

CADRE State Dispute Resolution Summary Report
[A Five Year Summary of Reported Activity]

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 2008-09		VERMONT		Total Child Count (ages 3 to 21):		0		% Served (ages 6 to 17):	
<u>Written Complaints</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Mediations</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Due Process Complaints</u>	Reported	Per 10K	
(1) Filed	17	#Error	(1) Requests	33	#Error	3) DP Complaints Filed	30	#Error	
(1.1) Reports Issued	11	#Error	(2.1)(a) Held, DP Related	18	#Error	(3.1) Resolution Meetings	6	#Error	
(1.1)(a) Reports with Findings	5	#Error	(2.1)(a)(i) Agreements, DP Related	14	#Error	(3.1)(a) Settlement Agreements	5	#Error	
[Reports with No Findings]	6	#Error	(2.1)(b) Held, Not DP Related	7	#Error	(3.2) Held (Fully Adjudicated)	0	#Error	
(1.1)(b) Completed w/in 60 Days	10	#Error	(2.1)(b)(i) Agreements, Not DP Related	6	#Error	(3.2)(a) Decisions w/in 45 Days	0	#Error	
(1.1)(c) Completed w/in Extension	1	#Error	[Total Held]	25	#Error	(3.2)(b) Decisions w/in Extension	0	#Error	
[Total w/in Timelines]	11	#Error	[Total Agreements]	20	#Error	[Decisions Within Timelines]	0	#Error	
(1.2) Withdrawn or Dismissed	5	#Error	(2.2) Mediations Not Held	8	#Error	[Pending]	4	#Error	
(1.3) Pending	1	#Error				(3.3) Resolved w/o a Hearing	26	#Error	
(1.3)(a) Pending Hearing	1	#Error							
<u>Expedited Due Process Complaints**</u>									
			(4) Expedited DP Complaints Filed	0	#Error				
			(4.1) [Expedited] Resolution Sessions	0	#Error				
			(4.1)(a) [Expedited] Settlement Agreements	0	#Error				
			(4.2) Expedited Hearings (fully adjudicated)	0	#Error				
			(4.2)(a) Change of Placement Ordered	0	#Error				

Cannot calculate rates "Per 10K" values; Vermont did not report childcount for 2008-09 ("#Error" notations signify "divide by zero").

Notes: [Values in brackets] are calculated based on definitions from OSEP reporting instructions. (Numbers in parens) are item numbers from APR Table 7. "Per 10K" values equal the number of events divided by child count (3-21 years) times 10,000; these "per capita" rates allow comparisons of activity across states.

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School Year 2007-08

VERMONT

Total Child Count (ages 3 to 21):

0

% Served (ages 6 to 17):

<u>Written Complaints</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Mediations</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Due Process Complaints</u>	Reported	Per 10K
(1) Filed	21	#Error	(1) Requests	30	#Error	3) DP Complaints Filed	23	#Error
(1.1) Reports Issued	14	#Error	(2.1)(a) Held, DP Related	15	#Error	(3.1) Resolution Meetings	6	#Error
(1.1)(a) Reports with Findings	9	#Error	(2.1)(a)(i) Agreements, DP Related	12	#Error	(3.1)(a) Settlement Agreements	2	#Error
[Reports with No Findings]	5	#Error	(2.1)(b) Held, Not DP Related	12	#Error	(3.2) Held (Fully Adjudicated)	1	#Error
(1.1)(b) Completed w/in 60 Days	14	#Error	(2.1)(b)(i) Agreements, Not DP Related	12	#Error	(3.2)(a) Decisions w/in 45 Days	0	#Error
(1.1)(c) Completed w/in Extension	0	#Error	[Total Held]	27	#Error	(3.2)(b) Decisions w/in Extension	1	#Error
[Total w/in Timelines]	14	#Error	[Total Agreements]	24	#Error	[Decisions Within Timelines]	1	#Error
(1.2) Withdrawn or Dismissed	7	#Error	(2.2) Mediations Not Held	3	#Error	[Pending]	4	#Error
(1.3) Pending	0	#Error				(3.3) Resolved w/o a Hearing	18	#Error
(1.3)(a) Pending Hearing	0	#Error						

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Expedited Due Process Complaints**

(4) Expedited DP Complaints Filed	0	#Error
(4.1) [Expedited] Resolution Sessions	0	#Error
(4.1)(a) [Expedited] Settlement Agreements	0	#Error
(4.2) Expedited Hearings (fully adjudicated)	0	#Error
(4.2)(a) Change of Placement Ordered	0	#Error

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School Year 2005-06

VERMONT

Total Child Count (ages 3 to 21):

13,917

% Served (ages 6 to 17):

12.31%

<u>Written Complaints</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Mediations</u>	Reported	Per 10K	<u>Due Process Complaints</u>	Reported	Per 10K
(1) Filed	35	25.1	(1) Requests	34	24.4	3) DP Complaints Filed	58	41.7
(1.1) Reports Issued	27	19.4	(2.1)(a) Held, DP Related	9	6.5	(3.1) Resolution Meetings	38	27.3
(1.1)(a) Reports with Findings	14	10.1	(2.1)(a)(i) Agreements, DP Related	7	5.0	(3.1)(a) Settlement Agreements	21	15.1
[Reports with No Findings]	13	9.3	(2.1)(b) Held, Not DP Related	18	12.9	(3.2) Held (Fully Adjudicated)	8	5.7
(1.1)(b) Completed w/in 60 Days	25	18.0	(2.1)(b)(i) Agreements, Not DP Related	10	7.2	(3.2)(a) Decisions w/in 45 Days	0	0.0
(1.1)(c) Completed w/in Extension	2	1.4	[Total Held]	27	19.4	(3.2)(b) Decisions w/in Extension	8	5.7
[Total w/in Timelines]	27	19.4	[Total Agreements]	17	12.2	[Decisions Within Timelines]	8	5.7
(1.2) Withdrawn or Dismissed	8	5.7	(2.2) Mediations Not Held	7	5.0	[Pending]	1	0.7
(1.3) Pending	0	0.0				(3.3) Resolved w/o a Hearing	49	35.2
(1.3)(a) Pending Hearing	0	0.0						
<u>Expedited Due Process Complaints**</u>								
						(4) Expedited DP Complaints Filed	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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