

Darien Police Department

Monthly Report

May 2018



Domestic Violence

Situations of domestic violence are highly emotional and frequently involve children. A lot of compassion and understanding is necessary to sort through the situation and try best as officers can to come to a resolution for that particular call and better yet to the overall matter.

Domestic Violence

Any person who hits, chokes, kicks, threatens, harasses or interferes with the personal liberty of another “family or household member” has broken the law. According to Illinois law “family or household members” are defined as those who are:

- Related by blood
- Married or were married
- Share or had shared a common dwelling
- Have or allegedly have a child in common
- Have or had a dating or engagement relationship (opposite sex or same sex)
- Disabled & battered by their personal assistant

Law Enforcement Response

Officers should try to use all reasonable means to prevent further abuse, including:

- Arranging for or transporting the victim to a medical facility or shelter or place of safety.
- Accompanying the victim back to the residence to get belongings.
- Arresting the abuser where appropriate and completing a police report on all bonafide incidents.
- Advising the victim of her/his right to an Order of Protection and the importance of preserving the evidence, such as damaged clothing and property and photographs of injuries or damage.

People exchanging child for custody use the police department to make the exchange to try avoid any issues during the change of custody for the weekend or other type of visit.

Orders of Protection

An Order of Protection is a court order available to “family or household members” prohibiting the abuser from certain activities or ordering the abuser to take certain actions. An Order of Protection may include, but is not limited to:

- Prohibiting an abuser from continued threats and abuse.
- Barring an abuser temporarily from the home and ordering the abuser to stay away from the victim’s place of employment, school and other locations.
- Ordering the abuser to pay child support, medical costs and legal expenses.
- Awarding child custody and prohibiting child abduction and requiring abuser to undergo counseling.
- Order abuser to turn in weapons to law enforcement.

To obtain an Order of Protection you may do any of the following:

- Contact Family Shelter Service and ask for assistance.
- Go to the circuit clerk’s office and request the necessary paperwork.
- Ask your attorney to file a petition in civil court.
- Request an Order in conjunction with divorce proceedings.
- Request an Order during the course of a criminal prosecution.

If an Order of Protection is violated the abuser has committed a crime and may be arrested. A second or subsequent offense is a higher classification of a crime. You should call the police if the abuser disregards a part of the order of protection. If arrested for the violation, your abuser may be required to have a risk assessment evaluation and wear an electronic monitoring device.

You may seek an Order of Protection on behalf of someone because of age, health or disability.

Criminal Charges

If an arrest has not been made and you wish to seek criminal charges against your abuser, bring all relevant information, including the police report number to your state's attorney. Family Shelter Services can help you through the system.

When a person is charged with a criminal offense and the victim is a "family or household member", unless otherwise provided by the court, the abuser will be prohibited from contacting or communicating with the victim and from entering or remaining at the victim's residence for a minimum of 72 hours. If a defendant/abuser violates these restrictions, you should call the police immediately. The defendant can be charged with an additional offense.

Domestic Violence Services

Family Shelter Service: (630) 469-5650 (24-hour hotline, Spanish services available)

Hamdard Center (South Asian & Mid-Eastern): (630) 860-9122 (24-hour hotline)

Other Resources

DuPage County Information & Referral: (630) 682-7000

DuPage County Legal Aid: (630) 653-6212

DuPage County State's Attorney's Office: (630) 682-7050

Elder Abuse Hotline: (800) 252-8966 (normal hours)

(800) 279-0400 (after hours, weekends)

You Considering an Order of Protection?

What is an Order of Protection (OP)?

An Order of Protection (OP) is a court order that is designed to protect victims of domestic violence. It is issued by a judge and tells the Respondent (the person accused of abuse) what he/she can or cannot do. It is enforceable in all 50 states.

If you are unsure whether you are a victim of domestic abuse, go to www.familyshelterservice.org/assess.html for a Checklist of Abusive Behaviors.

