



State of Maryland, Administrative Office of the Courts  
Domestic Violence Monthly Summary Reporting

**Respondent Demographics (Sex) by Case Type**

SEPTEMBER 2019

HOWARD

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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	17	27
MALE	46	73
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>63</b>	

**PEACE**

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	14	58.3
MALE	10	41.7
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>24</b>	

**Total All: 87**



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	6.3
BLACK	30	47.6
OTHER	5	7.9
UNDETERMINED	1	1.6
WHITE	23	36.5
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>63</b>	

**PEACE**

Race	Count	Percent
ASIAN	3	12.5
BLACK	11	45.8
WHITE	10	41.7
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>24</b>	

**Total All: 87**



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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is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	15.9
Age Range 25-59	43	68.3
Age Range 60+	3	4.8
Undetermined	7	11.1
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>63</b>	

**PEACE**

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	4	16.7
Age Range 25-59	10	41.7
Age Range 60+	1	4.2
Undetermined	9	37.5
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>24</b>	

**Total All: 87**



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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	2	28.6
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	4	57.1
STALKING	1	14.3
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>7</b>	

**PEACE**

Grounds	Count	Percent
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	3	60
HARASSMENT	1	20
STALKING	1	20
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>5</b>	

<b>Total All:</b>	<b>12</b>
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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	1	3.1
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	13	40.6
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	7	21.9
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	6	18.8
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	5	15.6
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>32</b>	

**PEACE**

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	5	50
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	1	10
Dismissed: Lack of service	1	10
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	1	10
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	2	20
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>10</b>	

**Total All:**

**42**



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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	63	
Respondent Represented	15	23.8
Petitioner Represented	20	31.7
Either Represented	26	41.3
Both Represented	12	19

**PEACE**

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	24	
Respondent Represented	8	33.3
Petitioner Represented	6	25
Either Represented	12	50
Both Represented	5	20.8



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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.

#### DV PROTECTIVE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	29	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	26	89.7
Shall not contact	19	65.5
Shall not enter residence	21	72.4
Stay away from	21	72.4
Vacate home	6	20.7
Custody	6	20.7
Visitation	1	3.4
Pay EFM	2	6.9
Use and possession of vehicle	3	10.3
Counseling	1	3.4
Surrender firearms	26	89.7
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0

#### PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	14	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	10	71.4
Shall not contact	11	78.6
Shall not enter residence	11	78.6
Stay away from	11	78.6
Vacate home	0	0
Custody	0	0
Visitation	0	0
Pay EFM	0	0
Use and possession of vehicle	0	0
Counseling	1	7.1
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	29
Greater than 12 months	14
Between 6 to 12 months	10
Less than 6 months	5

**PEACE**

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	14
Between 6 to 12 months	11
Less than 6 months	3