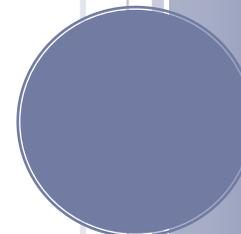


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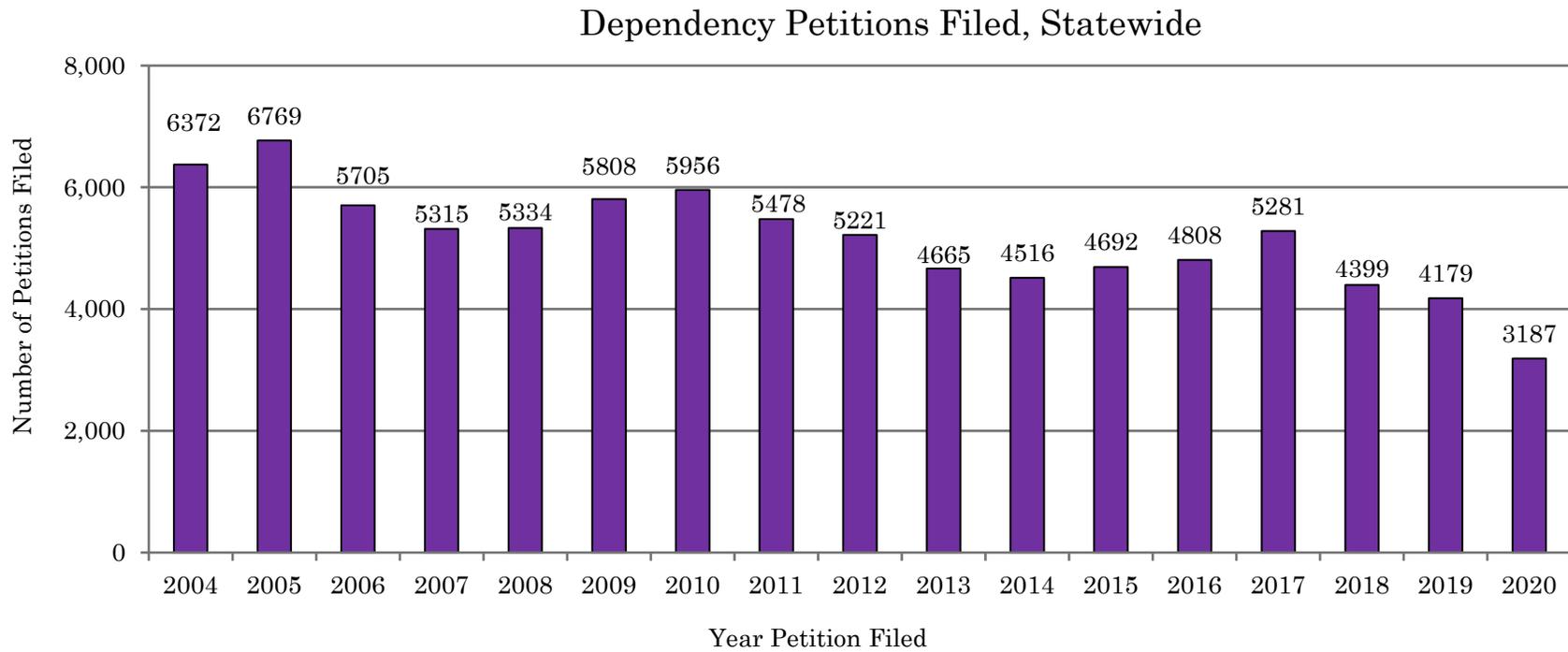
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Note: In 2016, the Oregon Judicial Department completed a four-year staged transition from the Oregon Judicial Information Network (OJIN) to the new eCourt case management system (also known as Odyssey). Because of the transition between systems, statistics for some measures on the pages below do not include cases that were filed in the months leading up to each court's Odyssey implementation. Notes in each section explain whether or not the statistics in the section are comprehensive, and where statistics are not comprehensive, which cases are excluded.

