

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		MISSISSIPPI		Total Child Count (ages 3 to 21):		68,883	% Served (ages 6 to 17):		11.48%
<u>Written Complaints</u>		Reported	Per 10K	<u>Mediations</u>		Reported	Per 10K	<u>Due Process Hearings</u>	
(1) Filed	13	1.9	(1) Requests	27	3.9	(3) Requests	15	2.2	
(1.1) Reports Issued	10	1.5	(2.1)(a) Held, DP Related	7	1.0	(3.1) Resolution Meetings	0	0.0	
(1.1)(a) Reports with Findings	10	1.5	(2.1)(a)(i) Agreements, DP Related	4	0.6	(3.1)(a) Settlement Agreements	0	0.0	
[Reports with No Findings]	0	0.0	(2.1)(b) Held, Not DP Related	13	1.9	(3.2) Held (Fully Adjudicated)	3	0.4	
(1.1)(b) Completed w/in 60 Days	10	1.5	(2.1)(b)(i) Agreements, Not DP Related	12	1.7	(3.2)(a) Decisions w/in 45 Days	1	0.1	
(1.1)(c) Completed w/in Extension	0	0.0	[Total Held]	20	2.9	(3.2)(b) Decisions w/in Extension	2	0.3	
[Total w/in Timelines]	10	1.5	[Total Agreements]	16	2.3	[Decisions Within Timelines]	3	0.4	
(1.2) Withdrawn or Dismissed	3	0.4	(2.2) Mediations Not Held	7	1.0	[Pending]	1	0.1	
(1.3) Pending	0	0.0				(3.3) Resolved w/o a Hearing	11	1.6	
(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

Notes: [Values in brackets] are calculated based on definitions from OSEP reporting instructions . (Numbers in parentheses) are item numbers from APR Table 7. "Per 10K" values equal the number of events divided by child count times 10,000 and allow comparison of event rates across states.

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School Year 2005-06 *MISSISSIPPI* Total Child Count (ages 3 to 21): 68,099 % Served (ages 6 to 17): 11.44%

<u>Written Complaints</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Mediations</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Due Process Hearings</u>	Reported	Per 10K
(1) Filed	11	1.6	(1) Requests	25	3.7	(3) Requests	22	3.2
(1.1) Reports Issued	8	1.2	(2.1)(a) Held, DP Related			(3.1) Resolution Meetings	3	0.4
(1.1)(a) Reports with Findings	8	1.2	(2.1)(a)(i) Agreements, DP Related			(3.1)(a) Settlement Agreements	3	0.4
[Reports with No Findings]	0	0.0	(2.1)(b) Held, Not DP Related			(3.2) Held (Fully Adjudicated)	5	0.7
(1.1)(b) Completed w/in 60 Days	8	1.2	(2.1)(b)(i) Agreements, Not DP Related			(3.2)(a) Decisions w/in 45 Days	0	0.0
(1.1)(c) Completed w/in Extension	0	0.0	[Total Held]	23	3.4	(3.2)(b) Decisions w/in Extension	5	0.7
[Total w/in Timelines]	8	1.2	[Total Agreements]	16	2.3	[Decisions Within Timelines]	5	0.7
(1.2) Withdrawn or Dismissed	3	0.4	(2.2) Mediations Not Held	3	0.4	[Pending]	0	0.0
(1.3) Pending	0	0.0				(3.3) Resolved w/o a Hearing	0	0.0
(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

MS did not submit a completed Table 7 for 2005-06. Values shown were extracted from the MS APR text. No distinction was made in MS text between due process related mediations and those not related to due process. Blanks shown for 2005-06 are missing data.

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School Year 2006-07	<i>MISSISSIPPI</i>	Total Child Count (ages 3 to 21):	67,590	% Served (ages 6 to 17):	11.05%
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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	17	2.5	(1) Requests	25	3.7	(3) Requests	28	4.1
(1.1) Reports Issued	12	1.8	(2.1)(a) Held, DP Related	7	1.0	(3.1) Resolution Meetings	3	0.4
(1.1)(a) Reports with Findings	12	1.8	(2.1)(a)(i) Agreements, DP Related	5	0.7	(3.1)(a) Settlement Agreements	3	0.4
<i>[Reports with No Findings]</i>	0	0.0	(2.1)(b) Held, Not DP Related	14	2.1	(3.2) Held (Fully Adjudicated)	1	0.1
(1.1)(b) Completed w/in 60 Days	12	1.8	(2.1)(b)(i) Agreements, Not DP Related	11	1.6	(3.2)(a) Decisions w/in 45 Days	1	0.1
(1.1)(c) Completed w/in Extension	0	0.0	[Total Held]	21	3.1	(3.2)(b) Decisions w/in Extension	0	0.0
<i>[Total w/in Timelines]</i>	12	1.8	[Total Agreements]	16	2.4	<i>[Decisions Within Timelines]</i>	1	0.1
(1.2) Withdrawn or Dismissed	5	0.7	(2.2) Mediations Not Held	4	0.6	<i>[Pending]</i>	0	0.0
(1.3) Pending	0	0.0				(3.3) Resolved w/o a Hearing	27	4.0
(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 2007-08

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Total Child Count (ages 3 to 21):

65,717

% Served (ages 6 to 17): 10.64%

<u>Written Complaints</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Mediations</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Due Process Hearings</u>	Reported	Per 10K
(1) Filed	6	0.9	(1) Requests	24	3.7	(3) Requests	29	4.4
(1.1) Reports Issued	4	0.6	(2.1)(a) Held, DP Related	7	1.1	(3.1) Resolution Meetings	16	2.4
(1.1)(a) Reports with Findings	4	0.6	(2.1)(a)(i) Agreements, DP Related	6	0.9	(3.1)(a) Settlement Agreements	16	2.4
[Reports with No Findings]	0	0.0	(2.1)(b) Held, Not DP Related	7	1.1	(3.2) Held (Fully Adjudicated)	3	0.5
(1.1)(b) Completed w/in 60 Days	4	0.6	(2.1)(b)(i) Agreements, Not DP Related	5	0.8	(3.2)(a) Decisions w/in 45 Days	1	0.2
(1.1)(c) Completed w/in Extension	0	0.0	[Total Held]	14	2.1	(3.2)(b) Decisions w/in Extension	2	0.3
[Total w/in Timelines]	4	0.6	[Total Agreements]	11	1.7	[Decisions Within Timelines]	3	0.5
(1.2) Withdrawn or Dismissed	2	0.3	(2.2) Mediations Not Held	10	1.5	[Pending]	0	0.0
(1.3) Pending	0	0.0				(3.3) Resolved w/o a Hearing	26	4.0
(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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