



State of Maryland, Administrative Office of the Courts
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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	122	25.8
MALE	313	66.3
UNKNOWN	37	7.8
Total Orders	472	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	92	45.8
MALE	106	52.7
UNKNOWN	3	1.5
Total Orders	201	

Total All: 673



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	0.8
BLACK	332	70.3
OTHER	20	4.2
UNDETERMINED	55	11.7
WHITE	61	12.9
Total Orders	472	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
ASIAN	1	0.5
BLACK	147	73.1
OTHER	9	4.5
UNDETERMINED	6	3
WHITE	38	18.9
Total Orders	201	

Total All: 673



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Respondent Demographics (Age Range) by Case Type

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Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 0-17	1	0.2
Age Range 18-25	41	8.7
Age Range 25-59	285	60.4
Age Range 60+	20	4.2
Undetermined	125	26.5
Total Orders	472	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	14	7
Age Range 25-59	43	21.4
Age Range 60+	4	2
Undetermined	140	69.7
Total Orders	201	

Total All: 673



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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	55	44.7
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	53	43.1
CAUSED HARM	2	1.6
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	1	0.8
PHYSICAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	2	1.6
RAPE OR OTHER SEXUAL OFFENSE OR ATTEMPT	4	3.3
SEXUAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	0.8
STALKING	5	4.1
Total Orders	123	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	12	20
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	18	30
HARASSMENT	15	25
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	8	13.3
RAPE OR OTHER SEXUAL OFFENSE OR ATTEMPT	1	1.7
STALKING	2	3.3
TRESPASSING	4	6.7
Total Orders	60	

Total All:	183
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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	4	1.7
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	31	12.9
Denied: Petitioner is not a person eligible for relief	2	0.8
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	39	16.2
Dismissed: Lack of service	9	3.7
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	106	44
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	50	20.7
Total Orders	241	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Other Reason	8	6.8
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	20	16.9
Denied: Petitioner is not a person eligible for relief	1	0.8
Dismissed or transferred: Improper Venue	1	0.8
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	24	20.3
Dismissed: Lack of service	15	12.7
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	38	32.2
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	11	9.3
Total Orders	118	

Total All:	359
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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	472	
Respondent Represented	51	10.8
Petitioner Represented	63	13.3
Either Represented	109	23.1
Both Represented	28	5.9

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	201	
Respondent Represented	11	5.5
Petitioner Represented	12	6
Either Represented	32	15.9
Both Represented	1	0.5



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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	235	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	230	97.9
Shall not contact	198	84.3
Shall not enter residence	206	87.7
Stay away from	212	90.2
Vacate home	78	33.2
Custody	52	22.1
Visitation	13	5.5
Pay EFM	13	5.5
Use and possession of vehicle	6	2.6
Counseling	30	12.8
Surrender firearms	214	91.1
Respondent ordered to pay costs	1	0.4
Mediation	0	0

PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	91	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	91	100
Shall not contact	81	89
Shall not enter residence	79	86.8
Stay away from	85	93.4
Vacate home	0	0
Custody	0	0
Visitation	0	0
Pay EFM	0	0
Use and possession of vehicle	0	0
Counseling	1	1.1
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.

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Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	235
Greater than 12 months	2
Between 6 to 12 months	219
Less than 6 months	14

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	91
Between 6 to 12 months	82
Less than 6 months	9