Who can ask for an OP?

The victim (or Petitioner) must have, or have had in the past, a familial or dating relationship with the abusive person (or Respondent). Qualifying relationships include:

- Spouse or former spouse
- Current or past dating relationship
- Having a child together
- Parent, child, stepchild or other family relationship
- Current or former roommate
- Personal assistant/caretaker of person with disabilities

If you do not have one of these types of relationships with the Respondent, a private attorney may be able to assist you with a Civil Restraining Order.

What are the guidelines for obtaining an Emergency OP?

Each case is unique, and the judge will always have the final decision. However, there are a few factors that the judge will look for:

- Abusive or threatening incident within the past 3 business days or so
 - Incidents can include verbal attacks, threats of harm, harassment, stalking, or physical abuse.
 - Incidents do NOT need to have been reported to the police.
- History of such behaviors that are escalating
- Fear that the abuse would escalate if the Respondent knew you were taking legal action.

In what County can I petition?

A Petitioner can file in the County where:

- The Petitioner lives or, if having fled the abuse, now temporarily resides
- The Respondent lives
- The abuse occurred

Where do I get an OP?

If filing in DuPage County, there are three ways to obtain an OP:

1. If you are being represented in a Divorce or Family case, consult your attorney about on OP. He/she may assist you or direct you to the agencies listed below.
2. If Respondent has been arrested or there is a warrant, contact the State's Attorney's Office in the Judicial Annex, 2nd floor (phone #630-407-8000).
3. Otherwise, you may contact:
 - The Family Shelter Service Court Advocate Office, 3rd floor directly in front of the escalator (Phone #630-407-8813)
 - The DuPage County Clerk's Office, 1st floor (phone #630-407-8700)

Petitioning for an OP usually requires coming to the DuPage County Courthouse, located at 505 N. County Farm Road, Wheaton, IL 60187.

***Important Note: **No camera phones** are allowed in the courthouse.

When should I petition for an OP?

It is usually best to petition as soon as possible after the most recent abusive incident, preferably within 3 business days. The DuPage County Courthouse & the Family Shelter Service Court Advocate Office are open Monday through Friday. The best times to come are:

- o Mornings, 8:00 – 10:00 (the judge leaves the bench at 11:30 a.m.)
- o Afternoons, 1:30 – 2:00 (the judge leaves the bench at 3:30 p.m.)

Petitioning usually takes about 2-3 hours if there are no delays.

How much does an OP cost?

There is no cost for filing, serving or getting certified copies of an OP. However, a private attorney may charge for his/her assistance in obtaining an OP.

What should I bring?

- o A detailed list of abusive incidents beginning with the most recent.
- o Any evidence of abuse, like harassing letters or emails, voice mail messages, photos of injuries, etc.
- o An address where it is safe for you to receive mail.
- o An address where the Respondent can be served copies. This can be either a home or work address.
- o A description of the Respondent, including date of birth, Social Security Number, hair & eye color, approximate height and weight, etc.
- o The addresses to be protected, like your residence, work, school & children’s schools/daycares.

Should I bring my children?

It is usually best not to bring children. Children are not allowed in the courtroom. If you are unable to make other child care arrangements, there is a FREE childcare center on the 1st floor of the DuPage County Courthouse, called Safe Harbor. For more information, go to www.dupageco.org and click Safe Harbor Children’s Waiting Room. It is best to first drop off your children at Safe Harbor before proceeding to other locations in the building.

How long with the OP last?

An Emergency Order of Protection (EOP) is the first step in the Order of Protection process. Emergency Orders are temporary, lasting 14-21 days. After this, extensions may be requested.

What can an OP do?

An OP provides a variety of protections for your safety. You may request any remedies which apply to your situation. You may disregard any remedies which do not apply or which you do not desire. The Judge will consider the circumstances and has the final decision about which remedies to grant.

