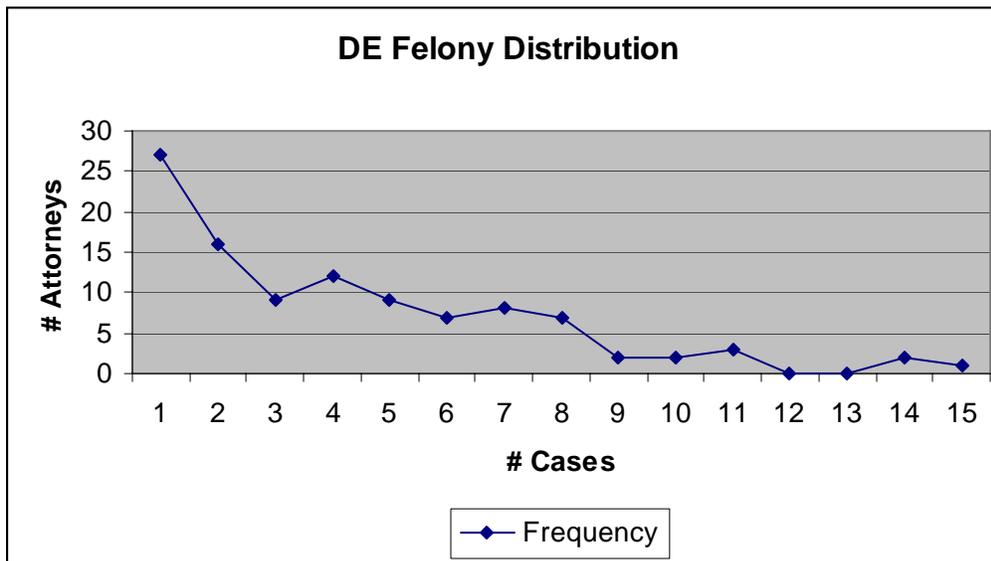
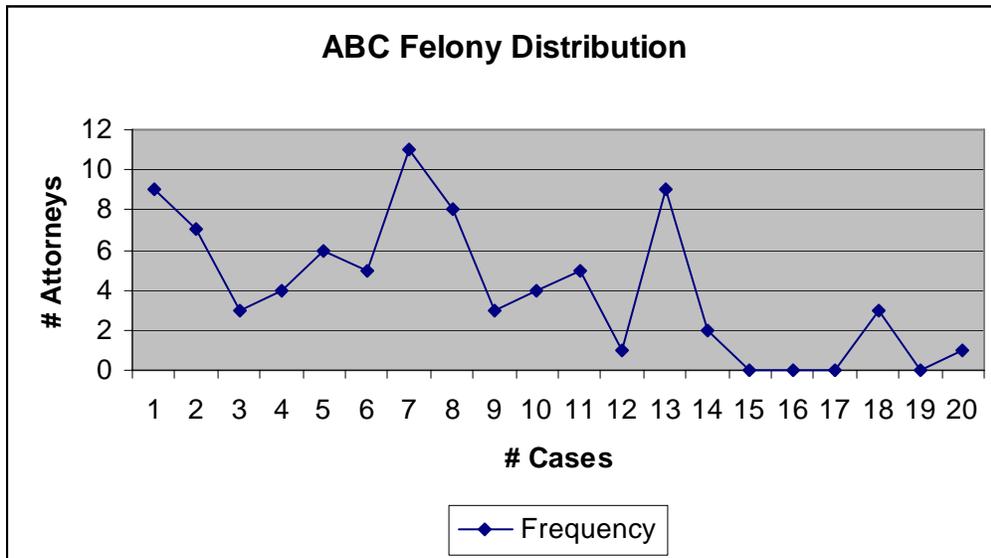
Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Feindt, Mary E.	2	32	34
	Leavy, Anthony		34	34
	Lester, Frederick	16	8	24
	Callanan, Karen Smith	1	22	23
	Fero, Matthew John		22	22
	Bowman, Jason J.	9	11	20
	Maslow, Lisa J.	1	17	18
	Monaghan, Lori Robb	2	15	17
	Chait, Mitchell A.	1	15	16
	King, Jr., William H.		16	16
	Stern, Jon M.	4	12	16
	Van Loon, Nathan Allen		16	16
	Aramini, Mary E.		14	14
	Gladstone, Katherine		12	12
	Hinman, James S.	1	10	11
	Buettner, Brian C.	7	4	11
	Infantino, Marc	10		10
	Gross, Bryon W.	8	1	9
	Farrell-Gallagher, Barbara E.	3	6	9
	Rose, Angelo A.		7	7
	Shulman, Brian J.	1	6	7
	Crowder, Debra A.		6	6
	Merante, RoseMaria		6	6
	Chase, Carolyn L.		6	6
	Brown, James E.	2	3	5

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Vacca, James P.	5		5
	Jain, Rekha	1	4	5
	Nafus, Matthew D.	2	2	4
	Thomas-Diaz, Kathleen	2	2	4
	Karatas, Nigos	1	3	4
	Attardo, Marlene A.		4	4
	Gibbons, Patricia Ann		4	4
	Watkins, Paul B.	3	1	4
	Holliday, Billie D.	3		3
	Morabito, David R.	3		3
	Josh, Sylvia W.	3		3
	Johnson, Christopher G.	2	1	3
	Annechino, John A.	1	2	3
	DeJohn, Timothy W.		3	3
	DiSalvo, Thomas J.	2	1	3
	Lahman, Janice Allen	2	1	3
	Hirtelen, Lori A.		3	3
	Bruce, Lisa		3	3
	Indivino, Deborah A.		3	3
	Romeo, Stacey Martha		3	3
	Shapiro, Robert A.		2	2
	Kennedy, Christian J.	2		2
	Funk, Mark D.	2		2
	Morabito, Kevin A.	2		2
	Davison, Mary P.		2	2

