



**IDEA Dispute Resolution Data Summary for:  
Michigan  
2004-05 to 2015-16**

The Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) requires states and entities receiving IDEA grants to make available four dispute resolution processes and report annually on each to the U.S. Department of Education Office of Special Education Programs (OSEP). The four dispute resolution processes include written state complaints, mediation, due process complaints, and resolution meetings associated with due process.

The purpose of this summary is to provide an historical look at dispute resolution data and to assist with the identification of trends and changes in the use of the IDEA dispute resolution processes over time. Additional summaries can be found on the CADRE website at: <http://www.cadnetworks.org/resources/cadre-materials/state-part-b-dispute-resolution-data-summaries>

This summary features data for school years ("SY" July 1-June 30) 2004-05 through 2015-16 drawn from CADRE's National Longitudinal Database. Data are collected from the following sources: [1] from SY 2004 to the present, dispute resolution activity reported in states' Annual Performance Reports (APRs), first as Attachment 1 and later as Table 7; [2] from SY 2006 to the present, Section 618 data collected by the Data Accountability Center (DAC) and now (as of SY 2011) reported to EDFacts; [3] data published in OSEP's Annual Report to Congress; and [4] data adjustments collected from states by CADRE after OSEP and DAC data were locked. Westat/DAC raw data files for SY 2005-2010 are available at: <http://tadnet.public.tadnet.org/pages/712>.

CADRE examines dispute resolution data for internally inconsistent values (based on report element definitions). When inconsistent values are found, they are reconciled with OSEP. States are encouraged to submit notes or explanations regarding any conditions, anomalies, or corrections relating to the data included herein. In addition, CADRE invites readers to provide input on the usefulness of these reports, including suggestions and adjustments.

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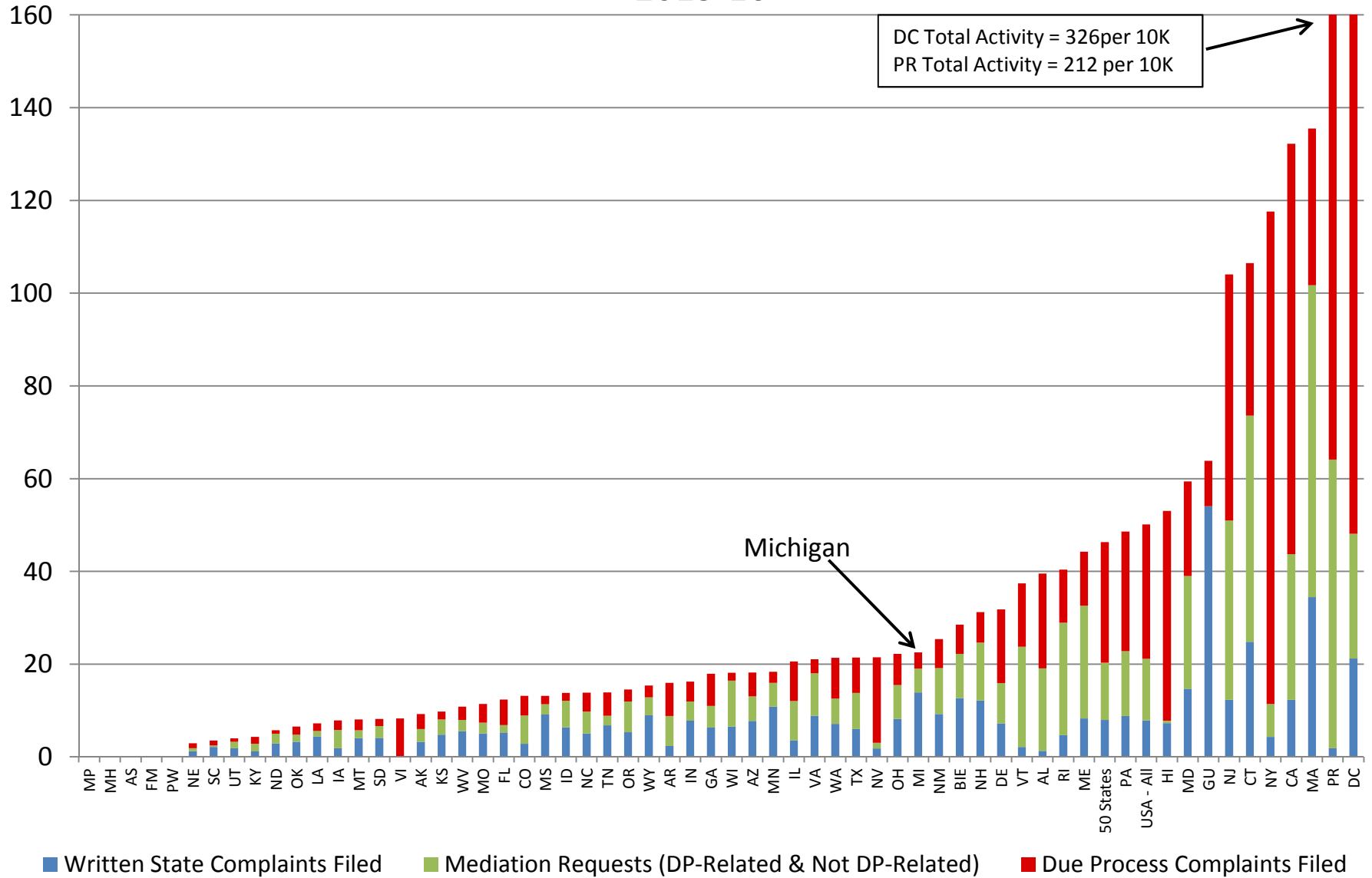
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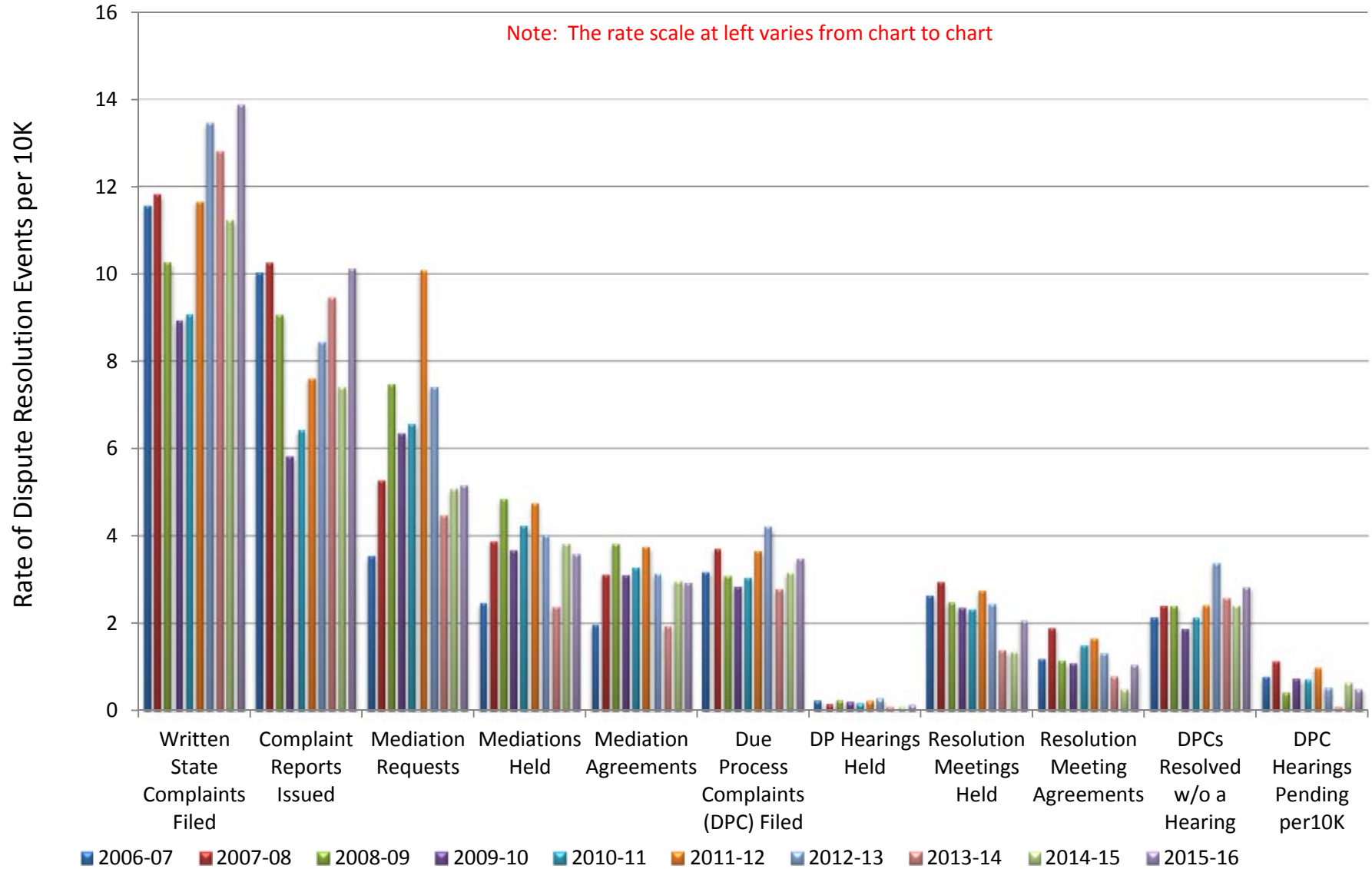