# DEPENDENCY STATISTICS

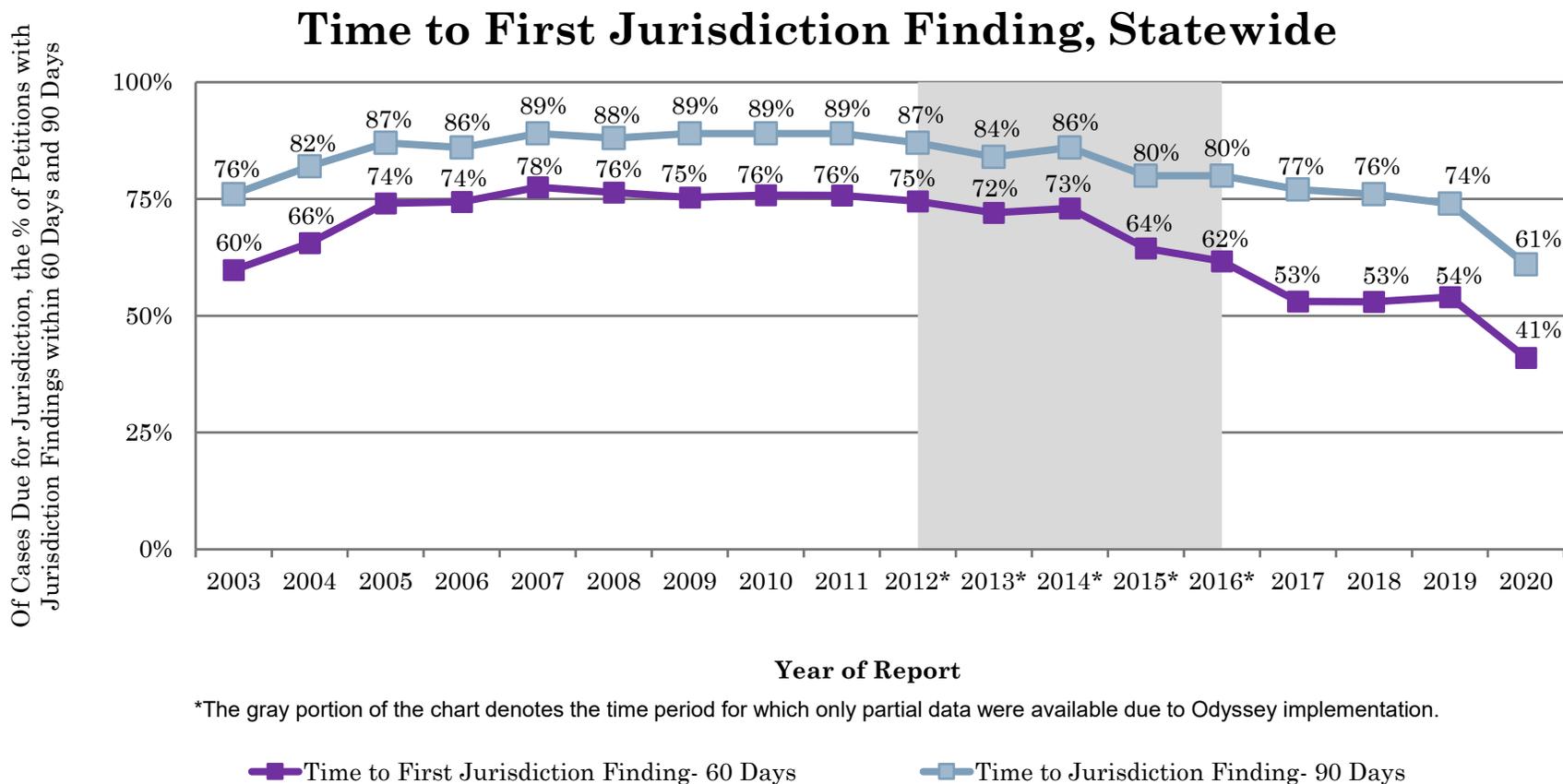
## DEPENDENCY PETITIONS FILED, 2003-2020



The chart above includes all petitions filed in OJIN and in Odyssey.

## TIME TO JURISDICTION, 2003-2020

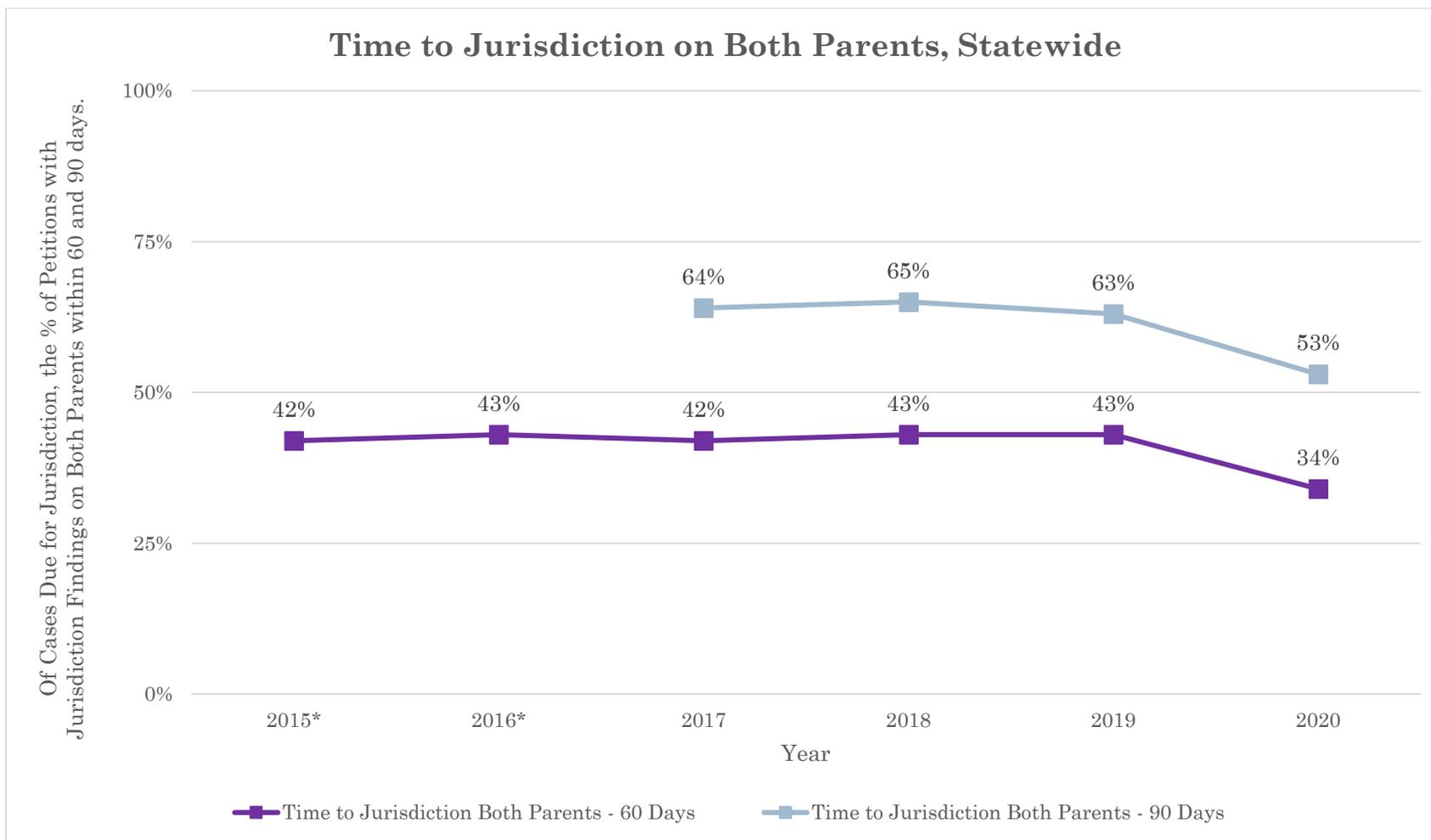
The Time to First Jurisdiction Finding report measures the percentage of dependency cases with a jurisdiction finding within 60 days and 90 days of filing.



