IMPACT SURVEY

PERCEPTIONS OF SECURITY AND TRUST IN POLICE IN IRAQ
Jubeil, Anbar

ABOUT THE PROJECT
IOM Iraq has partnered with Yale Law School’s Center for Global Legal Challenges to study the effects of IOM’s Community Policing Program, aimed at improving safety and security by building trust and cooperation between Iraqi civilians and law enforcement institutions. This study includes two waves of a door-to-door household survey conducted before and after the implementation of the Community Policing Program in three communities: Baradiyah (Basra governorate), Hamdaniyah (Ninewa), and Jubeil (Anbar). The baseline survey of 911 respondents was conducted in July 2019 and the endline survey of 903 respondents was conducted in December 2019.

METHODOLOGY
This infographic is based on data collected in Jubeil from the baseline survey of 301 respondents in July 2019 before the implementation of IOM’s Community Policing Program and 302 respondents in the endline survey in December 2019, after the implementation of the program.

DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY SAMPLE

PERCEPTIONS OF SECURITY
- Perceived the community as very safe: 60% Before CP, 75% After CP
- Said their family’s security situation had improved over the last year: 72% Before CP, 75% After CP
- Expected the level of violence in the community to increase in the next year: 6% Before CP, 14% After CP

TOP COMMUNITY CONCERNS
- Public Health: 89%
- Unemployment: 75%
- Access to Services: 66%
- Corruption: 63%
- Bribery: 38%

ACTORS PERCEIVED AS HAVING A POSITIVE IMPACT ON SECURITY
- Tribal Leaders: 84% Before CP, 96% After CP
- Army: 75% Before CP, 95% After CP
- Local Police: 83% Before CP, 92% After CP
- Mukhtar (Local Authority): 84% Before CP, 89% After CP

POLICE TRUST, COOPERATION, AND RESPECT
- Trust the Police: 82% Before CP, 91% After CP
- Are Likely to Report a Crime to the Police: 70% Before CP, 87% After CP
- Said That the Police are Respectful Toward Them: 75% Before CP, 95% After CP

EFFECTIVENESS OF LOCAL POLICE
- In Fighting Crime:
  - Effective: 82% Before CP, 94% After CP
  - Ineffective: 5% Before CP, 0% After CP
- In Maintaining Security:
  - Perceive the Local Police as Effective: 93%