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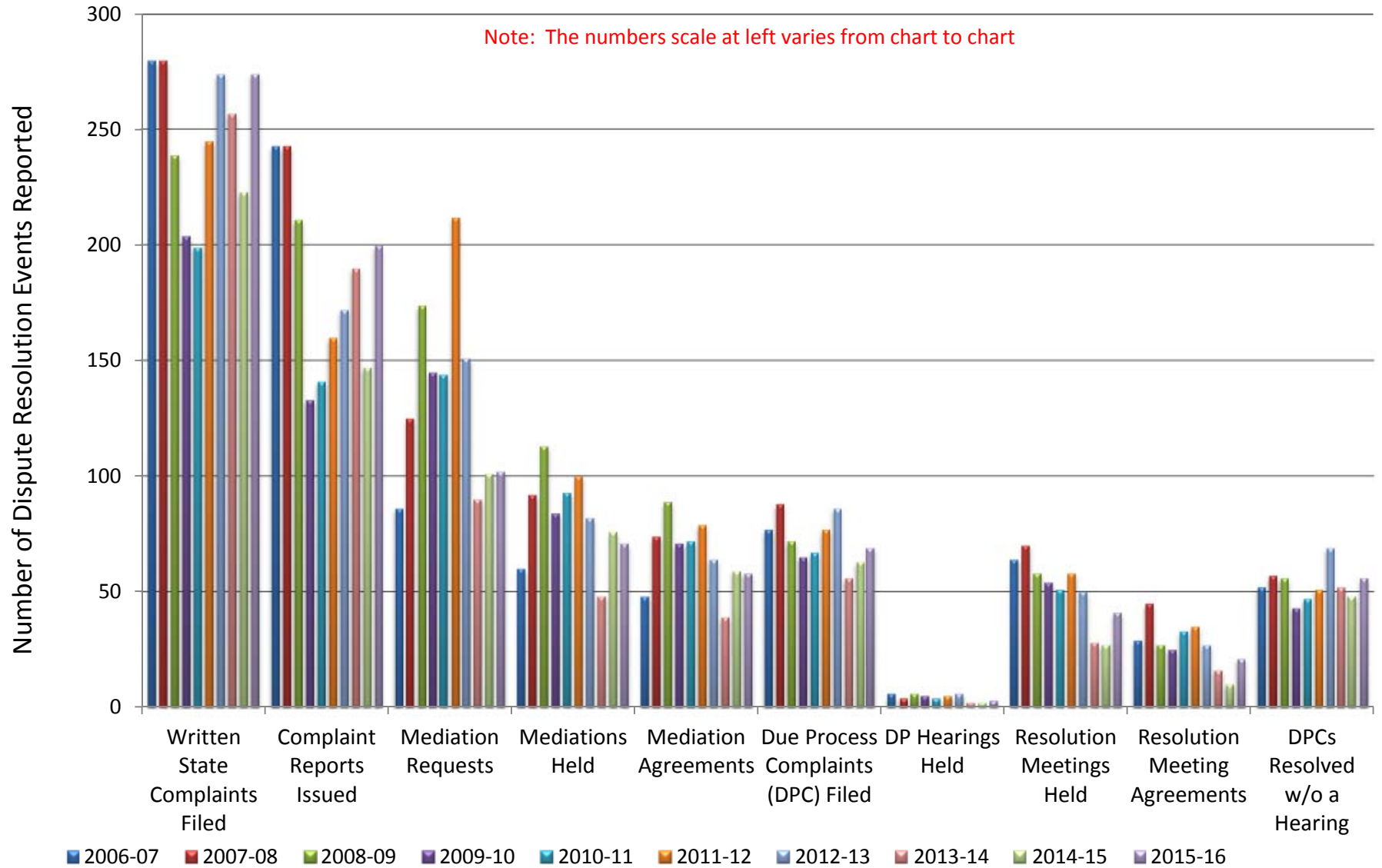


# IDEA Dispute Resolution Activity per 10K Childcount: Michigan





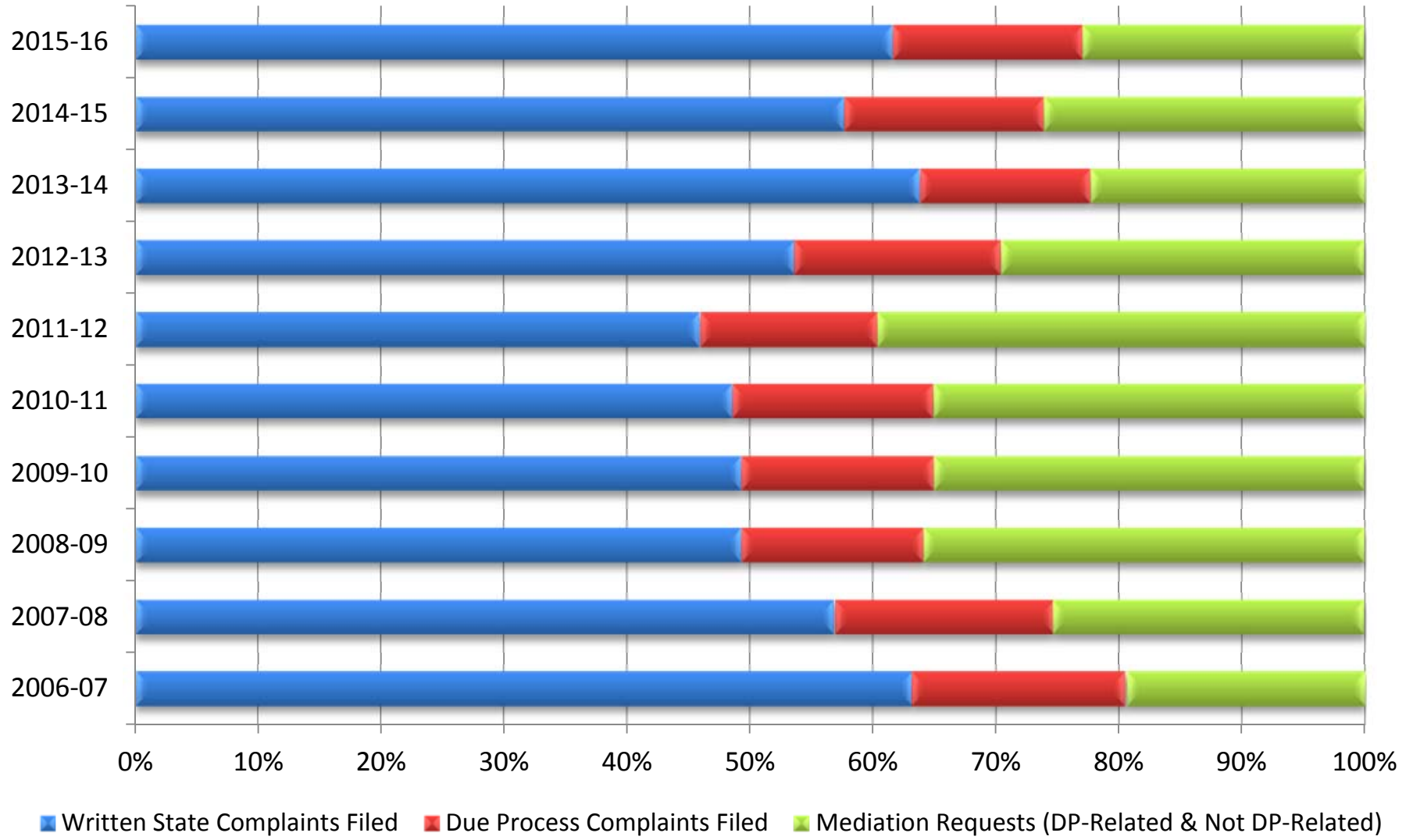
# IDEA Dispute Resolution Activity: Michigan





