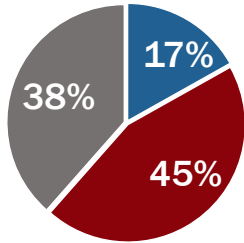


Cases Created in NamUs December 2023

Missing Persons Cases

Total Cases Created



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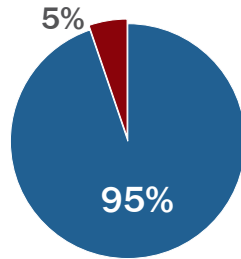
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Total Cases Created

9

Tribal Cases Created

Cases Archived



Found Alive Found Deceased

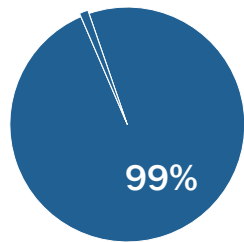
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Total Cases Archived
(Age Breakdown Below)

8

Tribal Cases Archived

Juvenile Cases Archived



Found Alive Found Deceased

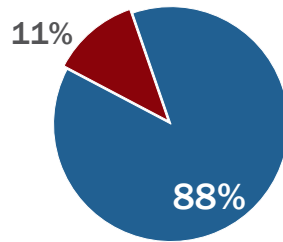
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Juvenile Cases Archived

5

Juvenile Tribal Cases Archived

Adult Cases Archived



Found Alive Found Deceased

200

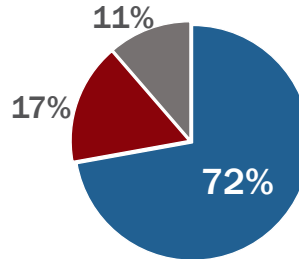
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Adult Tribal Cases Archived

Unidentified Persons Cases

Total Cases Created



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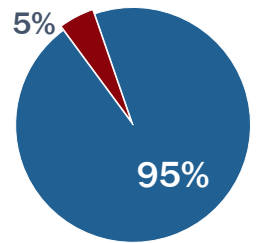
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Total Cases Created

7

Tribal Cases Created

Cases Archived



Deceased Adult Deceased Juvenile

62

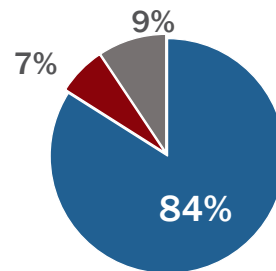
Total Cases Archived

1

Tribal Case Archived

Unclaimed Persons Cases

Total Cases Created



Published Unpublished Archived

331

Total Cases Created

1

Tribal Case Created

57

Total Cases Archived

0

Tribal Cases Archived

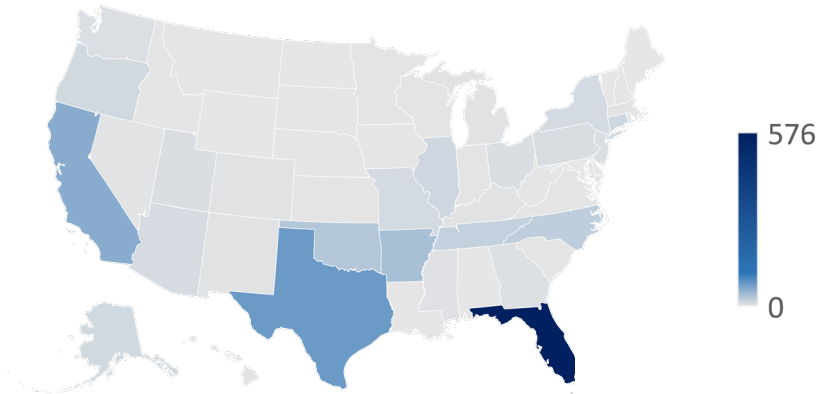
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Cases Created in NamUs December 2023

1014 Missing Cases from 45 States and Territories

Top 10 States

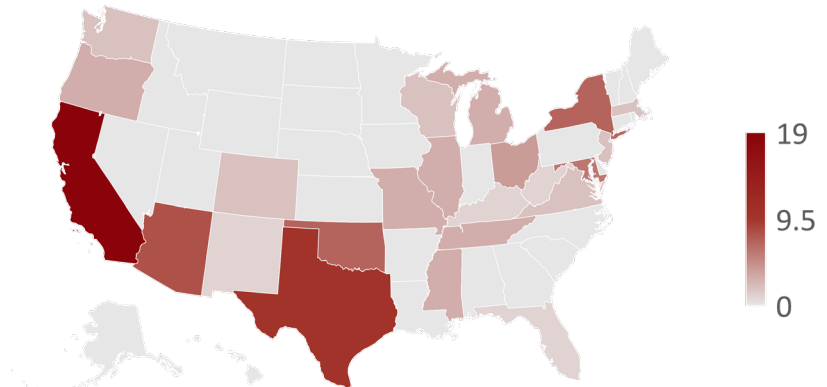
Florida	576
Texas	75
California	57
Arkansas	38
Oklahoma	31
North Carolina	24
Tennessee	22
Connecticut	15
Illinois	15
Alaska	13



