

Office of Court Administration

October 2025 Info Session



Texas Judicial Council

- In June 2017, the Texas Judicial Council established the Data Committee who was charged with guiding the revisions of the court activity reporting database to collect case-level statistical data.
- In 2022, the Committee recommended that the Legislature fund the necessary tools for the Texas Judiciary to collect case-level data.



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88th
Legislative
Session

1 AN ACT

2 relating to certain judicial statistics and related information

3 gathered by the Texas Judicial Council.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Section 71.035(a), Government Code, is amended

6 to read as follows:

7 (a) The council shall gather judicial statistics and other

8 pertinent information, including case-level information on the

9 amount and character of the business transacted by courts, from the

10 several state judges and other court officials of this state. In

During the 88th legislative session, funds were appropriated for this project.

Project Initiation

- OCA signed a contract with Tyler Technologies September 2024 to build a system capable of capturing case-level data.
- Project was off to a strong start and is moving along quickly.
- This is a multi-year project.

System Purpose



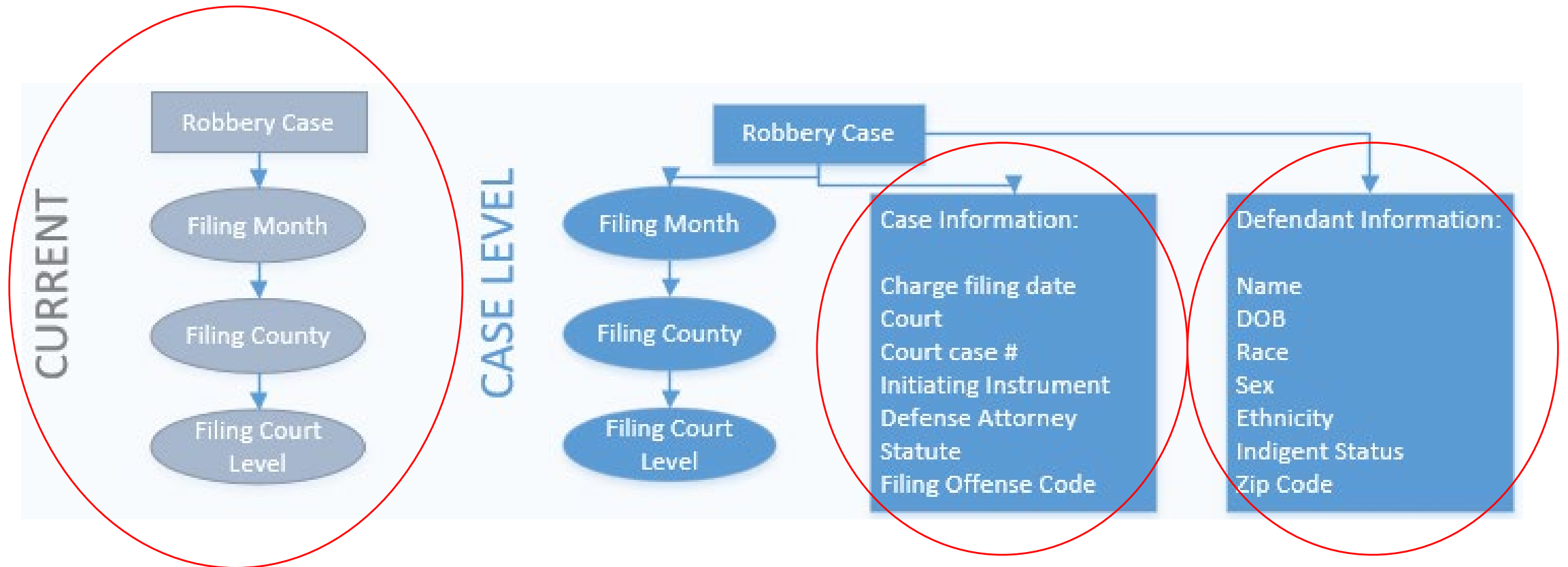
To **design, implement, and maintain** a statewide data warehouse and business intelligence system that will serve as a repository of court case level data for **all** court levels across the state.

What is Case-Level Data?