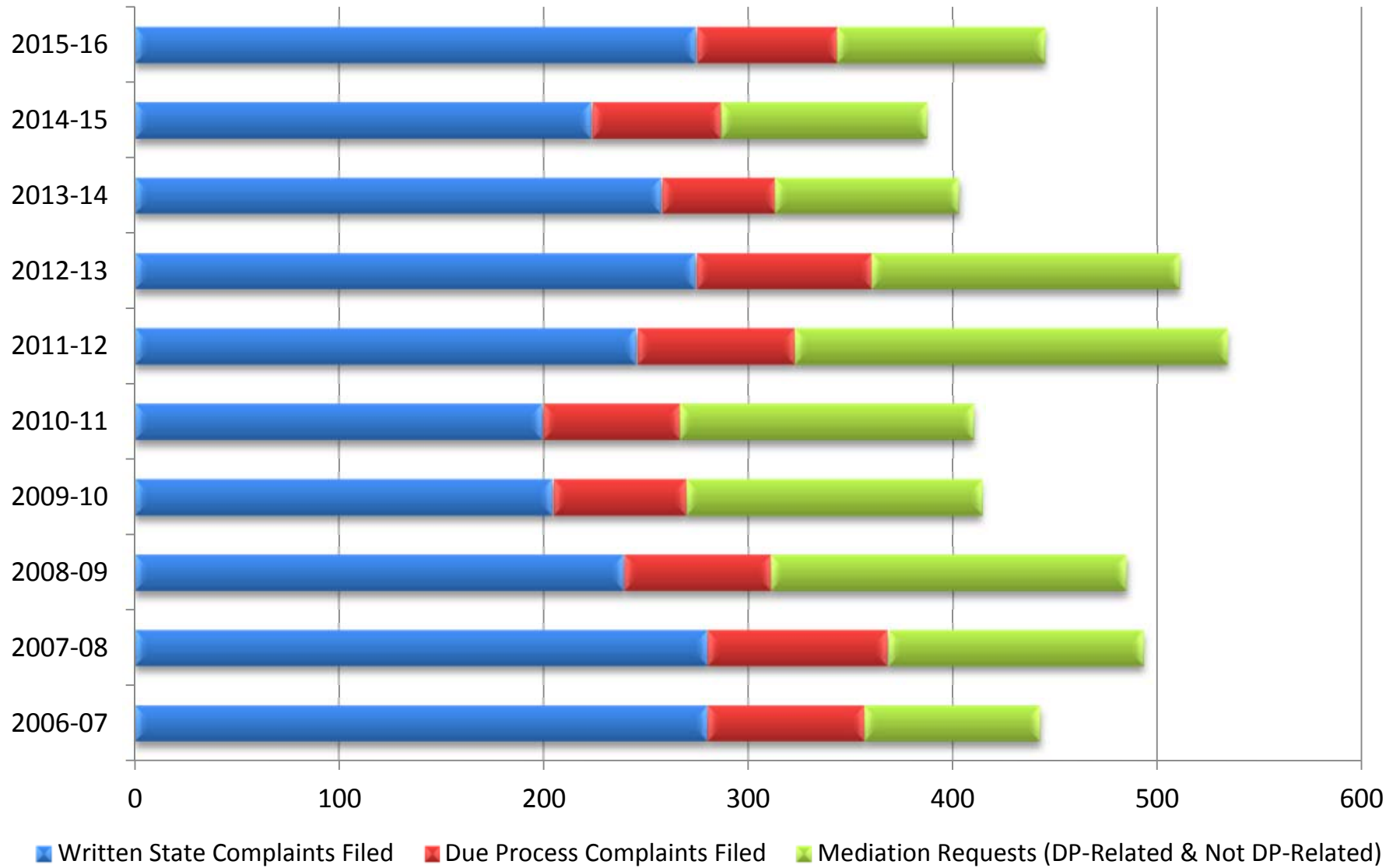
## Relative Use of Dispute Resolution Options: Michigan

