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

In January 2022 Pender County, NC had 11406 recorded cases with a guilty or responsible verdict and a court mandated fee. ${ }^{1}$ Of these, $67.6 \%$ of cases were in compliance and $32.4 \%$ of cases were in failure to comply (FTC) status. The majority of FTC cases were traffic violations.


## Defendant Statistics and Demographics

- 274 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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| Pender County | 2334 | 2013 |

- The majority of defendants with a traffic cases in FTC status were White people (52\%). With White men having the most traffic violation cases in FTC status.

| Defendant Race | M | F |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Unknown | 1 | 1 |
| Asian | 3 | 0 |
| Native American | 3 | 3 |
| Other | 53 | 6 |
| Hispanic | 159 | 24 |
| Black | 578 | 144 |
| White | 772 | 266 |

- The majority of defendants with a traffic cases in FTC status were $21-30$ years old ( $42 \%$ ). ${ }^{2}$


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## Length in FTC Status

- $64 \%$ of cases were in compliance after 1 year of receiving FTC status.


| Years to Compliance | White | Black | Hispanic | Other | Native <br> Ameri- <br> can | Asian | UnknownTotal $\%$ <br> of Cases |  |
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| $0-1$ | 2719 | 1669 | 209 | 87 | 17 | 6 | 3 | 64.0 |
| $1-2$ | 493 | 373 | 30 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 12.4 |
| $2-3$ | 247 | 198 | 17 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6.4 |
| $3-4$ | 166 | 112 | 10 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 4.0 |
| $4-5$ | 115 | 90 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2.9 |
| $5-10$ | 233 | 232 | 14 | 13 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 6.7 |
| $10-15$ | 76 | 77 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2.2 |
| $15-20$ | 28 | 40 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1.0 |
| $20+$ | 16 | 20 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.5 |

- For all traffic cases in Pender County in FTC status in January 2022, the average length in FTC was 15 years.

| Years in FTC | White | Black | Hispanic | Other | Asian | Native <br> Ameri- <br> can | Unknown | Total \% <br> of Cases |
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| $0-1$ | 87 | 76 | 36 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 8.7 |
| $1-5$ | 232 | 163 | 54 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 19.5 |
| $5-10$ | 155 | 79 | 19 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 10.8 |
| $10-15$ | 103 | 60 | 36 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8.5 |
| $15-20$ | 150 | 97 | 55 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 12.9 |
| $20-30$ | 427 | 322 | 13 | 50 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 34.5 |
| $30+$ | 67 | 44 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5.1 |


[^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.

