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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	28	15.9
MALE	146	83
UNKNOWN	2	1.1
Total Orders	176	

JUVENILE PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	2	50
MALE	2	50
Total Orders	4	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	35	41.2
MALE	48	56.5
UNKNOWN	2	2.4
Total Orders	85	

Total All: 265



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	9	5.1
BLACK	75	42.6
OTHER	40	22.7
UNDETERMINED	2	1.1
WHITE	50	28.4
Total Orders	176	

JUVENILE PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	3	75
OTHER	1	25
Total Orders	4	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
ASIAN	4	4.7
BLACK	42	49.4
OTHER	10	11.8
UNDETERMINED	2	2.4
WHITE	27	31.8
Total Orders	85	

Total All: 265



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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is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	19	10.8
Age Range 25-59	143	81.3
Age Range 60+	3	1.7
Undetermined	11	6.3
Total Orders	176	

JUVENILE PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 0-17	4	100
Total Orders	4	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	5	5.9
Age Range 25-59	40	47.1
Age Range 60+	2	2.4
Undetermined	38	44.7
Total Orders	85	

Total All: 265



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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	30	50
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	22	36.7
CAUSED HARM	1	1.7
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	3	5
RAPE OR OTHER SEXUAL OFFENSE OR ATTEMPT	1	1.7
SEXUAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	1.7
STALKING	2	3.3
Total Orders	60	

JUVENILE PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	1	33.3
HARASSMENT	2	66.7
Total Orders	3	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	7	18.9
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	7	18.9
HARASSMENT	11	29.7
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	5	13.5
STALKING	1	2.7
TRESPASSING	6	16.2
Total Orders	37	

Total All: 100



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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	4	6
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	15	22.4
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	12	17.9
Dismissed: Lack of service	1	1.5
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	15	22.4
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	20	29.9
Total Orders	67	

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	9	21.4
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	13	31
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	10	23.8
Dismissed: Lack of service	1	2.4
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	7	16.7
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	2	4.8
Total Orders	42	

Total All:

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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	176	
Respondent Represented	23	13.1
Petitioner Represented	37	21
Either Represented	49	27.8
Both Represented	17	9.7

JUVENILE PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	4	
Respondent Represented	0	0
Petitioner Represented	0	0
Either Represented	0	0
Both Represented	0	0

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	85	
Respondent Represented	9	10.6
Petitioner Represented	5	5.9
Either Represented	21	24.7
Both Represented	1	1.2



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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.

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Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	102	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	101	99
Shall not contact	92	90.2
Shall not enter residence	88	86.3
Stay away from	90	88.2
Vacate home	41	40.2
Custody	29	28.4
Visitation	5	4.9
Pay EFM	11	10.8
Use and possession of vehicle	3	2.9
Counseling	11	10.8
Surrender firearms	101	99
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0

JUVENILE PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	3	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	0	0
Shall not contact	2	66.7
Shall not enter residence	2	66.7
Stay away from	2	66.7
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	42	97.7
Shall not contact	42	97.7
Shall not enter residence	33	76.7
Stay away from	34	79.1
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	101
Greater than 12 months	1
Between 6 to 12 months	94
Less than 6 months	6

JUVENILE PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	3
Between 6 to 12 months	2
Less than 6 months	1

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	43
Between 6 to 12 months	38
Less than 6 months	5