



State of Maryland, Administrative Office of the Courts
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Respondent Demographics (Sex) by Case Type

MARCH 2018

BALTIMORE CITY

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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	50	21.6
MALE	175	75.4
UNKNOWN	7	3
Total Orders	232	

JUVENILE PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	10	71.4
MALE	4	28.6
Total Orders	14	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	56	52.8
MALE	49	46.2
UNKNOWN	1	0.9
Total Orders	106	

Total All: 352



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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
AMERICAN INDIAN/ESKIMO	1	0.4
BLACK	195	84.1
OTHER	8	3.4
UNDETERMINED	9	3.9
WHITE	19	8.2
Total Orders	232	

JUVENILE PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	12	85.7
UNDETERMINED	1	7.1
WHITE	1	7.1
Total Orders	14	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	89	84
OTHER	5	4.7
UNDETERMINED	1	0.9
WHITE	11	10.4
Total Orders	106	

Total All: 352



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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is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	33	14.2
Age Range 25-59	155	66.8
Age Range 60+	8	3.4
Undetermined	36	15.5
Total Orders	232	

JUVENILE PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 0-17	14	100
Total Orders	14	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	20	18.9
Age Range 25-59	43	40.6
Age Range 60+	1	0.9
Undetermined	42	39.6
Total Orders	106	

Total All: 352



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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.)

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Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	24	52.2
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	17	37
CAUSED HARM	1	2.2
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	1	2.2
PHYSICAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	2	4.3
STALKING	1	2.2
Total Orders	46	

JUVENILE PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	13	15.7
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	14	16.9
CAUSED HARM	13	15.7
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	6	7.2
HARASSMENT	12	14.5
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	7	8.4
RAPE OR OTHER SEXUAL OFFENSE OR ATTEMPT	1	1.2
STALKING	11	13.3
TRESPASSING	6	7.2
Total Orders	83	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	4	20
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	5	25
HARASSMENT	6	30
RAPE OR OTHER SEXUAL OFFENSE OR ATTEMPT	1	5
TRESPASSING	4	20
Total Orders	20	

Total All: 149



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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: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	23	18.3
Denied: Petitioner is not a person eligible for relief	1	0.8
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	1	0.8
Dismissed: Lack of personal jurisdiction	2	1.6
Dismissed: Lack of service	24	19
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	63	50
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	12	9.5
Total Orders	126	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Other Reason	4	6.3
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	13	20.6
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	4	6.3
Dismissed: Lack of service	1	1.6
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	37	58.7
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	4	6.3
Total Orders	63	

Total All: 189



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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.)

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Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	232	
Respondent Represented	22	9.5
Petitioner Represented	43	18.5
Either Represented	61	26.3
Both Represented	13	5.6

JUVENILE PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	14	
Respondent Represented	0	0
Petitioner Represented	0	0
Either Represented	0	0
Both Represented	0	0

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	106	
Respondent Represented	4	3.8
Petitioner Represented	4	3.8
Either Represented	8	7.5
Both Represented	2	1.9



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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.

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Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	88	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	88	100
Shall not contact	87	98.9
Shall not enter residence	83	94.3
Stay away from	86	97.7
Vacate home	20	22.7
Custody	36	40.9
Visitation	4	4.5
Pay EFM	5	5.7
Use and possession of vehicle	4	4.5
Counseling	2	2.3
Surrender firearms	79	89.8
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0

JUVENILE PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	14	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	0	0
Shall not contact	7	50
Shall not enter residence	6	42.9
Stay away from	6	42.9
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

PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	43	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	43	100
Shall not contact	41	95.3
Shall not enter residence	40	93
Stay away from	40	93
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	1	2.3
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	87
Greater than 12 months	2
Between 6 to 12 months	82
Less than 6 months	3

JUVENILE PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	13
Between 6 to 12 months	9
Less than 6 months	4

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	43
Between 6 to 12 months	36
Less than 6 months	7