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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	55	24.6
MALE	168	75
UNKNOWN	1	0.4
Total Orders	224	

JUVENILE PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
MALE	2	100
Total Orders	2	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	76	45.8
MALE	89	53.6
UNKNOWN	1	0.6
Total Orders	166	

Total All: 392



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	7	3.1
BLACK	101	45.1
OTHER	39	17.4
UNDETERMINED	5	2.2
WHITE	72	32.1
Total Orders	224	

JUVENILE PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	1	50
WHITE	1	50
Total Orders	2	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
ASIAN	5	3
BLACK	74	44.6
OTHER	33	19.9
UNDETERMINED	3	1.8
WHITE	51	30.7
Total Orders	166	

Total All: 392



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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is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	30	13.4
Age Range 25-59	169	75.4
Age Range 60+	9	4
Undetermined	16	7.1
Total Orders	224	

JUVENILE PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 0-17	2	100
Total Orders	2	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	12	7.2
Age Range 25-59	67	40.4
Age Range 60+	11	6.6
Undetermined	76	45.8
Total Orders	166	

Total All: 392



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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	38	41.3
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	33	35.9
CAUSED HARM	8	8.7
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	2	2.2
PHYSICAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	3	3.3
RAPE OR OTHER SEXUAL OFFENSE OR ATTEMPT	2	2.2
STALKING	6	6.5
Total Orders	92	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	16	21.9
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	12	16.4
CAUSED HARM	4	5.5
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	1	1.4
HARASSMENT	26	35.6
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	4	5.5
STALKING	2	2.7
TRESPASSING	8	11
Total Orders	73	

Total All:	165
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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	1	1.7
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	16	26.7
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	16	26.7
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	18	30
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	9	15
Total Orders	60	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Other Reason	1	1.5
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	34	51.5
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	17	25.8
Dismissed: Lack of service	1	1.5
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	10	15.2
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	3	4.5
Total Orders	66	

Total All:

126



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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	226	
Respondent Represented	53	23.5
Petitioner Represented	51	22.6
Either Represented	97	42.9
Both Represented	30	13.3

JUVENILE PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	2	
Respondent Represented	0	0
Petitioner Represented	0	0
Either Represented	0	0
Both Represented	0	0

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	166	
Respondent Represented	22	13.3
Petitioner Represented	14	8.4
Either Represented	54	32.5
Both Represented	2	1.2



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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	145	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	128	88.3
Shall not contact	125	86.2
Shall not enter residence	112	77.2
Stay away from	114	78.6
Vacate home	35	24.1
Custody	50	34.5
Visitation	4	2.8
Pay EFM	22	15.2
Use and possession of vehicle	10	6.9
Counseling	30	20.7
Surrender firearms	128	88.3
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0

JUVENILE PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	2	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	0	0
Shall not contact	2	100
Shall not enter residence	2	100
Stay away from	2	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	100	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	99	99
Shall not contact	98	98
Shall not enter residence	79	79
Stay away from	86	86
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	3	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.

DV PROTECTIVE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	145
Greater than 12 months	93
Between 6 to 12 months	26
Less than 6 months	26

JUVENILE PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	2
Between 6 to 12 months	2

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	100
Between 6 to 12 months	96
Less than 6 months	4