The following remedies appear on an Order of Protection:

- o Forbid Respondent from committing further acts or threats of abuse, harassment, or stalking
- o Remove Respondent from your residence
- o Prohibit Respondent from being present in your home while under the influence of drugs/alcohol
- o Order Respondent to stay away from you, including direct contact (like phone calls & emails) and indirect contact (like getting a message to you through a third party)
- o Prohibit Respondent from entering your place of employment, school, etc.
- o Prohibit Respondent from taking or damaging your property
- o Prohibit Respondent from taking the children or require Respondent to return the children
- o Restrict or deny Respondent’s visitation with the children
- o Order Respondent to pay temporary support
- o Order Respondent to pay you for losses due to abuse, like medical bills, attorney’s fees, property damage, etc.
- o Order Respondent to turn over firearms to law enforcement
- o Order Respondent to participate in counseling. For more information on DuPage County’s Partner Abuse Intervention Program, go to www.dupageco.org/psych and click on Domestic Violence Program.

Calls for Service Summary

May 2018

Citizen Generated Events						
	<u>May</u> 2018	<u>May</u> 2017	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>YTD</u> 2018	<u>YTD</u> 2017	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>
Beat 1	220	226	-2.7%	902	951	-5.2%
Beat 2	202	182	11.0%	847	811	4.4%
Beat 3	217	245	-11.4%	1128	1167	-3.3%
Out of Town	14	13	7.7%	51	44	15.9%
Total	653	666	-2.0%	2928	2973	-1.5%
Shift 1	272	277	-1.8%	1162	1189	-2.3%
Shift 2	290	294	-1.4%	1329	1349	-1.5%
Shift 3	91	95	-4.2%	437	435	0.5%
Total	653	666	-2.0%	2928	2973	-1.5%

Top Ten Incidents Categories

Citizen Assist	102	87	17.2%	443	404	9.7%
Investigative	63	66	-4.5%	322	274	17.5%
Suspicion	44	50	-12.0%	216	270	-20.0%
Alarm	55	73	-24.7%	307	365	-15.9%
Accident	52	64	-18.8%	242	243	-0.4%
Public Order	43	48	-10.4%	181	177	2.3%
Administrative	46	46	0.0%	195	194	0.5%
Disorder	31	39	-20.5%	155	166	-6.6%
Traffic	27	20	35.0%	109	121	-9.9%
Animal	42	21	100.0%	90	103	-12.6%
Theft	13	15	-13.3%	79	86	-8.1%
Agency Assist	26	25	4.0%	113	115	-1.7%
Domestic	20	24	-16.7%	123	122	0.8%
Parking	31	28	10.7%	86	73	17.8%
Medical/Ambulance	16	24	-33.3%	111	86	29.1%
Burglary	3	7	-57.1%	19	28	-32.1%
Forgery	3	4	-25.0%	21	35	-40.0%
Hazard	7	8	-12.5%	22	22	0.0%
Fire	10	2	400.0%	27	19	42.1%
Drug	2	4	-50.0%	10	14	-28.6%
Missing Person	6	3	100.0%	16	20	-20.0%
Warrant	8	6	33.3%	17	14	21.4%
Assault	1	0	0.0%	11	8	37.5%
Weapons Related	1	0	0.0%	6	3	100.0%
Rape	1	1	0.0%	6	6	0.0%
Robbery	0	1	-100.0%	1	5	-80.0%
Total	653	666	-2.0%	2928	2973	-1.5%

Calls for Service Summary (continued)

