County-Level Courts

Probate and Mental Health Activity from September 1, 2010 to August 31, 2011

97.1 Percent Reporting Rate

2,961 Reports Received Out of a Possible 3,048

PROBATE AND GUARDIANSHIP CASES											
	Decedents' Estates			Guardianships							
Cases on Docket:	Independent Administration	Dependent Administration	All Other Estate Proceedings	Minor	Adult	All Other Cases	Total Cases				
New Cases, Applications or Contests Filed	24,574	1,547	18,974	1,384	4,431	5,661	56,571				
Other Cases Added:											
Ancillary Cases	1,503	213	338	20	41	100	2,215				
All Other Matters	3,307	1,678	2,365	1,456	13,083	13,804	35,693				
Inventories Filed	19,470	892		378	979		21,904				
Guardianship of Person Reports Filed				548	16,836		17,384				
Annual or Final Accounts Filed		1,924		1,433	6,315		9,672				
Additional Information:											
Guardians	hips: Total						Total				
Dismissed or De	nied	519			Sec. 683 In	vestigations	1,042				
Gra	Granted 2,734			8 Removals	75						
Cl	osed	2,014	Hearings		earings Held	70,098					
Ad	ctive	25,072	Cases in Which Plaintiff/Petitioner Represented Self				2,163				

MENTAL HEALTH CASES										
			Modification			Order to				
	Temporary Mental Health Services	Extended Mental Health Services	Inpatient to Outpatient	Outpatient to Inpatient		Authorize Psychoactive Medications				
Intake					New Applications Filed	3,534				
New Applications Filed	33,773	426	177	73	Dismissal Prior to Hearing	302				
Orders for Protective Custody Signed	33,697				Hearings Held	2,572				
					Disposition at Hearing					
Hearings					Denied	237				
Probable Cause Hearings Held	17,044				Granted	2,406				
Release/Dismissal Prior to Final Hearing	32,750	5	2	1						
Final Commitment Hearings Held	5,806	139	10	6						
<i>Other Information</i> Disposition at Final Hearing										
Denied (Release)	2,145	7	0	0						
Granted (Commit)										
Inpatient	7,963	172	30							
Outpatient	506	7		8						