

# EARLY SETTLEMENT

SOUTHEAST PROGRAM



Welcome to  
Early Settlement  
Mediation!

Please click on the interactive map below  
to locate your regional program

April 2023 Newsletter



## Staying Connected with Early Settlement

### OSCN! WHERE ALL WONDERFUL THINGS BEGIN!

The Early Settlement Programs around the state have been really busy this spring and many of the things happening are highlighted on our web site!

Please take time to explore the web site and see the exciting things happening with the Early Settlement programs around the state!

Scheduling a case with Early Settlement is as easy as 1-2-3! Judges, Attorneys or Prose parties can all schedule a case for mediation using our online Acuity calendar provided on the Early Settlement Mediation Website on OSCN.

### CONNECT WITH US VIA SOCIAL MEDIA!

More updated are available on our social media platforms:



@earlysettlementmediation\_se



@ESSEmediation



## NEWSLETTER HIGHLIGHTS

Staying Connected with ES

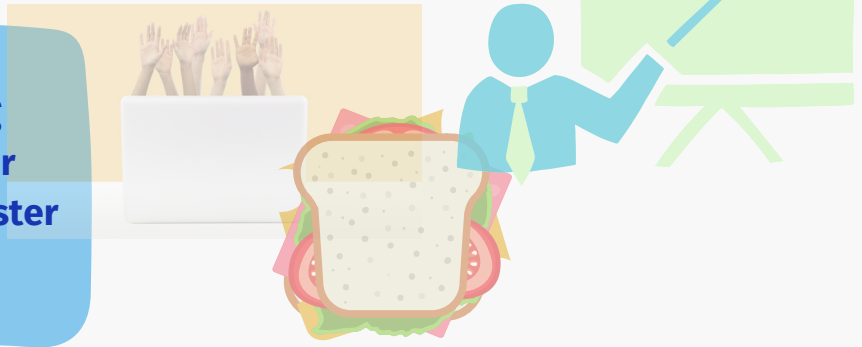
Upcoming Southeast Events

Upcoming Statewide Events

Southeast's Up-To-Date  
Caseload

# Upcoming Southeast Program Events

**April 18: Volunteer Virtual Meeting**  
**May 8-9: Basic Training in McAlester**  
**June 13: Volunteer Luncheon in McAlester**



# Upcoming Statewide Events



**KEYNOTE SPEAKER**  
**Megan Hunter**

**HIGH CONFLICT INSTITUTE**  
*the missing peace*

Megan Hunter, MBA, is co-founder and CEO of the High Conflict Institute along with author and speaker, Bill Eddy, LCSW, Esq. who developed the high-conflict personality theory. Megan developed the concept of the Institute after eight years in policy, legislation and judicial training with the Arizona Supreme Court, Administrative Office of the Courts and five years with the Dawes County Attorney's Office in Nebraska.

Megan has trained professionals across a wide spectrum of industries in the U.S. and in eight other countries. She has served as President of the Arizona Chapter of the Association of Family & Conciliation Courts, and the Arizona Family Support Council and Nebraska Child Support Enforcement Association and served on the Arizona Board of Psychologist Examiners. She is currently on the Stepfamily Magazine Advisory Board.

She is the author and/or co-author of several books on high conflict interactions and co-host of the podcast *It's All Your Fault!*

# CURRENT FY23 CASELOAD SUMMARY

**EARLY SETTLEMENT MEDIATION**  
 County Statistical Monthly Report

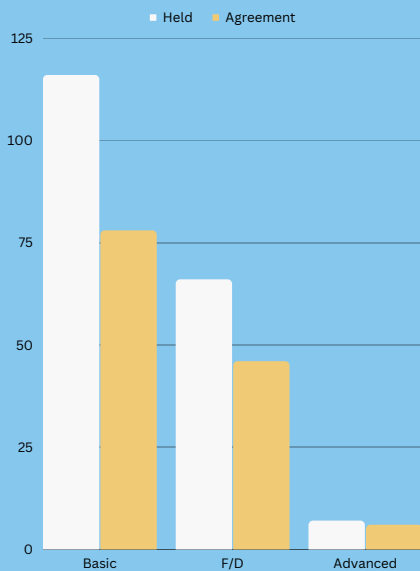
Program: **SOUTHEAST**      Month/Year: **2023 SUMMARY**

(Enter the number of mediations REFERRED from each county)

County	Basic	Family	Adult Guardianship	IDEA	Child Permanency	Other	TOTAL CASES
Choctaw	31	10	0	0	1	0	42
Haskell	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Latimer	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
LeFlore	23	2	0	0	0	0	25
McCurtain	29	32	0	0	0	0	61
McIntosh	6	4	0	0	0	0	10
Pittsburg	38	37	0	0	6	0	81
Pushmataha	0	6	0	0	0	0	6
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>226</b>

(Enter the number of mediations HELD in each county)

County	Basic	Family	Adult Guardianship	IDEA	Child Permanency	Other	TOTAL CASES
Choctaw	28	6	0	0	1	0	35
Haskell	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Latimer	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
LeFlore	23	2	0	0	0	0	25
McCurtain	28	20	0	0	0	0	48
McIntosh	6	3	0	0	0	0	9
Pittsburg	31	28	0	0	6	0	65
Pushmataha	0	6	0	0	0	0	6
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>189</b>



## BASIC/CIVIL

Referred: 127  
 Held: 116  
 Agreements: 78 (67%)

## FAMILY/DIVORCE

Referred: 92  
 Held: 66  
 Agreements: 46 (70%)

## ADVANCED

Referred: 7  
 Held: 7  
 Agreements: 6 (86%)

\*Numbers reflect cases from July 1, 2022 - March 31, 2023

\*Agreements + percentages are cases that ended in partial or full agreements

Thank you for choosing Early Settlement Southeast!