



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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	41	24.6
MALE	125	74.9
UNKNOWN	1	0.6
Total Orders	167	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	33	42.9
MALE	43	55.8
UNKNOWN	1	1.3
Total Orders	77	

Total All: 244



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	4	2.4
BLACK	47	28.1
OTHER	11	6.6
UNDETERMINED	6	3.6
WHITE	99	59.3
Total Orders	167	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
ASIAN	1	1.3
BLACK	23	29.9
OTHER	7	9.1
UNDETERMINED	2	2.6
WHITE	44	57.1
Total Orders	77	

Total All: 244



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Respondent Demographics (Age Range) by Case Type

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DV PROTECTIVE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	9	5.4
Age Range 25-59	128	76.6
Age Range 60+	6	3.6
Undetermined	24	14.4
Total Orders	167	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	6	7.8
Age Range 25-59	35	45.5
Age Range 60+	5	6.5
Undetermined	31	40.3
Total Orders	77	

Total All: 244



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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	20	57.1
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	9	25.7
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	2	5.7
MENTAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	2.9
PHYSICAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	2.9
RAPE OR OTHER SEXUAL OFFENSE OR ATTEMPT	1	2.9
STALKING	1	2.9
Total Orders	35	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	4	15.4
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	7	26.9
CAUSED HARM	1	3.8
HARASSMENT	11	42.3
TRESPASSING	3	11.5
Total Orders	26	

Total All:	61
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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: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	15	18.5
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	7	8.6
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	38	46.9
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	21	25.9
Total Orders	81	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	14	36.8
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	1	2.6
Dismissed: Lack of service	2	5.3
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	13	34.2
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	8	21.1
Total Orders	38	

Total All:

119



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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	167	
Respondent Represented	32	19.2
Petitioner Represented	39	23.4
Either Represented	63	37.7
Both Represented	20	12

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	77	
Respondent Represented	17	22.1
Petitioner Represented	5	6.5
Either Represented	31	40.3
Both Represented	4	5.2



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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	83	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	72	86.7
Shall not contact	66	79.5
Shall not enter residence	67	80.7
Stay away from	67	80.7
Vacate home	25	30.1
Custody	12	14.5
Visitation	1	1.2
Pay EFM	0	0
Use and possession of vehicle	1	1.2
Counseling	0	0
Surrender firearms	72	86.7
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0

PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	40	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	32	80
Shall not contact	33	82.5
Shall not enter residence	27	67.5
Stay away from	31	77.5
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	83
Between 6 to 12 months	64
Less than 6 months	19

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	40
Between 6 to 12 months	20
Less than 6 months	20