

CRIMINAL COURT PROTECTION ORDERS

Temporary Protection Order

- Granted by the judge presiding over the criminal case—requested by victim or the prosecutor at the defendant's arraignment.
- Will be in effect until the criminal case is closed (defendant is sentenced or is found not guilty)
- Protects the victim(s) of the alleged criminal offense

No Contact Order

- Granted by the judge presiding over the criminal case as a condition of bond or probation—requested by victim or the prosecutor
- Will be in effect until the criminal case is closed or until the defendant has completed probation
- Protects the victim(s) of the alleged criminal offense

CIVIL COURT PROTECTION ORDERS

Civil Protection Order

- Two types of civil protection orders in domestic relations court:
 - Civil Stalking/Sexually Oriented Protection Order
 - Domestic Violence Civil Protection Order
- Granted by a civil magistrate
- Can be granted for up to 5 years
- Victim will need to apply for order in domestic relations court (if applying for protection from adult), or juvenile court (if applying for protection from a juvenile)
- Victim can reach out to *SAFE on Main- Legal Advocates* for assistance with Civil Protection Orders (513-695-1886)