

CT Right to Counsel Update

June 16, 2023

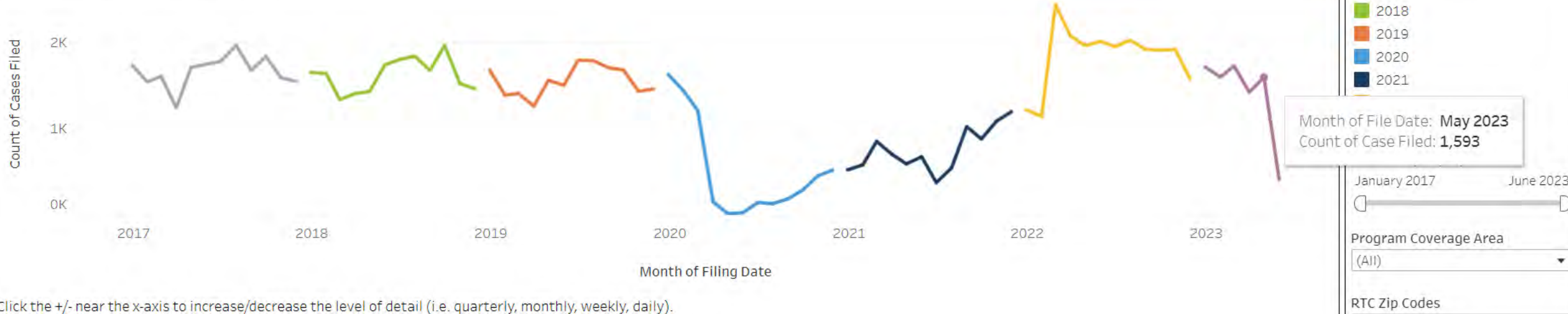


Filing Trends

Eviction Filings Trend By Year

Data through 06/08/2023

Annual Filing Trends 2017 - 2022



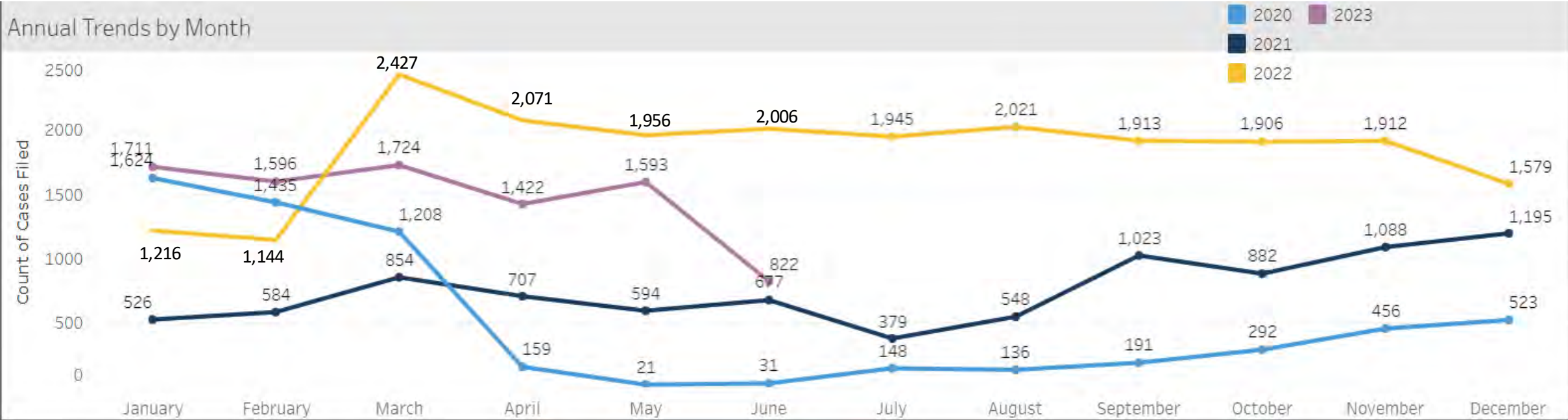
2019 Eviction Filings: 18,922

2022 Eviction Filings: 22,448

2023 Filings to-date: ~8,868

June 2023 filings to-date: ~822

Annual Filings Trends by Month



Q2 2022 Filings: 6,033

Q2 2023 Filings to-date: 3,837

Housing Authorities Filings

Cases Filed by Connecticut Housing Authorities 2022

Data through 06/12/2023



2022 Housing Authority filings: 738

Housing Authorities Filings (cntd.)