\*Statistics for 2012-2016 do not include cases filed from October 1 of the year before the court implemented Odyssey through 60 days after the court's Odyssey implementation.

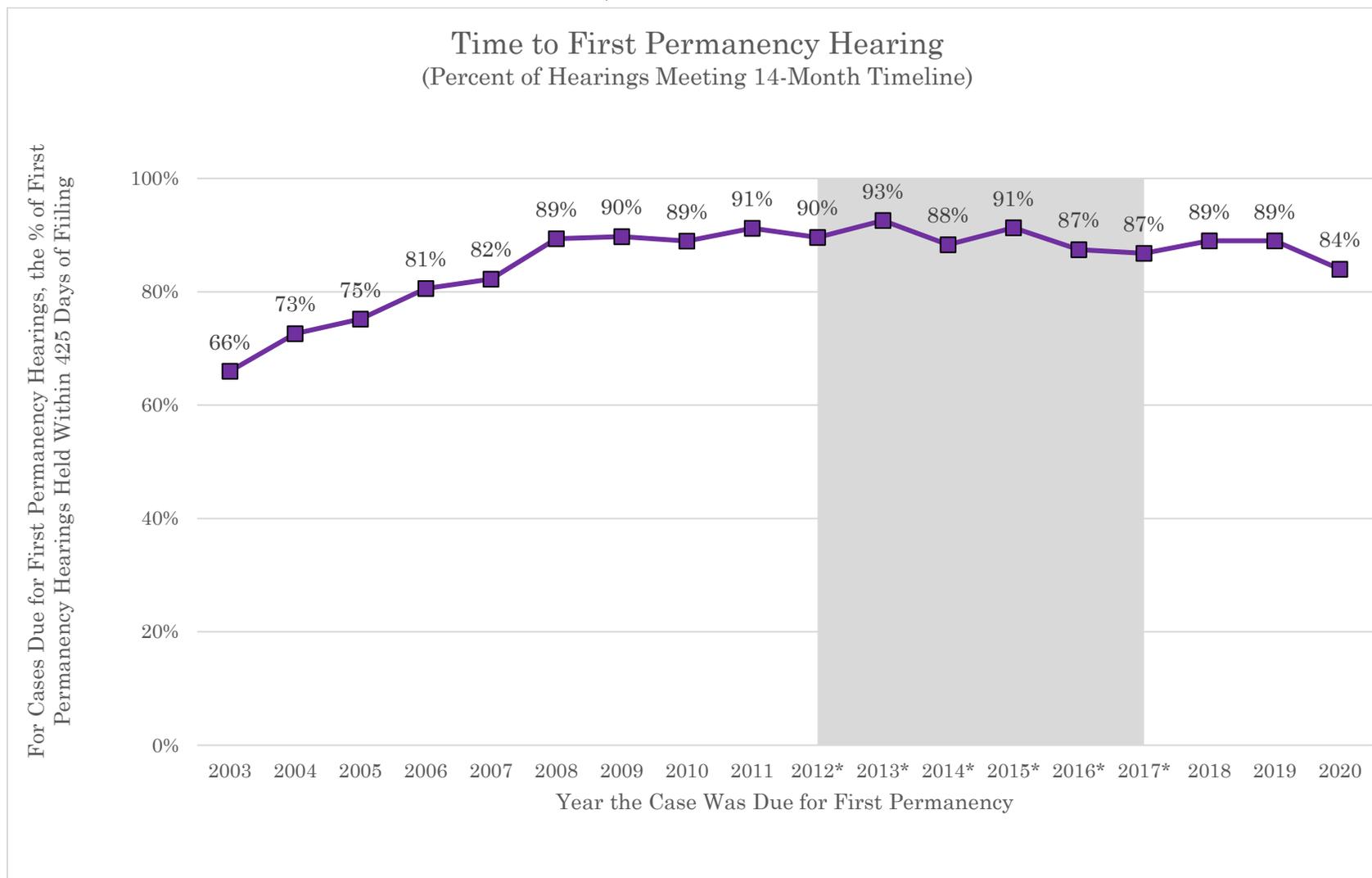
### TIME TO JURISDICTION ON BOTH PARENTS, 2015-2020

The Time to Jurisdiction on Both Parents report uses Odyssey data only and measures the percent of dependency cases with jurisdiction findings on both parents within 60 days and 90 days of filing.



