

HATE MONITOR

APRIL 2023

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

7

TYPES OF INCIDENTS



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

RESPONSES

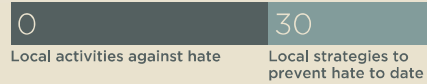
RESPONSES
TO HATE INCIDENTS
THIS MONTH

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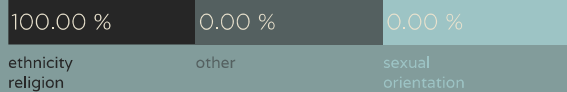
TYPES OF RESPONSES



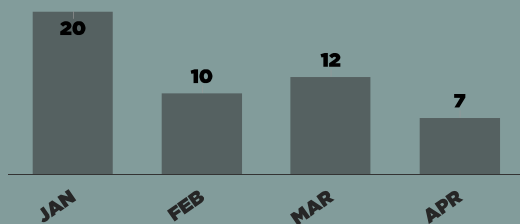
PREVENTION



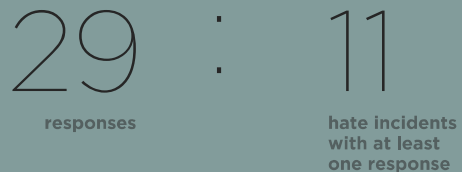
VICTIM CHARACTERISTICS:



HATE-MOTIVATED INCIDENTS SINCE JANUARY 2023: 49



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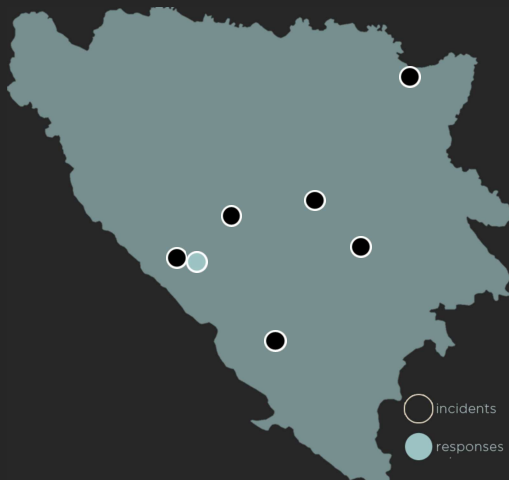


HATE CRIME CASES

Trials Ongoing	15
Convictions in 2023	0
Acquittals in 2023	0

INCIDENTS / RESPONSES THIS MONTH

Brčko Distrikt 1/0	Bugojno 1/0
Kakanj 2/0	Livno 1/1
Mostar 1/0	Novi Grad Saraj 1/0



Highlighted

In April, al-Fitr celebration in Višegrad, organized by CaH, promoted social cohesion and diversity. 600 pieces of baklava, a traditional cake, were shared with the public in front of the city mosque. At the same time, authorities in Višegrad publicly condemned a crime targeting a Bosniak couple and urged that the perpetrator be held accountable for their actions.

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.