

# HATE MONITOR

MAY 2020

Hate-motivated incidents are often violent manifestations of intolerance which instil fear and divide communities. Tackling underlying prejudice is essential in combating the spread of these divisive actions. The OSCE Mission to BiH supports the work of government institutions, the criminal justice system, local authorities and civil society to effectively respond to these incidents. The Hate Monitor provides a monthly update on incidents and responses throughout BiH.

## HATE INCIDENTS

HATE-MOTIVATED  
**INCIDENTS**  
THIS MONTH

9

### TYPES OF INCIDENTS



Incidents can consist of several acts.  
A single incident may be reported under multiple categories.

## RESPONSES

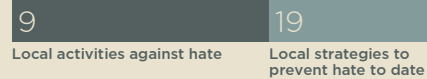
**RESPONSES**  
TO HATE INCIDENTS  
THIS MONTH

3

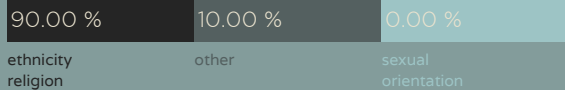
### TYPES OF RESPONSES



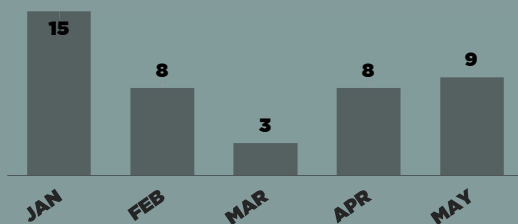
### PREVENTION



### VICTIM CHARACTERISTICS:



### HATE-MOTIVATED INCIDENTS SINCE JANUARY 2020: 43



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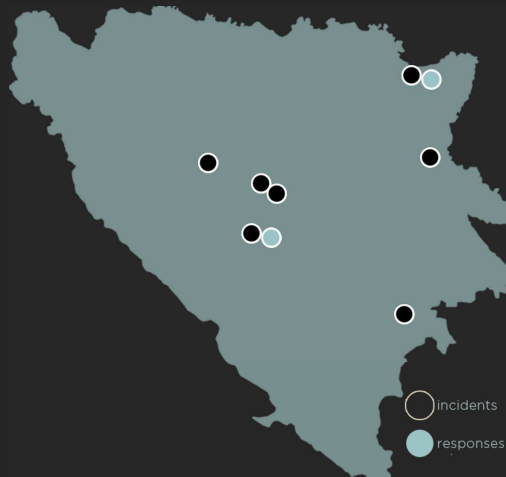


### HATE CRIME CASES

Trials Ongoing	6
Convictions in 2020	1
Acquittals in 2020	0

### INCIDENTS / RESPONSES THIS MONTH

Brčko Distrikt 2/2	Foča 1/0
Gornji Vakuf 1/1	Jajce 1/0
Travnik 1/0	Vitez 2/0
Zvornik 1/0	



### Highlighted

On 21 May, Coalitions against Hate (CaHs) across BiH marked the World Day of Cultural Diversities for Dialogue and Development. The online events consisted of ten radio shows, alongside video and photo exhibitions. The aim of these activities was to convey positive messages promoting multiculturalism and raising public awareness on cultural expressions and values, encouraging CaHs to work together in building social cohesion.

The Hate Monitor provides an update on all potential hate-motivated incidents and responses known to the OSCE Mission to BiH at the time of publishing the report.