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Hearing Requests Pending By Format

This one-time report shows the number of cases pending from the end of FY 2006 through the end of FY 2012 in the Office of Disability Adjudication and Review's (ODAR's) hearing offices or other locations and the amount and percentages of those cases pending that were in either electronic folder (EF) format or paper format. An EF case is one where all pertinent claims documents are available for viewing electronically. A paper case has some or all claims documents on paper.

For various reasons, it became important for ODAR to move away from the traditional paper folder format to the EF format. The report below details the success of that initiative across the nation. In fact, ODAR decreased its pending paper format workload from 92% in FY 2006 to 4% by the end of FY 2012.



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FY 2006 - FY 2012 National Pending Hearing Requests By Format (Electronic Folder vs. Paper Cases)

Fiscal Year	Electronic Folder Cases	Electronic Folder % of ALL	Paper Cases	Paper % of ALL	ALL
2006	56,006	7.8%	659,562	92.2%	715,568
2007	409,427	54.8%	337,317	45.2%	746,744
2008	655,457	86.2%	105,356	13.8%	760,813
2009	663,789	91.8%	59,033	8.2%	722,822
2010	654,074	92.7%	51,293	7.3%	705,367
2011	734,537	95.2%	36,781	4.8%	771,318
2012	782,455	95.8%	34,120	4.2%	816,575



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