Note: 100% = The sum of requests for all dispute resolution processes



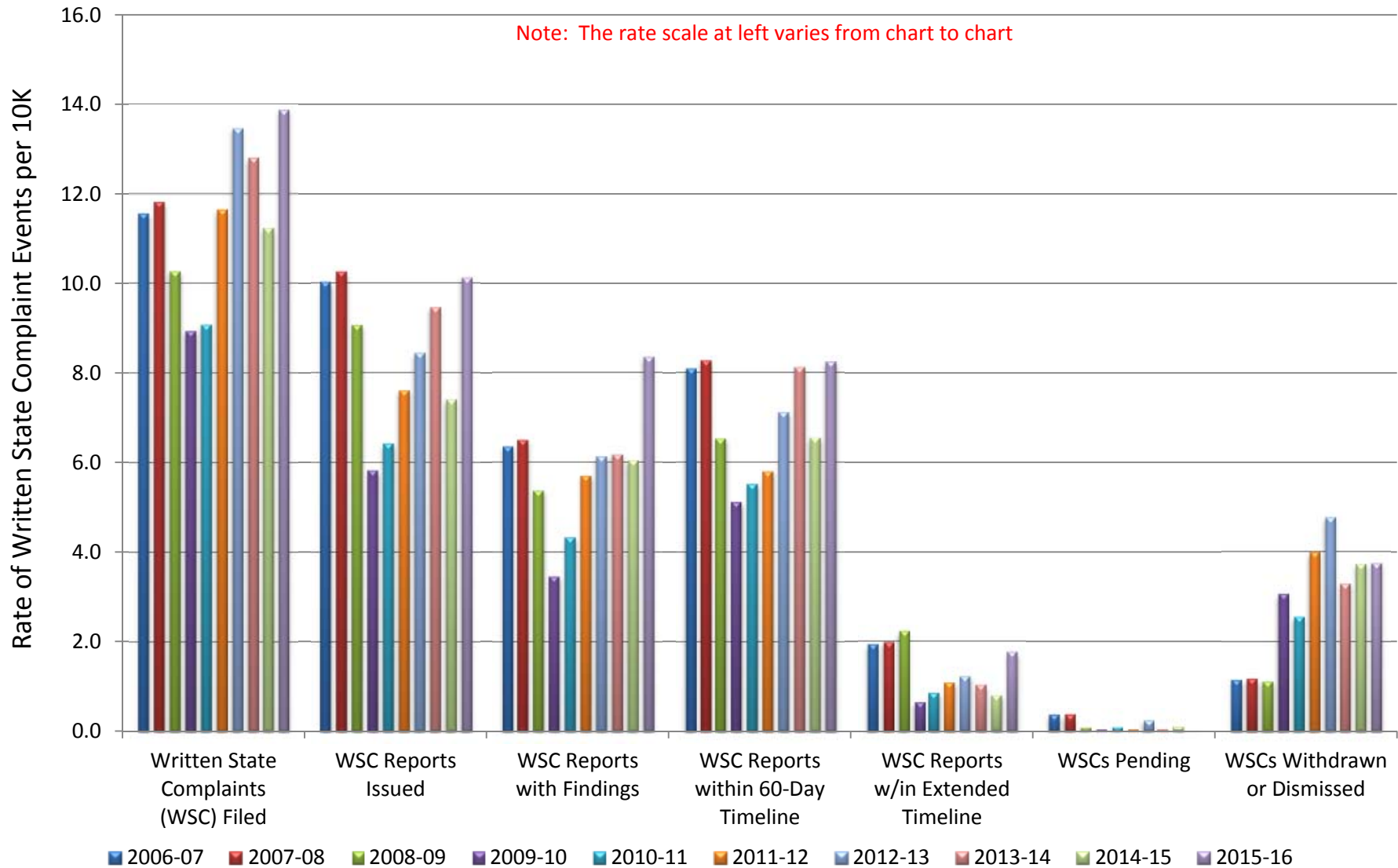


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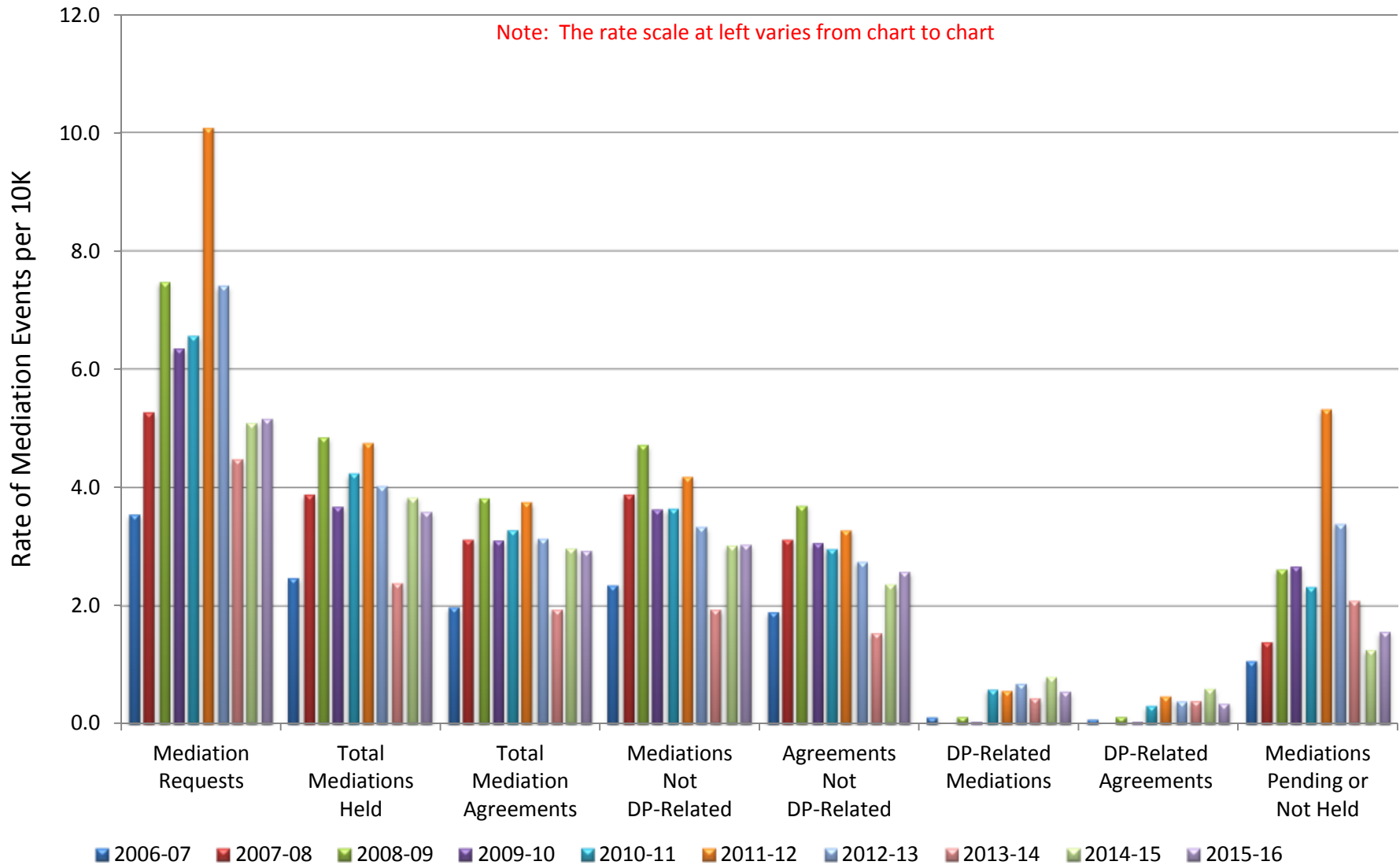


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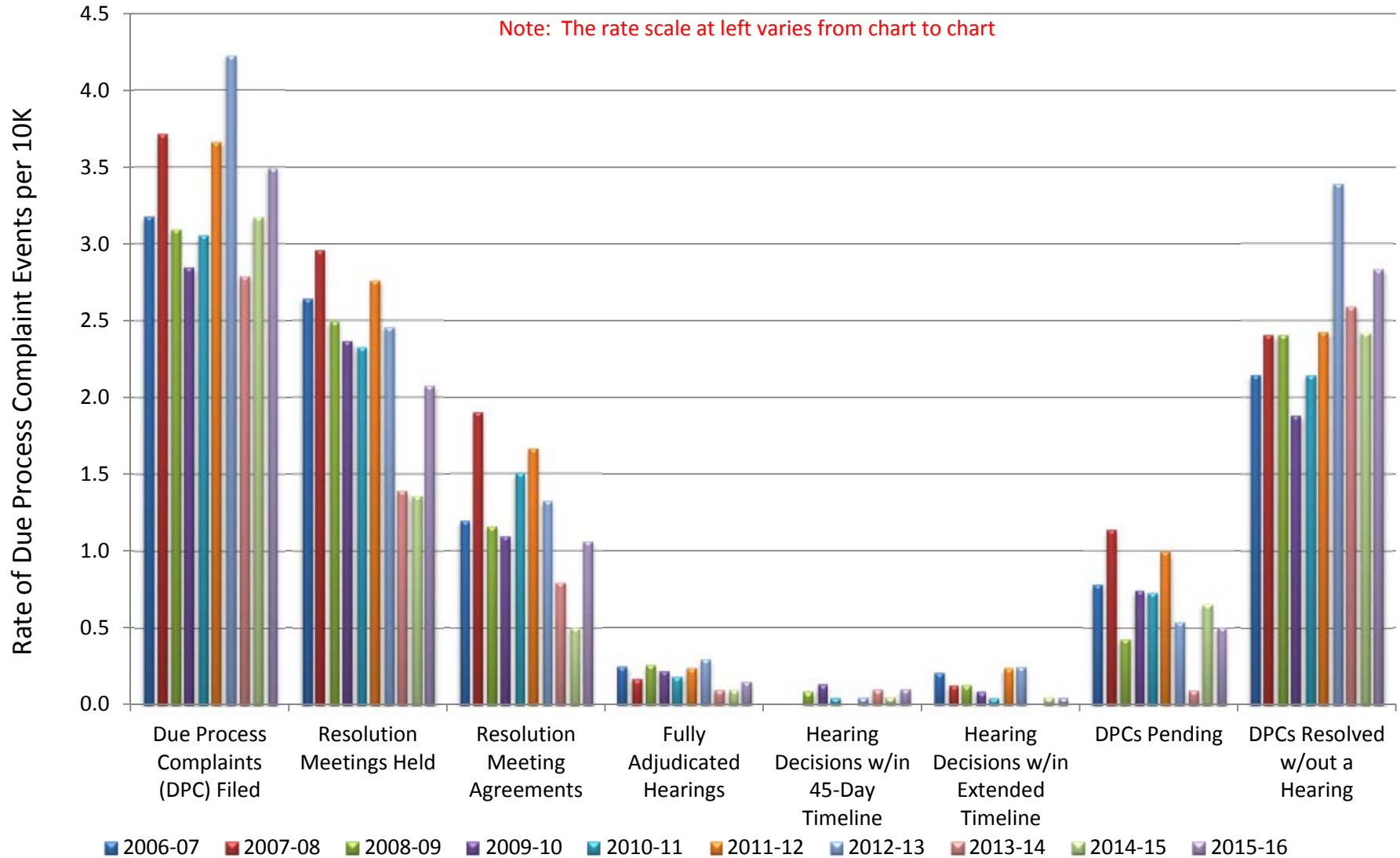
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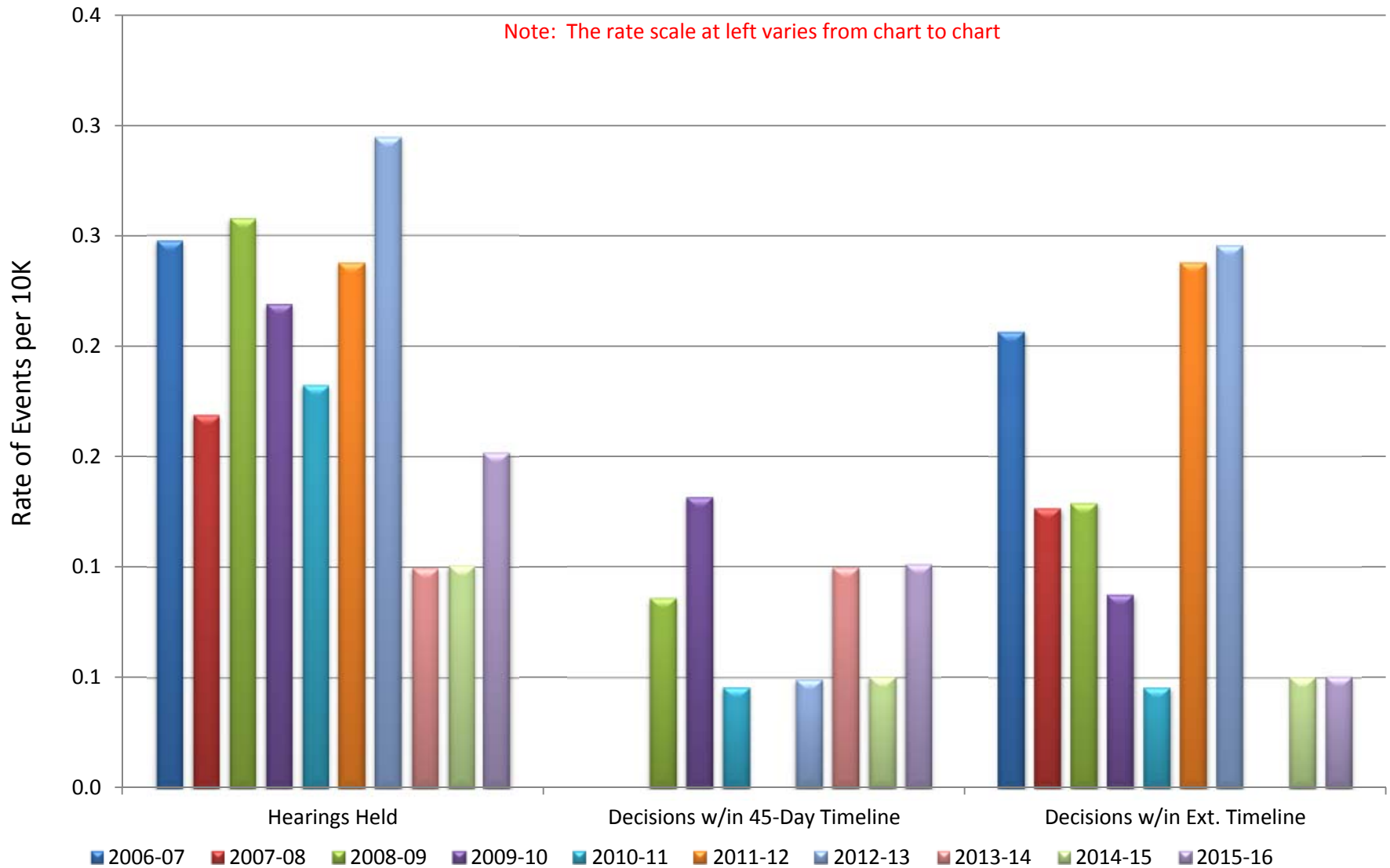


