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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	26	19.8
MALE	104	79.4
UNKNOWN	1	0.8
Total Orders	131	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	40	51.3
MALE	37	47.4
UNKNOWN	1	1.3
Total Orders	78	

Total All: 209



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	1	0.8
BLACK	42	32.1
OTHER	11	8.4
UNDETERMINED	2	1.5
WHITE	75	57.3
Total Orders	131	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
AMERICAN INDIAN/ESKIMO	1	1.3
ASIAN	4	5.1
BLACK	22	28.2
OTHER	4	5.1
UNDETERMINED	2	2.6
WHITE	45	57.7
Total Orders	78	

Total All: 209



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Respondent Demographics (Age Range) by Case Type

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DV PROTECTIVE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	17	13
Age Range 25-59	100	76.3
Age Range 60+	5	3.8
Undetermined	9	6.9
Total Orders	131	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	8	10.3
Age Range 25-59	33	42.3
Age Range 60+	7	9
Undetermined	30	38.5
Total Orders	78	

Total All: 209



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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	22	57.9
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	11	28.9
SEXUAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	2.6
STALKING	4	10.5
Total Orders	38	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	3	15.8
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	6	31.6
HARASSMENT	6	31.6
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	2	10.5
TRESPASSING	2	10.5
Total Orders	19	

Total All:	57
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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	10	13.5
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	8	10.8
Dismissed: Lack of service	1	1.4
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	37	50
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	18	24.3
Total Orders	74	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	12	27.9
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	7	16.3
Dismissed: Lack of service	3	7
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	20	46.5
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	1	2.3
Total Orders	43	

Total All:	117
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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	131	
Respondent Represented	28	21.4
Petitioner Represented	27	20.6
Either Represented	53	40.5
Both Represented	15	11.5

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	78	
Respondent Represented	8	10.3
Petitioner Represented	4	5.1
Either Represented	14	17.9
Both Represented	3	3.8



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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	56	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	53	94.6
Shall not contact	49	87.5
Shall not enter residence	51	91.1
Stay away from	51	91.1
Vacate home	20	35.7
Custody	11	19.6
Visitation	2	3.6
Pay EFM	1	1.8
Use and possession of vehicle	2	3.6
Counseling	0	0
Surrender firearms	52	92.9
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0

PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	37	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	33	89.2
Shall not contact	33	89.2
Shall not enter residence	27	73
Stay away from	28	75.7
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.

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Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	56
Between 6 to 12 months	49
Less than 6 months	7

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	37
Between 6 to 12 months	26
Less than 6 months	11