

FAMILY COURT

Caseload Breakdown Fiscal Year 2008 - Civil Case Filings												
	Divorces and Annulments		RTSC/Other Civil Contempts		New Non-Support		Support Arrearages		Support Modifications		Custody	
New Castle County	1,935	9.0%	718	3.3%	3,612	16.8%	2,857	13.3%	2,002	9.3%	2,470	11.5%
Kent County	815	10.1%	220	2.7%	1,400	17.3%	1,209	15.0%	646	8.0%	896	11.1%
Sussex County	755	7.0%	162	1.5%	2,142	19.9%	2,819	26.2%	980	9.1%	794	7.4%
State	3,505	8.7%	1,100	2.7%	7,154	17.8%	6,885	17.1%	3,628	9.0%	4,160	10.3%
	Visitation		Protection From Abuse		Adoptions		Termination of Parental Rights		Miscellaneous		Total	
New Castle County	517	2.4%	2,038	9.5%	136	0.6%	144	0.7%	5,045	23.5%	21,474	100%
Kent County	199	2.5%	885	11.0%	41	0.5%	31	0.4%	1,737	21.5%	8,079	100%
Sussex County	161	1.5%	775	7.2%	27	0.3%	30	0.3%	2,097	19.5%	10,742	100%
State	877	2.2%	3,698	9.2%	204	0.5%	205	0.5%	8,879	22.0%	40,295	100%
Caseload Breakdown Fiscal Year 2008 - Civil Case Dispositions												
	Divorces and Annulments		RTSC/Other Civil Contempts		New Non-Support		Support Arrearages		Support Modifications		Custody	
New Castle County	2,134	9.6%	757	3.4%	3,733	16.7%	3,074	13.8%	1,925	8.6%	2,348	10.5%
Kent County	942	11.7%	299	3.7%	1,315	16.3%	1,348	16.8%	577	7.2%	861	10.7%
Sussex County	979	9.2%	186	1.7%	2,240	21.0%	2,798	26.3%	882	8.3%	797	7.5%
State	4,055	9.9%	1,242	3.0%	7,288	17.8%	7,220	17.6%	3,384	8.3%	4,006	9.8%
	Visitation		Protection From Abuse		Adoptions		Termination of Parental Rights		Remaining Petition Types		Total	
New Castle County	497	2.2%	1,753	7.9%	164	0.7%	221	1.0%	5,709	25.6%	22,315	100%
Kent County	207	2.6%	689	8.6%	49	0.6%	54	0.7%	1,704	21.2%	8,045	100%
Sussex County	148	1.4%	543	5.1%	8	0.1%	30	0.3%	2,046	19.2%	10,657	100%
State	852	2.1%	2,985	7.3%	221	0.5%	305	0.7%	9,459	23.1%	41,017	100%

RTSC = Rules to Show Cause

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