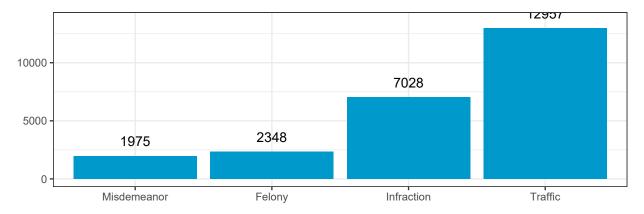
## 2022 Rowan County Debt-Based Driver's License Suspension Fact Sheet

In January 2022 Rowan County, NC had 51797 recorded cases with a guilty or responsible verdict and a court mandated fee. Of these, 53.1% of cases were in compliance and 46.9% of cases were in failure to comply (FTC) status. The majority of FTC cases were traffic violations.



## **Defendant Statistics and Demographics**

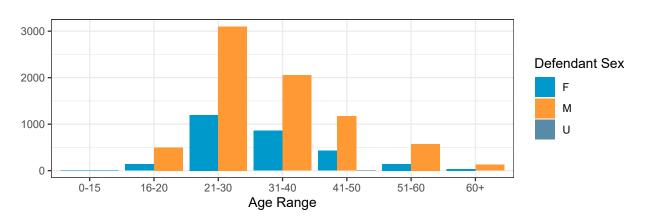
• 2788 people had 2 or more traffic cases in FTC status.

County	Total Number of Traffic Violation Cases with a FTC	Total Number of People with a Traffic Violation FTC			
Rowan County	14992	10346			

• The majority of defendants with a traffic cases in FTC status were Black people (47%). With Black men having the most traffic violation cases in FTC status.

Defendant Race	F	М	U
Unknown	1	10	2
Native American	5	13	0
Asian	6	15	0
Other	37	148	1
Hispanic	97	684	0
White	1392	3083	0
Black	1267	3585	0

• The majority of defendants with a traffic cases in FTC status were 21-30 years old (42%).<sup>2</sup>

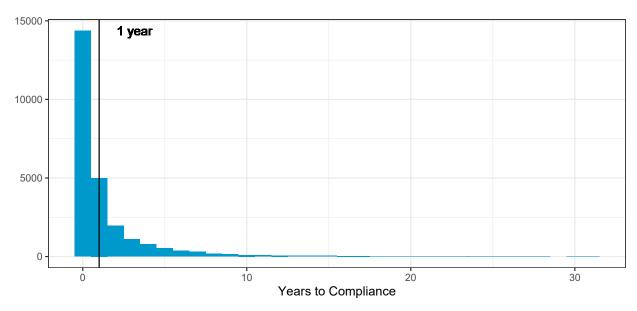


<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>This estimate includes cases with guilty to lesser (GL), guilty (GU), prayer for judgement (PJ), responsible to lesser (RL), and responsible (RS) verdicts.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>While the age was not provided in the original data, it was calculated from the defendant's birthday and disposition date.

## **Length in FTC Status**

• 68.4% of cases were in compliance after 1 year of receiving FTC status.



Years to Compliance	Black	White	Hispanic	Other	Asian	Native Ameri- can	Unknown	Total % of Cases
0-1	8688	7058	788	376	78	21	12	68.4
1-2	1557	1246	78	49	9	3	2	11.8
2-3	731	645	41	13	5	2	0	5.8
3-4	450	424	22	9	1	2	0	3.7
4-5	366	273	22	5	1	1	0	2.7
5-10	661	573	35	10	1	1	1	5.2
10-15	205	136	2	4	0	0	0	1.4
15-20	117	53	2	1	0	0	0	0.7
20+	62	30	0	0	0	0	0	0.4

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

Years in FTC	Black	White	Hispanic	Other	Native	Asian	Unknown	Total %
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0-1	575	526	81	29	2	1	0	8.0
1-5	2020	2165	246	65	10	7	5	29.9
5-10	2030	2083	214	38	9	9	6	29.1
10-15	850	895	210	12	6	2	0	13.1
15-20	461	412	138	6	0	3	0	6.8
20-30	784	620	81	61	1	2	3	10.3
30+	242	181	1	12	0	0	0	2.9