# HATE MONITOR

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



#### TYPES OF INCIDENTS

Physical violence

Damage to religious facilities / Desecration of graveyards

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Insulting phone, Internet and sms messages

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Other

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

### RESPONSES

#### TYPES OF RESPONSES

Repairing damaged property/Graffiti removal/Cleanup action

Actions by local

Public condemnation by religious leaders

Peaceful gathering /

### PREVENTION

Local strategies to

prevent hate to date

#### VICTIM CHARACTERISTICS:

80.0 % ethnicity religion

10.0 % sexual

HATE-MOTIVATED INCIDENTS SINCE JANUARY

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#### **SINCE JANUARY 2015:**

responses

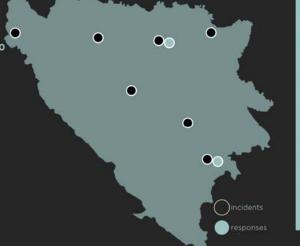
hate incidents with at least one response

Trials Ongoing Convictions in 2015 Acquittals in 2015

#### **INCIDENTS / RESPONSES** THIS MONTH

Banja Luka 1/0 Brčko Distrikt 1/0 Doboj 4/10 Travnik 1/0

Bihać 1/0 Centar Sarajevo 1/0 Foča 1/1



#### Highlighted

BIH Football The Association supported Supergradjani/Supergradjanke efforts to combat hate. BiH Premier League for men, a unified message against hate and intolerance was read before all 8 games. Fans were encouraged to support fair play and not to use stadiums to provoke haterelated incidents.

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