

GUYANA LEGAL AID CLINIC
SUMMARY OF MATTERS DEALT WITH
MARCH 1994-DECEMBER 2017

CLIENTAL
 FEMALE 26,492
 MALE 12,213
38,705

CIVIL MATTERS	INTERVIEWED 1994-2017	ADVISE & REP 1994-2017	ADVISE 1994-2017	INELIGIBLE 1994-2017
ADOPTION	296	107	182	7
BIGAMY	11	1	7	3
CONTRACT	520	310	194	16
CUSTODY & ACCESS	2,389	1,080	1,180	129
DAMAGE TO PROPERTY	471	96	367	8
DEED POLLS & AFFIDAVITS	954	905	45	4
DIVISION OF PROPERTY	1,978	846	1,078	54
DIVORCE	14,377	10,027	4,073	277
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE	4,195	2,072	2,065	58
EMPLOYMENT	106	70	34	2
ESTATES	1,993	978	951	64
INJUNCTIONS	146	66	68	12
LANDLORD & TENANT	1,392	580	780	32
LATE REGISTRATION BIRTHS/DEATHS	299	250	48	1
MAINTENANCE	1,973	892	1,040	41
MISCELLANEOUS	2,502	1,148	1,268	86
NUISANCE	119	23	94	2
PERSONAL INJURY/DEATH CLAIMS	358	231	112	15
POWER OF ATTORNEY	96	74	22	0
PRESCRIPTIVE TITLE	58	12	40	6
PROPERTY DISPUTES	1,549	564	922	63
TRESPASS	211	164	37	10
TOTALS	35,993	20,496	14,607	890
CRIMINAL MATTERS		ADVISE & REP.	ADVISE ONLY	INELIGIBLE FOR LEGAL AID
ASSAULT	958	629	303	26
DISORDERLY BEHAVIOUR	112	35	72	5
FIREARMS	7	5	2	0
MISCELLANEOUS	329	249	73	7
MURDER/MANSLAUGHTER	305	177	123	5
NARCOTICS	103	82	21	0
RAPE/CARNAL KNOWLEDGE	156	65	74	17
ROBBERY & THEFT	511	332	174	5
THREATENING LANGUAGE	231	154	72	5
TOTALS	2,712	1,728	914	70

NOTES

- INTERVIEWEES ASSESSED AS BEING INELIGIBLE FOR LEGAL AID ARE REFERRED TO MEMBERS OF THE PRIVATE BAR
- ON OCCASION THE CLINIC HANDLES MORE THAN ONE MATTER FOR A CLIENT: THE MATTER FOR WHICH HELP WAS ORIGINALLY REQUESTED IS RECORDED IN OUR STATISTICS
- MUTUAL REFERRAL OF CLIENTS BETWEEN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN SERVICES & SOCIAL SECURITY AND NGOS, PARTICULARLY HELP & SHELTER, IS COMMON