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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	35	28
MALE	78	62.4
UNKNOWN	12	9.6
Total Orders	125	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	27	35.5
MALE	43	56.6
UNKNOWN	6	7.9
Total Orders	76	

Total All: 201



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	1	0.8
BLACK	33	26.4
OTHER	3	2.4
UNDETERMINED	22	17.6
WHITE	66	52.8
Total Orders	125	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	23	30.3
OTHER	3	3.9
UNDETERMINED	11	14.5
WHITE	39	51.3
Total Orders	76	

Total All: 201



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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is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	10	8
Age Range 25-59	89	71.2
Age Range 60+	8	6.4
Undetermined	18	14.4
Total Orders	125	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	14	18.4
Age Range 25-59	32	42.1
Age Range 60+	4	5.3
Undetermined	26	34.2
Total Orders	76	

Total All: 201



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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	20	48.8
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	15	36.6
CAUSED HARM	1	2.4
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	1	2.4
MENTAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	2.4
PHYSICAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	2.4
STALKING	2	4.9
Total Orders	41	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	3	14.3
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	3	14.3
HARASSMENT	4	19
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	3	14.3
RAPE OR OTHER SEXUAL OFFENSE OR ATTEMPT	1	4.8
TRESPASSING	7	33.3
Total Orders	21	

Total All: 62



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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	3	6
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	11	22
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	20	40
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	16	32
Total Orders	50	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	12	34.3
Denied: Petitioner is not a person eligible for relief	1	2.9
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	6	17.1
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	11	31.4
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	5	14.3
Total Orders	35	

Total All:	85
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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	124	
Respondent Represented	28	22.6
Petitioner Represented	34	27.4
Either Represented	54	43.5
Both Represented	18	14.5

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	76	
Respondent Represented	10	13.2
Petitioner Represented	6	7.9
Either Represented	24	31.6
Both Represented	1	1.3



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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	66	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	64	97
Shall not contact	61	92.4
Shall not enter residence	62	93.9
Stay away from	62	93.9
Vacate home	21	31.8
Custody	8	12.1
Visitation	0	0
Pay EFM	1	1.5
Use and possession of vehicle	0	0
Counseling	2	3
Surrender firearms	48	72.7
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	43	100
Shall not enter residence	41	95.3
Stay away from	42	97.7
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



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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	66
Greater than 12 months	23
Between 6 to 12 months	40
Less than 6 months	3

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	43
Between 6 to 12 months	40
Less than 6 months	3