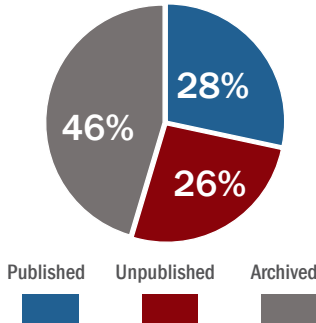


Cases Created in NamUs October 2023

Missing Persons Cases

Total Cases Created



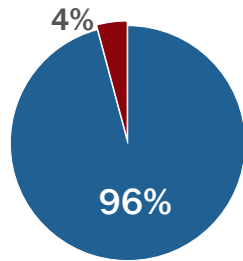
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Total Cases Created

12

Tribal Cases Created

Cases Archived



718

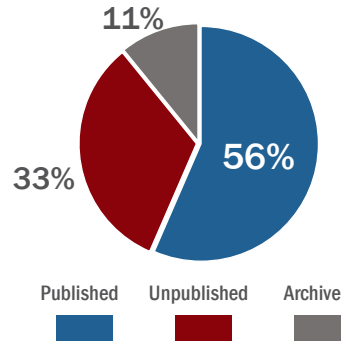
Total Cases Archived
(Age Breakdown Below)

4

Tribal Cases Archived

Unidentified Persons Cases

Total Cases Created



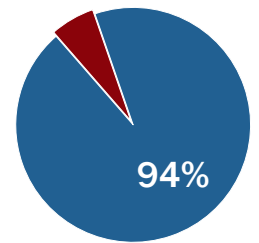
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Total Cases Created

2

Tribal Cases Created

Cases Archived



49

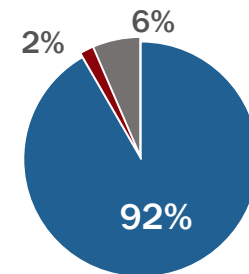
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Tribal Cases Archived

Unclaimed Persons Cases

Total Cases Created



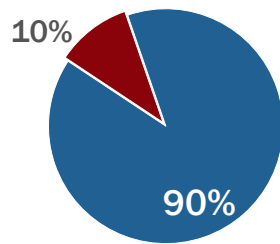
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Total Cases Created

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Tribal Cases Created

Adult Cases Archived



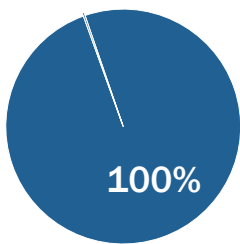
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Adult Cases Archived

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Adult Tribal Cases Archived

Juvenile Cases Archived



439

Juvenile Cases Archived

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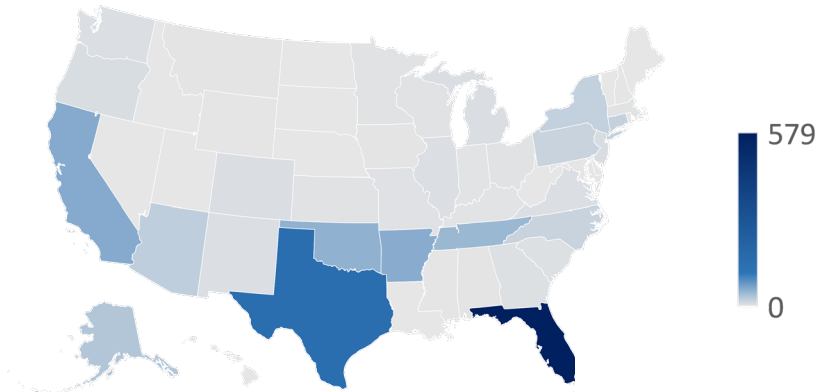
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Cases Created in NamUs October 2023