97 Unidentified Cases from 25 States and Territories

Top 10 States

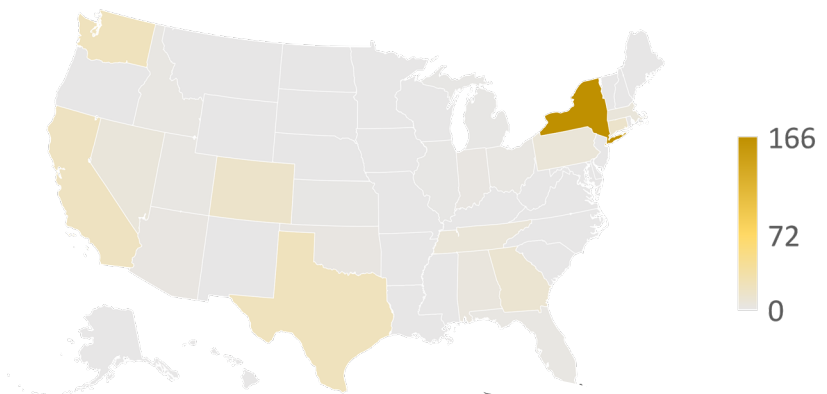
California	19
Texas	10
Arizona	8
New York	7
Oklahoma	7
Maryland	6
Ohio	4
Mississippi	3
Illinois	3
Oregon	3



331 Unclaimed Cases from 22 States and Territories

Top 10 States

New York	166
Washington	23
Texas	23
California	21
Colorado	16
Connecticut	15
Georgia	12
Tennessee	8
Pennsylvania	8
Massachusetts	7



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Forensic Services Monthly Update December 2023

Fingerprints

400
Fiscal Year Goal

208
Total Requests Processed This Month

8
Current Requests in Queue

508
Requests Processed This Fiscal Year

Odontology

400
Fiscal Year Goal

58
Total Requests Processed This Month

2
Current Requests in Queue

149
Requests Processed This Fiscal Year

Anthropology

25
Fiscal Year Goal

0
Total Requests Processed This Month

0
Current Requests in Queue

0
Requests Processed This Fiscal Year

Forensic Genetic Genealogy

Fiscal Year Goal

0

Samples to Process

Fiscal Year Completed

48

Samples Processed

Amount in Queue

87

Samples Awaiting Processing

Traditional DNA Requests

Fiscal Year Goal

110

Family Reference Samples

5

Direct Reference Samples

120

Unidentified Remains Samples

Fiscal Year Completed

34

Family Reference Samples

0

Direct Reference Samples

9

Unidentified Remains Samples

Amount in Queue

510

Family Reference Samples

56

Direct Reference Samples

750

Unidentified Remains Samples

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Outreach and Engagement Monthly Update December 2023

Conferences		Trainings		Tribal Events	
<p>2</p> <p>Conferences Attended</p>	<p>2</p> <p>NamUs Staff in Attendance</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Training Events</p>	<p>4</p> <p>NamUs Staff in Attendance</p>	<p>1</p> <p>Conference Attended</p>	<p>1</p> <p>NamUs Staff in Attendance</p>
<p>2</p> <p>Presentations Given</p>	<p>195</p> <p>Conference Attendees</p>	<p>2</p> <p>States Represented</p>	<p>300</p> <p>Trainees</p>	<p>0</p> <p>Presentations Given</p>	<p>150</p> <p>Conference Attendees</p>

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Additionally, this report contains information only on individuals who have been reported missing to NamUs and whose cases include indication of enrollment or affiliation with state- or federally-recognized tribes; it does not include all American Indian and Alaska Native missing persons. Tribal enrollment and affiliation information is reported to NamUs by local, state, tribal, or federal law enforcement, or it may be reported by family members of missing persons. Data fields to capture tribal enrollment and affiliation information were added to NamUs in December 2018 with no requirement for investigating agencies to add this information retroactively; therefore, tribal data may not yet be entered into NamUs for some missing persons.