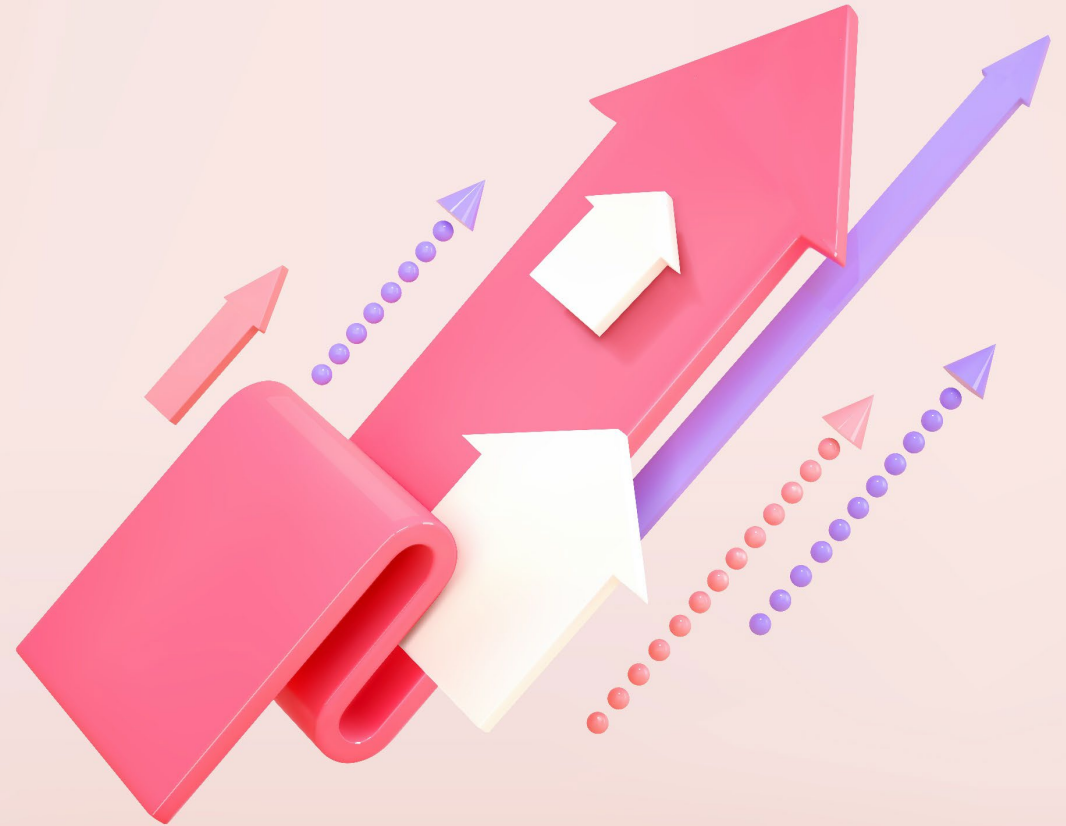


What is Case Level Data?

OCA currently collects aggregate level data.



