

CADRE State Dispute Resolution Summary Report

Prepared by CADRE, the Center for Appropriate Dispute Resolution in Special Education, based on Annual Performance Report and IDEA Section 618 Dispute Resolution data reported to the Office of Special Education Programs of the U. S. Education Department.*

School Year 2004-05		ARIZONA		Total Child Count (ages 3 to 21):		119,841	% Served (ages 6 to 17):		9.99%
<u>Written Complaints</u>		Reported	Per 10K	<u>Mediations</u>		Reported	Per 10K	<u>Due Process Hearings</u>	
								Reported	Per 10K
(1) Filed	128	10.7	(1) Requests	43	3.6	(3) Requests	51	4.3	
(1.1) Reports Issued	117	9.8	(2.1)(a) Held, DP Related	5	0.4	(3.1) Resolution Meetings	0	0.0	
(1.1)(a) Reports with Findings	25	2.1	(2.1)(a)(i) Agreements, DP Related	5	0.4	(3.1)(a) Settlement Agreements	0	0.0	
[Reports with No Findings]	92	7.7	(2.1)(b) Held, Not DP Related	22	1.8	(3.2) Held (Fully Adjudicated)	7	0.6	
(1.1)(b) Completed w/in 60 Days	66	5.5	(2.1)(b)(i) Agreements, Not DP Related	18	1.5	(3.2)(a) Decisions w/in 45 Days	0	0.0	
(1.1)(c) Completed w/in Extension	19	1.6	[Total Held]	27	2.3	(3.2)(b) Decisions w/in Extension	6	0.5	
[Total w/in Timelines]	85	7.1	[Total Agreements]	23	1.9	[Decisions Within Timelines]	6	0.5	
(1.2) Withdrawn or Dismissed	10	0.8	(2.2) Mediations Not Held	16	1.3	[Pending]	19	1.6	
(1.3) Pending	1	0.1				(3.3) Resolved w/o a Hearing	25	2.1	
(1.3)(a) Pending Hearing	0	0.0							
<u>Expedited Due Process Hearings**</u>									
			(4) Expedited Hearing Requests	4	0.3				
			(4.1) [Expedited] Resolution Sessions	0	0.0				
			(4.1)(a) [Expedited] Settlement Agreements	0	0.0				
			(4.2) Expedited Hearings (fully adjudicated)	1	0.1				
			(4.2)(a) Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0				

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School Year 2005-06 ARIZONA Total Child Count (ages 3 to 21): 124,504 % Served (ages 6 to 17): 10.18%

<u>Written Complaints</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Mediations</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Due Process Hearings</u>	Reported	Per 10K
(1) Filed	170	13.7	(1) Requests	40	3.2	(3) Requests	46	3.7
(1.1) Reports Issued	161	12.9	(2.1)(a) Held, DP Related	11	0.9	(3.1) Resolution Meetings	19	1.5
(1.1)(a) Reports with Findings	105	8.4	(2.1)(a)(i) Agreements, DP Related	9	0.7	(3.1)(a) Settlement Agreements	11	0.9
[Reports with No Findings]	56	4.5	(2.1)(b) Held, Not DP Related	16	1.3	(3.2) Held (Fully Adjudicated)	1	0.1
(1.1)(b) Completed w/in 60 Days	133	10.7	(2.1)(b)(i) Agreements, Not DP Related	15	1.2	(3.2)(a) Decisions w/in 45 Days	0	0.0
(1.1)(c) Completed w/in Extension	27	2.2	[Total Held]	27	2.2	(3.2)(b) Decisions w/in Extension	1	0.1
[Total w/in Timelines]	160	12.9	[Total Agreements]	24	1.9	[Decisions Within Timelines]	1	0.1
(1.2) Withdrawn or Dismissed	9	0.7	(2.2) Mediations Not Held	13	1.0	[Pending]	0	0.0
(1.3) Pending	0	0.0				(3.3) Resolved w/o a Hearing	45	3.6
(1.3)(a) Pending Hearing	0	0.0						
						<u>Expedited Due Process Hearings**</u>		
						(4) Expedited Hearing Requests	0	0.0
						(4.1) [Expedited] Resolution Sessions	0	0.0
						(4.1)(a) [Expedited] Settlement Agreements	0	0.0
						(4.2) Expedited Hearings (fully adjudicated)	0	0.0
						(4.2)(a) Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0

