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For more information about ODIHR's Hate Crime Report, visit: hatecrime.osce.org/our-methodology

2024

Summary

Kyrgyzstan last reported hate crime data to ODIHR for the 2023 Hate Crime Report.

Hate crime data collection in Kyrgyzstan Support for hate crime victims in Kyrgyzstan Hate crime capacity building in Kyrgyzstan Kyrgyzstan's hate crime legislation

ODIHR's Key Observation

ODIHR observes that Kyrgyzstan has not reported hate crime information and statistics to ODIHR for the 2024 Hate Crime Report. In the absence of an official submission and statistics, ODIHR is not able to provide further observations on hate crime data collection in Kyrgyzstan. In addition, ODIHR observes that Kyrgyzstan would benefit from raising awareness among and building the capacity of law enforcement and criminal justice officials to address hate crimes.



Official Data

Year	Hate crimes recorded by police	Prosecuted	Sentenced
2024	not available	not available	not available

No data reported to ODIHR.



Incidents reported by civil society

For 2024, ODIHR received reports of hate incidents in Kyrgyzstan from the following civil society organizations:

- Queer Movement of Kyrgyzstan
- Eurasian Coalition on Health, Rights, Gender and Sexual Diversity (ECOM)
- International Institute for Religious Freedom (IIRF)

To learn more about these organizations, visit the Contributors page.

All incidents submitted by the above organizations have been analysed by ODIHR. Those that are *broadly considered to be* hate crimes within the OSCE definition (criminal offence committed with a bias motive) are listed in the tables below according to the bias motivation category. Some incidents involved multiple biases and may be listed in multiple categories.

ODIHR's insights

For 2024, ODIHR received reports of 11 incidents that took place in Kyrgyzstan in the following bias motivation categories: anti-LGBTI, anti-Christian, and both anti-LGBTI *and* gender-based.

ODIHR observes that most reported incidents in Kyrgyzstan targeted LGBTI persons, with law enforcement officers often involved in threats, blackmail, extortion, and physical assaults against this group. ODIHR notes that LGBTI-friendly clubs were particularly targeted during raids by law enforcement, with victims subjected to harassment.

It should be noted that ODIHR did not receive any reporting on Kyrgyzstan relating to anti-Roma, anti-Semitic, anti-Muslim or disability hate incidents. This indicates potential gaps in the information reported here.

Please note that incidents reported here are based on voluntary civil society submissions and as such might not reflect the actual number of incidents or the most targeted communities in Kyrgyzstan.

To address under-reporting, ODIHR encourages any civil society organizations or groups that monitor hate incidents in Kyrgyzstan to report these to ODIHR at hatecrimereport@odihr.pl.

To export an Excel sheet with summaries of all incidents from Kyrqyzstan click here and search by year and country.

View civil society incidents for Kyrgyzstan, 2024

