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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	69	26.5
MALE	190	73.1
UNKNOWN	1	0.4
Total Orders	260	

JUVENILE PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
MALE	1	100
Total Orders	1	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	83	53.9
MALE	70	45.5
UNKNOWN	1	0.6
Total Orders	154	

Total All: 415



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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
AMERICAN INDIAN/ESKIMO	1	0.4
ASIAN	7	2.7
BLACK	147	56.5
OTHER	17	6.5
UNDETERMINED	2	0.8
WHITE	86	33.1
Total Orders	260	

JUVENILE PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	1	100
Total Orders	1	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	79	51.3
OTHER	10	6.5
UNDETERMINED	1	0.6
WHITE	64	41.6
Total Orders	154	

Total All: 415



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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is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	46	17.7
Age Range 25-59	173	66.5
Age Range 60+	19	7.3
Undetermined	22	8.5
Total Orders	260	

JUVENILE PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 0-17	1	100
Total Orders	1	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	15	9.7
Age Range 25-59	60	39
Age Range 60+	6	3.9
Undetermined	73	47.4
Total Orders	154	

Total All: 415



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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	19	47.5
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	17	42.5
MENTAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	2.5
PHYSICAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	2.5
STALKING	2	5
Total Orders	40	

JUVENILE PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	1	11.1
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	1	11.1
CAUSED HARM	1	11.1
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	1	11.1
HARASSMENT	1	11.1
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	1	11.1
RAPE OR OTHER SEXUAL OFFENSE OR ATTEMPT	1	11.1
STALKING	1	11.1
TRESPASSING	1	11.1
Total Orders	9	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	7	20
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	7	20
HARASSMENT	11	31.4
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	4	11.4
STALKING	1	2.9
TRESPASSING	5	14.3
Total Orders	35	

Total All: 84



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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	7	4.3
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	29	18
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	33	20.5
Dismissed: Lack of service	4	2.5
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	67	41.6
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	21	13
Total Orders	161	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Other Reason	3	2.8
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	27	25.5
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	22	20.8
Dismissed: Lack of service	6	5.7
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	40	37.7
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	8	7.5
Total Orders	106	

Total All:

267

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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	260	
Respondent Represented	36	13.8
Petitioner Represented	40	15.4
Either Represented	82	31.5
Both Represented	15	5.8

JUVENILE PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	1	
Respondent Represented	0	0
Petitioner Represented	0	0
Either Represented	0	0
Both Represented	0	0

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	154	
Respondent Represented	12	7.8
Petitioner Represented	9	5.8
Either Represented	25	16.2
Both Represented	4	2.6



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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	100	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	81	81
Shall not contact	77	77
Shall not enter residence	77	77
Stay away from	77	77
Vacate home	16	16
Custody	27	27
Visitation	3	3
Pay EFM	1	1
Use and possession of vehicle	1	1
Counseling	3	3
Surrender firearms	81	81
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	0	0
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	65	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	55	84.6
Shall not contact	54	83.1
Shall not enter residence	54	83.1
Stay away from	56	86.2
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	100
Greater than 12 months	42
Between 6 to 12 months	35
Less than 6 months	23

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	65
Between 6 to 12 months	53
Less than 6 months	12