## 2022 Vance County Debt-Based Driver's License Suspension Fact Sheet

In January 2022 Vance County, NC had 27860 recorded cases with a guilty or responsible verdict and a court mandated fee. ${ }^{1}$ Of these, $46.7 \%$ of cases were in compliance and $53.3 \%$ of cases were in failure to comply (FTC) status. The majority of FTC cases were traffic violations.


## Defendant Statistics and Demographics

- 2379 people had 2 or more traffic cases in FTC status.

| County | Total Number of Traffic Violation Cases with a FTC | Total Number of People with a Traffic Violation FTC |
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| Vance County | 12081 | 7019 |

- The majority of defendants with a traffic cases in FTC status were Black people (77\%). With Black men having the most traffic violation cases in FTC status.

| Defendant Race | F | M | U |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Asian | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Native American | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Unknown | 7 | 5 | 8 |
| Other | 18 | 143 | 0 |
| Hispanic | 31 | 276 | 0 |
| White | 385 | 762 | 0 |
| Black | 1252 | 4107 | 0 |

- The majority of defendants with a traffic cases in FTC status were $21-30$ years old ( $46 \%$ ). ${ }^{2}$


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## Length in FTC Status

- $53.5 \%$ of cases were in compliance after 1 year of receiving FTC status.

| Years to Compliance | Black | White | Hispanic | Other | Unknown | Asian <br> Native <br> Ameri- <br> can <br> of Cases <br> $0-1$ | 4579 | 1377 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| -2 | 1133 | 295 | 186 | 103 | 18 | 14 | 5 | 53.5 |
| $2-3$ | 638 | 157 | 10 | 18 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 12.7 |
| $3-4$ | 435 | 109 | 5 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6.9 |
| $4-5$ | 272 | 65 | 4 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4.7 |
| $5-10$ | 911 | 165 | 16 | 13 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 3.0 |
| $10-15$ | 511 | 100 | 8 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 9.5 |
| $15-20$ | 268 | 61 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 5.3 |
| $20+$ | 154 | 18 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2.9 |

- For all traffic cases in Vance County in FTC status in January 2022, the average length in FTC was 16 years.

| Years in FTC | Black | White | Hispanic | Other | Unknown | Asian | Native <br> Ameri- <br> can | Total \% of Cases |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0-1 | 129 | 32 | 16 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1.5 |
| 1-5 | 1163 | 251 | 53 | 14 | 5 | 2 | 4 | 12.1 |
| 5-10 | 1277 | 228 | 49 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 12.7 |
| 10-15 | 1658 | 247 | 140 | 21 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 16.8 |
| 15-20 | 2176 | 364 | 117 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 21.7 |
| 20-30 | 2969 | 483 | 23 | 154 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 29.5 |
| 30+ | 560 | 122 | 0 | 20 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 5.7 |


[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ This estimate includes cases with guilty to lesser (GL), guilty (GU), prayer for judgement (PJ), responsible to lesser (RL), and responsible (RS) verdicts.
    ${ }^{2}$ While the age was not provided in the original data, it was calculated from the defendant's birthday and disposition date.

