

Early Settlement Mediation

EAST CENTRAL PROGRAM

JUDGE'S MID YEAR UPDATE | 2023 FISCAL YEAR



CASES REFERRED BY COUNTY

County	Basic	Family/ Divorce	Guardianship	Child Permanency	TOTAL
Coal	0	2	0	0	2
Garvin	8	7	0	0	15
Hughes	1	5	0	0	6
Okfuskee	0	2	0	3	5
Pontotoc	1	20	0	1	22
Pottawatomie	33	58	0	0	91
Seminole	3	6	1	8	18
TOTAL	46	100	1	12	159

THESE CASE NUMBERS ARE FROM JULY 2022 TO DECEMBER 2022

Referral/Mediated Case Numbers From FY 2022

Coal County: 5 Cases Referred, 1 Mediated

Garvin County: 28 Cases Referred, 26 Mediated

Hughes County: 21 Cases Referred, 17 Mediated

Okfuskee County: 12 Cases Referred, 9 Mediated

Pontotoc County: 34 Cases Referred, 24 Mediated

Pottawatomie County: 213 Referred, 154 Mediated

Seminole County: 45 Referred, 36 Mediated

358 Total Cases

Referred in FY22

267 Cases Mediated
in FY22

11

Number of Mediations
conducted virtually or
hybrid for Fiscal Year
2023 *

79

Number of cases that
have resulted in an
agreement for Fiscal Year
2023

455

Total Number of Volunteer
Hours for Basic, Family and
Advanced Mediations for
Fiscal Year 2023*

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CASES MEDIATED BY COUNTY

County	Basic	Family/ Divorce	Guardianship	Child Permanency	TOTAL
Coal	0	1	0	0	1
Garvin	8	3	0	0	11
Hughes	1	1	0	0	2
Okfuskee	0	1	0	3	4
Pontotoc	1	13	0	1	15
Pottawatomie	32	43	0	0	75
Seminole	3	6	1	6	16
TOTAL	45	68	1	10	124

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14

Number of Trainees who have completed mediation training (Basic, Family/Divorce or Child Permanency Training) *

3

Number of volunteers certified for Family Mediations Fiscal Year 2023*

10

Number of Volunteers working toward certification (in Basic, Family/Divorce, or Child Permanency Mediation)

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Referral Source	Cases Referred
Judge Referred	122
Attorney Referred	23
Tribal Referred	2
Other	12
TOTAL	159



In December of 2022 we had our annual Christmas Volunteer Meet-up at Coffee-n-Craft in Shawnee, Oklahoma. Several volunteers came and we were able to meet their fellow mediators and network!

Reasons why cases did not result in mediation	Case Numbers
Settled Prior to Mediation Date	13
Declined by Program Office	6
Party(s) Withdrew/Refused Mediation	11
1 or more parties did not respond to our office (Lost Contact)	4
No Call/No Show to Mediation	1
TOTAL	35



BASIC MEDIATION TRAINING

East Central Program



October 27-28, 2022



Jennifer White (pictured left) certified in Family Mediation and Jaymin McClarty (pictured right) certified in Basic Mediation