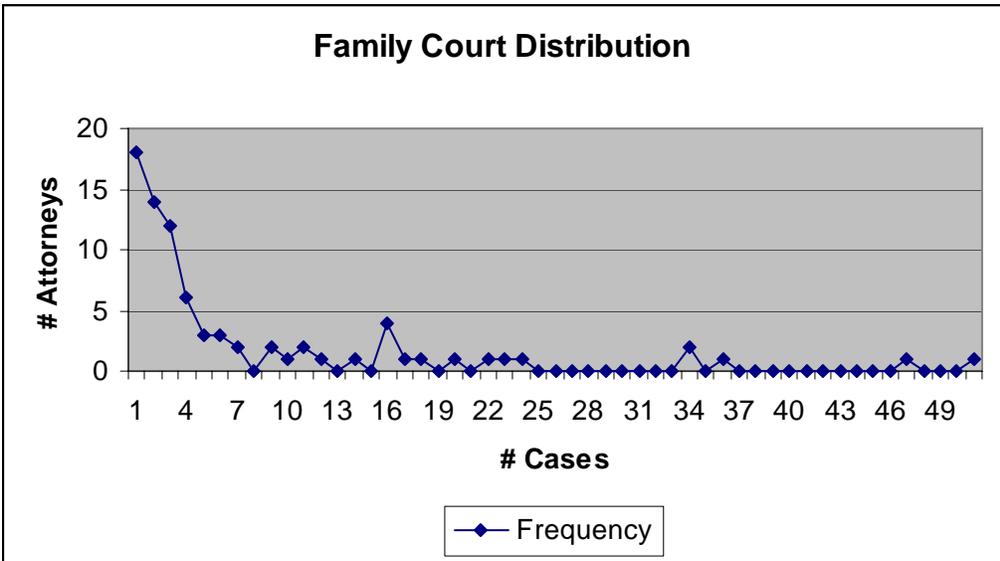
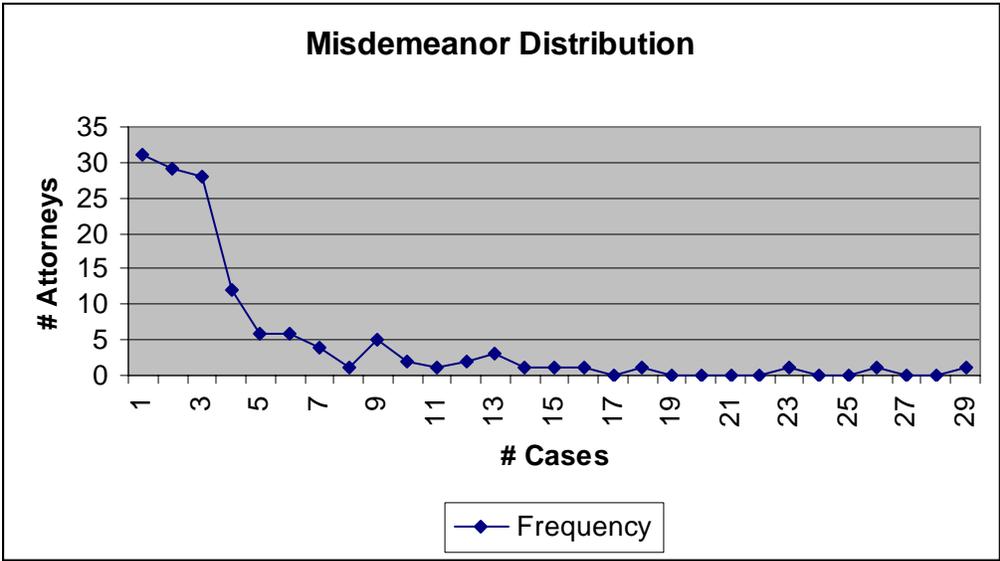
Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Schiano, Christopher	1	1	2
	Mix, Matthew J.	2		2
	Sekharan, Raja N.	2		2
	Byrnes, James M.	2		2
	Rossow, Nicole A.		2	2
	Bourne, Leah K.	2		2
	Cicccone, Kelly M.		2	2
	Costello, Paul Keely	2		2
	Molak, Cecily G.		2	2
	Kristal, Peter L.		1	1
	Czapranski, Kimberly J.		1	1
	Flowerday, Michael D.	1		1
	Strazzeri, Francis A.		1	1
	Duclos, Marc A.	1		1
	D'Arpino, John Joseph	1		1
	Dimassimo, James D.	1		1
	Glanville, Peter	1		1
	Pennica, Kenneth L.	1		1
	Stacy, Michael P.	1		1
	Willkens, Daniel N.	1		1
	Sedor, William J.		1	1
	Dentino, Anthony A.		1	1
	Nesser, Joseph G.		1	1
	Offen, Alan L.		1	1
	Pappalardo, Fauna M.		1	1

Agency	Attorney	Referral		Grand Total
		ACP	Court	
	Rosenbloom, Michael A		1	1
	Snodgrass, Cynthia L.		1	1
ACP Total		148	471	619
CDO	Jones, Rhian D.	377	11	388
	Edwards, Tynise Y.	275	8	283
	Proano, Galo M.	260	4	264
	Machado, Kerri	247	8	255
CDO Total		1159	31	1190
Grand Total		1307	502	1809

2006 Case Distribution Graphs1



1. In interpreting these graphs, keep in mind that new panel members, non-approved attorneys, attorneys declining assignments and attorneys temporarily removed from the panels skew the results. Assigned Counsel cases only. No CDO cases in distribution



2006 Table of Program Use by Judiciary⁵

The table below shows the number of assignments for each Judge making at least one assignment during 2006. The table divides the assignments between those made through the Assigned Counsel Program and those made directly by the Judge. The statistics clearly show that Rochester City Court, which assigns the greatest number of cases in the County, is very high in percentage of cases assigned through the Assigned Counsel Program – 90%. These facts directly correlate to the fact that the distribution of cases among the attorneys is greatest for criminal cases. Conversely, the statistics show that Family Court has a very low percentage of cases assigned through the Assigned Counsel Program when removing those cases assigned to the Conflict Defender Office. Therefore, Family Court has a very uneven distribution of cases among the attorneys on the Assigned Counsel Program Family Court panel.