\*ONLY PARTIAL ODYSSEY DATA WAS AVAILABLE

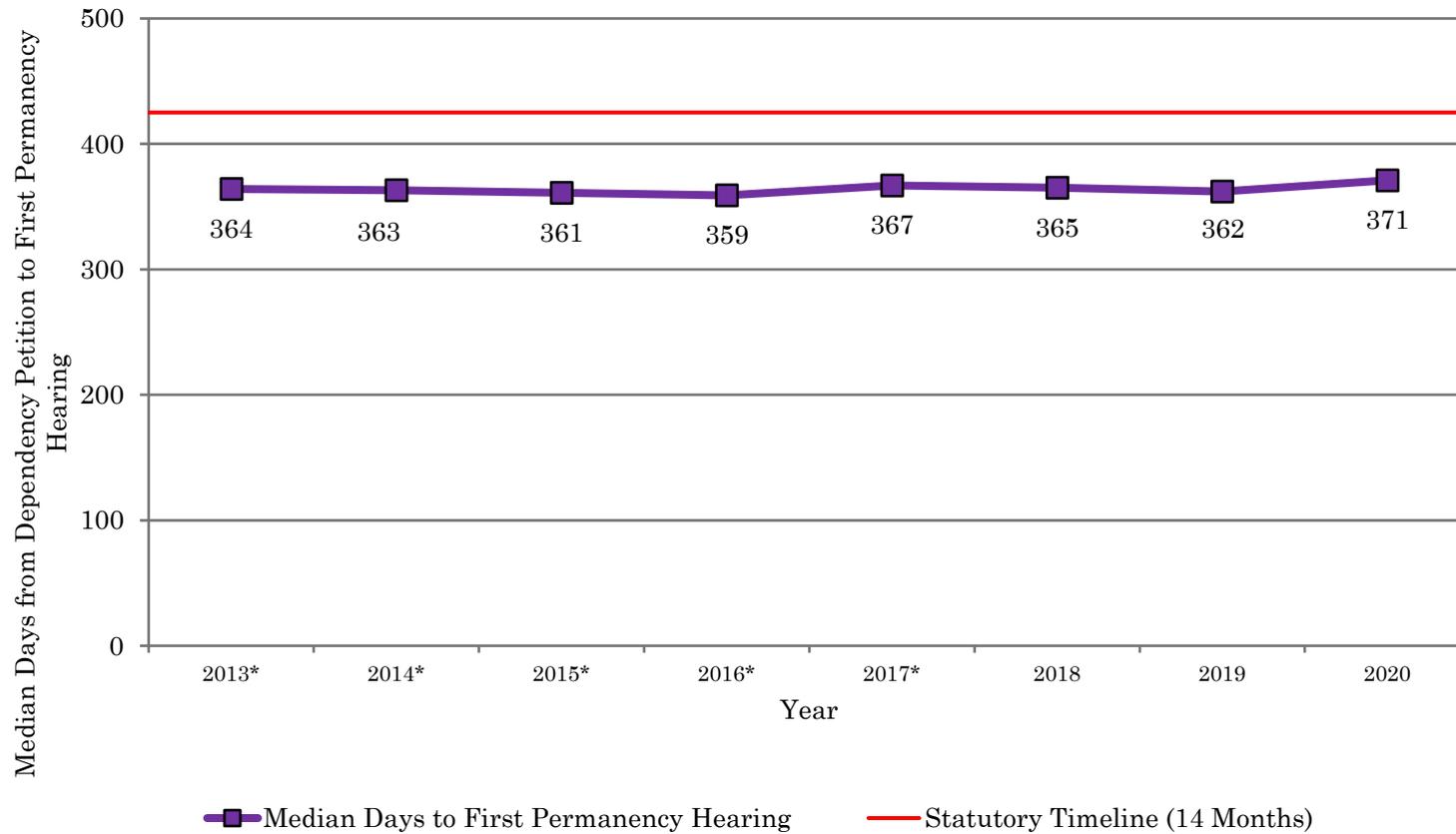
## TIME TO FIRST PERMANENCY HEARING, 2003-2020



\*Due to Odyssey implementation, the statistics for 2012-2017 do not include cases due for their first permanency hearing from January 1 of the year the court implemented Odyssey through fourteen months after the court's Odyssey implementation.

