

Table 36. Reported Marriage Dissolution Decrees by Month and by Type of Decree: Missouri, 2019

| | Total Decrees | Dissolutions | Legal Separations | Annulments |
|--------------------|---------------|--------------|-------------------|------------|
| State Total | 17,840 | 17,698 | 100 | 42 |
| January | 1,311 | 1,304 | 6 | 1 |
| February | 1,197 | 1,188 | 7 | 2 |
| March | 1,457 | 1,445 | 10 | 2 |
| April | 1,645 | 1,626 | 9 | 10 |
| May | 1,663 | 1,648 | 11 | 4 |
| June | 1,518 | 1,502 | 11 | 5 |
| July | 1,573 | 1,564 | 5 | 4 |
| August | 1,464 | 1,452 | 9 | 3 |
| September | 1,439 | 1,430 | 7 | 2 |
| October | 1,615 | 1,604 | 6 | 5 |
| November | 1,389 | 1,374 | 14 | 1 |
| December | 1,569 | 1,561 | 5 | 3 |

Table 37. Reported Dissolutions and Annulments of Marriage by Number of Previous Marriages: Missouri, 2019

| <u>Husband</u> | Total | <u>Wife</u> | | | | | | |
|---------------------|--------|-------------|-------|-------|-------|------|--------------|---------|
| | | None | One | Two | Three | Four | Five Or More | Unknown |
| Total | 17,740 | 10,219 | 3,551 | 1,075 | 332 | 118 | 60 | 2,385 |
| None | 10,193 | 8,357 | 1,419 | 257 | 60 | 18 | 11 | 71 |
| One | 3,597 | 1,448 | 1,450 | 442 | 119 | 49 | 18 | 71 |
| Two | 1,115 | 269 | 455 | 249 | 82 | 28 | 18 | 14 |
| Three | 322 | 55 | 121 | 72 | 44 | 12 | 7 | 11 |
| Four | 88 | 16 | 25 | 23 | 15 | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| Five Or More | 36 | 5 | 11 | 6 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Unknown | 2,389 | 69 | 70 | 26 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 2,214 |

Currently, the dissolution and annulment data do not include a variable for gender. To remain consistent with previous years, the terminology of "Husband" and "Wife" will remain until a gender variable is added to the data.