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Domestic Violence Monthly Summary Reporting

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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	73	24.7
MALE	216	73
UNKNOWN	7	2.4
Total Orders	296	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	61	47.7
MALE	65	50.8
UNKNOWN	2	1.6
Total Orders	128	

Total All: 424

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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)

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Race	Count	Percent
ASIAN	3	1
BLACK	244	82.4
OTHER	11	3.7
UNDETERMINED	11	3.7
WHITE	27	9.1
Total Orders	296	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
ASIAN	1	0.8
BLACK	108	84.4
OTHER	4	3.1
UNDETERMINED	4	3.1
WHITE	11	8.6
Total Orders	128	

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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is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)

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Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	40	13.5
Age Range 25-59	200	67.6
Age Range 60+	5	1.7
Undetermined	51	17.2
Total Orders	296	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	12	9.4
Age Range 25-59	48	37.5
Age Range 60+	2	1.6
Undetermined	66	51.6
Total Orders	128	

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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	23	43.4
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	24	45.3
CAUSED HARM	1	1.9
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	1	1.9
STALKING	4	7.5
Total Orders	53	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	9	20.9
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	14	32.6
CAUSED HARM	1	2.3
HARASSMENT	10	23.3
STALKING	1	2.3
TRESPASSING	8	18.6
Total Orders	43	

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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	5	3.3
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	22	14.7
Denied: Petitioner is not a person eligible for relief	1	0.7
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	107	71.3
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	15	10
Total Orders	150	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	16	22.5
Dismissed: Lack of service	1	1.4
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	45	63.4
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	9	12.7
Total Orders	71	

Total All:

221

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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.)

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Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	296	
Respondent Represented	14	4.7
Petitioner Represented	16	5.4
Either Represented	32	10.8
Both Represented	6	2

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	128	
Respondent Represented	12	9.4
Petitioner Represented	9	7
Either Represented	27	21.1
Both Represented	3	2.3



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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	129	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	112	86.8
Shall not contact	108	83.7
Shall not enter residence	109	84.5
Stay away from	109	84.5
Vacate home	24	18.6
Custody	35	27.1
Visitation	2	1.6
Pay EFM	5	3.9
Use and possession of vehicle	5	3.9
Counseling	0	0
Surrender firearms	112	86.8
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0

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Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	54	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	50	92.6
Shall not contact	50	92.6
Shall not enter residence	49	90.7
Stay away from	50	92.6
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	5.6
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.

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Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	128
Greater than 12 months	71
Between 6 to 12 months	37
Less than 6 months	20

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	54
Between 6 to 12 months	45
Less than 6 months	9