Court	Judge	Agency	Referral		Total
			ACP	Court	
Appellate Division	Appellate Division	ACP	10	1	11
		CDO	36		36
Appellate Division Total			46	1	47
Brighton Town Court	Dollinger, Hon. Richard A.	ACP	10		10
	Morris, Hon. Karen	ACP	11		11
Brighton Town Court Total			21		21
Chili Town Court	Olver, Hon. Melvin L.	ACP		12	12
	Pietropaoli, Hon. Patrick	ACP	3	8	11
Chili Town Court Total			3	20	23
Clarkson Town Court	Hammel, Hon. Allyn S.	ACP	4		4
Clarkson Town Court Total			4		4
E. Rochester Town Court	Argento, Hon. Victoria M.	ACP	1	8	9
	Odorisi, Hon. J. Scott	ACP	3	5	8
E. Rochester Town Court Total			4	13	17
Fairport Village Court	Barone, Hon. Vincent M.	ACP	3	4	7
Fairport Village Court Total			3	4	7
Family Court Referees Judicial Hearing Officers Support Magistrates	Boldt, Hon. Margaret M.	ACP	1	2	3
		CDO	8		8
	Costello, Hon. John Farber, Hon. Sidney T. Gordon, Hon. Julie Anne	CDO	1		1
		ACP	15	21	36
		CDO	137		137
	ACP	23	66	89	

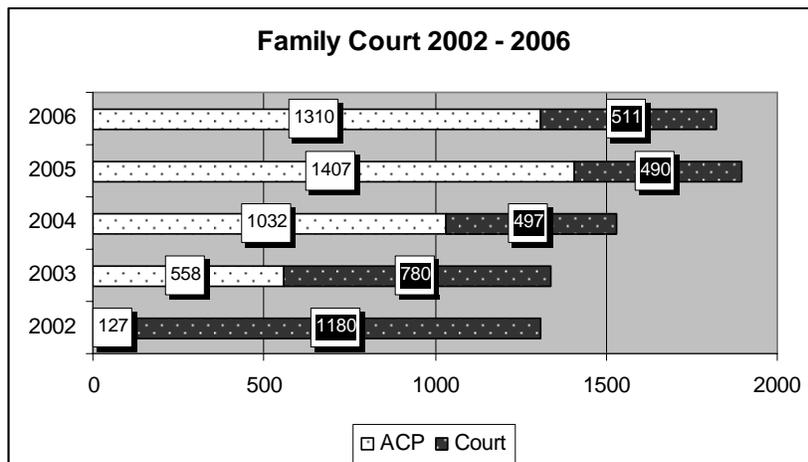
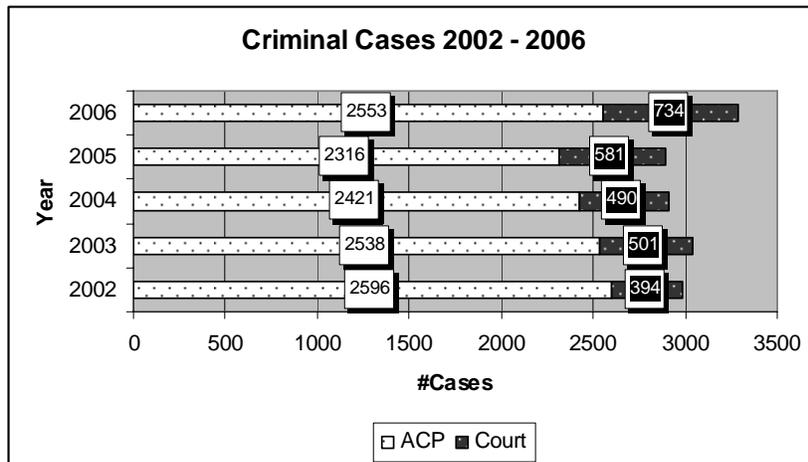
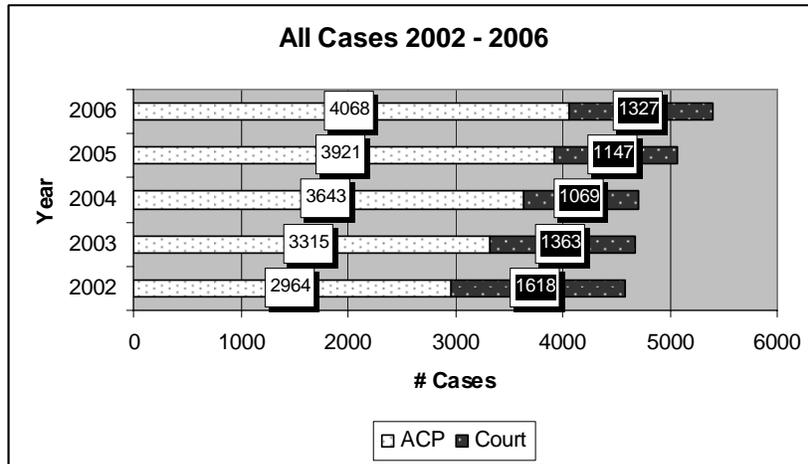
⁵ The assignment numbers are higher here because unlike reporting of attorney assignments where only new assignments are reported, all assignments made by the Judges are counted here.

