

Montana District Courts

2021 New Case Filings and Reopened Cases

| District | Court Name | Abuse & Neglect | Adoption | Civil | Commitment | Criminal | Developmental Disability | Domestic Relations | Guardian Conservator | Investigative Subpoena / Search Warrant | Juvenile | Paternity | Probate | 2021 Grand Total | 2020 Grand Total | Difference |
|----------|---|-----------------|------------|--------------|------------|--------------|--------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|---|------------|-----------|------------|------------------|------------------|---------------|
| 1 | Broadwater County District Court | 11 | 7 | 97 | 4 | 52 | 0 | 39 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 31 | 251 | 246 | 5 |
| | Lewis & Clark County District Court | 112 | 66 | 2,590 | 59 | 1,036 | 1 | 865 | 65 | 239 | 78 | 0 | 219 | 5,330 | 7,184 | -1,854 |
| | Subtotal | 123 | 73 | 2,687 | 63 | 1,088 | 1 | 904 | 68 | 243 | 80 | 1 | 250 | 5,581 | 7,430 | -1,849 |
| 2 | Butte-Silver Bow County District Court | 72 | 35 | 558 | 112 | 433 | 0 | 262 | 33 | 73 | 58 | 0 | 188 | 1,824 | 2,082 | -258 |
| | Subtotal | 72 | 35 | 558 | 112 | 433 | 0 | 262 | 33 | 73 | 58 | 0 | 188 | 1,824 | 2,082 | -258 |
| 3 | Anaconda-Deer Lodge County District Court | 9 | 16 | 166 | 134 | 146 | 7 | 78 | 25 | 40 | 4 | 0 | 34 | 659 | 693 | -34 |
| | Granite County District Court | 2 | 4 | 73 | 0 | 14 | 0 | 12 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 21 | 134 | 128 | 6 |
| | Powell County District Court | 4 | 8 | 133 | 5 | 131 | 0 | 34 | 11 | 33 | 1 | 1 | 30 | 391 | 419 | -28 |
| | Subtotal | 15 | 28 | 372 | 139 | 291 | 7 | 124 | 40 | 77 | 5 | 1 | 85 | 1,184 | 1,240 | -56 |
| 4 | Mineral County District Court | 0 | 0 | 105 | 9 | 93 | 0 | 143 | 2 | 54 | 1 | 0 | 23 | 430 | 285 | 145 |
| | Missoula County District Court | 102 | 67 | 2,085 | 251 | 1,366 | 1 | 1,160 | 150 | 630 | 86 | 3 | 322 | 6,223 | 6,567 | -344 |
| | Subtotal | 102 | 67 | 2,190 | 260 | 1,459 | 1 | 1,303 | 152 | 684 | 87 | 3 | 345 | 6,653 | 6,852 | -199 |
| 5 | Beaverhead County District Court | 22 | 11 | 152 | 5 | 95 | 0 | 66 | 12 | 33 | 10 | 0 | 46 | 452 | 391 | 61 |
| | Jefferson County District Court | 2 | 4 | 133 | 0 | 87 | 8 | 43 | 10 | 15 | 1 | 0 | 45 | 348 | 392 | -44 |
| | Madison County District Court | 10 | 7 | 145 | 1 | 54 | 0 | 30 | 4 | 10 | 2 | 0 | 54 | 317 | 352 | -35 |
| | Subtotal | 34 | 22 | 430 | 6 | 236 | 8 | 139 | 26 | 58 | 13 | 0 | 145 | 1,117 | 1,135 | -18 |
| 6 | Park County District Court | 15 | 10 | 285 | 13 | 175 | 0 | 135 | 10 | 93 | 13 | 0 | 66 | 815 | 903 | -88 |
| | Sweet Grass County District Court | 1 | 3 | 57 | 0 | 38 | 0 | 21 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 23 | 151 | 154 | -3 |
| | Subtotal | 16 | 13 | 342 | 13 | 213 | 0 | 156 | 13 | 98 | 13 | 0 | 89 | 966 | 1,057 | -91 |
| 7 | Dawson County District Court | 30 | 8 | 104 | 10 | 86 | 0 | 40 | 7 | 78 | 3 | 2 | 44 | 412 | 510 | -98 |
| | McCone County District Court | 2 | 2 | 31 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 55 | 23 | 32 |
| | Prairie County District Court | 0 | 0 | 21 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 6 | 39 | 45 | -6 |
