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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	66	28.4
MALE	162	69.8
UNKNOWN	4	1.7
Total Orders	232	

JUVENILE PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
MALE	2	100
Total Orders	2	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	55	48.2
MALE	56	49.1
UNKNOWN	3	2.6
Total Orders	114	

Total All: 348



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	3	1.3
BLACK	103	44.4
OTHER	12	5.2
UNDETERMINED	6	2.6
WHITE	108	46.6
Total Orders	232	

JUVENILE PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	2	100
Total Orders	2	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	57	50
OTHER	2	1.8
UNDETERMINED	7	6.1
WHITE	48	42.1
Total Orders	114	

Total All: 348



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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is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	26	11.2
Age Range 25-59	169	72.8
Age Range 60+	7	3
Undetermined	30	12.9
Total Orders	232	

JUVENILE PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 0-17	2	100
Total Orders	2	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 0-17	1	0.9
Age Range 18-25	10	8.8
Age Range 25-59	51	44.7
Age Range 60+	6	5.3
Undetermined	46	40.4
Total Orders	114	

Total All: 348



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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	27	45
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	24	40
CAUSED HARM	1	1.7
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	1	1.7
MENTAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	2	3.3
RAPE OR OTHER SEXUAL OFFENSE OR ATTEMPT	1	1.7
STALKING	3	5
STATUTORY ABUSE OF A VULNERABLE ADULT	1	1.7
Total Orders	60	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	6	21.4
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	8	28.6
CAUSED HARM	1	3.6
HARASSMENT	6	21.4
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	3	10.7
TRESPASSING	4	14.3
Total Orders	28	

Total All:	88
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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	3	2.2
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	21	15.1
Denied: Petitioner is not a person eligible for relief	2	1.4
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	29	20.9
Dismissed: Lack of service	8	5.8
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	64	46
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	12	8.6
Total Orders	139	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Other Reason	2	3.2
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	14	22.2
Denied: Petitioner is not a person eligible for relief	1	1.6
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	14	22.2
Dismissed: Lack of service	2	3.2
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	26	41.3
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	4	6.3
Total Orders	63	

Total All:

202



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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	232	
Respondent Represented	32	13.8
Petitioner Represented	46	19.8
Either Represented	64	27.6
Both Represented	23	9.9

JUVENILE PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	2	
Respondent Represented	0	0
Petitioner Represented	0	0
Either Represented	0	0
Both Represented	0	0

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	114	
Respondent Represented	16	14
Petitioner Represented	13	11.4
Either Represented	27	23.7
Both Represented	9	7.9



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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	104	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	92	88.5
Shall not contact	89	85.6
Shall not enter residence	90	86.5
Stay away from	90	86.5
Vacate home	24	23.1
Custody	33	31.7
Visitation	3	2.9
Pay EFM	4	3.8
Use and possession of vehicle	5	4.8
Counseling	2	1.9
Surrender firearms	91	87.5
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	1	1

JUVENILE PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	2	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	0	0
Shall not contact	2	100
Shall not enter residence	0	0
Stay away from	0	0
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	56	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	42	75
Shall not contact	41	73.2
Shall not enter residence	41	73.2
Stay away from	42	75
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	104
Greater than 12 months	3
Between 6 to 12 months	86
Less than 6 months	15

JUVENILE PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	2
Between 6 to 12 months	2

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	56
Between 6 to 12 months	39
Less than 6 months	17