## TIME TO FIRST PERMANENCY HEARING, LOOKING BACK, 2013-2020

### Median Days to First Permanency Hearing

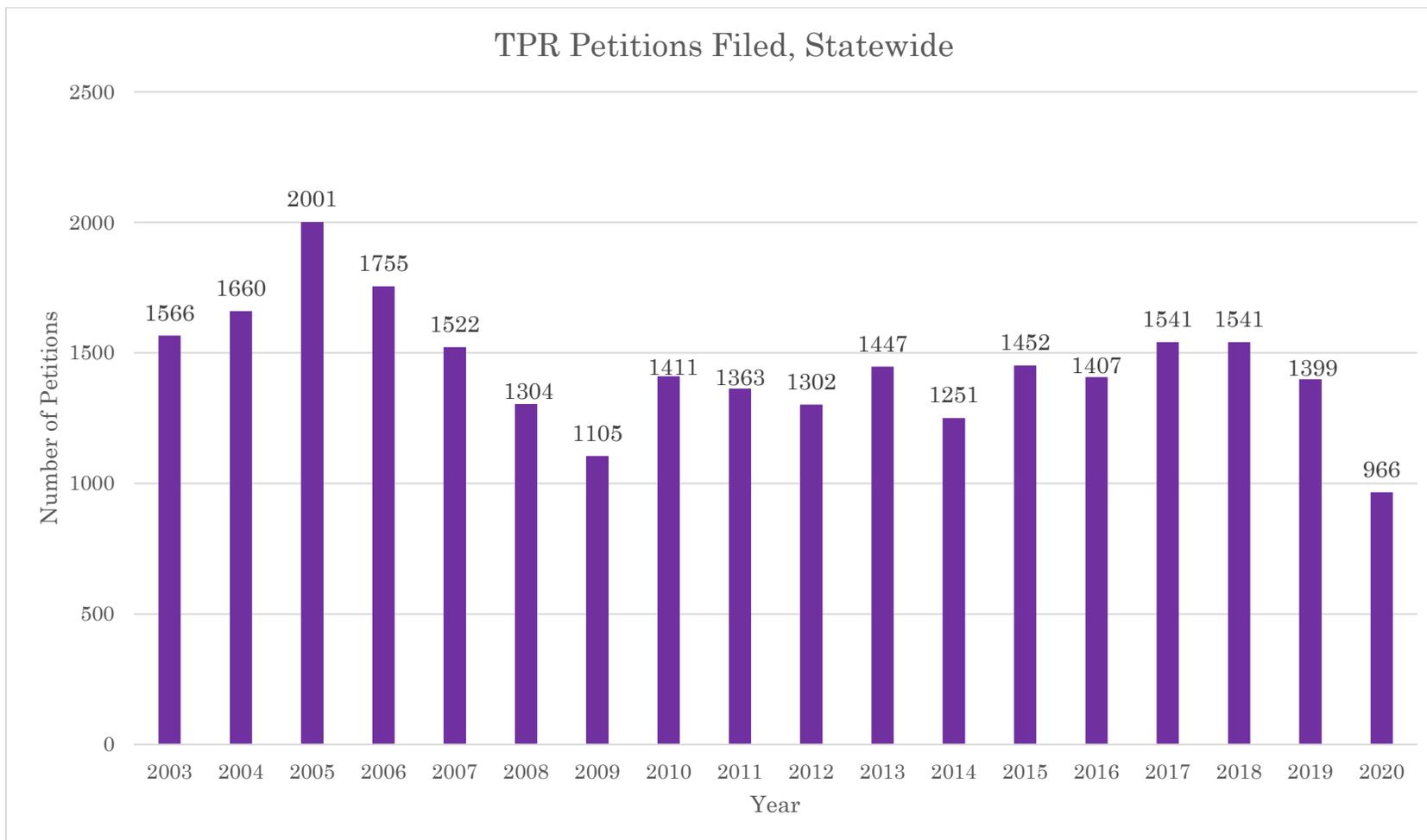


\* Due to Odyssey implementation, the statistics above exclude the following first permanency hearings:

- 1) first permanency hearings that were entered in OJIN after January 1 of the year that the court implemented Odyssey
- 2) first permanency hearings that were entered after the court's Odyssey implementation on petitions filed prior to Odyssey implementation.

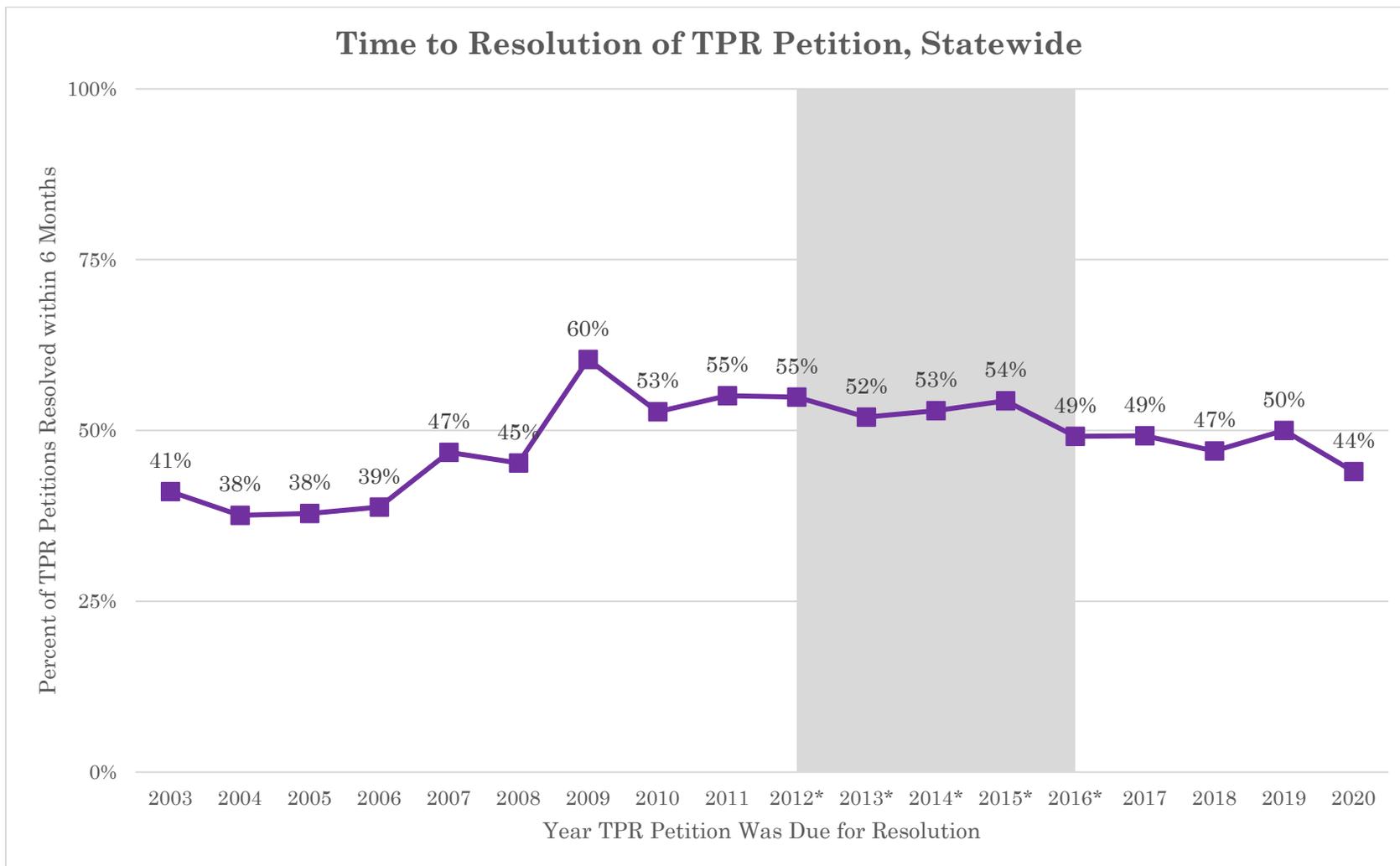
# Termination of Parental Rights (TPR) Statistics