Court	Judge	Agency	Referral		Total
			ACP	Court	
		CDO	158	3	161
	Irizarry, Hon. Diana M.	ACP		1	1
		CDO	6		6
	Maloy, Hon. Charles T.	ACP	8	3	11
		CDO	40		40
	Morton, Hon. Glenn R.	ACP	3	4	7
		CDO	42		42
	Owlett, Hon. Deborah	CDO	3		3
	Pilato, Hon. Linda Lohner	CDO	5		5
	Polito, Hon. Thomas W.	ACP	14	23	37
		CDO	147	1	148
	Rao, Hon. Michael G.	ACP	1		1
		CDO	7		7
	Strobridge, Hon. Maurice E.	ACP	1	1	2
		CDO	8		8
Family Court Hearing Examiner Total			628	125	753
Gates Town Court	Pisaturo, Hon. John J.	ACP	27	13	40
	Pupatelli, Hon. Peter P.	ACP	2	20	22
Gates Town Court Total			29	33	62
Greece Town Court	Campbell, Hon. Vincent	ACP	24	21	45
	Nitti, Hon. Gino M.	ACP	41	2	43
	Schiano, Jr., Hon. Charles	ACP	38	6	44
Greece Town Court Total			103	29	132
Hamlin Town Court	Moffett, Hon. Richard W.	ACP	4		4
	Rath, Hon. Paul W.	ACP	3		3
Hamlin Town Court Total			7		7
Henrietta Town Court	Donsky, Hon. Steven M.	ACP		17	17
	Kopacki, Hon. John	ACP		33	33
	Pericak, Hon. John G.	ACP	2	14	16
Henrietta Town Court Total			2	64	66
Irondequoit Town Court	DeMarco, Hon. John L.	ACP	3	38	41
	Dinolfo, Hon. Vincent M.	ACP	2	27	29
	Genier, Hon. Joseph T.	ACP	2	33	35
Irondequoit Town Court Total			7	98	105
Monroe County Court	Bellini, Hon. Elma A.	ACP	17	6	23
		CDO	7		7
	Connell, Hon. John J.	ACP	9	12	21
		CDO	3		3
	Geraci, Jr., Hon. Frank P.	ACP	25	1	26
		CDO	1		1
	Keenan, Hon. Richard A.	ACP	5	25	30
		CDO	5		5
Lindley, Hon. Stephen K.	ACP	8	7	15	

Court	Judge	Agency	Referral		Total
			ACP	Court	
	Maloy, Hon. Charles T.	CDO	1		1
	Marks, Hon. Patricia D.	ACP	12	21	33
		CDO	6		6
	Renzi, Hon. Alexander	ACP	19	21	40
		CDO	2		2
	Schwartz, Hon. John R.	ACP	25	5	30
		CDO	4		4
	Sirkin, Hon. Stephen R.	ACP		1	1
	Monroe County Court Total			149	99
Monroe County Family Court	Cohen, Hon. Dennis S.	ACP	3	47	50
		CDO	85	2	87
	Donofrio, Hon. Gail	ACP	1	42	43
		CDO	63	10	73
	Gallaher, Hon. Patricia E.	ACP	1	1	2
		CDO	5		5
	Kohout, Hon. Joan S.	ACP	5	38	43
		CDO	68	4	72
	O'Connor, Hon. Marilyn L.	ACP		34	34
		CDO	63	3	66
	Reed, Hon. Frederick G.	CDO	1		1
	Rivoli, Hon. John J.	ACP		31	31
		CDO	97	1	98
	Ruhlmann, Hon. Dandrea L.	ACP	2	73	75
		CDO	91	5	96
	Sciolino, Hon. Anthony J.	ACP	1	26	27
		CDO	81	2	83
	Wiggins, Hon. Robert B.	ACP	1	24	25
CDO		42		42	
Monroe County Family Court Total			610	343	953
Ogden Town Court	Murante, Hon. David A.	ACP	6	9	15
	Schiano, Hon. Michael Patrick	ACP	2	3	5
Ogden Town Court Total			8	12	20
Parma Town Court	Maley, Jr., Hon. James E.	ACP	8	1	9
	Sciortino, Hon. Michael A.	ACP	7		7
Parma Town Court Total			15	1	16
Penfield Town Court	Farber, Hon. Sidney T.	ACP	9	1	10
	Lomenzo, Jr., Hon. John P.	ACP	13		13
Penfield Town Court Total			22	1	23
Perinton Town Court	Arnold, Hon. Michael H.	ACP	7	4	11
	Klonick, Hon. Thomas A	ACP		5	5
Perinton Town Court Total			7	9	16
Pittsford Town Court	Gallina, Hon. Fred S.	ACP	6	3	9
	Michel, Hon. F. Robert	ACP	8		8

Court	Judge	Agency	Referral		Total
			ACP	Court	
Pittsford Town Court Total			14	3	17
Riga Town Court	Amarosa, Hon. Louis	ACP	1		1
	Steinwachs, Hon. Joseph	ACP		1	1
Riga Town Court Total			1	1	2
Rochester City Court	Castro, Hon. Melchor E.	ACP	49	16	65
		CDO	196	1	197
	Dixon, Hon. Maija C.	ACP	5	1	6
		CDO	6		6
	Elliott, Hon. John E.	ACP	35	43	78
		CDO	137	2	139
	Johnson, Hon. Teresa D.	ACP	66	25	91
		CDO	234	2	236
	King, Hon. Roy Wheatley	ACP	5	9	14
		CDO	14		14
	Lindley, Hon. Stephen K.	ACP	702	179	881
		CDO	80	1	81
	Miller, Hon. Stephen T.	ACP	49	43	92
		CDO	237	2	239
	Morse, Hon. Thomas R.	ACP	46	40	86
		CDO	179	6	185
	Yacknin, Hon. Ellen M.	ACP	40	18	58
		CDO	154	1	155
Rochester City Court Total			2234	389	2623
Rush Town Court	Kirch, Hon. Henry E.	ACP	3		3
Rush Town Court Total			3		3
Supreme Court	Affronti, Hon. Francis A.	ACP	13	7	20
	Ark, Hon. John J.	ACP		9	9
	Bellini, Hon. Elma A.	ACP	84	60	144
	Cornelius, Hon. Raymond E.	ACP		1	1
	Egan, Hon. David D.	ACP	1		1
	Valentino, Hon. Joseph D.	ACP	5	3	8
	Vanstrydonck, Hon. Thomas	ACP	1		1
Supreme Court Total			104	80	184
Sweden Town Court	Coapman, Hon. Carl A.	ACP	3		3
	Cody, Hon. William J.	ACP	6		6
	Depferd, Hon. Mark R.	ACP	3		3
Sweden Town Court Total			12		12
Webster Town Court	Corretore, Hon. David	ACP	11		11
	DiSalvo, Hon. Thomas J.	ACP	19	3	22
Webster Town Court Total			30	3	33
Wheatland Town Court	Hallock, Hon. Timothy	ACP	1		1
	Litteer, Jr., Hon. Harold H.	ACP	4		4
Wheatland Town Court Total			5		5

