



State of Maryland, Administrative Office of the Courts
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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	19	24.7
MALE	58	75.3
Total Orders	77	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	13	36.1
MALE	23	63.9
Total Orders	36	

Total All: 113

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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)

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Race	Count	Percent
ASIAN	1	1.3
BLACK	22	28.6
OTHER	2	2.6
UNDETERMINED	2	2.6
WHITE	50	64.9
Total Orders	77	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	8	22.2
OTHER	2	5.6
UNDETERMINED	5	13.9
WHITE	21	58.3
Total Orders	36	

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Respondent Demographics (Age Range) by Case Type

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Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	10	13
Age Range 25-59	47	61
Age Range 60+	4	5.2
Undetermined	16	20.8
Total Orders	77	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	3	8.3
Age Range 25-59	12	33.3
Age Range 60+	2	5.6
Undetermined	19	52.8
Total Orders	36	

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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	14	51.9
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	11	40.7
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	1	3.7
STALKING	1	3.7
Total Orders	27	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	5	15.6
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	8	25
CAUSED HARM	2	6.3
HARASSMENT	7	21.9
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	4	12.5
STALKING	5	15.6
TRESPASSING	1	3.1
Total Orders	32	

Total All:	59
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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.

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Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Other Reason	11	26.8
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	5	12.2
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	20	48.8
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	5	12.2
Total Orders	41	

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Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	3	25
Denied: Petitioner is not a person eligible for relief	2	16.7
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	7	58.3
Total Orders	12	

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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	77	
Respondent Represented	5	6.5
Petitioner Represented	8	10.4
Either Represented	16	20.8
Both Represented	1	1.3

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	36	
Respondent Represented	4	11.1
Petitioner Represented	1	2.8
Either Represented	9	25
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	38	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	38	100
Shall not contact	34	89.5
Shall not enter residence	36	94.7
Stay away from	36	94.7
Vacate home	13	34.2
Custody	13	34.2
Visitation	2	5.3
Pay EFM	1	2.6
Use and possession of vehicle	0	0
Counseling	1	2.6
Surrender firearms	37	97.4
Respondent ordered to pay costs	1	2.6
Mediation	0	0

PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	23	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	22	95.7
Shall not contact	22	95.7
Shall not enter residence	23	100
Stay away from	23	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	1	4.3
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.

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Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	38
Greater than 12 months	1
Between 6 to 12 months	35
Less than 6 months	2

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	23
Between 6 to 12 months	22
Less than 6 months	1