

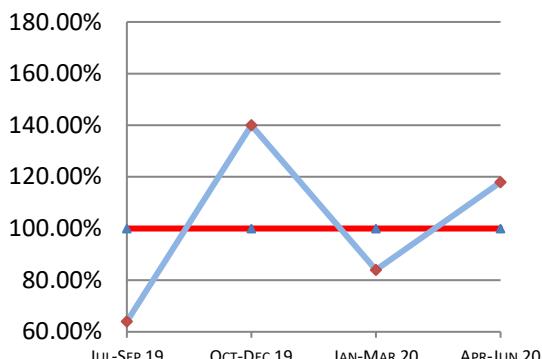
# Montana Supreme Court

## Case Processing Measures

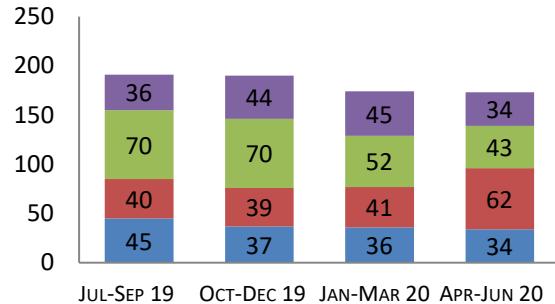
### Quarterly Report

Apr-Jun 2020

#### Case Clearance



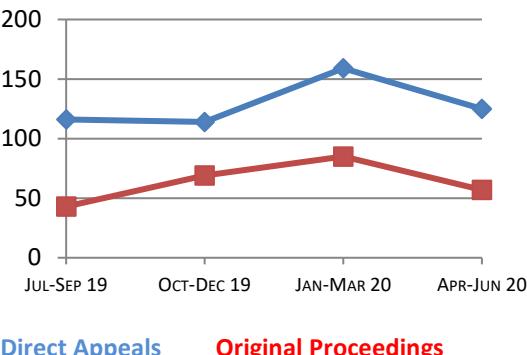
#### Manner of Disposition



#### Age of Pending Cases as of 7/1/2020

Data Unavailable

#### Time to Disposition



#### 2nd Quarter 2020 Highlights

Case Clearance rates increased from 80% to 120% in Q2 of 2020 over Q1 of 2020.

Time to Disposition for Direct Appeals decreased by 11 days in Q2 of 2020 over Q1 of 2020.

Time to Disposition for Original Proceedings decreased slightly in Q2 of 2020 over Q1 of 2020.

#### Direct Appeal Lifecycle - Median Days by Case Type

- Median Days from Notice of Appeal to Court
- Median Days from Date Sent to Court to Classification
- Median Days from Classification to Remittitur

Criminal	Jan-Mar 20	470	48	90
Criminal	Apr-Jun 20	597	45	87
Domestic Relations	Jan-Mar 20	168	42	91
Domestic Relations	Apr-Jun 20	243	32	105
Abuse & Neglect	Jan-Mar 20	201	20	64
Abuse & Neglect	Apr-Jun 20	185	24	56
Civil General	Jan-Mar 20	216	40	91
Civil General	Apr-Jun 20	221	33	103

**Case Clearance:** The ratio between the number of cases closed (outgoing) and the number of cases filed (incoming).

**Manner of Disposition:** The manner by which the Court disposes of its cases.

**Age of Pending Cases:** The age of the Court's active cases (does not include stayed cases ).

**Time to Disposition:** The length of time (median days) it takes the Court to dispose of cases.

*Baseline information and a description of the methodology used is available at [www.courts.mt.gov](http://www.courts.mt.gov)*

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