| | Richland County District Court | 15 | 6 | 226 | 6 | 134 | 0 | 90 | 7 | 87 | 7 | 0 | 97 | 675 | 712 | -37 |
| | Wibaux County District Court | 0 | 0 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 30 | 50 | -20 |
| | Subtotal | 47 | 16 | 393 | 20 | 229 | 0 | 142 | 16 | 167 | 10 | 2 | 169 | 1,211 | 1,340 | -129 |
| 8 | Cascade County District Court | 295 | 70 | 998 | 28 | 1,268 | 2 | 612 | 97 | 878 | 87 | 1 | 328 | 4,664 | 6,025 | -1,361 |
| | Subtotal | 295 | 70 | 998 | 28 | 1,268 | 2 | 612 | 97 | 878 | 87 | 1 | 328 | 4,664 | 6,025 | -1,361 |
| 9 | Glacier County District Court | 72 | 0 | 89 | 3 | 64 | 0 | 27 | 3 | 15 | 1 | 0 | 37 | 311 | 376 | -65 |
| | Pondera County District Court | 3 | 8 | 79 | 3 | 28 | 0 | 33 | 6 | 21 | 1 | 0 | 16 | 198 | 221 | -23 |
| | Teton County District Court | 5 | 3 | 71 | 3 | 40 | 0 | 32 | 3 | 25 | 2 | 1 | 36 | 221 | 248 | -27 |
| | Toole County District Court | 19 | 0 | 71 | 3 | 68 | 0 | 47 | 5 | 12 | 3 | 0 | 47 | 275 | 267 | 8 |
| | Subtotal | 99 | 11 | 310 | 12 | 200 | 0 | 139 | 17 | 73 | 7 | 1 | 136 | 1,005 | 1,112 | -107 |
| 10 | Fergus County District Court | 18 | 7 | 124 | 70 | 130 | 0 | 109 | 28 | 77 | 12 | 1 | 63 | 639 | 728 | -89 |
| | Judith Basin County District Court | 5 | 1 | 19 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 9 | 2 | 0 | 17 | 79 | 101 | -22 |
| | Petroleum County District Court | 1 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 21 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 47 | 25 | 22 |
| | Subtotal | 24 | 8 | 158 | 70 | 148 | 0 | 119 | 30 | 107 | 15 | 1 | 85 | 765 | 854 | -89 |
| 11 | Flathead County District Court | 69 | 78 | 2,051 | 44 | 1,220 | 0 | 1,093 | 131 | 433 | 106 | 3 | 414 | 5,642 | 5,790 | -148 |
| | Subtotal | 69 | 78 | 2,051 | 44 | 1,220 | 0 | 1,093 | 131 | 433 | 106 | 3 | 414 | 5,642 | 5,790 | -148 |
| 12 | Chouteau County District Court | 0 | 0 | 64 | 1 | 31 | 0 | 23 | 4 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 32 | 159 | 148 | 11 |
| | Hill County District Court | 27 | 11 | 216 | 17 | 166 | 0 | 99 | 19 | 69 | 12 | 0 | 72 | 708 | 732 | -24 |
| | Liberty County District Court | 5 | 2 | 31 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 15 | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 11 | 76 | 77 | -1 |
| | Subtotal | 32 | 13 | 311 | 18 | 206 | 0 | 137 | 25 | 72 | 14 | 0 | 115 | 943 | 957 | -14 |
| 13 | Yellowstone County District Court | 521 | 140 | 2,771 | 98 | 3,211 | 4 | 1,392 | 230 | 987 | 193 | 9 | 486 | 10,042 | 10,201 | -159 |
| | Subtotal | 521 | 140 | 2,771 | 98 | 3,211 | 4 | 1,392 | 230 | 987 | 193 | 9 | 486 | 10,042 | 10,201 | -159 |
| 14 | Golden Valley County District Court | 1 | 0 | 22 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 49 | 34 | 15 |
| | Meagher County District Court | 0 | 1 | 42 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 68 | 61 | 7 |
| | Musselshell County District Court | 14 | 8 | 103 | 0 | 40 | 0 | 30 | 7 | 19 | 6 | 0 | 29 | 256 | 298 | -42 |
| | Wheatland County District Court | 6 | 0 | 28 | 1 | 45 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 123 | 123 | 0 |
| | Subtotal | 21 | 9 | 195 | 1 | 100 | 0 | 51 | 8 | 44 | 7 | 1 | 59 | 496 | 516 | -20 |

