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Domestic Violence Monthly Summary Reporting

Respondent Demographics (Sex) by Case Type

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HOWARD

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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	19	31.1
MALE	41	67.2
UNKNOWN	1	1.6
Total Orders	61	

JUVENILE PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
MALE	2	100
Total Orders	2	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	13	39.4
MALE	20	60.6
Total Orders	33	

Total All: 96



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	2	3.3
BLACK	27	44.3
OTHER	5	8.2
UNDETERMINED	2	3.3
WHITE	25	41
Total Orders	61	

JUVENILE PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	1	50
UNDETERMINED	1	50
Total Orders	2	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
ASIAN	2	6.1
BLACK	15	45.5
OTHER	4	12.1
WHITE	12	36.4
Total Orders	33	

Total All:	96
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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is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	5	8.2
Age Range 25-59	48	78.7
Age Range 60+	3	4.9
Undetermined	5	8.2
Total Orders	61	

JUVENILE PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 0-17	2	100
Total Orders	2	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	7	21.2
Age Range 25-59	7	21.2
Age Range 60+	3	9.1
Undetermined	16	48.5
Total Orders	33	

Total All: 96



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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	10	38.5
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	11	42.3
MENTAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	3.8
PHYSICAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	2	7.7
SEXUAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	3.8
STATUTORY ABUSE OF A VULNERABLE ADULT	1	3.8
Total Orders	26	

JUVENILE PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
HARASSMENT	1	100
Total Orders	1	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	3	18.8
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	6	37.5
HARASSMENT	3	18.8
STALKING	2	12.5
TRESPASSING	2	12.5
Total Orders	16	

Total All:	43
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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	9	28.1
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	6	18.8
Dismissed: Lack of service	1	3.1
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	11	34.4
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	5	15.6
Total Orders	32	

JUVENILE PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	1	100
Total Orders	1	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Other Reason	2	14.3
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	3	21.4
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	5	35.7
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	4	28.6
Total Orders	14	

Total All:	47
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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	61	
Respondent Represented	12	19.7
Petitioner Represented	18	29.5
Either Represented	24	39.3
Both Represented	9	14.8

JUVENILE PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	2	
Respondent Represented	0	0
Petitioner Represented	0	0
Either Represented	0	0
Both Represented	0	0

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	33	
Respondent Represented	6	18.2
Petitioner Represented	3	9.1
Either Represented	15	45.5
Both Represented	0	0



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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	28	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	27	96.4
Shall not contact	25	89.3
Shall not enter residence	24	85.7
Stay away from	26	92.9
Vacate home	10	35.7
Custody	11	39.3
Visitation	0	0
Pay EFM	1	3.6
Use and possession of vehicle	0	0
Counseling	4	14.3
Surrender firearms	28	100
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0

JUVENILE PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	1	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	1	100
Shall not contact	1	100
Shall not enter residence	1	100
Stay away from	1	100
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	19	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	19	100
Shall not contact	19	100
Shall not enter residence	19	100
Stay away from	19	100
Vacate home	0	0
Custody	0	0
Visitation	0	0
Pay EFM	0	0
Use and possession of vehicle	0	0
Counseling	1	5.3
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	28
Greater than 12 months	2
Between 6 to 12 months	25
Less than 6 months	1

JUVENILE PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	1
Between 6 to 12 months	1

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	19
Between 6 to 12 months	19