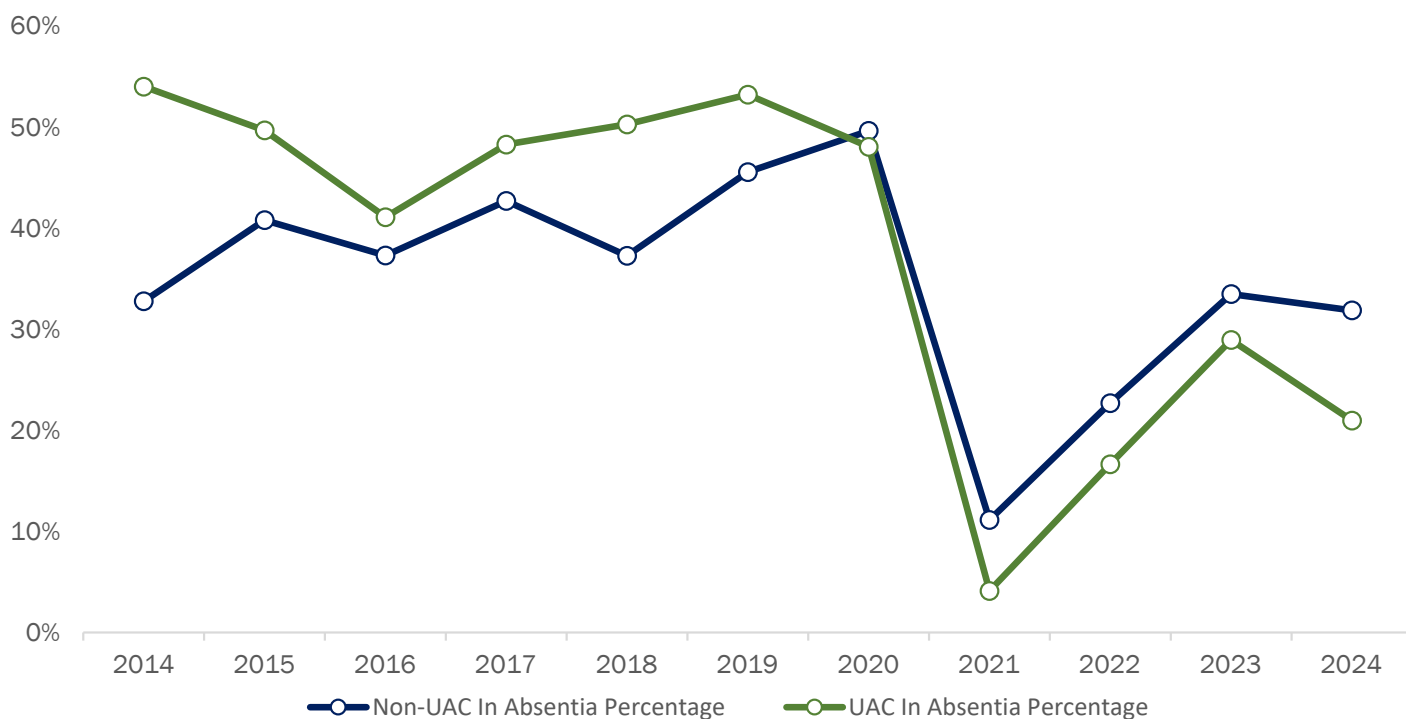


# EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR IMMIGRATION REVIEW ADJUDICATION STATISTICS

## Comparison of *In Absentia* Rates<sup>1</sup>



Fiscal Year	Total			Non-UAC			UAC			Ratio of UAC <i>In Absentia</i> Removal Order to Non-UAC <i>In Absentia</i> Removal Order Percentages
	ICCs <sup>2</sup>	<i>In Absentia</i> Removal Orders	Percent <i>In Absentia</i>	ICCs	<i>In Absentia</i> Removal Orders	Percent <i>In Absentia</i>	ICCs	<i>In Absentia</i> Removal Orders	Percent <i>In Absentia</i>	
2014	76,527	25,911	34%	72,679	23,832	33%	3,848	2,079	54%	1.65:1
2015	90,694	38,270	42%	76,553	31,243	41%	14,141	7,027	50%	1.22:1
2016	90,383	34,312	38%	75,043	28,006	37%	15,340	6,306	41%	1.1:1
2017	96,618	42,051	44%	82,666	35,314	43%	13,952	6,737	48%	1.13:1
2018	119,359	46,221	39%	106,167	39,587	37%	13,192	6,634	50%	1.35:1
2019	197,939	91,308	46%	183,300	83,516	46%	14,639	7,792	53%	1.17:1
2020	177,244	87,854	50%	167,896	83,361	50%	9,348	4,493	48%	0.97:1
2021	86,768	8,541	10%	70,724	7,880	11%	16,044	661	4%	0.37:1
2022	283,534	62,714	22%	255,914	58,112	23%	27,620	4,602	17%	0.73:1
2023	481,600	159,977	33%	452,227	151,473	33%	29,373	8,504	29%	0.86:1
2024 (Second Quarter)	303,080	95,428	31%	291,954	93,094	32%	11,126	2,334	21%	0.66:1

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<sup>1</sup> *In Absentia* removal orders issued in removal, deportation, and exclusion cases, excluding detained non-MPP cases.

<sup>2</sup> Initial Case Completions

The COVID-19 pandemic resulted in fewer non-detained hearings overall and, therefore, fewer occasions in which *in absentia* orders of removal may have occurred. Additionally, the Department of Homeland Security's policy modifications led to an increase in terminations and dismissals, which impacted the number of *in absentia* orders of removal.