## Due Process Complaint Activity per 10K Childcount: Michigan



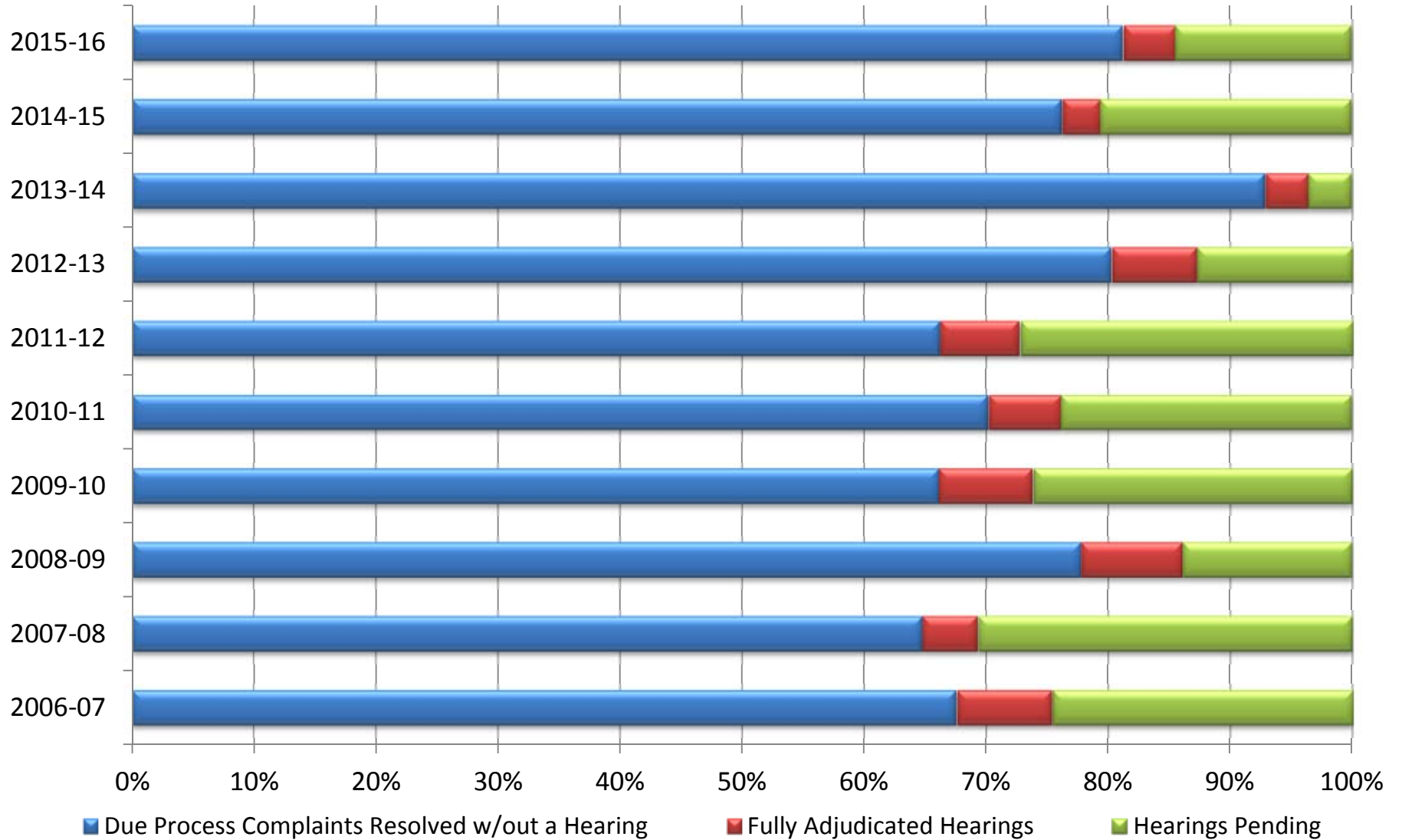


# Timeliness of Due Process Hearing Decisions per 10K Childcount: Michigan





## Relative Disposition of Due Process Complaints: Michigan





2015-16

	Michigan		Comparator	
	Number Reported	Events Per 10K*	50 States	
			Events Per 10K*	Number Reported
<b>Written State Complaints</b>				
Written State Complaints Filed	274	13.9	8.0	5,301
Reports Issued Total	200	10.1	4.9	3,284
Reports with Findings	165	8.4	3.2	2,154
Reports within 60-Day Timeline	163	8.3	4.6	3,047
Reports within Extended Timelines	35	1.8	0.3	174
Total Reports within Timelines	198	10.0	4.8	3,221
Written State Complaints Pending	0	0.0	0.2	147
Complaints Pending a Due Process Complaint	0	0.0	0.1	55
Complaints Withdrawn or Dismissed	74	3.8	2.8	1,870

**Mediations**

Mediation Requests Total	102	5.2	12.3	8,227
Mediations Held	71	3.6	9.4	6,263
Due Process-Related Mediations	11	0.6	5.0	3,360
Due Process-Related Mediation Agreements	7	0.4	3.0	1,981
Mediations Not Related to Due Process	60	3.0	4.4	2,903
Mediation Agreements Not Related to Due Process	51	2.6	3.2	2,146
Total Mediation Agreements	58	2.9	6.2	4,127
Mediations Pending	4	0.2	0.7	1,484
Mediations Withdrawn or Not Held	27	1.4	2.2	480

**Due Process Complaints**

Due Process Complaints Filed	69	3.5	26.0	17,325
Resolution Meetings Held	41	2.1	11.9	7,936
Resolution Meeting Agreements	21	1.1	2.1	1,423
Fully Adjudicated Hearings	3	0.2	1.2	833
Hearings Held within 45-Day Timeline	3	0.1	0.3	216
Decisions within 45-Day Timeline	2	0.1	0.8	529
Decisions within Extended Timelines	1	0.2	1.1	745
DP Complaints Pending	10	0.5	8.8	5,890
DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	56	2.8	15.9	10,602

**Expedited Due Process Hearing Requests (EHR)\*\***

EHR DP Complaints Filed	6	0.3	0.5	336
EHR Resolution Meetings Held	5	0.3	0.2	142
EHR Resolution Meeting Agreements	5	0.3	0.1	83
EHR Fully Adjudicated Hearings	0	0.0	0.0	24
EHR Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0	0.0	6
EHR DP Complaints Pending	0	0.0	0.1	34
EHR DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	6	0.3	0.4	278

Notes:

\* "Per 10K" values are computed by dividing the number of events by childcount (3-21 years) times 10,000; these "per capita" rates allow comparisons of activity across states.