Graphs of Program Use by Judiciary



Types of Cases Referred in 2006⁶

Crime	Total
Custody/Visitation	891
Child Protective Proceeding	428
Family Offense	327
Harassment 2	266
Petit Larceny	246
Disorderly Conduct	243
Crim. Poss. Controlled Substance 3	215
Assault 3	165
Crim. Poss. Controlled Substance 7	116
Criminal Mischief 4	105
Robbery 1	96
Unauthorized Use Motor Vehicle 3	88
Violation Probation (M)	85
Criminal Contempt 2	76
Assault 2	75
Criminal Contempt 1	73
Menacing 2	69
Crim. Poss. Stolen Property 4	66
Parole Violation	65
Crim. Poss. Weapon 2	61
Burglary 2	52
Robbery 2	52
Agg. Harassment 2	51
Violation Probation (F)	48
Grand Larceny 4	46
Paternity	43
Resisting Arrest	38
Unlawful Poss. Marihuana	38
Crim. Poss. Marihuana 5	34
Loitering 1	34
Agg. Unlicensed Operation 3	31
Burglary 3	30
Assault 1	29

⁶ Based only on cases referred to ACP for assignment. Assignment numbers are higher because during the pendency of a referred case, more than one attorney may be assigned to that case.

Crime	Total
Appeal-Criminal Court (Fel.)	28
Crim. Sale of Controlled Substance 3	27
Support	27
Crim. Poss. Stolen Property 5	26
Criminal Mischief 3	26
Murder 2	25
Obstructing Gov't Administration 2	25
Grand Larceny 3	24
Agg. Unlicensed Operation 2	23
Guardianship	23
Crim. Poss. Marihuana 4	22
Crim. Poss. Weapon 3	21
Crim. Trespass 2	21
End. Welfare Child	21
Trespass	21
Burglary 1	20
Crim. Poss. Stolen Property 3	18
Crim. Trespass 3	17
Criminal Impersonation 2	17
Loitering	17
False Personation	16
Crim. Poss. Weapon 4	13
Appeal-Family Court	12
Crim. Poss. Forged Instrument 2	12
Crim. Sale Marihuana 4	12
Forgery 2	12
Robbery 1, Att.	11
Prostitution	10
Witness	10
Driving While Intoxicated	9
Poss. Burglar's Tools	9
Agg. Unlicensed Operation 1	7
Alcoholic Beverage Control	7
Issuing a Bad Check	7
Pins-Intevenor/FC	7
Rape 1	7
Reckless Endangerment 1	7
Criminal Facilitation 4	6
Fugitive	6
Making Graffiti	6
Adoption	5

Crime	Total
Appeal-Criminal Court (Misd.)	5
Crim. Poss. Marihuana 2	5
Crim. Use Drug Paraphernalia 2	5
Falsely Reporting Incident 3	5
Falsifying Business Records 1	5
Intimidating Victim/Witness 3	5
Promoting Prison Contraband 2	5
Rape 2	5
Robbery 2, Att.	5
722-c Order	4
Burglary 2, Att.	4
Crim. Poss. Controlled Substance 4	4
Crim. Poss. Controlled Substance 5	4
Crim. Poss. Hypodermic Instrument	4
Crim. Sale Firearm 3	4
Driving While Intoxicated (Fel.)	4
Forcible Touching	4
Foster Care	4
Identity Theft 3	4
Manslaughter 1	4
Poss. Imitation Controlled Substance	4
Rape 3	4
Reckless Endangerment 2	4
Rockefeller Reform Resentence	4
Sex Conduct Child 1	4
Unauthorized Use Motor Vehicle 2	4
Assault 2, Att.	3
Crim. Poss. Controlled Substance 1	3
Crim. Poss. Controlled Substance 2	3
Crim. Poss. Marihuana 4, Att	3
Crim. Sale Marihuana 5	3
Crim. Sale of Controlled Substance 2	3
Criminal Mischief 2	3
Harassment	3
Identity Theft 1	3
Kidnapping 1	3
Kidnapping 2	3
Menacing 3	3
Prohibited Use of Weapon	3
Torturing & Injuring Animals	3
Act Manner Injurious Child < 17	2

Crime	Total
Aggressive Panhandling	2
Assault 3, Att.	2
Conspiracy 2	2
Crim. Poss. Marihuana 3	2
Criminal Contempt 1, Aggravated	2
Criminal Sexual Act 1	2
Custodial Interference 1	2
Discharge Firearm Within City Limits	2
Loitering to Promote Prostitution	2
Manslaughter 2	2
Petit Larceny, Att.	2
Post-Conviction Motion	2
Promoting Prostitution 4	2
Public Lewdness	2
Robbery 3	2
Sexual Abuse 1	2
Sexual Misconduct	2
Sodomy 1	2
Stalking 4	2
Suspended Registration	2
Theft of Services	2
Unlawful Imprisonment 2	2
Unlawful Poss Fireworks	2
Unlawfully Dealing w/Child 1	2
Absconding From Temp Release	1
Appeal - Court of Appeals	1
Arson 2	1
Bail Jumping 3	1
Crim. Poss. Forged Instrument 1	1
Crim. Poss. Marihuana 1	1
Crim. Poss. Weapon 1	1
Crim. Poss. Weapon 3, Att.	1
Crim. Sale Marihuana 2	1
Crim. Sale of Controlled Substance 1	1
Driving While Ability Impaired	1
Driving While Ability Impaired-Drugs	1
Escape 3	1
Exposure of Person	1
Fail to Register:Sex Offender 2nd	1
File False Written Statement	1
Gang Assault 2	1

Crime	Total
Grand Larceny 2	1
Grand Larceny 4, Att.	1
Identity Theft 2	1
Insurance Fraud 4	1
Leaving Scene Incident-PI	1
Making App. False Sworn Statement 1	1
Menacing	1
Murder 1, Att.	1
Murder 2, Att.	1
Promoting Prison Contraband 1	1
Rape 1, Att.	1
Reckless Assault of Child	1
Reckless Driving	1
Rioting 2	1
Robbery 3, Att.	1
Sexual Abuse 2	1
Sexual Abuse 3	1
Sodomy 1, Att.	1
Sodomy 2	1
Solicitation 5	1
Unlawful Sale of Noxious Material	1
Unlawful Growth Cannabis	1
Unlawful Imprisonment 1	1
Unlawfully Deal w/Child 2	1
Unlawfully Dealing With Child	1
Unregistered Vehicle	1
Grand Total	5170

