

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
2014 ADR STATISTICAL REPORT**

1. REFERRALS TO ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Total Number of Cases Referred to Alternate Dispute Resolution													
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
Civil Cases Commenced	144	109	149	186	119	128	135	125	128	129	113	129	1594
Civil Cases Eligible for Referral to ADR ¹	66	54	76	96	54	54	59	57	59	50	59	68	752
Total Number of Cases Referred to ADR²	29	58	29	40	32	32	33	43	41	53	37	15	442

¹ Excludes cases exempt from an early scheduling conference (refer to Local Civil Rule 16.1(g))

² A single case may be referred to multiple forms of ADR

Cases Referred to the Various Forms of Alternative Dispute Resolution													
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
Voluntary Facilitative Mediation	12	19	5	15	10	15	9	15	13	17	14	4	148
Case Evaluation	3	8	5	5	5	3	7	1	4	5	5	0	51
Early Neutral Evaluation	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2
Settlement Conferences	13	31	19	20	17	14	17	27	24	31	17	11	241
TOTAL	29	58	29	40	32	32	33	43	42	53	36	15	442

1. REFERRALS TO ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION CONT.

Cases Referred to Alternative Dispute Resolution by District Judge													
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
Maloney													
Voluntary Facilitative Mediation	6	4	1	8	3	1	2	2	3	1	3	0	34
Case Evaluation	1	1	0	1	2	2	4	0	1	0	0	0	12
Early Neutral Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Settlement Conferences	2	3	4	1	2	0	2	7	6	4	4	5	40
TOTAL	9	8	5	10	7	3	8	9	10	5	7	5	86
Bell													
Voluntary Facilitative Mediation	1	0	1	1	1	4	1	3	1	1	1	2	17
Case Evaluation	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	4
Early Neutral Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Settlement Conferences	0	1	1	0	2	3	1	2	2	0	0	1	13
TOTAL	1	2	2	1	3	7	3	5	4	1	2	3	34
Jonker													
Voluntary Facilitative Mediation	0	6	0	2	3	2	1	0	0	6	2	0	22
Case Evaluation	2	4	5	3	2	1	0	0	2	4	3	0	26
Early Neutral Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Settlement Conferences	2	11	5	6	6	0	0	2	3	12	6	0	53
TOTAL	4	21	10	11	11	3	1	2	5	22	11	0	101

1. REFERRALS TO ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION CONT.

Cases Referred to Alternative Dispute Resolution by District Judge													
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
Neff													
Voluntary Facilitative Mediation	3	4	2	2	2	2	1	3	2	4	4	1	30
Case Evaluation	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Early Neutral Evaluation	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Settlement Conferences	4	8	3	6	3	4	2	4	5	7	5	1	52
TOTAL	8	13	5	9	5	6	3	8	7	11	9	2	86
Quist													
Voluntary Facilitative Mediation	1	2	0	1	1	3	4	5	4	5	2	0	28
Case Evaluation	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	4
Early Neutral Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Settlement Conferences	3	3	2	3	2	4	9	8	4	6	2	2	48
TOTAL	4	5	2	5	3	7	15	13	8	11	5	2	80
Edgar													
Voluntary Facilitative Mediation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	4
Case Evaluation	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Early Neutral Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Settlement Conferences	0	3	2	1	0	0	2	4	2	0	0	1	15
TOTAL	0	4	2	1	1	0	2	5	3	0	1	2	21
Subtotal for District Judges	26	53	26	37	30	26	32	42	37	50	35	14	408

1. REFERRALS TO ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION CONT.

Cases Referred to Alternative Dispute Resolution by Magistrate Judge													
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
Brenneman													
Voluntary Facilitative Mediation	1	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	5
Case Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Early Neutral Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Settlement Conferences	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	4
TOTAL	2	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	1	0	10
Scoville													
Voluntary Facilitative Mediation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Case Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Early Neutral Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Settlement Conferences	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
TOTAL	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Greeley													
Voluntary Facilitative Mediation	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	4
Case Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Early Neutral Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Settlement Conferences	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	4
Carmody													
Voluntary Facilitative Mediation	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Case Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Early Neutral Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Settlement Conferences	0	2	2	2	1	3	1	0	1	1	0	1	14
TOTAL	0	3	2	3	1	5	1	0	2	1	0	1	17
Green													
Voluntary Facilitative Mediation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Case Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Early Neutral Evaluation	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Settlement Conferences	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subtotal for Magistrate Judges	3	5	3	3	2	6	1	1	4	3	2	1	32
TOTAL REFERRALS BY ALL JUDGES	29	58	29	40	32	32	33	43	41	53	37	15	440

