



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

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

FEBRUARY 2020

BALTIMORE CITY

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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	51	21.6
MALE	178	75.4
UNKNOWN	7	3
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>236</b>	

**PEACE**

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	62	53
MALE	51	43.6
UNKNOWN	4	3.4
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>117</b>	

**Total All: 353**



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	1.7
BLACK	204	86.4
OTHER	7	3
UNDETERMINED	7	3
WHITE	14	5.9
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>236</b>	

**PEACE**

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	88	75.2
OTHER	6	5.1
UNDETERMINED	4	3.4
WHITE	19	16.2
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>117</b>	

**Total All: 353**



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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is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	36	15.3
Age Range 25-59	156	66.1
Age Range 60+	4	1.7
Undetermined	40	16.9
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>236</b>	

**PEACE**

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	13	11.1
Age Range 25-59	48	41
Age Range 60+	5	4.3
Undetermined	51	43.6
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>117</b>	

**Total All: 353**



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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	41.7
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	17	35.4
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	3	6.3
MENTAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	2.1
STALKING	7	14.6
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>48</b>	

**PEACE**

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	10	25.6
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	12	30.8
HARASSMENT	12	30.8
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	2	5.1
STALKING	2	5.1
TRESPASSING	1	2.6
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>39</b>	

<b>Total All:</b>	<b>87</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: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	25	20.2
Denied: Petitioner is not a person eligible for relief	2	1.6
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	1	0.8
Dismissed: Lack of service	1	0.8
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	80	64.5
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	15	12.1
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>124</b>	

**PEACE**

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Other Reason	3	4.8
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	22	34.9
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	36	57.1
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	2	3.2
<b>Total Orders</b>	<b>63</b>	

<b>Total All:</b>	<b>187</b>
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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	236	
Respondent Represented	19	8.1
Petitioner Represented	21	8.9
Either Represented	39	16.5
Both Represented	10	4.2

**PEACE**

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	117	
Respondent Represented	11	9.4
Petitioner Represented	5	4.3
Either Represented	21	17.9
Both Represented	3	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.

#### DV PROTECTIVE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	103	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	90	87.4
Shall not contact	87	84.5
Shall not enter residence	86	83.5
Stay away from	86	83.5
Vacate home	23	22.3
Custody	29	28.2
Visitation	6	5.8
Pay EFM	1	1
Use and possession of vehicle	4	3.9
Counseling	3	2.9
Surrender firearms	88	85.4
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	1	1

#### PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	50	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	43	86
Shall not contact	39	78
Shall not enter residence	35	70
Stay away from	38	76
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	6
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	103
Greater than 12 months	60
Between 6 to 12 months	22
Less than 6 months	21

**PEACE**

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	50
Between 6 to 12 months	40
Less than 6 months	10