2006 Case Costs by Panel⁷

Description		Attorney Expenses	Fees	Vendor Expenses	Grand Total
ABC Felony	Fees	\$4,736	\$1,062,452	\$49,206	\$1,116,394
	#Cases	225	551	64	840
Appellate	Fees	\$3,869	\$36,380		\$40,249
	#Cases	13	9		22
DE Felony	Fees	\$1,516	\$454,792	\$9,965	\$466,273
	#Cases	100	434	18	552
Family Court	Fees	\$949	\$364,740	\$156	\$365,846
	#Cases	116	410	1	527
Misdemeanor	Fees	\$1,297	\$332,697	\$7,715	\$341,709
	#Cases	164	704	40	908
Other	Fees	\$66	\$22,236	\$1,110	\$23,412
	#Cases	5	22	2	29
Probation/Parole	Fees	\$32	\$68,390		\$68,422
	#Cases	24	138		162
Total Fees		\$12,464	\$2,341,688	\$68,152	\$2,422,304
Total #Cases		647	2268	125	3040

2006 Costs by Case Disposition

Description	Disposition	Data	Total
ABC Felony	A.C.D.	Total Fee	\$1,612
		Average Fee	\$269
		# Cases	6
	Alford Plea	Total Fee	\$931
		Average Fee	\$233
		# Cases	4
	Bench Trial - Acquittal	Total Fee	\$15,312
		Average Fee	\$1,701
		# Cases	9
	Bench Trial - Guilty Lesser	Total Fee	\$8,018
		Average Fee	\$4,009
		# Cases	2
	Bench Trial - Guilty Original	Total Fee	\$12,915
		Average Fee	\$6,457
		# Cases	2
Bench Warrant	Total Fee	\$6,635	

⁷ Includes all cases closed and paid in 2006 even if assigned in a prior year. Excludes administrative costs.

Description	Disposition	Data	Total
		Average Fee	\$737
		# Cases	9
	Capital Defender Case	Total Fee	\$390
		Average Fee	\$390
		# Cases	1
	Client Retained Own Counsel	Total Fee	\$20,434
		Average Fee	\$417
		# Cases	49
	Conflict of Interest	Total Fee	\$4,295
		Average Fee	\$716
		# Cases	6
	Covered by Plea - Other Charge	Total Fee	\$6,345
		Average Fee	\$529
		# Cases	12
	Dismissed - CPL 30.30	Total Fee	\$3,285
		Average Fee	\$657
		# Cases	5
	Dismissed - Felony Complaint	Total Fee	\$3,222
		Average Fee	\$806
		# Cases	4
	Dismissed - Indictment	Total Fee	\$30,533
		Average Fee	\$1,454
		# Cases	21
	Dismissed - Information	Total Fee	\$2,187
		Average Fee	\$1,093
		# Cases	2
	Dismissed - Plea in Satisfaction	Total Fee	\$4,331
		Average Fee	\$722
		# Cases	6
	Jury Trial - Acquittal	Total Fee	\$117,506
		Average Fee	\$5,341
		# Cases	22
	Jury Trial - Guilty Lesser	Total Fee	\$54,613
		Average Fee	\$5,461
		# Cases	10
	Jury Trial - Guilty Original	Total Fee	\$186,159
		Average Fee	\$2,864
		# Cases	65
	No Bill - Grand Jury	Total Fee	\$44,751
		Average Fee	\$476
		# Cases	94
	No Conflict - PD Continued	Total Fee	\$300
		Average Fee	\$150

Description	Disposition	Data	Total
		# Cases	2
	Other	Total Fee	\$6,818
		Average Fee	\$2,273
		# Cases	3
	Plea - Not Responsible	Total Fee	\$1,244
		Average Fee	\$415
		# Cases	3
	Plea To Reduced Charge	Total Fee	\$346,826
		Average Fee	\$1,064
		# Cases	326
	Plea To Top Charge	Total Fee	\$168,668
		Average Fee	\$1,493
		# Cases	113
	Relieved By Court	Total Fee	\$5,341
		Average Fee	\$763
		# Cases	7
	Transfer to Family Court	Total Fee	\$307
		Average Fee	\$307
		# Cases	1
Trial Order of Dismissal	Total Fee	\$12,977	
	Average Fee	\$2,595	
	# Cases	5	
Y.O. Adjudication	Total Fee	\$39,937	
	Average Fee	\$951	
	# Cases	42	
Appellate	Appeal Judgment - Affirmed	Total Fee	\$26,418
		Average Fee	\$2,032
		# Cases	13
	Appeal Judgment - Modified	Total Fee	\$168
		Average Fee	\$42
		# Cases	4
	Appeal Judgment - Reversed	Total Fee	\$3,266
		Average Fee	\$3,266
		# Cases	1
	Appeal Sentence - Affirmed	Total Fee	\$137
		Average Fee	\$137
		# Cases	1
Not Indigent	Total Fee	\$855	
	Average Fee	\$427	
	# Cases	2	
DE Felony	A.C.D.	Total Fee	\$3,324
		Average Fee	\$665
		# Cases	5
	Alford Plea	Total Fee	\$3,883

Description	Disposition	Data	Total
		Average Fee	\$647
		# Cases	6
	Bench Trial - Acquittal	Total Fee	\$19,729
		Average Fee	\$1,794
		# Cases	11
	Bench Trial - Guilty Lesser	Total Fee	\$1,485
		Average Fee	\$1,485
		# Cases	1
	Bench Trial - Guilty Original	Total Fee	\$15,364
		Average Fee	\$2,561
		# Cases	6
	Bench Warrant	Total Fee	\$7,526
		Average Fee	\$627
		# Cases	12
	Client Retained Own Counsel	Total Fee	\$3,150
		Average Fee	\$263
		# Cases	12
	Conflict of Interest	Total Fee	\$232
		Average Fee	\$232
		# Cases	1
	Covered by Plea - Other Charge	Total Fee	\$5,494
		Average Fee	\$458
		# Cases	12
	Dismissed - CPL 30.30	Total Fee	\$5,850
		Average Fee	\$1,170
		# Cases	5
	Dismissed - Felony Complaint	Total Fee	\$6,754
		Average Fee	\$563
		# Cases	12
	Dismissed - Indictment	Total Fee	\$3,049
		Average Fee	\$1,525
		# Cases	2
	Dismissed - Information	Total Fee	\$5,448
		Average Fee	\$1,090
		# Cases	5
	Dismissed - Plea in Satisfaction	Total Fee	\$3,472
		Average Fee	\$694
		# Cases	5
	Jury Trial - Acquittal	Total Fee	\$5,001
		Average Fee	\$1,667
		# Cases	3
	Jury Trial - Guilty Lesser	Total Fee	\$4,222
		Average Fee	\$4,222

