Security concerns of Muslim communities
Responding to the challenge - 10 practical steps

Security is only possible in societies based on mutual respect and equality. The practical steps below aim to help governments and everyone working to combat Anti-Muslim hate crime turn policies into action and build tolerant societies for all.

- Acknowledge the problem
- Raise awareness
- Recognize and record bias motivation of anti-Muslim hate crime
- Work with Muslim communities to identify security needs
- Build trust between national authorities and Muslim communities
- Identify security gaps to assess risks and prevent attacks
- Provide extra protection to Muslim communities when necessary
- Set up crisis response systems
- Reassure the community if an attack takes place
- Provide targeted support to victims

To learn more, read ODIHR's "Understanding Anti-Muslim Hate Crimes - Addressing the Security Needs of Muslim Communities: A Practical Guide" at https://www.osce.org/odihr/muslim-security-guide or visit https://www.osce.org/odihr/tolerance-and-non-discrimination