\*\* Except for *EHR Change of Placement Ordered*, all EHR data points are included in the numbers reported for Due Process Complaints.

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**2014-15**

	Michigan		Comparator	
	Number Reported	Events Per 10K*	50 States	
			Events Per 10K*	Number Reported
<b>Written State Complaints</b>				
Written State Complaints Filed	223	11.3	7.5	4,907
Reports Issued Total	147	7.4	4.5	2,952
Reports with Findings	120	6.1	2.8	1,857
Reports within 60-Day Timeline	130	6.6	4.2	2,777
Reports within Extended Timelines	16	0.8	0.2	142
Total Reports within Timelines	146	7.4	4.5	2,919
Written State Complaints Pending	2	0.1	0.3	191
Complaints Pending a Due Process Complaint	1	0.1	0.2	111
Complaints Withdrawn or Dismissed	74	3.7	2.7	1,764

**Mediations**

Mediation Requests Total	101	5.1	14.5	9,482
Mediations Held	76	3.8	9.2	5,994
Due Process-Related Mediations	16	0.8	5.0	3,249
Due Process-Related Mediation Agreements	12	0.6	3.0	1,955
Mediations Not Related to Due Process	60	3.0	4.2	2,745
Mediation Agreements Not Related to Due Process	47	2.4	3.1	2,055
Total Mediation Agreements	59	3.0	6.1	4,010
Mediations Pending	3	0.2	1.4	2,564
Mediations Withdrawn or Not Held	22	1.1	3.9	924

**Due Process Complaints**

Due Process Complaints Filed	63	3.2	21.8	14,283
Resolution Meetings Held	27	1.4	10.9	7,123
Resolution Meeting Agreements	10	0.5	1.8	1,194
Fully Adjudicated Hearings	2	0.1	1.2	805
Hearings Held within 45-Day Timeline	2	0.1	0.3	209
Decisions within 45-Day Timeline	1	0.1	0.8	527
Decisions within Extended Timelines	1	0.1	1.1	736
DP Complaints Pending	13	0.7	5.0	3,285
DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	48	2.4	15.6	10,193

**Expedited Due Process Hearing Requests (EHR)\*\***

EHR DP Complaints Filed	10	0.5	0.4	288
EHR Resolution Meetings Held	4	0.2	0.2	125
EHR Resolution Meeting Agreements	4	0.2	0.1	62
EHR Fully Adjudicated Hearings	1	0.1	0.0	29
EHR Change of Placement Ordered	1	0.1	0.0	5
EHR DP Complaints Pending	1	0.1	0.0	24
EHR DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	8	0.4	0.4	235

Notes:

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2013-14

	Michigan		Comparator	
	Number Reported	Events Per 10K*	50 States	
			Events Per 10K*	Number Reported
<b>Written State Complaints</b>				
Written State Complaints Filed	257	12.8	7.6	4,929
Reports Issued Total	190	9.5	4.7	3,001
Reports with Findings	124	6.2	2.9	1,859
Reports within 60-Day Timeline	163	8.1	4.3	2,775
Reports within Extended Timelines	21	1.0	0.3	167
Total Reports within Timelines	184	9.2	4.6	2,942
Written State Complaints Pending	1	0.0	0.2	108
Complaints Pending a Due Process Complaint	0	0.0	0.1	77
Complaints Withdrawn or Dismissed	66	3.3	2.8	1,820

**Mediations**

Mediation Requests Total	90	4.5	13.6	8,799
Mediations Held	48	2.4	8.5	5,453
Due Process-Related Mediations	9	0.4	4.5	2,889
Due Process-Related Mediation Agreements	8	0.4	2.8	1,832
Mediations Not Related to Due Process	39	1.9	4.0	2,564
Mediation Agreements Not Related to Due Process	31	1.5	3.0	1,946
Total Mediation Agreements	39	1.9	5.9	3,778
Mediations Pending	2	0.1	1.2	2,547
Mediations Withdrawn or Not Held	40	2.0	3.9	799

**Due Process Complaints**

Due Process Complaints Filed	56	2.8	23.2	14,940
Resolution Meetings Held	28	1.4	12.2	7,852
Resolution Meeting Agreements	16	0.8	1.8	1,140
Fully Adjudicated Hearings	2	0.1	1.9	1,221
Hearings Held within 45-Day Timeline	2	0.1	0.3	219
Decisions within 45-Day Timeline	2	0.0	1.4	875
Decisions within Extended Timelines	0	0.1	1.7	1,094
DP Complaints Pending	2	0.1	5.7	3,705
DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	52	2.6	15.5	10,014

**Expedited Due Process Hearing Requests (EHR)\*\***

EHR DP Complaints Filed	11	0.5	0.4	287
EHR Resolution Meetings Held	4	0.2	0.2	115
EHR Resolution Meeting Agreements	1	0.0	0.1	70
EHR Fully Adjudicated Hearings	2	0.1	0.0	31
EHR Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0	0.0	6
EHR DP Complaints Pending	0	0.0	0.0	15
EHR DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	9	0.4	0.4	241

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2012-13

	Michigan		Comparator	
			50 States	
	Number Reported	Events Per 10K*	Events Per 10K*	Number Reported
<b>Written State Complaints</b>				
Written State Complaints Filed	274	13.5	7.7	4,943
Reports Issued Total	172	8.5	4.8	3,098
Reports with Findings	125	6.1	3.2	2,045
Reports within 60-Day Timeline	145	7.1	4.5	2,876
Reports within Extended Timelines	25	1.2	0.3	200
Total Reports within Timelines	170	8.4	4.8	3,076
Written State Complaints Pending	5	0.2	0.2	147
Complaints Pending a Due Process Complaint	0	0.0	0.1	49
Complaints Withdrawn or Dismissed	97	4.8	2.6	1,698

**Mediations**

Mediation Requests Total	151	7.4	13.6	8,744
Mediations Held	82	4.0	8.6	5,497
Due Process-Related Mediations	14	0.7	4.3	2,786
Due Process-Related Mediation Agreements	8	0.4	2.6	1,699
Mediations Not Related to Due Process	68	3.3	4.2	2,711
Mediation Agreements Not Related to Due Process	56	2.8	3.3	2,089
Total Mediation Agreements	64	3.1	5.9	3,788
Mediations Pending	5	0.2	1.5	2,274
Mediations Withdrawn or Not Held	64	3.1	3.5	973

**Due Process Complaints**

Due Process Complaints Filed	86	4.2	21.8	13,987
Resolution Meetings Held	50	2.5	11.6	7,442
Resolution Meeting Agreements	27	1.3	1.9	1,189
Fully Adjudicated Hearings	6	0.3	1.8	1,139
Hearings Held within 45-Day Timeline	6	0.0	0.4	231
Decisions within 45-Day Timeline	1	0.2	1.2	770
Decisions within Extended Timelines	5	0.3	1.6	1,001
DP Complaints Pending	11	0.5	4.8	3,100
DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	69	3.4	15.2	9,748

**Expedited Due Process Hearing Requests (EHR)\*\***

EHR DP Complaints Filed	22	1.1	0.5	298
EHR Resolution Meetings Held	15	0.7	0.2	150
EHR Resolution Meeting Agreements	10	0.5	0.1	72
EHR Fully Adjudicated Hearings	1	0.0	0.1	40
EHR Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0	0.0	6
EHR DP Complaints Pending	1	0.0	0.0	15
EHR DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	20	1.0	0.4	243

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2011-12

	Michigan		Comparator	
			50 States	
	Number Reported	Events Per 10K*	Events Per 10K*	Number Reported
<b>Written State Complaints</b>				
Written State Complaints Filed	245	11.7	7.7	4,893
Reports Issued Total	160	7.6	4.9	3,113
Reports with Findings	120	5.7	3.5	2,261
Reports within 60-Day Timeline	122	5.8	4.6	2,917
Reports within Extended Timelines	23	1.1	0.2	159
Total Reports within Timelines	145	6.9	4.8	3,076
Written State Complaints Pending	1	0.0	0.2	130
Complaints Pending a Due Process Complaint	0	0.0	0.1	53
Complaints Withdrawn or Dismissed	84	4.0	2.6	1,661

**Mediations**

Mediation Requests Total	212	10.1	13.4	8,533
Mediations Held	100	4.8	8.7	5,576
Due Process-Related Mediations	12	0.6	4.4	2,803
Due Process-Related Mediation Agreements	10	0.5	2.6	1,670
Mediations Not Related to Due Process	88	4.2	4.3	2,773
Mediation Agreements Not Related to Due Process	69	3.3	3.3	2,117
Total Mediation Agreements	79	3.8	5.9	3,787
Mediations Pending	22	1.0	1.4	2,079
Mediations Withdrawn or Not Held	90	4.3	3.3	878