Cases Filed by Connecticut Housing Authorities 2023 to-date

Data through 06/14/2023



2023 Housing Authority filings to-date: 459

Connecticut Eviction Right to Counsel

Program Data Analysis

OF PROGRAMS

5



OF CLIENTS

2,661



OF CLIENTS REFERRED FOR
FULL REPRESENTATION

1,770

PROGRAM DATE RANGE

1/31/2022

TO

5/31/2023



Client Demographics

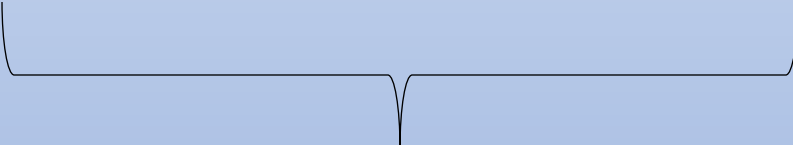
Gender	
Female	69%
Male	31%
Transgender	0.000376
Not Specified	0.001127

Age	18-24	25-34	35-49	50-64	65+
	6.5%	25.1%	34.9%	25.0%	8.5%

Race/Ethnicity

African American or Black - Not Hispanic	46.3%
Hispanic - Hispanic	32.7%
White - Not Hispanic	15.1%
Other - Not Hispanic	4.7%
Native American or Alaskan Native - Not Hispanic	0.5%
Asian or Pacific Islander - Not Hispanic	0.4%
White - Hispanic	0.2%
African American or Black - Hispanic	0.1%

Household Size	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	37%	22%	19%	11%	6%	3%	1%	0%
989	587	509	302	151	80	20	10	



62% of RTC clients live in a household with 2 or more people.

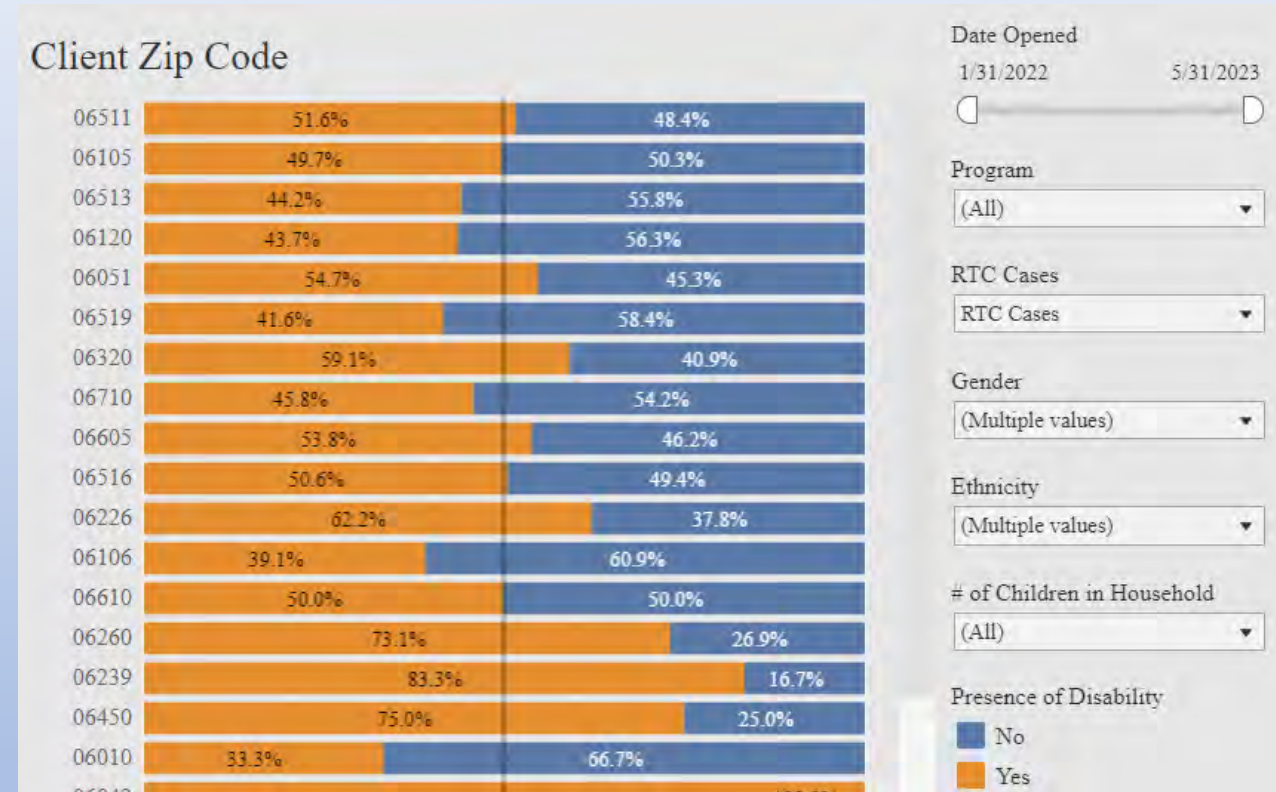
Client Demographics - Disability

Disability question in RTC questionnaire:

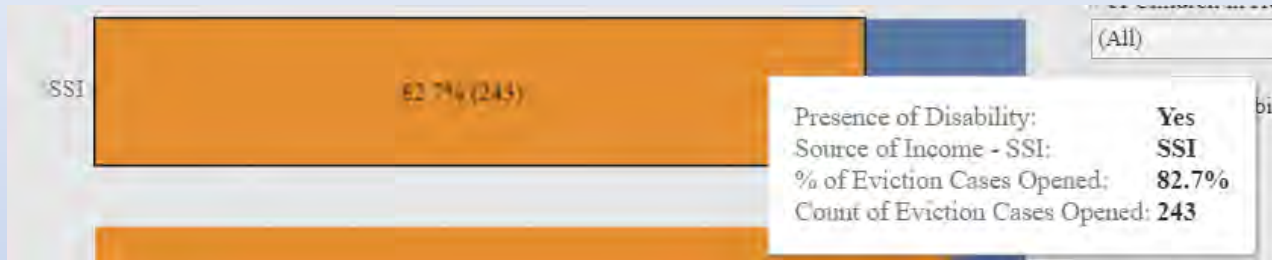
Do you or someone in your household have a disability?

Disability	
No	50.2%
Physical Disability	25.0%
Mental Disability	20.0%
Not Specified Disability	4.3%
Hard of hearing or vision impaired	0.5%

Yes, 49.2%

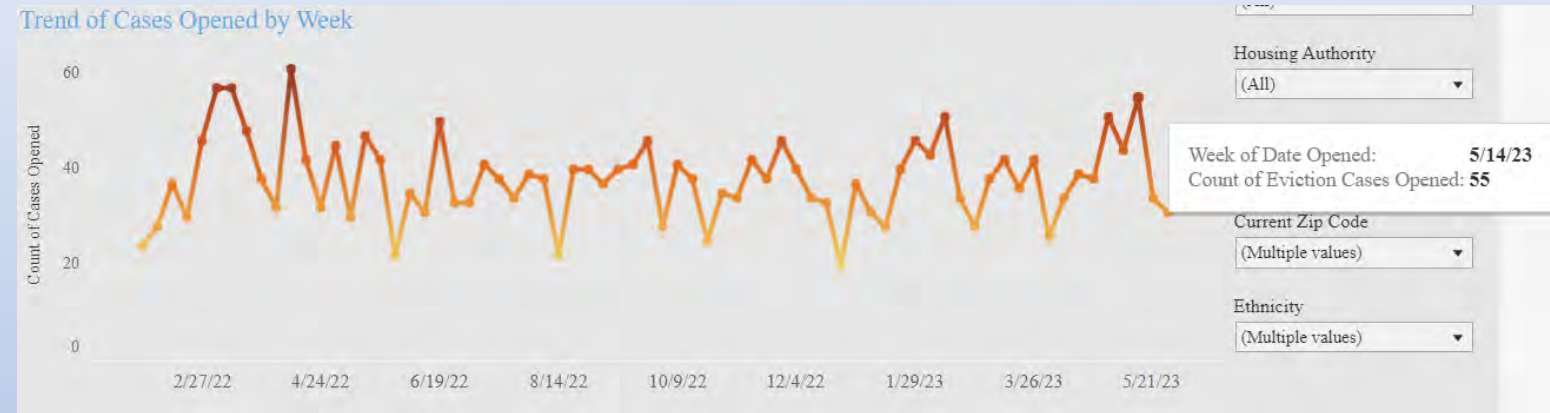
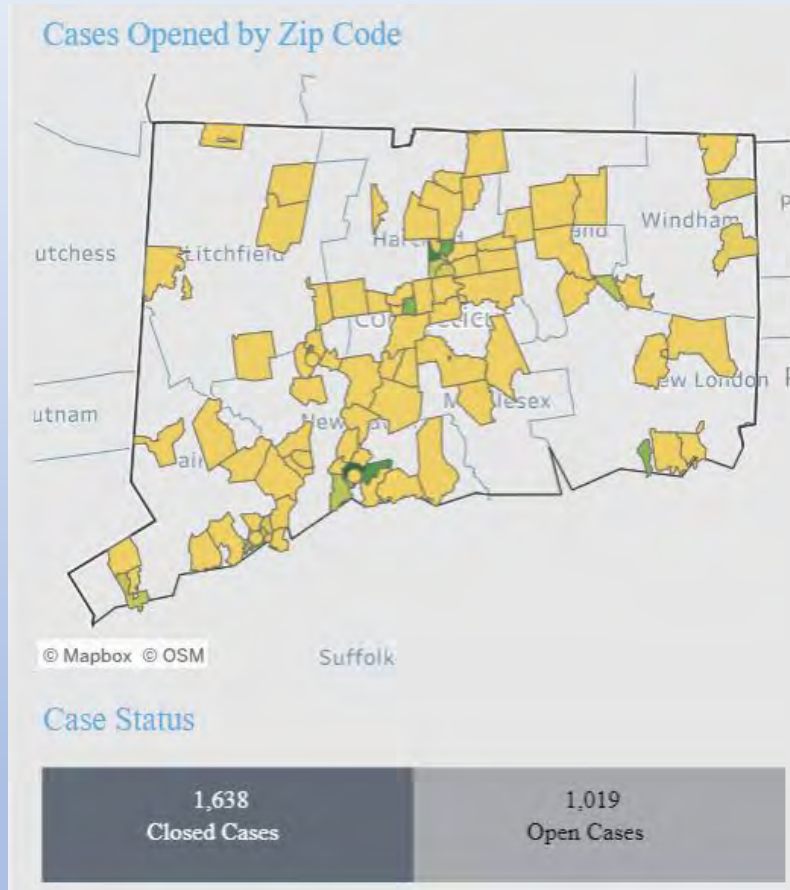