Montana District Courts

2021 New Case Filings and Reopened Cases

| District | Court Name | Abuse & Neglect | Adoption | Civil | Commitment | Criminal | Developmental Disability | Domestic Relations | Guardian Conservator | Investigative Subpoena / Search Warrant | Juvenile | Paternity | Probate | 2021 Grand Total | 2020 Grand Total | Difference |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|-----------------|------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|--------------------------|--------------------|----------------------|---|------------|------------|--------------|------------------|------------------|---------------|
| 15 | Daniels County District Court | 0 | 0 | 13 | 1 | 9 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 15 | 48 | 65 | -17 |
| | Roosevelt County District Court | 12 | 2 | 85 | 0 | 38 | 0 | 22 | 6 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 47 | 220 | 311 | -91 |
| | Sheridan County District Court | 2 | 0 | 84 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 18 | 4 | 13 | 4 | 0 | 73 | 218 | 189 | 29 |
| | Subtotal | 14 | 2 | 182 | 1 | 67 | 0 | 46 | 10 | 23 | 6 | 0 | 135 | 486 | 565 | -79 |
| 16 | Carter County District Court | 0 | 4 | 25 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 9 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 56 | 48 | 8 |
| | Custer County District Court | 19 | 28 | 221 | 9 | 96 | 1 | 100 | 11 | 74 | 9 | 0 | 44 | 612 | 712 | -100 |
| | Fallon County District Court | 15 | 4 | 63 | 1 | 23 | 0 | 21 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 25 | 159 | 147 | 12 |
| | Garfield County District Court | 0 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 37 | 40 | -3 |
| | Powder River County District Court | 0 | 2 | 18 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 56 | 63 | -7 |
| | Rosebud County District Court | 17 | 8 | 85 | 0 | 67 | 0 | 38 | 3 | 12 | 4 | 0 | 16 | 250 | 366 | -116 |
| | Treasure County District Court | 3 | 0 | 19 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 33 | 23 | 10 |
| Subtotal | 54 | 46 | 446 | 10 | 213 | 1 | 173 | 22 | 95 | 16 | 0 | 127 | 1,203 | 1,399 | -196 | |
| 17 | Blaine County District Court | 1 | 5 | 77 | 1 | 31 | 1 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 30 | 161 | 190 | -29 |
| | Phillips County District Court | 13 | 3 | 75 | 4 | 12 | 0 | 31 | 7 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 24 | 180 | 162 | 18 |
| | Valley County District Court | 12 | 4 | 81 | 0 | 30 | 0 | 59 | 10 | 17 | 2 | 0 | 32 | 247 | 284 | -37 |
| | Subtotal | 26 | 12 | 233 | 5 | 73 | 1 | 100 | 19 | 29 | 4 | 0 | 86 | 588 | 636 | -48 |
| 18 | Gallatin County District Court | 65 | 58 | 1,983 | 85 | 983 | 0 | 1,127 | 82 | 388 | 32 | 2 | 210 | 5,015 | 5,661 | -646 |
| | Subtotal | 65 | 58 | 1,983 | 85 | 983 | 0 | 1,127 | 82 | 388 | 32 | 2 | 210 | 5,015 | 5,661 | -646 |
| 19 | Lincoln County District Court | 29 | 11 | 337 | 8 | 167 | 0 | 227 | 16 | 33 | 1 | 0 | 142 | 971 | 1,003 | -32 |
| | Subtotal | 29 | 11 | 337 | 8 | 167 | 0 | 227 | 16 | 33 | 1 | 0 | 142 | 971 | 1,003 | -32 |
| 20 | Lake County District Court | 7 | 11 | 358 | 16 | 466 | 0 | 166 | 36 | 120 | 5 | 1 | 92 | 1,278 | 1,299 | -21 |
| | Sanders County District Court | 2 | 5 | 154 | 1 | 57 | 0 | 56 | 29 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 72 | 381 | 428 | -47 |
| | Subtotal | 9 | 16 | 512 | 17 | 523 | 0 | 222 | 65 | 123 | 6 | 2 | 164 | 1,659 | 1,727 | -68 |
| 21 | Ravalli County District Court | 38 | 32 | 721 | 18 | 346 | 0 | 306 | 49 | 65 | 8 | 0 | 174 | 1,757 | 1,729 | 28 |
| | Subtotal | 38 | 32 | 721 | 18 | 346 | 0 | 306 | 49 | 65 | 8 | 0 | 174 | 1,757 | 1,729 | 28 |
| 22 | Big Horn County District Court | 25 | 4 | 108 | 0 | 144 | 0 | 36 | 30 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 28 | 383 | 401 | -18 |
| | Carbon County District Court | 10 | 6 | 209 | 1 | 62 | 0 | 56 | 11 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 49 | 416 | 424 | -8 |
| | Stillwater County District Court | 10 | 12 | 143 | 1 | 68 | 0 | 44 | 8 | 50 | 4 | 0 | 44 | 384 | 415 | -31 |
| | Subtotal | 45 | 22 | 460 | 2 | 274 | 0 | 136 | 49 | 62 | 12 | 0 | 121 | 1,183 | 1,240 | -57 |
| Grand Total | | 1,750 | 782 | 18,640 | 1,030 | 12,948 | 25 | 8,910 | 1,198 | 4,812 | 780 | 27 | 4,053 | 54,955 | 60,551 | -5,596 |