



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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	67	27.8
MALE	171	71
UNKNOWN	3	1.2
Total Orders	241	

PEACE

Sex	Count	Percent
FEMALE	49	43.8
MALE	57	50.9
UNKNOWN	6	5.4
Total Orders	112	

Total All: 353



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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outcome is not factored in, so all final orders are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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	1.2
BLACK	191	79.3
OTHER	19	7.9
UNDETERMINED	7	2.9
WHITE	21	8.7
Total Orders	241	

PEACE

Race	Count	Percent
BLACK	82	73.2
OTHER	10	8.9
UNDETERMINED	6	5.4
WHITE	14	12.5
Total Orders	112	

Total All: 353



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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is not factored in, so all final order hearings are included regardless of the outcome (granted, dismissed, denied, rescinded.)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 0-17	2	0.8
Age Range 18-25	27	11.2
Age Range 25-59	160	66.4
Age Range 60+	7	2.9
Undetermined	45	18.7
Total Orders	241	

PEACE

Age range	Count	Percent
Age Range 18-25	9	8
Age Range 25-59	40	35.7
Age Range 60+	4	3.6
Undetermined	59	52.7
Total Orders	112	

Total All: 353



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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	24	43.6
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	19	34.5
CAUSED HARM	2	3.6
FALSE IMPRISONMENT	1	1.8
MENTAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	1.8
PHYSICAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	3	5.5
RAPE OR OTHER SEXUAL OFFENSE OR ATTEMPT	2	3.6
SEXUAL ABUSE OF A CHILD	1	1.8
STALKING	2	3.6
Total Orders	55	

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
ASSAULT	5	26.3
CAUSED A FEAR OF HARM	7	36.8
HARASSMENT	3	15.8
MALICIOUS DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY	2	10.5
STALKING	1	5.3
TRESPASSING	1	5.3
Total Orders	19	

Total All:	74
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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	27	39.1
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	9	13
Dismissed: Lack of service	11	15.9
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	19	27.5
Dismissed: Petitioner Requested Dismissal	3	4.3
Total Orders	69	

PEACE

Denied & Dismissed Reason	Count	Percent
Denied: Other Reason	1	3.3
Denied: Petitioner could not meet required burden of proof	8	26.7
Denied: Petitioner is not a person eligible for relief	1	3.3
Dismissed or transferred: Other reason	6	20
Dismissed: Lack of service	7	23.3
Dismissed: Petitioner Failure to appear	7	23.3
Total Orders	30	

Total All:	99
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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	241	
Respondent Represented	33	13.7
Petitioner Represented	32	13.3
Either Represented	64	26.6
Both Represented	17	7.1

PEACE

Grounds	Count	Percent
Total Orders	112	
Respondent Represented	9	8
Petitioner Represented	3	2.7
Either Represented	19	17
Both Represented	1	0.9



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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	166	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	99	59.6
Shall not contact	89	53.6
Shall not enter residence	85	51.2
Stay away from	91	54.8
Vacate home	27	16.3
Custody	34	20.5
Visitation	3	1.8
Pay EFM	5	3
Use and possession of vehicle	2	1.2
Counseling	13	7.8
Surrender firearms	90	54.2
Respondent ordered to pay costs	0	0
Mediation	0	0

PEACE

Form of Relief	Count	Percent
Total Orders	79	
Shall not abuse, threaten to abuse, and/or harass	44	55.7
Shall not contact	33	41.8
Shall not enter residence	31	39.2
Stay away from	39	49.4
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	166
Greater than 12 months	2
Between 6 to 12 months	92
Less than 6 months	72

PEACE

Order Duration	Count
Total Final Orders for Period	79
Between 6 to 12 months	34
Less than 6 months	45