Client Demographics – Disability (cntd)



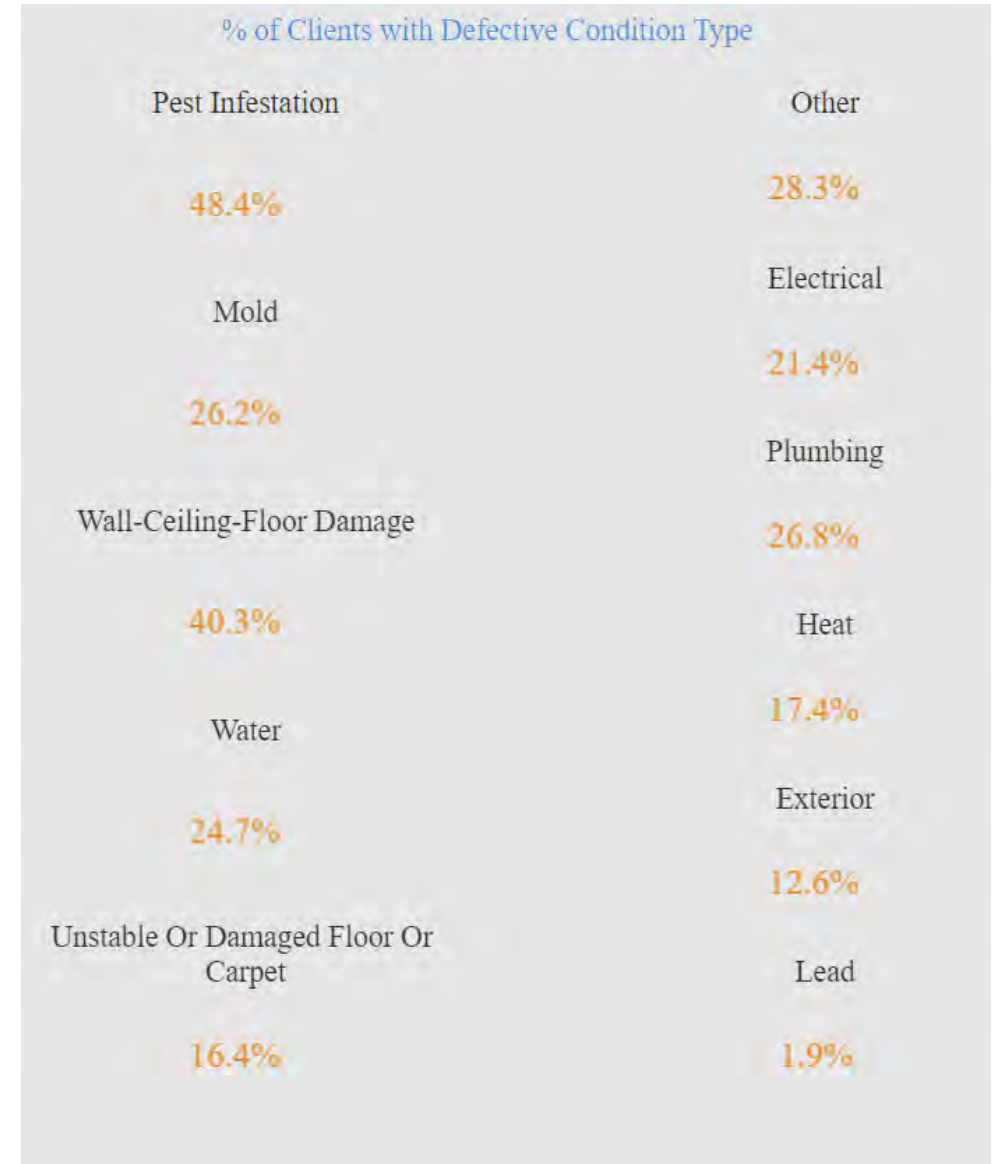
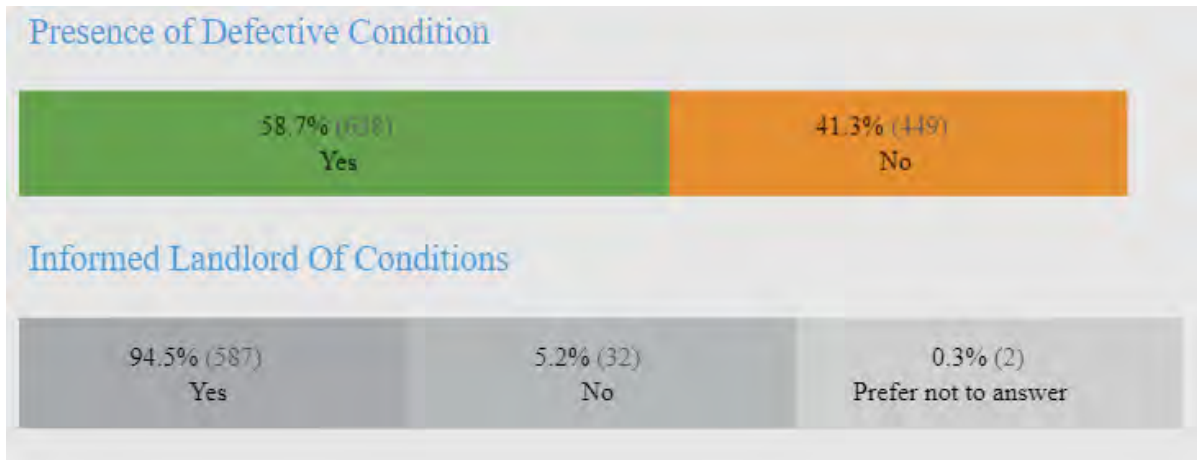
440 clients receive SSI or SSDI.

