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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	43	27.2
MALE	113	71.5
UNKNOWN	2	1.3
Total Orders	158	

JUVENILE PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	5	100
Total Orders	5	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	44	42.3
MALE	60	57.7
Total Orders	104	

Total All: 267



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	2	1.3
BLACK	61	38.6
OTHER	10	6.3
UNDETERMINED	6	3.8
WHITE	79	50
Total Orders	158	

JUVENILE PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	5	100
Total Orders	5	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
AMERICAN INDIAN/ESKIMO	1	1
ASIAN	2	1.9
BLACK	31	29.8
OTHER	8	7.7
UNDETERMINED	4	3.8
WHITE	58	55.8
Total Orders	104	

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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is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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 0-17	1	0.6
Age Range 18-25	12	7.6
Age Range 25-59	120	75.9
Age Range 60+	12	7.6
Undetermined	13	8.2
Total Orders	158	

JUVENILE PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 0-17	5	100
Total Orders	5	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	4	3.8
Age Range 25-59	54	51.9
Age Range 60+	6	5.8
Undetermined	40	38.5
Total Orders	104	

Total All: 267



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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	14	34.1
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	23	56.1
MENTAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	2	4.9
STALKING	2	4.9
Total Orders	41	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	8	36.4
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	5	22.7
HARASSMENT	6	27.3
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	2	9.1
TRESPASSING	1	4.5
Total Orders	22	

Total All:	63
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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	1.4
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	9	12.5
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	9	12.5
Dismissed: Lack of service	2	2.8
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	24	33.3
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	27	37.5
Total Orders	72	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	26	39.4
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	6	9.1
Dismissed: Lack of service	9	13.6
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	16	24.2
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	9	13.6
Total Orders	66	

Total All:	138
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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	158	
Respondent Represented	28	17.7
Petitioner Represented	44	27.8
Either Represented	50	31.6
Both Represented	25	15.8

JUVENILE PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	5	
Respondent Represented	0	0
Petitioner Represented	0	0
Either Represented	0	0
Both Represented	0	0

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	104	
Respondent Represented	15	14.4
Petitioner Represented	14	13.5
Either Represented	28	26.9
Both Represented	8	7.7



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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	78	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	72	92.3
Shall not contact	65	83.3
Shall not enter residence	63	80.8
Stay away from	65	83.3
Vacate home	26	33.3
Custody	14	17.9
Visitation	2	2.6
Pay EFM	3	3.8
Use and possession of vehicle	3	3.8
Counseling	0	0
Surrender firearms	72	92.3
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0

JUVENILE PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	5	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	0	0
Shall not contact	5	100
Shall not enter residence	5	100
Stay away from	5	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	42	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	37	88.1
Shall not contact	37	88.1
Shall not enter residence	35	83.3
Stay away from	36	85.7
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	78
Greater than 12 months	49
Between 6 to 12 months	12
Less than 6 months	17

JUVENILE PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	5
Between 6 to 12 months	5

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	42
Between 6 to 12 months	36
Less than 6 months	6