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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	14	29.8
MALE	33	70.2
Total Orders	47	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	10	40
MALE	15	60
Total Orders	25	

Total All: 72

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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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
BLACK	9	19.1
OTHER	2	4.3
WHITE	36	76.6
Total Orders	47	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	2	8
OTHER	1	4
WHITE	22	88
Total Orders	25	

Total All:	72
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Respondent Demographics (Age Range) by Case Type

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Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	1	2.1
Age Range 25-59	35	74.5
Age Range 60+	2	4.3
Undetermined	9	19.1
Total Orders	47	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	2	8
Age Range 25-59	8	32
Age Range 60+	1	4
Undetermined	14	56
Total Orders	25	

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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	6	33.3
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	8	44.4
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	1	5.6
PHYSICAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	2	11.1
STALKING	1	5.6
Total Orders	18	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	3	20
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	3	20
CAUSED HARM	1	6.7
HARASSMENT	3	20
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	1	6.7
TRESPASSING	4	26.7
Total Orders	15	

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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: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	2	11.1
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	3	16.7
Dismissed: Lack of service	1	5.6
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	7	38.9
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	5	27.8
Total Orders	18	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	5	35.7
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	3	21.4
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	6	42.9
Total Orders	14	

Total All:	32
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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	47	
Respondent Represented	9	19.1
Petitioner Represented	12	25.5
Either Represented	18	38.3
Both Represented	6	12.8

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	25	
Respondent Represented	3	12
Petitioner Represented	3	12
Either Represented	9	36
Both Represented	0	0

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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	27	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	23	85.2
Shall not contact	20	74.1
Shall not enter residence	22	81.5
Stay away from	22	81.5
Vacate home	12	44.4
Custody	8	29.6
Visitation	0	0
Pay EFM	1	3.7
Use and possession of vehicle	0	0
Counseling	2	7.4
Surrender firearms	23	85.2
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0

PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	13	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	12	92.3
Shall not contact	12	92.3
Shall not enter residence	12	92.3
Stay away from	12	92.3
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.

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Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	27
Greater than 12 months	15
Between 6 to 12 months	5
Less than 6 months	7

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	13
Between 6 to 12 months	8
Less than 6 months	5