Case Distribution



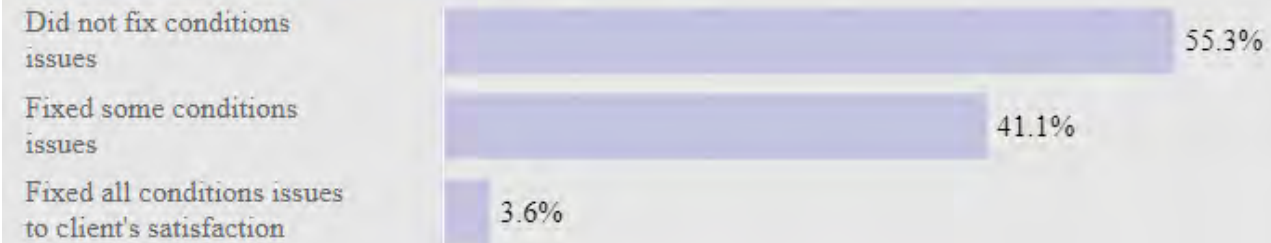
Defective Conditions

Almost 60% of RTC clients report defective conditions in their apartment.

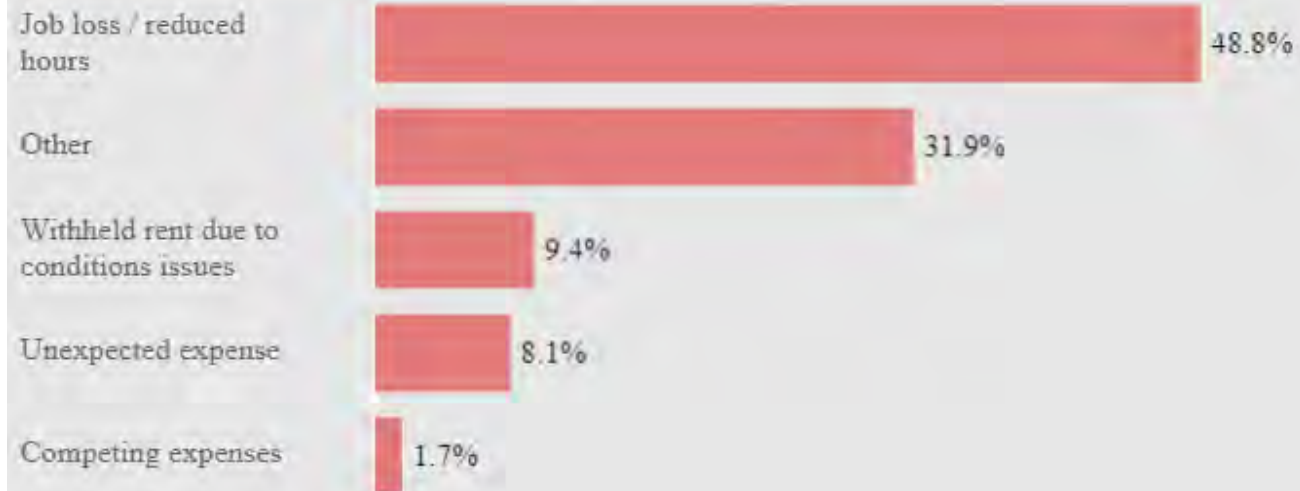


Conditions Issues (cntd.)