Description	Disposition	Data	Total
		# Cases	1
	Jury Trial - Guilty Original	Total Fee	\$10,679
		Average Fee	\$1,780
		# Cases	6
	No Bill - Grand Jury	Total Fee	\$43,104
		Average Fee	\$474
		# Cases	91
	No Conflict - PD Continued	Total Fee	\$960
		Average Fee	\$320
		# Cases	3
	Not Indigent	Total Fee	\$45
		Average Fee	\$45
		# Cases	1
	Other	Total Fee	\$312
		Average Fee	\$312
		# Cases	1
	Plea To Reduced Charge	Total Fee	\$176,941
		Average Fee	\$867
		# Cases	204
	Plea To Top Charge	Total Fee	\$105,493
		Average Fee	\$1,134
		# Cases	93
	Relieved By Court	Total Fee	\$4,484
		Average Fee	\$448
		# Cases	10
	Stipulated Settlement	Total Fee	\$1,793
		Average Fee	\$896
		# Cases	2
	Y.O. Adjudication	Total Fee	\$26,738
		Average Fee	\$668
		# Cases	40
Family Court	A.C.D.	Total Fee	\$5,994
		Average Fee	\$856
		# Cases	7
	Admit Petition	Total Fee	\$8,798
		Average Fee	\$677
		# Cases	13
	Client Retained Own Counsel	Total Fee	\$1,980
		Average Fee	\$990
		# Cases	2
	Conflict of Interest	Total Fee	\$818
		Average Fee	\$409
		# Cases	2
	No Conflict - PD Continued	Total Fee	\$150

Description	Disposition	Data	Total
		Average Fee	\$150
		# Cases	1
	Petition Dismissed	Total Fee	\$63,011
		Average Fee	\$447
		# Cases	141
	Petition Found After Hearing	Total Fee	\$45,096
		Average Fee	\$1,253
		# Cases	36
	Relieved By Court	Total Fee	\$52
		Average Fee	\$52
		# Cases	1
	Stipulated Settlement	Total Fee	\$239,264
		Average Fee	\$741
		# Cases	323
	Transfer to IDV	Total Fee	\$683
		Average Fee	\$683
		# Cases	1
Misdemeanor	A.C.D.	Total Fee	\$55,363
		Average Fee	\$328
		# Cases	169
	Abated by Death	Total Fee	\$2,250
		Average Fee	\$450
		# Cases	5
	Bench Trial - Acquittal	Total Fee	\$5,640
		Average Fee	\$470
		# Cases	12
	Bench Trial - Guilty Lesser	Total Fee	\$1
		Average Fee	\$1
		# Cases	1
	Bench Trial - Guilty Original	Total Fee	\$3,890
		Average Fee	\$556
		# Cases	7
	Bench Warrant	Total Fee	\$8,623
		Average Fee	\$254
		# Cases	34
	Client Retained Own Counsel	Total Fee	\$1,098
		Average Fee	\$220
		# Cases	5
	Consolidated - Other Charges	Total Fee	\$456
		Average Fee	\$228
		# Cases	2
	Covered by Plea - Other Charge	Total Fee	\$17,904
		Average Fee	\$358

Description	Disposition	Data	Total
		# Cases	50
	Dismissed - CPL 30.30	Total Fee	\$17,189
		Average Fee	\$273
		# Cases	63
	Dismissed - Information	Total Fee	\$39,373
		Average Fee	\$331
		# Cases	119
	Dismissed - Plea in Satisfaction	Total Fee	\$12,319
		Average Fee	\$352
		# Cases	35
	Incompetent to Stand Trial	Total Fee	\$324
		Average Fee	\$324
		# Cases	1
	Jury Trial - Acquittal	Total Fee	\$4,146
		Average Fee	\$691
		# Cases	6
	Jury Trial - Guilty Original	Total Fee	\$1,575
		Average Fee	\$1,575
		# Cases	1
	No Bill - Grand Jury	Total Fee	\$1,500
		Average Fee	\$1,500
		# Cases	1
	No Conflict - PD Continued	Total Fee	\$84
		Average Fee	\$84
		# Cases	1
	Plea - Not Responsible	Total Fee	\$944
		Average Fee	\$472
		# Cases	2
	Plea To Reduced Charge	Total Fee	\$95,417
		Average Fee	\$422
		# Cases	226
	Plea To Top Charge	Total Fee	\$64,739
		Average Fee	\$459
		# Cases	141
	Pre-Trial Diversion	Total Fee	\$294
		Average Fee	\$294
		# Cases	1
	Relieved By Court	Total Fee	\$3,112
		Average Fee	\$239
		# Cases	13
	Y.O. Adjudication	Total Fee	\$4,999
		Average Fee	\$500
		# Cases	10