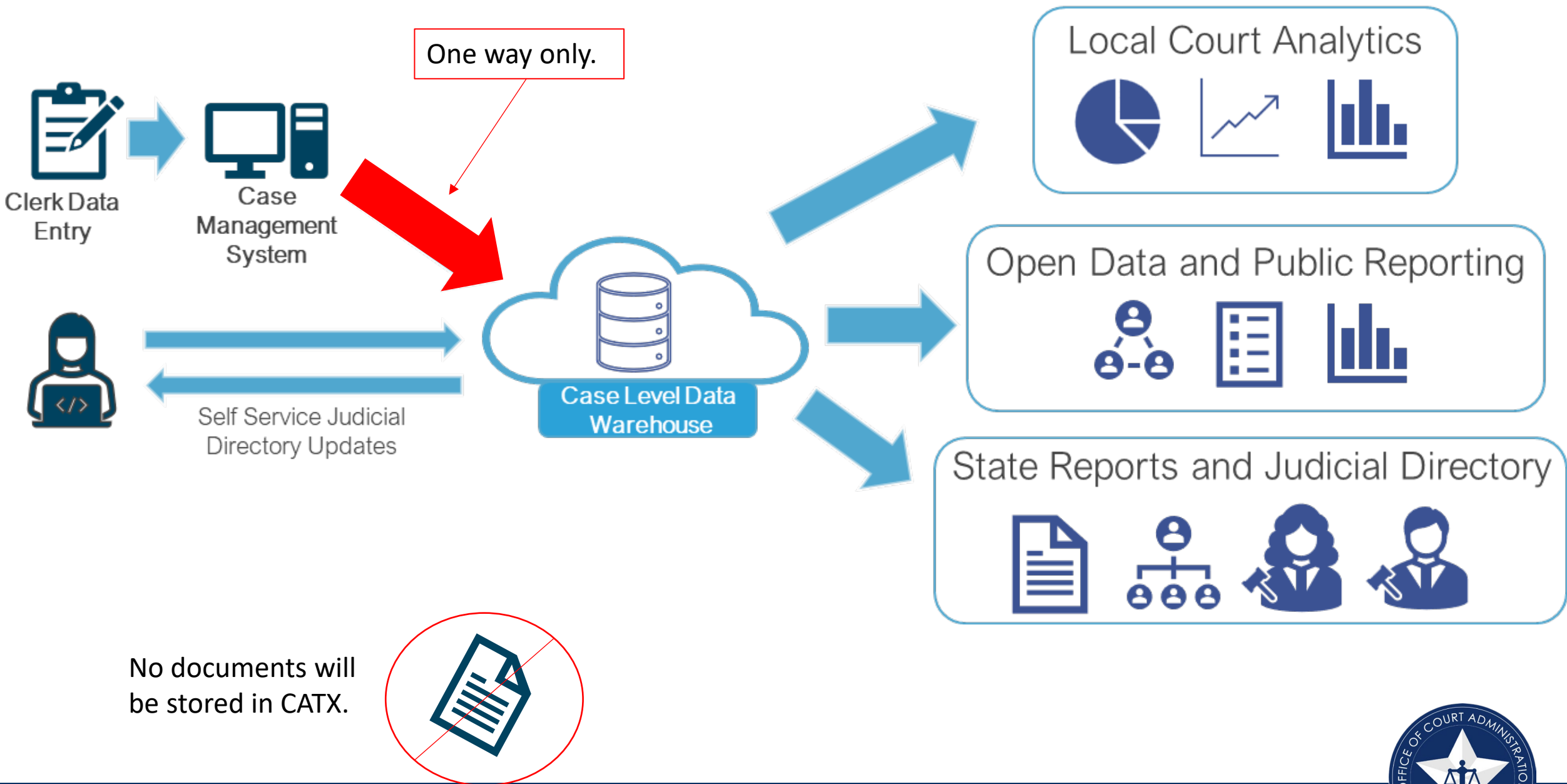
- Over the last few years there has been a noticeable interest for more detailed data.
- Demand has been driven by the need for a more comprehensive insight into court cases and outcomes.
- This project will collect multiple data points for once case rather than general filing and disposition information.





HOW WILL THE
SYSTEM WORK?





OCA'S GOAL

Our goal for this system is to eventually eliminate manual reporting for counties by integrating with local case management systems.

Participation:

- Integration participation will be voluntary. The system will provide a User Interface option to submit data manually.
- OCA encourages integration to reduce the clerks' time spent on reporting, especially with the additional data elements that will now be collected. Additionally, CARD will be phased out.



Timeline

Tyler UCMS Customers will be integrated first.

Integration has already begun.

Starting with Criminal data then Civil and Family.

After Tyler UCMS, we will proceed with the largest counties.

A pilot county will be selected first.





JUDICIAL DIRECTORY

This new system will also house OCA's Judicial Directory.

The new Directory will include the following:

- Ability for users to update their own information.

- Ability for users to run queries on directory entries.

- Ability for administrative users to set access limitations to other users.



WHAT COMES NEXT?



NEXT STEPS:

OCA and Tyler met with Case Management System (CMS) Vendors to discuss integration requirements.

Documentation has been shared with CMS Vendors.

Once vendors are ready, OCA and Tyler will begin reaching out to individual offices to discuss timelines, involvement, and resources.



WHAT ABOUT COST?

OCA has identified funds to assist counties that will require technological upgrades in order to integrate with Court Analytics TX.

These funds will require applications and assistance from your CMS Vendor and/or IT department to identify your individual needs.

These will be **One Time** funds only. The county must show proof that they can sustain ongoing costs, if applicable.