Landlord Repair of Defective Condition(s)

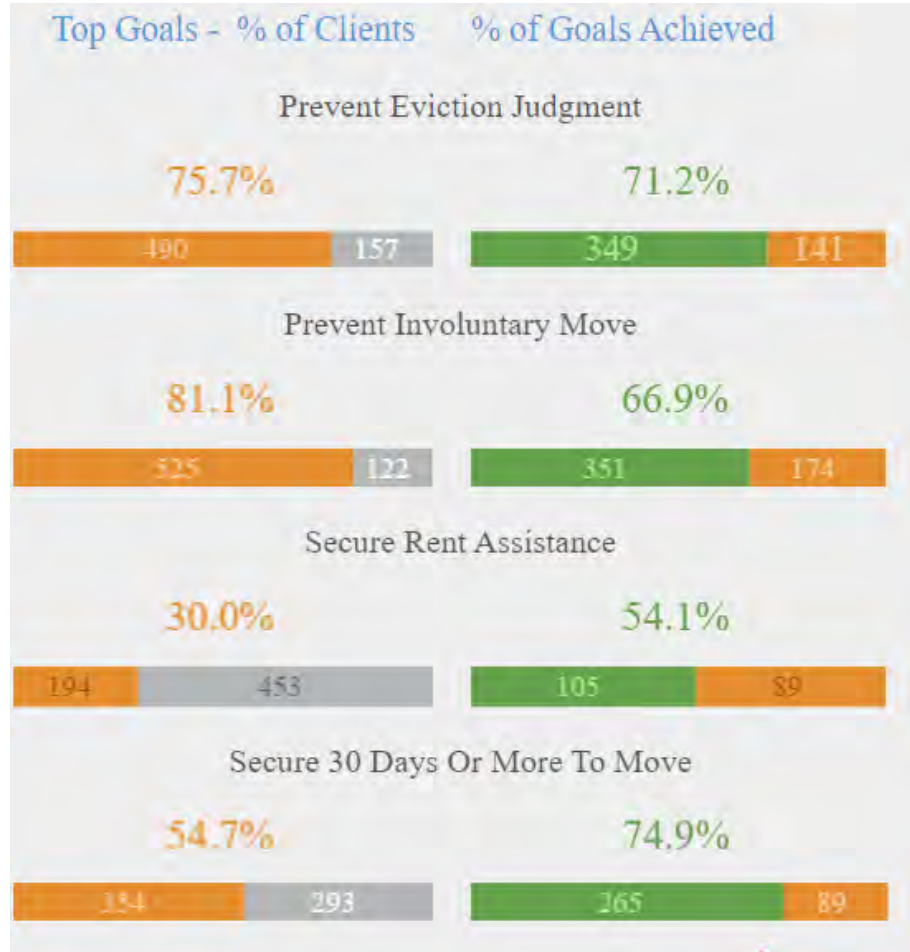


What Led to Non-Payment



9% of RTC clients withhold rent due to conditions issues.

