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Domestic Violence Monthly Summary Reporting

**Respondent Demographics (Sex) by Case Type**

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The Respondent Demographics by Case Type report provides summaries and percentages of respondents grouped by sex. The statistics are provided for final order hearings only and are broken out by case type (protective, peace and juvenile peace.) Hearing outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)

**DV PROTECTIVE**

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	17	18.3
MALE	65	69.9
UNKNOWN	11	11.8
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>93</b>	

**PEACE**

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	13	28.3
MALE	29	63
UNKNOWN	4	8.7
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>46</b>	

**Total All: 139**



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**Respondent Demographics (Race) by Case Type**

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The Respondent Demographics by Case Type report provides summaries and percentages of respondents grouped by race. The statistics are provided for final orders only and are broken out by case type (protective, peace, and juvenile peace.) Hearing outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)

**DV PROTECTIVE**

Race	Count	Percent
ASIAN	3	3.2
BLACK	25	26.9
OTHER	2	2.2
UNDETERMINED	18	19.4
WHITE	45	48.4
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>93</b>	

**PEACE**

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	11	23.9
UNDETERMINED	9	19.6
WHITE	26	56.5
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>46</b>	

<b>Total All:</b>	<b>139</b>
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**Respondent Demographics (Age Range) by Case Type**

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The Respondent Demographics by Case Type report provides summaries and percentages of respondents grouped by age range. The statistics are provided for final orders only and are broken out by case type (protective, peace, and juvenile peace). Hearing outcome is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)

**DV PROTECTIVE**

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	13	14
Age Range 25-59	61	65.6
Age Range 60+	1	1.1
Undetermined	18	19.4
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>93</b>	

**PEACE**

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	10	21.7
Age Range 25-59	14	30.4
Age Range 60+	1	2.2
Undetermined	21	45.7
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>46</b>	

**Total All: 139**



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**Grounds by Case Type Summary**

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The Grounds by Type Summary report provides summaries and percentages based on the grounds for issuing temporary and final orders. Statistics are grouped by case type (protective, peace, and juvenile peace.)

**DV PROTECTIVE**

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	18	64.3
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	9	32.1
PHYSICAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	3.6
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>28</b>	

**PEACE**

Grounds	Count	Percent
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	4	30.8
HARASSMENT	8	61.5
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	1	7.7
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>13</b>	

<b>Total All:</b>	<b>41</b>
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**Denied & Dismissed Reasons for Final and Temporary Orders**

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The Denied & Dismissed Reasons for Final and Temporary Orders report provides counts and percentages based on the reasons for denial or dismissal of a petition for protection. The statistics are provided for temporary and final orders and are broken out by case type (protective, peace, and juvenile peace). Percentages provided within this report represent the percentage of denial & dismissal reasons; not overall cases.

**DV PROTECTIVE**

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Other Reason	2	4.8
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	10	23.8
Denied: Petitioner is not a person eligible for relief	2	4.8
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	19	45.2
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	9	21.4
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>42</b>	

**PEACE**

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Other Reason	1	4.8
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	14	66.7
Dismissed: Lack of service	1	4.8
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	1	4.8
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	4	19
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>21</b>	

<b>Total All:</b>	<b>63</b>
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**Hearings Representation by Case Type Summary**

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The Hearing Representation report provides a summary and percentage based on respondent and petitioner representation during the hearing. Since the temporary order hearings do not typically include a respondent, only the final order hearings are included. Hearing outcome is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)

**DV PROTECTIVE**

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	93	
Respondent Represented	18	19.4
Petitioner Represented	28	30.1
Either Represented	38	40.9
Both Represented	13	14

**PEACE**

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	46	
Respondent Represented	6	13
Petitioner Represented	2	4.3
Either Represented	12	26.1
Both Represented	1	2.2



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**Forms of Relief Summary**

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The Forms of Relief report provides summaries and percentages based on the forms of relief granted to the petitioner. Only granted final orders are included. Multiple forms of relief are often granted to the petitioner.

**DV PROTECTIVE**

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	50	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	48	96
Shall not contact	40	80
Shall not enter residence	45	90
Stay away from	45	90
Vacate home	18	36
Custody	11	22
Visitation	1	2
Pay EFM	3	6
Use and possession of vehicle	3	6
Counseling	2	4
Surrender firearms	42	84
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0

**PEACE**

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	24	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	21	87.5
Shall not contact	24	100
Shall not enter residence	19	79.2
Stay away from	19	79.2
Vacate home	0	0
Custody	0	0
Visitation	0	0
Pay EFM	0	0
Use and possession of vehicle	0	0
Counseling	0	0
Surrender firearms	0	0
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0



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**Order Duration by Case Type**

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The Order Duration report provides summaries and averages for the duration of orders granted by the courts. Only final orders are included since interim and temporaries follow a set static period of time leading up to the final.

**DV PROTECTIVE**

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	50
Greater than 12 months	17
Between 6 to 12 months	29
Less than 6 months	4

**PEACE**

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	24
Greater than 12 months	1
Between 6 to 12 months	18
Less than 6 months	5