**Due Process Complaints**

Due Process Complaints Filed	77	3.7	22.4	14,319
Resolution Meetings Held	58	2.8	12.0	7,659
Resolution Meeting Agreements	35	1.7	2.1	1,339
Fully Adjudicated Hearings	5	0.2	1.7	1,106
Hearings Held within 45-Day Timeline	5	0.0	0.4	231
Decisions within 45-Day Timeline	0	0.2	1.2	764
Decisions within Extended Timelines	5	0.2	1.6	995
DP Complaints Pending	21	1.0	3.1	1,998
DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	51	2.4	17.6	11,215

**Expedited Due Process Hearing Requests (EHR)\*\***

EHR DP Complaints Filed	14	0.7	0.5	304
EHR Resolution Meetings Held	8	0.4	0.2	132
EHR Resolution Meeting Agreements	4	0.2	0.1	64
EHR Fully Adjudicated Hearings	0	0.0	0.0	27
EHR Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0	0.0	10
EHR DP Complaints Pending	1	0.0	0.0	19
EHR DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	13	0.6	0.4	258

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2010-11

	Michigan		Comparator	
			50 States	
	Number Reported	Events Per 10K*	Events Per 10K*	Number Reported
<b>Written State Complaints</b>				
Written State Complaints Filed	199	9.1	7.6	4,911
Reports Issued Total	141	6.4	4.8	3,111
Reports with Findings	95	4.3	3.1	2,021
Reports within 60-Day Timeline	121	5.5	4.5	2,873
Reports within Extended Timelines	19	0.9	0.3	200
Total Reports within Timelines	140	6.4	4.8	3,073
Written State Complaints Pending	2	0.1	0.2	127
Complaints Pending a Due Process Complaint	0	0.0	0.1	72
Complaints Withdrawn or Dismissed	56	2.6	2.6	1,673

**Mediations**

Mediation Requests Total	144	6.6	12.6	8,068
Mediations Held	93	4.2	8.1	5,177
Due Process-Related Mediations	13	0.6	3.9	2,501
Due Process-Related Mediation Agreements	7	0.3	2.4	1,569
Mediations Not Related to Due Process	80	3.7	4.2	2,676
Mediation Agreements Not Related to Due Process	65	3.0	3.2	2,054
Total Mediation Agreements	72	3.3	5.6	3,623
Mediations Pending	11	0.5	1.1	2,209
Mediations Withdrawn or Not Held	40	1.8	3.4	682

**Due Process Complaints**

Due Process Complaints Filed	67	3.1	21.7	13,914
Resolution Meetings Held	51	2.3	12.2	7,841
Resolution Meeting Agreements	33	1.5	2.3	1,487
Fully Adjudicated Hearings	4	0.2	1.3	823
Hearings Held within 45-Day Timeline	2	0.0	0.3	201
Decisions within 45-Day Timeline	1	0.0	0.9	549
Decisions within Extended Timelines	1	0.1	1.2	750
DP Complaints Pending	16	0.7	4.4	2,840
DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	47	2.1	16.0	10,251

**Expedited Due Process Hearing Requests (EHR)\*\***

EHR DP Complaints Filed	15	0.7	0.5	311
EHR Resolution Meetings Held	9	0.4	0.2	153
EHR Resolution Meeting Agreements	6	0.3	0.1	80
EHR Fully Adjudicated Hearings	3	0.1	0.1	35
EHR Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0	0.0	10
EHR DP Complaints Pending	1	0.0	0.0	14
EHR DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	11	0.5	0.4	262

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2009-10

	Michigan		Comparator	
			50 States	
	Number Reported	Events Per 10K*	Events Per 10K*	Number Reported
<b>Written State Complaints</b>				
Written State Complaints Filed	204	8.9	7.4	4,781
Reports Issued Total	133	5.8	4.5	2,943
Reports with Findings	79	3.5	3.2	2,044
Reports within 60-Day Timeline	117	5.1	4.1	2,632
Reports within Extended Timelines	15	0.7	0.3	216
Total Reports within Timelines	132	5.8	4.4	2,848
Written State Complaints Pending	1	0.0	0.7	446
Complaints Pending a Due Process Complaint	0	0.0	0.1	65
Complaints Withdrawn or Dismissed	70	3.1	2.2	1,392

**Mediations**

Mediation Requests Total	145	6.4	11.9	7,673
Mediations Held	84	3.7	7.7	4,956
Due Process-Related Mediations	1	0.0	3.6	2,343
Due Process-Related Mediation Agreements	1	0.0	2.1	1,334
Mediations Not Related to Due Process	83	3.6	4.0	2,614
Mediation Agreements Not Related to Due Process	70	3.1	3.2	2,078
Total Mediation Agreements	71	3.1	5.3	3,412
Mediations Pending	18	0.8	1.1	2,001
Mediations Withdrawn or Not Held	43	1.9	3.1	714

**Due Process Complaints**

Due Process Complaints Filed	65	2.9	21.2	13,711
Resolution Meetings Held	54	2.4	11.7	7,569
Resolution Meeting Agreements	25	1.1	2.7	1,774
Fully Adjudicated Hearings	5	0.2	1.4	888
Hearings Held within 45-Day Timeline	5	0.1	0.4	259
Decisions within 45-Day Timeline	3	0.1	0.8	538
Decisions within Extended Timelines	2	0.2	1.2	797
DP Complaints Pending	17	0.7	4.1	2,681
DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	43	1.9	15.7	10,142

**Expedited Due Process Hearing Requests (EHR)\*\***

EHR DP Complaints Filed	18	0.8	0.5	305
EHR Resolution Meetings Held	17	0.7	0.2	118
EHR Resolution Meeting Agreements	10	0.4	0.1	54
EHR Fully Adjudicated Hearings	3	0.1	0.1	33
EHR Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0	0.0	8
EHR DP Complaints Pending	0	0.0	0.1	35
EHR DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	15	0.7	0.4	236

Notes:

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2008-09

	Michigan		Comparator	
			50 States	
	Number Reported	Events Per 10K*	Events Per 10K*	Number Reported
<b>Written State Complaints</b>				
Written State Complaints Filed	239	10.3	7.5	4,895
Reports Issued Total	211	9.1	5.1	3,312
Reports with Findings	125	5.4	3.6	2,308
Reports within 60-Day Timeline	152	6.5	4.6	2,954
Reports within Extended Timelines	52	2.2	0.5	304
Total Reports within Timelines	204	8.8	5.0	3,258
Written State Complaints Pending	2	0.1	0.2	144
Complaints Pending a Due Process Complaint	2	0.1	0.1	72
Complaints Withdrawn or Dismissed	26	1.1	2.2	1,439

**Mediations**

Mediation Requests Total	174	7.5	12.1	7,854
Mediations Held	113	4.9	8.1	5,245
Due Process-Related Mediations	3	0.1	3.9	2,515
Due Process-Related Mediation Agreements	3	0.1	2.3	1,512
Mediations Not Related to Due Process	110	4.7	4.2	2,730
Mediation Agreements Not Related to Due Process	86	3.7	3.3	2,125
Total Mediation Agreements	89	3.8	5.6	3,637
Mediations Not Held (Including Pending)	61	2.6	4.0	2,609

**Due Process Complaints**

Due Process Complaints Filed	72	3.1	21.6	14,017
Resolution Meetings Held	58	2.5	11.0	7,152
Resolution Meeting Agreements	27	1.2	2.6	1,686
Fully Adjudicated Hearings	6	0.3	1.6	1,024
Hearings Held within 45-Day Timeline	5	0.1	0.4	250
Decisions within 45-Day Timeline	2	0.1	1.0	645
Decisions within Extended Timelines	3	0.2	1.4	895
DP Complaints Pending	10	0.4	3.5	2,289
DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	56	2.4	16.5	10,704

**Expedited Due Process Hearing Requests (EHR)\*\***

EHR DP Complaints Filed	25	1.1	0.5	305
EHR Resolution Meetings Held	20	0.9	0.2	128
EHR Resolution Meeting Agreements	10	0.4	0.1	73
EHR Fully Adjudicated Hearings	3	0.1	0.0	29
EHR Change of Placement Ordered	1	0.0	0.0	5

Notes:

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2007-08

	Michigan		Comparator	
			50 States	
	Number Reported	Events Per 10K*	Events Per 10K*	Number Reported
<b>Written State Complaints</b>				
Written State Complaints Filed	280	11.8	8.3	5,497
Reports Issued Total	243	10.3	5.9	3,895
Reports with Findings	154	6.5	4.2	2,761
Reports within 60-Day Timeline	196	8.3	5.2	3,410
Reports within Extended Timelines	47	2.0	0.6	398
Total Reports within Timelines	243	10.3	5.8	3,808
Written State Complaints Pending	9	0.4	0.2	154
Complaints Pending a Due Process Complaint	8	0.3	0.1	83
Complaints Withdrawn or Dismissed	28	1.2	2.2	1,448

**Mediations**

Mediation Requests Total	125	5.3	12.0	7,951
Mediations Held	92	3.9	7.5	4,989
Due Process-Related Mediations	0	0.0	3.1	2,070
Due Process-Related Mediation Agreements	0	0.0	2.1	1,362
Mediations Not Related to Due Process	92	3.9	4.4	2,919
Mediation Agreements Not Related to Due Process	74	3.1	3.4	2,269
Total Mediation Agreements	74	3.1	5.5	3,631
Mediations Not Held (Including Pending)	33	1.4	4.5	2,962

**Due Process Complaints**

Due Process Complaints Filed	88	3.7	21.0	13,894
Resolution Meetings Held	70	3.0	12.2	8,090
Resolution Meeting Agreements	45	1.9	2.9	1,932
Fully Adjudicated Hearings	4	0.2	1.6	1,064
Hearings Held within 45-Day Timeline	3	0.0	0.4	288
Decisions within 45-Day Timeline	0	0.1	1.0	647
Decisions within Extended Timelines	3	0.1	1.4	935
DP Complaints Pending	27	1.1	4.9	3,228
DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	57	2.4	14.5	9,612

**Expedited Due Process Hearing Requests (EHR)\*\***

EHR DP Complaints Filed	20	0.8	0.5	302
EHR Resolution Meetings Held	18	0.8	0.3	180
EHR Resolution Meeting Agreements	15	0.6	0.1	76
EHR Fully Adjudicated Hearings	1	0.0	0.0	30
EHR Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0	0.0	11

Notes:

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2006-07

	Michigan		Comparator	
			50 States	
	Number Reported	Events Per 10K*	Events Per 10K*	Number Reported
<b>Written State Complaints</b>				
Written State Complaints Filed	280	11.6	8.2	5,500
Reports Issued Total	243	10.0	5.6	3,768
Reports with Findings	154	6.4	3.8	2,521
Reports within 60-Day Timeline	196	8.1	4.8	3,182
Reports within Extended Timelines	47	1.9	0.6	397
Total Reports within Timelines	243	10.0	5.4	3,579
Written State Complaints Pending	9	0.4	0.3	167
Complaints Pending a Due Process Complaint	8	0.3	0.1	86
Complaints Withdrawn or Dismissed	28	1.2	2.3	1,565

**Mediations**

Mediation Requests Total	86	3.6	11.7	7,806
Mediations Held	60	2.5	8.1	5,377
Due Process-Related Mediations	3	0.1	3.7	2,449
Due Process-Related Mediation Agreements	2	0.1	1.7	1,158
Mediations Not Related to Due Process	57	2.4	4.4	2,928
Mediation Agreements Not Related to Due Process	46	1.9	3.4	2,252
Total Mediation Agreements	48	2.0	5.1	3,410
Mediations Not Held (Including Pending)	26	1.1	3.6	2,429

**Due Process Complaints**

Due Process Complaints Filed	77	3.2	20.7	13,828
Resolution Meetings Held	64	2.6	13.0	8,704
Resolution Meeting Agreements	29	1.2	2.9	1,912
Fully Adjudicated Hearings	6	0.2	2.1	1,370
Hearings Held within 45-Day Timeline	5	0.0	0.5	332
Decisions within 45-Day Timeline	0	0.2	1.3	865
Decisions within Extended Timelines	5	0.2	1.8	1,197
DP Complaints Pending	19	0.8	2.5	1,683
DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	52	2.1	16.1	10,775

**Expedited Due Process Hearing Requests (EHR)\*\***

EHR DP Complaints Filed	15	0.6	0.4	289
EHR Resolution Meetings Held	15	0.6	0.3	167
EHR Resolution Meeting Agreements	9	0.4	0.1	98
EHR Fully Adjudicated Hearings	1	0.0	0.1	37
EHR Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0	0.0	13

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2005-06

	Michigan		Comparator	
			50 States	
	Number Reported	Events Per 10K*	Events Per 10K*	Number Reported
<b>Written State Complaints</b>				
Written State Complaints Filed	229	9.4	8.7	5,798
Reports Issued Total	204	8.4	6.2	4,165
Reports with Findings	118	4.8	4.3	2,905
Reports within 60-Day Timeline	125	5.1	4.9	3,287
Reports within Extended Timelines	77	3.2	0.9	586
Total Reports within Timelines	202	8.3	5.8	3,873
Written State Complaints Pending	15	0.6	0.4	271
Complaints Pending a Due Process Complaint	15	0.6	0.2	142
Complaints Withdrawn or Dismissed	10	0.4	2.0	1,362

**Mediations**

Mediation Requests Total	88	3.6	11.4	7,666
Mediations Held	57	2.3	8.0	5,335
Due Process-Related Mediations	2	0.1	3.7	2,480
Due Process-Related Mediation Agreements	2	0.1	2.5	1,659
Mediations Not Related to Due Process	55	2.3	4.3	2,854
Mediation Agreements Not Related to Due Process	48	2.0	3.4	2,273
Total Mediation Agreements	50	2.1	5.9	3,932
Mediations Not Held (Including Pending)	31	1.3	3.1	2,085

**Due Process Complaints**

Due Process Complaints Filed	116	4.8	21.8	14,583
Resolution Meetings Held	77	3.2	5.5	3,678
Resolution Meeting Agreements	28	1.1	2.5	1,705
Fully Adjudicated Hearings	9	0.4	2.6	1,718
Hearings Held within 45-Day Timeline	9	0.1	0.6	382
Decisions within 45-Day Timeline	3	0.2	1.6	1,060
Decisions within Extended Timelines	6	0.4	2.2	1,442
DP Complaints Pending	24	1.0	3.7	2,466
DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	83	3.4	15.5	10,399

**Expedited Due Process Hearing Requests (EHR)\*\***

EHR DP Complaints Filed	5	0.2	0.4	251
EHR Resolution Meetings Held	5	0.2	0.1	97
EHR Resolution Meeting Agreements	2	0.1	0.1	43
EHR Fully Adjudicated Hearings	1	0.0	0.0	30
EHR Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0	0.0	6

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2015-16

	Michigan		Comparator	
			50 States	
	Number Reported	Events Per 10K*	Events Per 10K*	Number Reported
<b>Written State Complaints</b>				
Written State Complaints Filed	274	13.9	8.0	5,301
Reports Issued Total	200	10.1	4.9	3,284
Reports with Findings	165	8.4	3.2	2,154
Reports within 60-Day Timeline	163	8.3	4.6	3,047
Reports within Extended Timelines	35	1.8	0.3	174
Total Reports within Timelines	198	10.0	4.8	3,221
Written State Complaints Pending	0	0.0	0.2	147
Complaints Pending a Due Process Complaint	0	0.0	0.1	55
Complaints Withdrawn or Dismissed	74	3.8	2.8	1,870

**Mediations**

Mediation Requests Total	102	5.2	12.3	8,227
Mediations Held	71	3.6	9.4	6,263
Due Process-Related Mediations	11	0.6	5.0	3,360
Due Process-Related Mediation Agreements	7	0.4	3.0	1,981
Mediations Not Related to Due Process	60	3.0	4.4	2,903
Mediation Agreements Not Related to Due Process	51	2.6	3.2	2,146
Total Mediation Agreements	58	2.9	6.2	4,127
Mediations Not Held (Including Pending)	31	1.6	2.9	1,964

**Due Process Complaints**

Due Process Complaints Filed	69	3.5	26.0	17,325
Fully Adjudicated Hearings	3	0.2	1.2	833
Hearings Held within 45-Day Timeline	3	0.1	0.3	216
Decisions within 45-Day Timeline	2	0.1	0.8	529
Decisions within Extended Timelines	1	0.2	1.1	745
DP Complaints Pending	10	0.5	8.8	5,890
DP Complaints Withdrawn, Dismissed or Resolved Without a Hearing	56	2.8	15.9	10,602

**Expedited Due Process Hearing Requests (EHR)\*\***

EHR DP Complaints Filed	6	0.3	0.5	336
EHR Fully Adjudicated Hearings	0	0.0	0.0	24
EHR Change of Placement Ordered	0	0.0	0.0	6

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