Top Client Goals

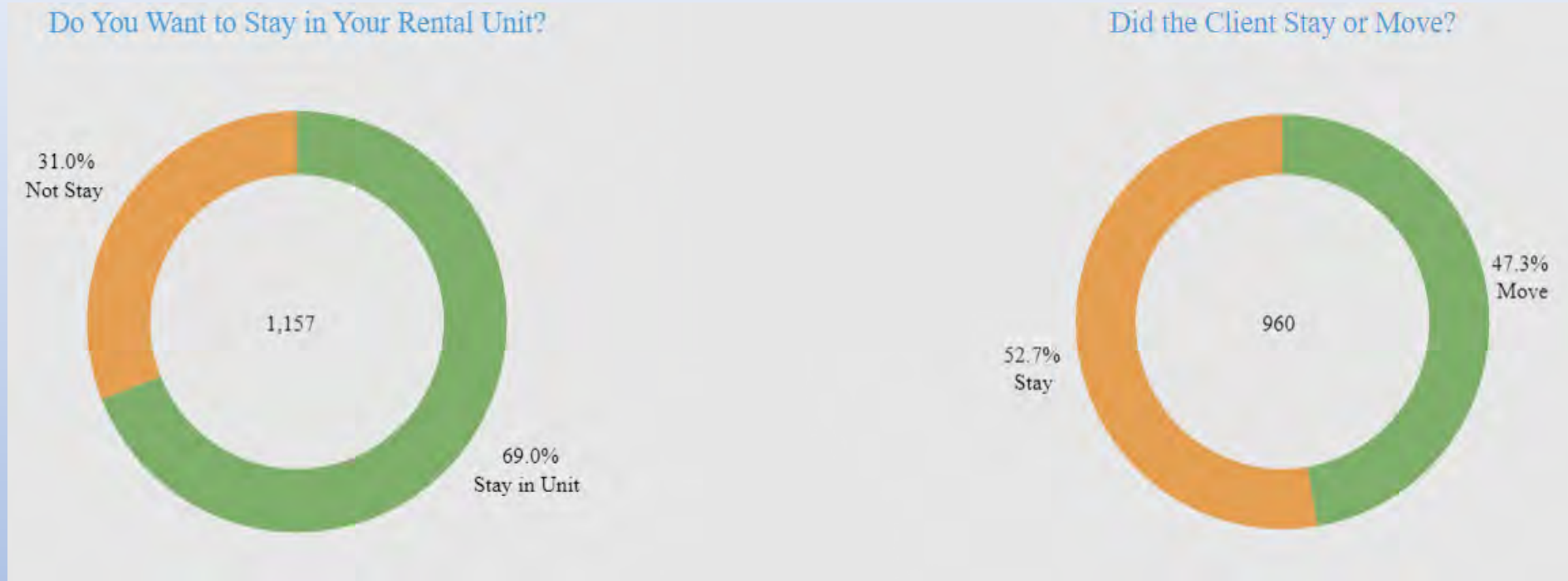


The **top two** self-reported **client goals** are: **Prevent Involuntary Move** at 81.1% and **Prevent Eviction Judgment** at 75.7%.

So far, '**Prevent Eviction Judgment**' has been **achieved** in **71.2%** of closed, extensive services cases.

'**Prevent Involuntary Move**' has been **achieved** in **66.9%** of closed, extensive services cases.

Time to Move



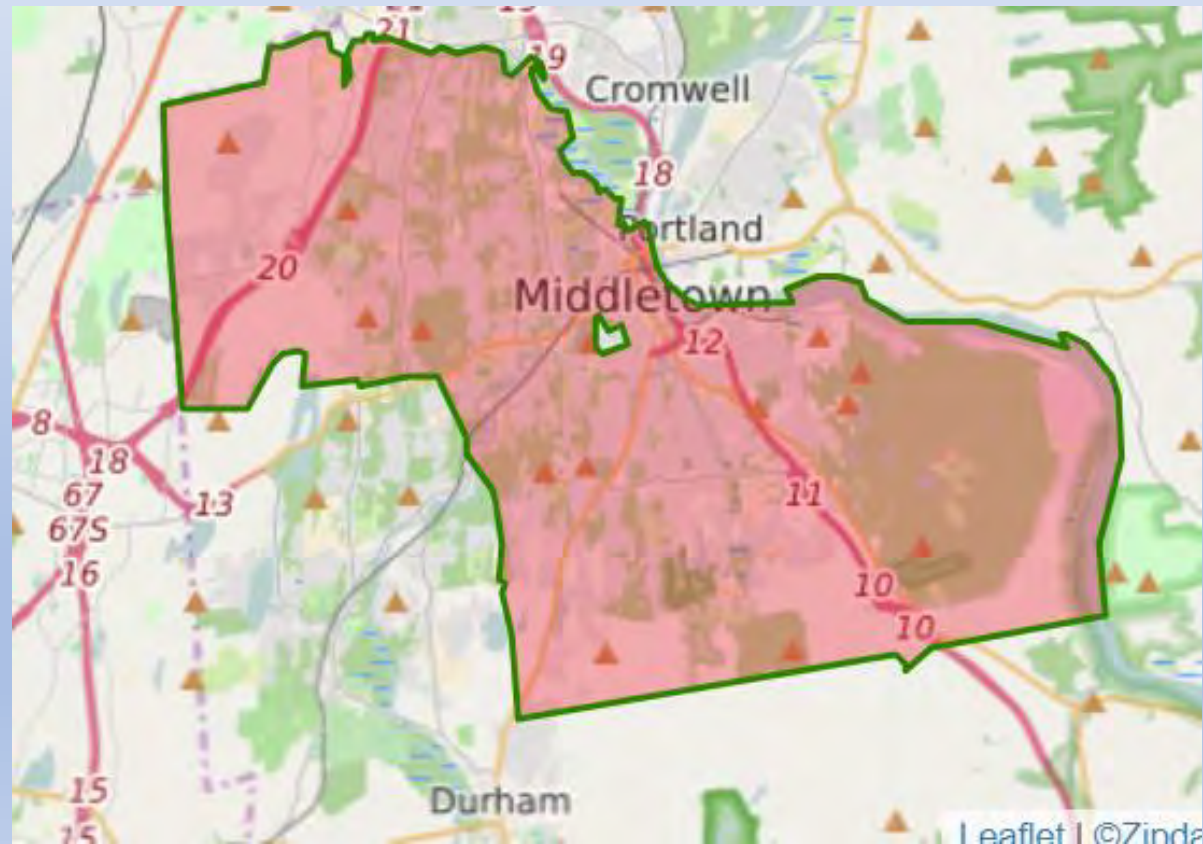
Almost 53% of clients **stay** in their apartment following the end of their case.