TPR PETITIONS FILED, 2003-2020



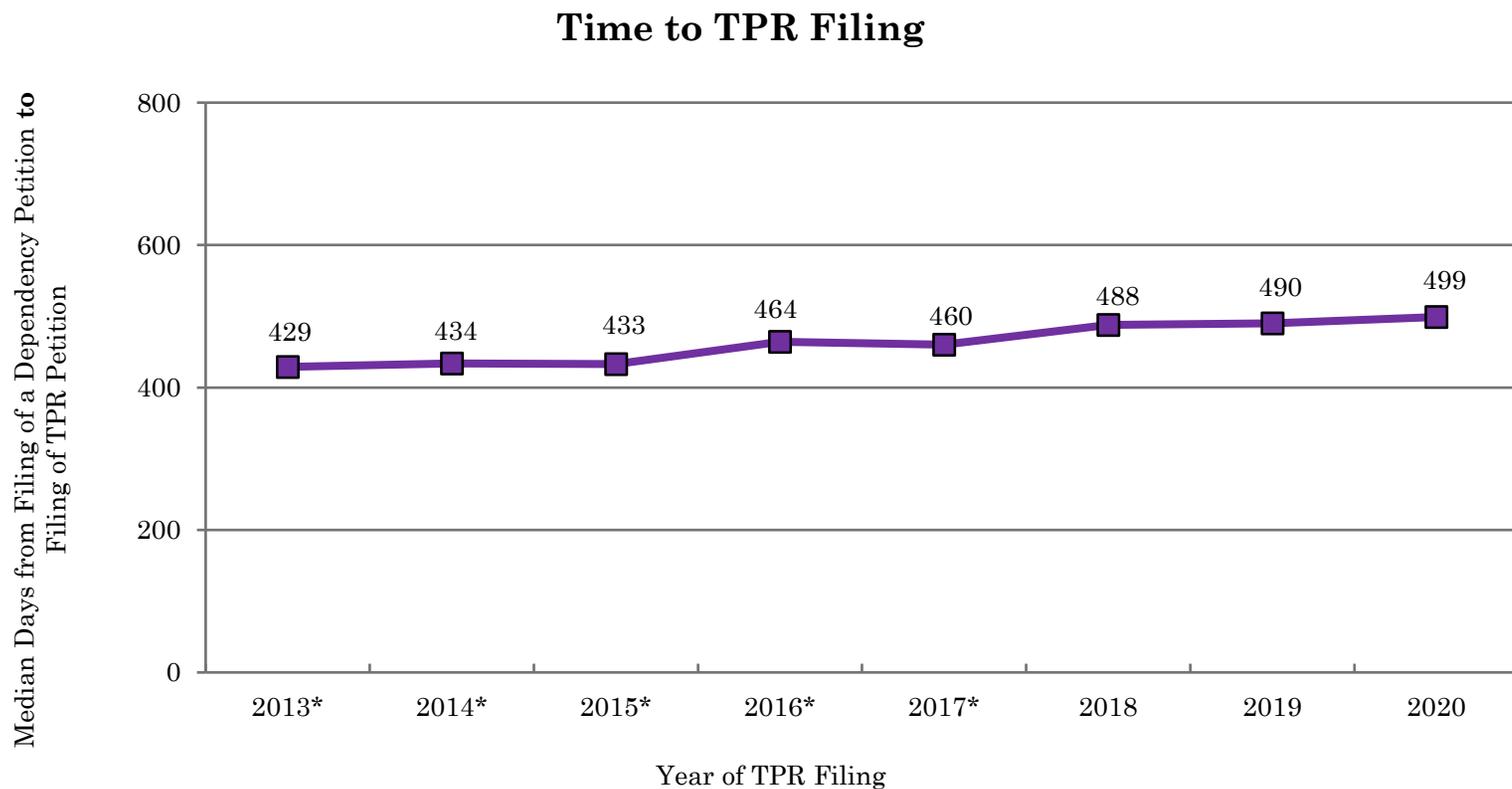
The chart above includes all TPR petitions filed in both OJIN and Odyssey. Petitions filed to terminate the parental rights of a child’s mother and father are counted as two separate petitions.

TIME TO TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS, 2003-2020



\*Due to Odyssey implementation, statistics for 2012-16 do not include TPR cases that were due for resolution from January 1 of the year the court implemented Odyssey through six months after the court's Odyssey implementation.