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Officer Initiated Event Category						
	<u>May</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>
Focused Patrol	32	99	-67.7%	301	849	-64.5%
Crime Prevention	278	466	-40.3%	2496	2919	-14.5%
Traffic	352	384	-8.3%	1800	1695	6.2%
Administrative	114	150	-24.0%	562	737	-23.7%
Parking	3	16	-81.3%	35	89	-60.7%
Suspicion	35	31	12.9%	135	195	-30.8%
Community Engagement	21	31	-32.3%	166	135	23.0%
Citizen Assist	58	30	93.3%	361	159	127.0%
Investigative	7	20	-65.0%	37	75	-50.7%
Public Order	4	26	-84.6%	32	81	-60.5%
Agency Assist	18	12	50.0%	67	53	26.4%
Accident	2	5	-60.0%	26	20	30.0%
Sex Offenses	1	0	0.0%	5	3	66.7%
Warrant	6	5	20.0%	10	13	-23.1%
Animal	0	3	-100.0%	3	6	-50.0%
Theft	2	1	100.0%	6	9	-33.3%
Forgery	0	2	-100.0%	3	8	-62.5%
Burglary	0	0	0.0%	7	1	600.0%
Disorder	3	1	200.0%	10	4	150.0%
Domestic	2	0	0.0%	7	3	133.3%
Alarm	0	0	0.0%	2	0	0.0%
Hazard	0	0	0.0%	1	1	0.0%
Missing Person	0	0	0.0%	1	1	0.0%
Assault	0	0	0.0%	1	3	-66.7%
Drug	1	0	0.0%	2	1	100.0%
Fire	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%
Medical	0	1	-100.0%	3	3	0.0%
Robbery	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%
Alcohol	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%
Shots Fired	0	0	0.0%	1	0	0.0%
Total	939	1283	-26.8%	6080	7063	-13.9%

Crime Report

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Part 1 Offenses

	<u>May</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>
Murder	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Sexual Assault	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	6	0	1	0.0%	500.0%
Robbery	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0	3	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Assault & Battery	0	1	0	-100.0%	0.0%	2	5	2	-60.0%	0.0%
Violent Crime	0	1	0	-100.0%	0.0%	8	8	3	0.0%	166.7%
Burglary	2	1	5	100.0%	-60.0%	9	10	25	-10.0%	-64.0%
Theft	4	16	18	-75.0%	-77.8%	49	61	78	-19.7%	-37.2%
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	1	0	-100.0%	0.0%	4	5	1	-20.0%	300.0%
Arson	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Property Crime	6	18	23	-66.7%	-73.9%	62	76	104	-18.4%	-40.4%
Part One Crime	6	19	23	-68.4%	-73.9%	70	84	107	-16.7%	-34.6%

Part 2 Offenses

	<u>May</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>
Assault	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	3	2	2	50.0%	50.0%
Battery	5	1	3	400.0%	66.7%	18	18	12	0.0%	50.0%
Domestic Battery	2	2	8	0.0%	-75.0%	28	19	25	47.4%	12.0%
Criminal Damage	3	2	11	50.0%	-72.7%	20	12	37	66.7%	-45.9%
Criminal Trespass	3	1	0	200.0%	0.0%	5	3	3	66.7%	66.7%
Disorderly Conduct	3	4	3	-25.0%	0.0%	19	26	20	-26.9%	-5.0%

Arrest Report

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Part One Offenses

	<u>May</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>
Murder	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Sexual Assault	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Robbery	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0	3	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Assault & Battery	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	1	1	1	0.0%	0.0%
Violent Crime	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	1	4	1	-75.0%	0.0%
Burglary	0	3	0	-100.0%	0.0%	0	3	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Theft	4	3	5	33.3%	-20.0%	23	20	11	15.0%	109.1%
Motor Vehicle Theft	0	1	0	-100.0%	0.0%	0	2	0	-100.0%	0.0%
Arson	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	1	0.0%	-100.0%
Property Crime	4	7	5	-42.9%	-20.0%	23	25	12	-8.0%	91.7%
Part One Crime	4	7	5	-42.9%	-20.0%	24	29	13	-17.2%	84.6%

