

 Report to: The Honorable Michael J. Rodrigues, Chair, Senate Committee on Ways and Means The Honorable Aaron Michlewitz, Chair, House Committee on Ways and Means The Honorable Michael D. Hurley, Senate Clerk The Honorable Steven T. James, House Clerk
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Re: FY 2020 Report, Filed Pursuant to FY 2021 Budget Line Item 0340-2100, of the Disabled Persons Protection Commission (DPPC) Case Referrals to the District Attorneys

District	DPPC Referrals	Open Pending Investigation	Criminal Charges Filed	Open in Prosecution	Disposed with Conviction	Disposed without Conviction
Berkshire	28	25	4	1	0	0
Bristol	258	57	24	45	7	10
Cape & Islands	72	28	9	6	2	1
Essex	228	47	9	9	0	0
Hampden	152	99	20	25	9	34
Middlesex	319	128	19	18	0	3
Norfolk	222	15	46	57	14	21
Northwestern	132	45	28	18	7	2
Plymouth	145	248	21	35	6	11
Suffolk	312	12	5	15	0	4
Worcester	380	258	146	144	54	60
Total FY 2020	2,020	915	322	364	99	146

To more accurately reflect the volume of activity on all DPPC referrals, and because often these cases span more than one fiscal year, all information herein is from referrals and cases that remained active as of June 30, 2020.

The types of charges typically filed in these cases include:

- Assault and Battery on Disabled Person
- Indecent Assault and Battery on a Person with Intellectual Disability
- Permit Injury to Disabled Person

- Indecent Assault and Battery on a Child
- Indecent Assault and Battery
- Assault
- Assault and Battery
- Assault and Battery on a Family Member
- Assault and Battery +60 Disabled
- Assault and Battery +60 Disabled with Injury
- Burglary
- Rape
- Assault and Battery, Serious Bodily Injury
- Unarmed Robbery
- 209A Violation
- Assault to Murder + 60, Armed
- Strangulation
- Assault to Rape
- Kidnapping
- Larceny
- Larceny of a Credit Card
- Indecent Exposure
- Witness Intimidation
- Threat to Commit a Crime
- Unnatural Acts