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

In January 2022 Pitt County, NC had 25232 recorded cases with a guilty or responsible verdict and a court mandated fee. ${ }^{1}$ Of these, $59.8 \%$ of cases were in compliance and $40.2 \%$ of cases were in failure to comply (FTC) status. The majority of FTC cases were traffic violations.


## Defendant Statistics and Demographics

- 874 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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| Pitt County | 6520 | 5319 |

- The majority of defendants with a traffic cases in FTC status were Black people (72\%). With Black men having the most traffic violation cases in FTC status.

| Defendant Race | F | M | U |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Asian | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Unknown | 1 | 4 | 3 |
| Native American | 2 | 6 | 0 |
| Other | 15 | 81 | 0 |
| Hispanic | 22 | 196 | 0 |
| White | 368 | 789 | 0 |
| Black | 1131 | 2689 | 0 |

- The majority of defendants with a traffic cases in FTC status were $21-30$ years old ( $44 \%$ ). ${ }^{2}$


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## Length in FTC Status

- $55.2 \%$ of cases were in compliance after 1 year of receiving FTC status.

| Years to Compliance | Black | White | Hispanic | Other | Asian | Native <br> Ameri- <br> can | Unknown <br> of Cases |  |
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| $0-1$ | 5435 | 2131 | 167 | 100 | 7 | 7 | 6 | 55.2 |
| $1-2$ | 1480 | 504 | 32 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 14.3 |
| $2-3$ | 866 | 247 | 15 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 8.0 |
| $3-4$ | 531 | 128 | 7 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4.7 |
| $4-5$ | 441 | 110 | 8 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4.0 |
| $5-10$ | 946 | 229 | 6 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 8.4 |
| $10-15$ | 374 | 81 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3.3 |
| $15-20$ | 181 | 37 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1.6 |
| $20+$ | 88 | 11 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.7 |

- For all traffic cases in Pitt County in FTC status in January 2022, the average length in FTC was 9 years.

| Years in FTC | Black | White | Hispanic | Other | Native <br> Ameri- <br> can | Asian | Unknown <br> of Cases |  |
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| $0-1$ | 515 | 121 | 28 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 10.3 |
| $1-5$ | 1890 | 481 | 72 | 31 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 37.6 |
| $5-10$ | 1257 | 350 | 52 | 13 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 25.4 |
| $10-15$ | 154 | 69 | 39 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4.0 |
| $15-20$ | 263 | 107 | 38 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 6.3 |
| $20-30$ | 633 | 228 | 19 | 43 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 14.1 |
| $30+$ | 101 | 49 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2.3 |


[^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.

