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: 2
- Property damage: 1
- Offensive graffiti: 2
- Damage to religious facilities / Desecration of graveyards: 2
- Verbal assault: 5
- Displaying symbols: 2
- Insulting phone, internet and sms messages: 0
- Other: 0

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

**RESPONSES**

**TYPES OF RESPONSES**

- Public condemnation by officials: 
- Public condemnation by religious leaders:
- Public condemnation by civil society:
- Repairing damaged property/Graffiti removal/Cleanup action:
- Peaceful gathering / March:
- Other:
- Local activities against hate:
- Local strategies to prevent hate to date:

**PREVENTION**

- Since January 2019:
  - Hate incidents with at least one response: 5
  - responses: 69

**HATE CRIME CASES**

- Trials Ongoing: 3
- Convictions in 2019: 0
- Acquittals in 2019: 0

On 15 June, the Coalition against Hate Stolac arranged a Street Art Workshop with art graduates from Mostar University and a Street Art Festival for young people from Stolac. The focus was on developing skills for the beautification of war-torn and ruined buildings.

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.