New Intake Question – Rent Increase

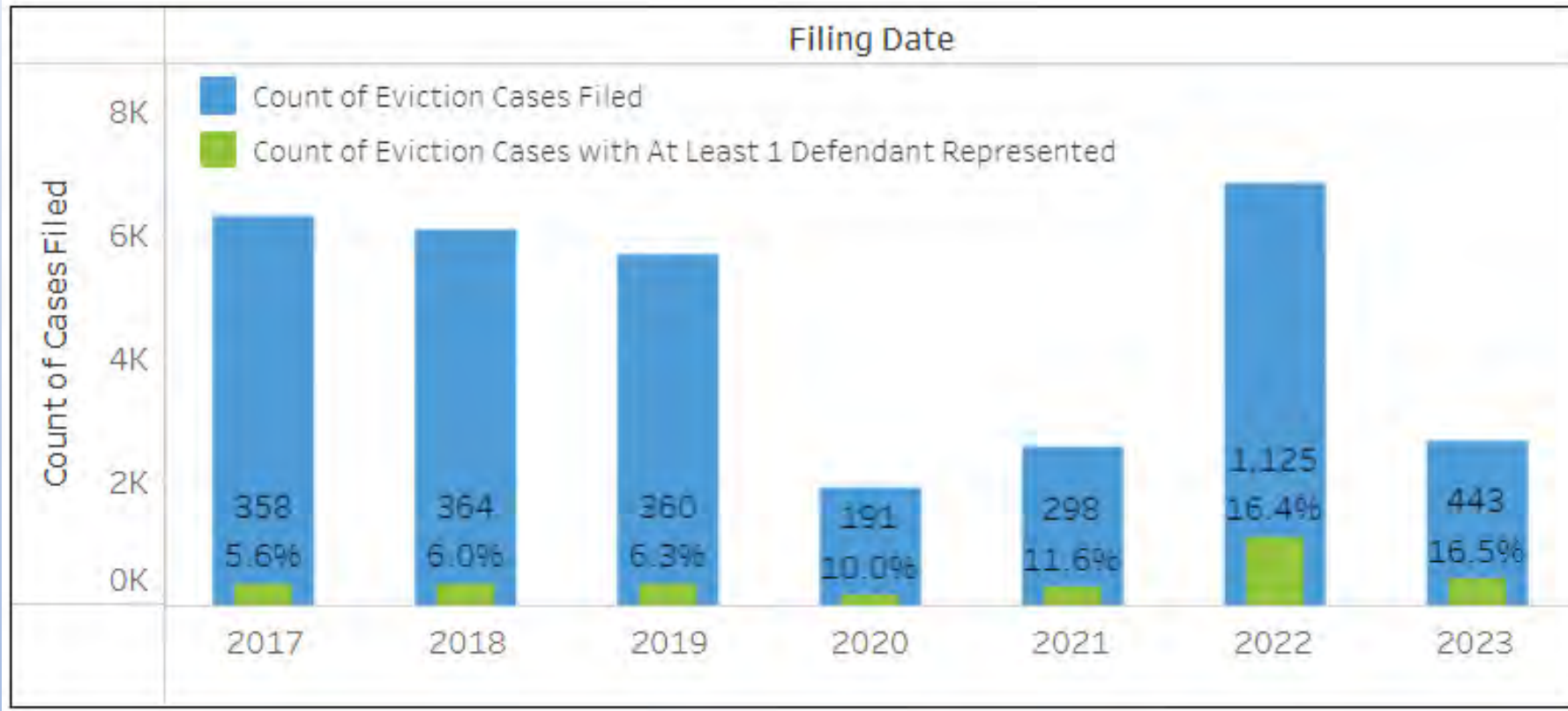
- “Have you experienced a rent increase since you have been in the unit?”
 - “If yes, how much did your rent increase?”

Additional Zip Code Launched

Middletown – 06457



Defendant Representation in RTC Zip Codes



Data through 06/14/2023

Program Coverage Area
(All) ▼

RTC Zip Codes
RTC Zip Codes ▼

Housing Authority
(All) ▼

Program Expenditures

- Cumulative expenditures through March 31, 2023 - **\$5.3M**
 - Spending increased by \$363,550 in Q1 2023, compared to Q4 2022
 - 496 cases opened January – March 2023.

Increased spending for the remainder of 2023 projected compared to 2022 as case referrals increase.

Staffing

Organization	CVLC	GHLA	NHLAA	SLS	CLS	Total
Attorneys (FTE)	3.49	9.1	10.3	3.85	14.6	41.34

Questions?

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