HATE CRIMES FACT SHEET





What is a Hate Crime?

Hate Crimes: At the federal level, a crime motivated by bias against race, color, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, or disability.

Bias or Hate Incident: Acts of prejudice that are not crimes and do not involve violence, threats, or property damage.

For additional information on hate crimes resources visit https://www.justice.gov/hatecrimes.

How do I report a hate crime?

If you believe you are the victim of a hate crime or believe you witnessed a hate crime:

For emergencies Dial 911

OR

Step 1: Report the crime to your local police.

Step 2: Quickly follow up this report with a tip to the Federal Bureau of Investigation's (FBI) tip line at 1-800-225-5324.

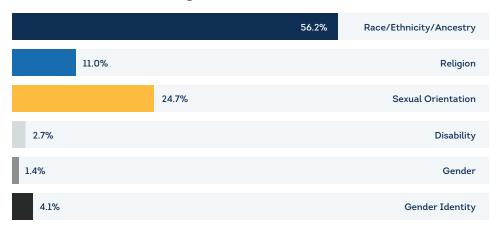
IOWA Hate Crimes Incidents in 2022

228 of 279 law enforcement agencies (82%) provided hate crime data.

Types of Crime

Crimes against Persons	45	58.4%
Crimes against Property	32	41.6%
Crimes against Society	0	0.0%

Bias Motivation Categories



Bias Motivation Categories	2020	2021	2022
Race/Ethnicity/Ancestry	12	75	41
Religion	0	10	8
Sexual Orientation	3	10	18
Disability	0	4	2
Gender	0	3	1
Gender Identity	0	3	3

For additional statistics, visit the FBI Crime Data Explorer at https://cde.ucr.cjis.gov/LATEST/webapp/#/pages/explorer/crime/hate-crime.