1197 Missing Cases from 40 States and Territories

Top 10 States

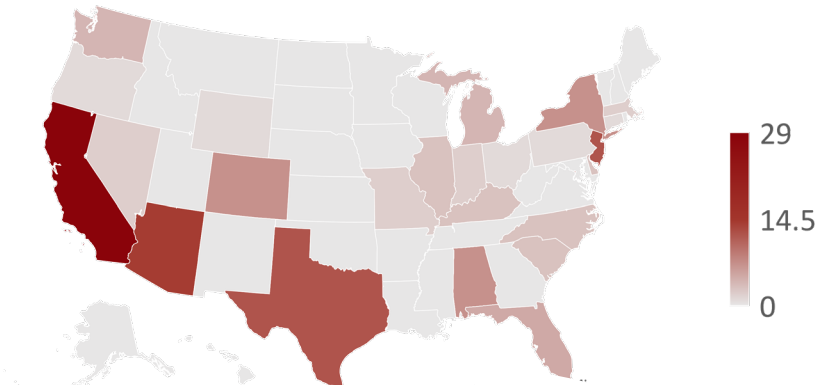
Florida	579
Texas	148
California	59
Arkansas	57
Oklahoma	52
Tennessee	46
Alaska	32
Arizona	24
New York	22
Connecticut	21



138 Unidentified Cases from 25 States and Territories

Top 10 States

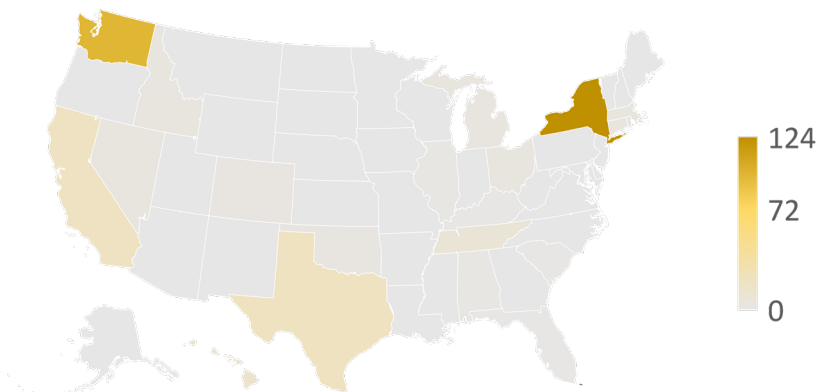
California	29
Arizona	14
Texas	12
New Jersey	12
Washington, D.C.	9
New York	7
Colorado	7
Alabama	7
Florida	5
Michigan	4



324 Unclaimed Cases from 20 States and Territories

Top 10 States

New York	124
Washington	97
Texas	21
California	20
Hawaii	14
Tennessee	9
Connecticut	4
Massachusetts	4
Nevada	4
Michigan	4



NamUs is a national online repository and resource center for locating and identifying missing persons and unidentified decedents, as well as helping medical examiners and coroners locate next of kin for unclaimed person cases. NamUs is funded by the National Institute of Justice (NIJ) and managed through a contract by RTI International.

Forensic Services Monthly Update October 2023

Fingerprints

400
Fiscal Year Goal

179
Total Requests Processed This Month

35
Current Requests in Queue

179
Requests Processed This Fiscal Year

Odontology

400
Fiscal Year Goal

50
Total Requests Processed This Month

16
Current Requests in Queue

50
Requests Processed This Fiscal Year

Anthropology

25
Fiscal Year Goal

0
Total Requests Processed This Month

2
Current Requests in Queue

0
Requests Processed This Fiscal Year

Forensic Genetic Genealogy

0
Fiscal Year Goal
Samples to Process

0
Fiscal Year Completed
Samples Processed

104
Amount in Queue
Samples Awaiting Processing

Traditional DNA Requests

110
Fiscal Year Goal
Family Reference Samples

5
Direct Reference Samples

120
Unidentified Remains Samples

0
Fiscal Year Completed
Family Reference Samples

0
Direct Reference Samples

0
Unidentified Remains Samples

542
Amount in Queue
Family Reference Samples

53
Direct Reference Samples

733
Unidentified Remains Samples

Outreach and Engagement Monthly Update

October 2023

Conferences		Trainings		Tribal Events	
2	8	6	8	1	2
Conferences Attended	NamUs Staff in Attendance	Training Events	NamUs Staff in Attendance	Conference Attended	NamUs Staff in Attendance
1	18,170	5	323	1	20
Presentation Given	Conference Attendees	States Represented	Trainees	Presentation Given	Conference Attendees

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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.