2. DISPOSITION OF CASES REFERRED TO ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Disposition of Cases Referred to all forms of Alternative Dispute Resolution													
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
CASES COMPLETING ADR													
Cases Settled Upon Completion of ADR ¹	11	11	7	11	16	6	10	6	3	11	11	6	109
Cases Not Settled Upon Completion of ADR	8	6	7	7	5	11	8	10	12	14	9	3	100
Subtotal	19	17	14	18	21	17	18	16	15	25	20	9	209
% of Cases Settled	58%	65%	50%	61%	76%	35%	56%	38%	20%	44%	55%	67%	52%
CASES NOT COMPLETING ADR													
Cases Dismissed or Withdrawn from ADR	1	0	0	9	2	1	0	0	1	3	0	0	17
Cases Settled Prior to Completion of ADR	4	1	0	9	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	18
Cases Continuing with ADR	4	3	7	2	2	3	2	5	10	0	0	0	38
Subtotal	9	4	7	20	4	5	2	6	11	5	0	0	73
TOTAL	28	21	21	38	25	22	20	22	26	30	20	9	282

¹ Includes cases that settled within 30 days following completion of VFM

Disposition of Cases Referred to Voluntary Facilitative Mediation (VFM)													
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
CASES COMPLETING VFM													
Cases Settled Upon Completion of VFM	8	5	4	4	7	4	5	4	2	8	6	6	63
Cases Settled Within 30 Days Following Completion of VFM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cases Not Settled Upon Completion of VFM	3	1	2	4	2	5	4	4	4	7	3	0	39
Subtotal	11	6	6	8	9	9	9	8	6	15	9	6	102
% of Cases Settled	73%	83%	67%	50%	78%	44%	56%	50%	33%	53%	67%	100%	62%
CASES NOT COMPLETING VFM													
Cases Dismissed or Withdrawn from VFM	1	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	7
Cases Settled Prior to Completion of VFM	1	1	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	8
Cases Continuing with VFM	3	3	5	1	0	3	1	2	5	0	0	0	23
Subtotal	5	4	5	5	1	5	1	2	5	5	0	0	38
TOTAL	16	10	11	13	10	14	10	10	11	20	9	6	140

2. DISPOSITION OF CASES REFERRED TO ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION CONT.

Disposition of Cases Referred to Case Evaluation (CE)													
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
CASES COMPLETING CE													
Cases Settled Upon Completion of CE	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	5
Cases Not Settled Upon Completion of CE	1	3	1	2	1	0	2	3	6	2	1	2	24
Subtotal	1	3	2	3	2	1	3	3	6	2	1	2	29
% of Cases Settled	0%	0%	50%	33%	50%	100%	33%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	17%
CASES NOT COMPLETING CE													
Cases Dismissed or Withdrawn from CE	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	3
Cases Settled Prior to Completion of CE	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Cases Continuing with CE	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
Subtotal	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	5
TOTAL	3	3	2	4	3	1	3	3	7	2	1	2	34

Disposition of Cases Referred to Early Neutral Evaluation (ENE)													
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
CASES COMPLETING ENE													
Cases Settled Upon Completion of ENE	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Cases Not Settled Upon Completion of ENE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subtotal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
% of Cases Settled	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%	100%
CASES NOT COMPLETING ENE													
Cases Dismissed or Withdrawn from ENE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cases Settled Prior to Completion of ENE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cases Continuing with ENE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Subtotal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2

2. DISPOSITION OF CASES REFERRED TO ALTERNATIVE DISPUTE RESOLUTION CONT.

Disposition of Cases Referred to a Settlement Conference (SC)													
	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTAL
CASES COMPLETING SC													
Cases Settled Upon Completion of SC	3	6	2	5	8	1	4	2	1	2	5	0	39
Cases Not Settled Upon Completion of SC	4	2	4	1	2	6	2	3	2	5	5	1	37
Subtotal	7	8	6	6	10	7	6	5	3	7	10	1	76
% of Cases Settled	43%	75%	33%	83%	80%	14%	67%	40%	33%	29%	50%	0%	51%
Cases Dismissed or Withdrawn from SC	0	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7
Cases Settled Prior to Completion of SC	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	8
Cases Continuing with SC	1	0	2	1	2	0	1	3	5	0	0	0	15
Subtotal	2	0	2	14	2	0	1	4	5	0	0	0	30
TOTAL	9	8	8	20	12	7	7	9	8	7	10	1	106