Description	Disposition	Data	Total
Other	Appeal Sentence - Affirmed	Total Fee	\$165
		Average Fee	\$165
		# Cases	1
	Appeal Sentence - Modified	Total Fee	\$41
		Average Fee	\$41
		# Cases	1
	Client Retained Own Counsel	Total Fee	\$110
		Average Fee	\$110
		# Cases	1
	Dismissed - Information	Total Fee	\$1,023
		Average Fee	\$512
		# Cases	2
	Extradition Granted	Total Fee	\$2,280
		Average Fee	\$570
		# Cases	4
	Other	Total Fee	\$6,472
		Average Fee	\$431
		# Cases	15
	Petition Found After Hearing	Total Fee	\$10,461
		Average Fee	\$5,231
		# Cases	2
Post Conviction - Denied	Total Fee	\$2,860	
	Average Fee	\$953	
	# Cases	3	
Probation/Parole	Admit Petition	Total Fee	\$52,478
		Average Fee	\$477
		# Cases	110
	Bench Warrant	Total Fee	\$247
		Average Fee	\$124
		# Cases	2
	Client Retained Own Counsel	Total Fee	\$570
		Average Fee	\$143
		# Cases	4
	Conflict of Interest	Total Fee	\$142
		Average Fee	\$142
		# Cases	1
	Covered by Plea - Other Charge	Total Fee	\$3,005
		Average Fee	\$334
		# Cases	9
	Dismissed - Plea in Satisfaction	Total Fee	\$510
		Average Fee	\$255
		# Cases	2
	Petition Dismissed	Total Fee	\$8,731

Description	Disposition	Data	Total
		Average Fee	\$380
		# Cases	23
	Petition Found After Hearing	Total Fee	\$90
		Average Fee	\$45
		# Cases	2
	Plea To Top Charge	Total Fee	\$83
		Average Fee	\$83
		# Cases	1
	Relieved By Court	Total Fee	\$570
		Average Fee	\$285
		# Cases	2
	Stipulated Settlement	Total Fee	\$1,995
Average Fee		\$332	
# Cases		6	

2006 Case Dispositions⁸

Panel	Disposition	Total
ABC Felony	A.C.D.	3
	Alford Plea	2
	Bench Trial - Acquittal	6
	Bench Trial - Guilty Lesser	1
	Bench Trial - Guilty Original	2
	Bench Warrant	5
	Client Retained Own Counsel	45
	Conflict of Interest	3
	Covered by Plea - Other Charge	14
	Dismissed - CPL 30.30	5
	Dismissed - Felony Complaint	3
	Dismissed - Indictment	12
	Dismissed - Information	3
	Dismissed - Plea in Satisfaction	4
	Jury Trial - Acquittal	12
	Jury Trial - Guilty Lesser	5
	Jury Trial - Guilty Original	18
	No Bill - Grand Jury	79
	No Conflict - PD Continued	11
	Other	3
	Plea - Not Responsible	1
	Plea To Reduced Charge	227
	Plea To Top Charge	68
	Relieved By Court	3
	Transfer to Family Court	1
	Trial Order of Dismissal	3
	Y.O. Adjudication	34
ABC Felony Total		573
Appellate	Abated by Death	1
	Appeal Judgment - Affirmed	6
	Appeal Judgment - Modified	2
	Appeal Judgment - Reversed	2
	Appeal Sentence - Affirmed	2
	Client Retained Own Counsel	1
	Conflict of Interest	1

⁸ Excludes 46 Miscellaneous cases, e.g. Fugitive, Witnesses, etc.

Panel	Disposition	Total
	Not Indigent	1
	Petition Dismissed	1
Appellate Total		17
DE Felony	A.C.D.	3
	Alford Plea	2
	Bench Trial - Acquittal	8
	Bench Trial - Guilty Lesser	1
	Bench Trial - Guilty Original	4
	Bench Warrant	11
	Client Retained Own Counsel	11
	Conflict of Interest	2
	Covered by Plea - Other Charge	20
	Dismissed - CPL 30.30	7
	Dismissed - Felony Complaint	6
	Dismissed - Indictment	1
	Dismissed - Information	4
	Dismissed - Plea in Satisfaction	7
	Jury Trial - Acquittal	1
	Jury Trial - Guilty Lesser	1
	Jury Trial - Guilty Original	1
	No Bill - Grand Jury	71
	No Conflict - PD Continued	8
	Not Indigent	2
	Other	1
	Plea To Reduced Charge	189
	Plea To Top Charge	70
	Relieved By Court	7
	Stipulated Settlement	2
	Y.O. Adjudication	31
DE Felony Total		471
Family Court	A.C.D.	6
	Admit Petition	18
	Client Retained Own Counsel	9
	Conflict of Interest	12
	No Conflict - PD Continued	4
	Not Indigent	3
	Other	18
	Petition Dismissed	453
	Petition Found After Hearing	54
	Relieved By Court	26
	Stipulated Settlement	702

Panel	Disposition	Total
	Transfer to Family Court	2
	Transfer to IDV	23
Family Court Total		1330
Misdemeanor	A.C.D.	364
	Abated by Death	11
	Bench Trial - Acquittal	17
	Bench Trial - Guilty Lesser	3
	Bench Trial - Guilty Original	12
	Bench Warrant	22
	Client Retained Own Counsel	22
	Conflict of Interest	2
	Consolidated - Other Charges	1
	Covered by Plea - Other Charge	109
	Dismissed - CPL 30.30	382
	Dismissed - Felony Complaint	1
	Dismissed - Information	205
	Dismissed - Plea in Satisfaction	44
	Incompetent to Stand Trial	1
	Jury Trial - Acquittal	5
	Jury Trial - Guilty Original	3
	No Bill - Grand Jury	1
	No Conflict - PD Continued	36
	Not Indigent	1
	Petition Found After Hearing	1
	Plea - Not Responsible	1
	Plea To Reduced Charge	423
	Plea To Top Charge	220
	Pre-Trial Diversion	1
	Relieved By Court	9
	Transfer to IDV	8
	Trial Order of Dismissal	4
	Y.O. Adjudication	19
Misdemeanor Total		1928
Other	A.C.D.	1
	Appeal Sentence - Affirmed	1
	Client Retained Own Counsel	2
	Dismissed - Information	1
	Extradition Granted	5
	Other	13
	Petition Found After Hearing	1
	Post Conviction - Denied	4

Panel	Disposition	Total
Other Total		28
Probation/Parole	Admit Petition	135
	Bench Warrant	2
	Client Retained Own Counsel	3
	Conflict of Interest	1
	Covered by Plea - Other Charge	12
	Dismissed - Plea in Satisfaction	3
	No Conflict - PD Continued	2
	Petition Dismissed	15
	Petition Found After Hearing	3
	Relieved By Court	2
	Stipulated Settlement	6
Probation/Parole Total		184
Grand Total		4531