Part Two Offenses

	<u>May</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>
Assault	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0	1	1	-100.0%	-100.0%
Battery	1	0	3	0.0%	-66.7%	5	6	10	-16.7%	-50.0%
Domestic Battery	2	1	3	100.0%	-33.3%	16	9	11	77.8%	45.5%
Criminal Damage	3	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	4	1	3	300.0%	33.3%
Criminal Trespass	1	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	1	3	1	-66.7%	0.0%
Disorderly Conduct	3	1	2	200.0%	50.0%	20	13	11	53.8%	81.8%
Alcohol Possession	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	1	0	2	0.0%	-50.0%
Alcohol Consumption	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	1	3	8	-66.7%	-87.5%

Arrest Report

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Drug Related Offenses

	<u>May</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>
Cannabis	1	1	0	0.0%	0.0%	1	2	17	-50.0%	-94.1%
Controlled Substance	1	1	0	0.0%	0.0%	4	6	1	-33.3%	300.0%
Hypodermic Syringes	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%
Drug Paraphernalia	0	0	3	0.0%	-100.0%	1	2	13	-50.0%	-92.3%
Methamphetamine	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%	0	0	0	0.0%	0.0%

Adult / Juvenile

	<u>May</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>
Adult	25	17	17	47.1%	47.1%	152	91	89	67.0%	70.8%
Juvenile	4	1	5	300.0%	-20.0%	22	21	27	4.8%	-18.5%

Warrants

	<u>May</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2013</u>	<u>1 Year</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>5 Year</u> <u>Change</u>
Served	7	2	3	250.0%	133.3%	21	13	16	61.5%	31.3%

Traffic Summary

May 2018

Accidents

Type of Accident	<u>May</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>Percent</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>Percent</u> <u>Change</u>
Property Damage	46	54	-14.8%	228	217	5.1%
Personal Injury	7	9	-22.2%	28	26	7.7%
Fatal	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%
Total	53	63	-15.9%	256	243	5.3%
Fatalities	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%
Hit & Run	10	9	11.1%	30	29	3.4%
Private Property	19	30	-36.7%	86	91	-5.5%
DUI	0	0	0.0%	1	3	-66.7%

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Enforcement

	<u>May</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>May</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>Percent</u> <u>Change</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2018</u>	<u>YTD</u> <u>2017</u>	<u>Percent</u> <u>Change</u>
Traffic Stops	290	257	12.8%	1443	1224	17.9%
Moving Citation	97	87	11.5%	462	368	25.5%
Moving Warning	104	124	-16.1%	592	466	27.0%
Total Moving	201	211	-4.7%	1054	834	26.4%
Non-Moving Citation	54	43	25.6%	284	245	15.9%
Non-Moving Warning	84	57	47.4%	374	367	1.9%
Total Non-Moving	138	100	38.0%	658	612	7.5%
Total Warning	188	181	3.9%	966	833	16.0%
Total Citations	151	130	16.2%	746	613	21.7%
Total Enforcement Actions	339	311	9.0%	1712	1446	18.4%
DUI Arrests	8	8	0.0%	29	35	-17.1%
Category						
Speed	127	118	7.6%	708	543	30.4%
Registration	41	32	28.1%	220	217	1.4%
Traffic Sign or Signal	35	35	0.0%	173	115	50.4%
Equipment	38	21	81.0%	154	136	13.2%
Distracted Driving	16	14	14.3%	102	105	-2.9%
Insurance	20	19	5.3%	95	87	9.2%
Lane Violation	14	24	-41.7%	93	95	-2.1%
License	13	12	8.3%	71	53	34.0%
Signal	6	10	-40.0%	33	30	10.0%
Yield	3	7	-57.1%	21	15	40.0%
Seat Belt	10	2	400.0%	16	14	14.3%
Other	1	2	-50.0%	10	10	0.0%
Accident	0	0	0.0%	4	8	-50.0%
Parking	4	2	100.0%	9	4	125.0%
Alcohol	1	0	0.0%	3	3	0.0%
Reckless	0	0	0.0%	0	0	0.0%
Total	329	298	10.4%	1712	1435	19.3%