## TIME FROM DEPENDENCY PETITION TO TPR FILING, 2013-2020

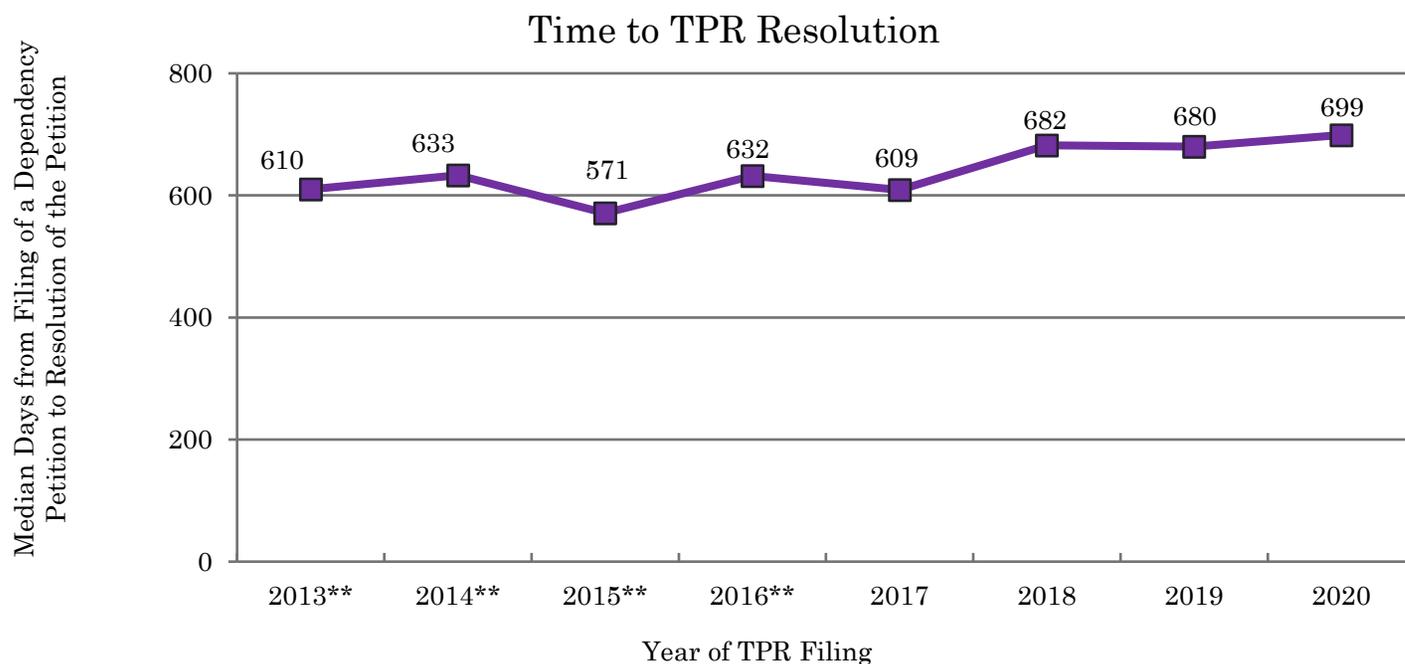


In the chart and table above, a case refers to a child’s underlying dependency case. If TPR petitions on the child’s parents were filed on separate dates, the latest TPR filing date is used.

\*While the statistics in the table and chart above include data from both OJIN and Odyssey, they do not include the following TPR cases:

1. TPR cases entered in OJIN after January 1 of the year the court implemented Odyssey
2. TPR case that were filed in OJIN but not entered as part of the child’s existing juvenile case
3. TPR cases entered in Odyssey that do not have party records that match those on an existing dependency case.

## TIME FROM DEPENDENCY PETITION TO TPR RESOLUTION, 2013-2020



\*The chart and table above contain data from OJIN and Odyssey, and the two datasets define ‘resolution’ differently. Data from OJIN include all resolutions of TPR cases (regardless of whether the case resulted in the termination of the parent’s rights), whereas data from Odyssey include only cases where the parent’s rights were terminated or relinquished. In both the OJIN and Odyssey data, a case refers to a child’s underlying dependency case, and the resolution date is the date that the last TPR petition was resolved (in the case of the OJIN data) or that the last parent’s rights were terminated or relinquished (in the case of the Odyssey data).

\*\*While the statistics in the table and chart above include data from both OJIN and Odyssey, they do not include the following TPR cases:

1. TPR cases entered in OJIN after January 1 of the year the court implemented Odyssey
2. TPR cases entered in OJIN but not entered as part of the child’s existing juvenile case
3. TPR cases filed prior to the court’s Odyssey implementation but not resolved until after the court implemented Odyssey
4. TPR cases entered in Odyssey that do not have party records that match those on an existing dependency case.

## Judicial Determination Statistics

### JUDICIAL DETERMINATION PETITIONS AND HEARINGS, 2020

The table below shows the number of petitions filed for judicial determination on a voluntary foster care placement, the number of various types of judicial determination hearings held, and the average duration of those hearings, for each circuit court. The bottom row of the table shows total 2020 judicial determination petition filings, hearings held, and average hearing duration across all circuit courts.

| Court        | Petitions        | Permanency Hearings |                        | Review Hearings  |                        | Other Judicial Determination Hearings |                        |
|--------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------------|------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------|
|              | Number of Events | Number of Events    | Average Time (Minutes) | Number of Events | Average Time (Minutes) | Number of Events                      | Average Time (Minutes) |
| Clackamas    | 0                | 1                   | 19                     | 0                | n/a                    | 0                                     | n/a                    |
| Clatsop      | 3                | 0                   | n/a                    | 4                | 27                     | 6                                     | 58                     |
| Jackson      | 1                | 2                   | 9                      | 0                | n/a                    | 0                                     | n/a                    |
| Josephine    | 0                | 2                   | 47                     | 0                | n/a                    | 14                                    | 73                     |
| Lane         | 1                | 5                   | 18                     | 0                | n/a                    | 0                                     | n/a                    |
| Lincoln      | 0                | 1                   | 10                     | 1                | 24                     | 0                                     | n/a                    |
| Linn         | 0                | 1                   | 20                     | 0                | n/a                    | 0                                     | n/a                    |
| Multnomah    | 2                | 4                   | 28                     | 2                | 8                      | 0                                     | n/a                    |
| Polk         | 0                | 0                   | n/a                    | 1                | 3                      | 0                                     | n/a                    |
| Umatilla     | 0                | 0                   | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 1                                     | 26                     |
| Union        | 0                | 0                   | n/a                    | 1                | 22                     | 0                                     | n/a                    |
| Washington   | 0                | 0                   | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 2                                     | 9                      |
| Yamhill      | 0                | 1                   | 7                      | 1                | 1                      | 2                                     | 110                    |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>7</b>         | <b>17</b>           | <b>22</b>              | <b>10</b>        | <b>17</b>              | <b>25</b>                             | <b>65</b>              |

# Emancipation Statistics

## EMANCIPATION PETITIONS, HEARINGS, AND JUDGMENTS, 2020

The table below shows the number of emancipation petitions filed, the number of various types of pre-trial and emancipation hearings held, the average duration of those hearings, and the number of dismissals, emancipation, and emancipation denial judgments filed in 2020 for each circuit court. The bottom row in the table shows total 2020 emancipation petition filings, hearings held, average hearing duration, and number of judgments filed across all circuit courts.