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School Year 2006-07 ARIZONA Total Child Count (ages 3 to 21): 126,654 % Served (ages 6 to 17): 10.18%

<u>Written Complaints</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Mediations</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Due Process Hearings</u>	Reported	Per 10K
(1) Filed	162	12.8	(1) Requests	37	2.9	(3) Requests	58	4.6
(1.1) Reports Issued	112	8.8	(2.1)(a) Held, DP Related	11	0.9	(3.1) Resolution Meetings	22	1.7
(1.1)(a) Reports with Findings	72	5.7	(2.1)(a)(i) Agreements, DP Related	7	0.6	(3.1)(a) Settlement Agreements	16	1.3
[Reports with No Findings]	40	3.2	(2.1)(b) Held, Not DP Related	12	0.9	(3.2) Held (Fully Adjudicated)	2	0.2
(1.1)(b) Completed w/in 60 Days	103	8.1	(2.1)(b)(i) Agreements, Not DP Related	10	0.8	(3.2)(a) Decisions w/in 45 Days	1	0.1
(1.1)(c) Completed w/in Extension	9	0.7	[Total Held]	23	1.8	(3.2)(b) Decisions w/in Extension	1	0.1
[Total w/in Timelines]	112	8.8	[Total Agreements]	17	1.3	[Decisions Within Timelines]	2	0.2
(1.2) Withdrawn or Dismissed	40	3.2	(2.2) Mediations Not Held	14	1.1	[Pending]	40	3.2
(1.3) Pending	10	0.8				(3.3) Resolved w/o a Hearing	16	1.3
(1.3)(a) Pending Hearing	0	0.0						
						<u>Expedited Due Process Hearings**</u>		
						(4) Expedited Hearing Requests	3	0.2
						(4.1) [Expedited] Resolution Sessions	1	0.1
						(4.1)(a) [Expedited] Settlement Agreements	1	0.1
						(4.2) Expedited Hearings (fully adjudicated)	0	0.0
						(4.2)(a) Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0

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School Year 2007-08	ARIZONA	Total Child Count (ages 3 to 21):	131,136	% Served (ages 6 to 17):	10.34%
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<u>Written Complaints</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Mediations</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Due Process Hearings</u>	Reported	Per 10K
(1) Filed	150	11.4	(1) Requests	33	2.5	(3) Requests	51	3.9
(1.1) Reports Issued	121	9.2	(2.1)(a) Held, DP Related	9	0.7	(3.1) Resolution Meetings	22	1.7
(1.1)(a) Reports with Findings	47	3.6	(2.1)(a)(i) Agreements, DP Related	8	0.6	(3.1)(a) Settlement Agreements	15	1.1
[Reports with No Findings]	74	5.6	(2.1)(b) Held, Not DP Related	15	1.1	(3.2) Held (Fully Adjudicated)	2	0.2
(1.1)(b) Completed w/in 60 Days	114	8.7	(2.1)(b)(i) Agreements, Not DP Related	9	0.7	(3.2)(a) Decisions w/in 45 Days	0	0.0
(1.1)(c) Completed w/in Extension	5	0.4	[Total Held]	24	1.8	(3.2)(b) Decisions w/in Extension	2	0.2
[Total w/in Timelines]	119	9.1	[Total Agreements]	17	1.3	[Decisions Within Timelines]	2	0.2
(1.2) Withdrawn or Dismissed	29	2.2	(2.2) Mediations Not Held	9	0.7	[Pending]	22	1.7
(1.3) Pending	0	0.0				(3.3) Resolved w/o a Hearing	27	2.1
(1.3)(a) Pending Hearing	0	0.0						
<u>Expedited Due Process Hearings**</u>								
						(4) Expedited Hearing Requests	1	0.1
						(4.1) [Expedited] Resolution Sessions	0	0.0
						(4.1)(a) [Expedited] Settlement Agreements	0	0.0
						(4.2) Expedited Hearings (fully adjudicated)	0	0.0
						(4.2)(a) Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0

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