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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	16	19.3
MALE	66	79.5
UNKNOWN	1	1.2
Total Orders	83	

JUVENILE PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	1	20
MALE	2	40
UNKNOWN	2	40
Total Orders	5	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	22	52.4
MALE	19	45.2
UNKNOWN	1	2.4
Total Orders	42	

Total All: 130



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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
BLACK	23	27.7
OTHER	4	4.8
UNDETERMINED	1	1.2
WHITE	55	66.3
Total Orders	83	

JUVENILE PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
UNDETERMINED	5	100
Total Orders	5	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	15	35.7
OTHER	2	4.8
UNDETERMINED	1	2.4
WHITE	24	57.1
Total Orders	42	

Total All: 130

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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is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	12
Age Range 25-59	63	75.9
Age Range 60+	2	2.4
Undetermined	8	9.6
Total Orders	83	

JUVENILE PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 0-17	3	60
Undetermined	2	40
Total Orders	5	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	7	16.7
Age Range 25-59	17	40.5
Age Range 60+	1	2.4
Undetermined	17	40.5
Total Orders	42	

Total All: 130



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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	4	16.7
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	14	58.3
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	2	8.3
MENTAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	4.2
PHYSICAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	4.2
STALKING	2	8.3
Total Orders	24	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	3	13.6
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	4	18.2
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	1	4.5
HARASSMENT	8	36.4
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	2	9.1
TRESPASSING	4	18.2
Total Orders	22	

Total All:	46
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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	7	18.9
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	3	8.1
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	10	27
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	13	35.1
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	4	10.8
Total Orders	37	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Other Reason	2	13.3
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	3	20
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	2	13.3
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	8	53.3
Total Orders	15	

Total All:	52
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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	83	
Respondent Represented	16	19.3
Petitioner Represented	17	20.5
Either Represented	35	42.2
Both Represented	7	8.4

JUVENILE PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	5	
Respondent Represented	0	0
Petitioner Represented	0	0
Either Represented	0	0
Both Represented	0	0

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	42	
Respondent Represented	1	2.4
Petitioner Represented	0	0
Either Represented	2	4.8
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	46	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	46	100
Shall not contact	45	97.8
Shall not enter residence	44	95.7
Stay away from	45	97.8
Vacate home	17	37
Custody	17	37
Visitation	6	13
Pay EFM	1	2.2
Use and possession of vehicle	2	4.3
Counseling	3	6.5
Surrender firearms	46	100
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0

JUVENILE PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	5	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	2	40
Shall not contact	5	100
Shall not enter residence	5	100
Stay away from	5	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	25	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	25	100
Shall not contact	25	100
Shall not enter residence	24	96
Stay away from	24	96
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.

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Order Duration	Count
Less than 6 months	3

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Order Duration	Count
Less than 6 months	1

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