| Court        | Petitions        | Initial Appearances |                        | Pre-Trial Hearings |                        | Emancipation Hearings |                        | Trials           |                        | Other Hearings   |                        | Dismissals       | Emancipations    | Emancipations Denied |
|--------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------|------------------------|------------------|------------------|----------------------|
|              | Number of Events | Number of Events    | Average Time (Minutes) | Number of Events   | Average Time (Minutes) | Number of Events      | Average Time (Minutes) | Number of Events | Average Time (Minutes) | Number of Events | Average Time (Minutes) | Number of Events | Number of Events | Number of Events     |
| Clackamas    | 3                | 1                   | 21                     | 0                  | n/a                    | 2                     | 26                     | 0                | n/a                    | 3                | 23                     | 0                | 3                | 0                    |
| Clatsop      | 0                | 0                   | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 1                     | 25                     | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | 1                | 0                    |
| Columbia     | 0                | 1                   | 11                     | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                     | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | 1                | 0                    |
| Coos         | 1                | 0                   | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 1                     | 30                     | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | 1                | 0                    |
| Harney       | 0                | 0                   | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                     | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 1                | 0                | 0                    |
| Jackson      | 6                | 0                   | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 7                     | 7                      | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | 2                | 3                    |
| Josephine    | 2                | 2                   | 10                     | 0                  | n/a                    | 1                     | 27                     | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | 1                | 0                    |
| Lake         | 1                | 1                   | 20                     | 0                  | n/a                    | 1                     | 20                     | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | 1                | 0                    |
| Lane         | 2                | 0                   | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                     | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | 1                | 0                    |
| Malheur      | 1                | 1                   | 10                     | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                     | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | 1                | 0                    |
| Multnomah    | 3                | 1                   | 42                     | 0                  | n/a                    | 2                     | 15                     | 0                | n/a                    | 1                | 9                      | 0                | 2                | 0                    |
| Polk         | 1                | 1                   | 20                     | 0                  | n/a                    | 1                     | 8                      | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | 1                | 0                    |
| Washington   | 3                | 3                   | 16                     | 0                  | n/a                    | 1                     | 25                     | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 2                | 2                | 0                    |
| Yamhill      | 0                | 1                   | 28                     | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                     | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | n/a                    | 0                | 1                | 0                    |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>23</b>        | <b>12</b>           | <b>18</b>              | <b>0</b>           | <b>n/a</b>             | <b>17</b>             | <b>16</b>              | <b>0</b>         | <b>n/a</b>             | <b>4</b>         | <b>20</b>              | <b>3</b>         | <b>18</b>        | <b>3</b>             |

# Permanent Guardianship Statistics

## PERMANENT GUARDIANSHIP PETITIONS, HEARINGS, AND JUDGMENTS, 2020

This report contains information on the number of permanent guardianship petitions entered, number of permanent guardianship hearings held, and the duration, in minutes, of those hearings. The bottom row in the table shows total 2020 permanent guardianship petition filings, hearings held, average hearing duration, and number of judgments filed across all circuit courts.

| Court        | Petitions        | Initial Appearances |                        | Pre-Trial Hearings |                        | Prima Facie Hearings |                        | Trials             |                        | Review Hearings    |                        | Other Permanent Guardianship Hearings |                        | Dismissals       | Permanent Guardianships Finalized |
|--------------|------------------|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|--------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|
|              | Number of Events | Number of Hearings  | Average Time (Minutes) | Number of Hearings | Average Time (Minutes) | Number of Hearings   | Average Time (Minutes) | Number of Hearings | Average Time (Minutes) | Number of Hearings | Average Time (Minutes) | Number of Hearings                    | Average Time (Minutes) | Number of Events | Number of Events                  |
| Baker        | 3                | 0                   | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                    | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                                     | n/a                    | 1                | 2                                 |
| Benton       | 3                | 0                   | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                    | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 2                                     | 8                      | 0                | 2                                 |
| Clackamas    | 3                | 2                   | 14                     | 0                  | n/a                    | 1                    | 12                     | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 3                                     | 7                      | 1                | 4                                 |
| Columbia     | 0                | 0                   | n/a                    | 2                  | 65                     | 0                    | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 1                                     | 50                     | 1                | 2                                 |
| Deschutes    | 1                | 0                   | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                    | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                                     | n/a                    | 1                | 0                                 |
| Harney       | 1                | 1                   | 16                     | 1                  | 14                     | 0                    | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                                     | n/a                    | 0                | 0                                 |
| Josephine    | 1                | 1                   | 5                      | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                    | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                                     | n/a                    | 0                | 0                                 |
| Lake         | 1                | 0                   | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                    | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                                     | n/a                    | 0                | 0                                 |
| Lane         | 12               | 2                   | 5                      | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                    | n/a                    | 7                  | 30                     | 1                  | 20                     | 0                                     | n/a                    | 0                | 8                                 |
| Lincoln      | 1                | 1                   | 7                      | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                    | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                                     | n/a                    | 0                | 0                                 |
| Linn         | 3                | 1                   | 5                      | 1                  | 13                     | 0                    | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 4                                     | 5                      | 0                | 3                                 |
| Malheur      | 5                | 1                   | 5                      | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                    | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 1                                     | 24                     | 0                | 3                                 |
| Marion       | 17               | 10                  | 14                     | 1                  | 12                     | 0                    | n/a                    | 1                  | 868                    | 1                  | 6                      | 5                                     | 28                     | 0                | 11                                |
| Multnomah    | 6                | 2                   | 25                     | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                    | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 3                                     | 17                     | 0                | 4                                 |
| Wasco        | 0                | 0                   | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                    | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 1                  | 28                     | 1                                     | 12                     | 0                | 1                                 |
| Washington   | 6                | 3                   | 6                      | 5                  | 8                      | 0                    | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 0                  | n/a                    | 3                                     | 18                     | 0                | 7                                 |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>63</b>        | <b>24</b>           | <b>12</b>              | <b>10</b>          | <b>21</b>              | <b>1</b>             | <b>12</b>              | <b>8</b>           | <b>135</b>             | <b>3</b>           | <b>18</b>              | <b>23</b>                             | <b>17</b>              | <b>4</b>         | <b>47</b>                         |