



IMPACT SURVEY

PERCEPTIONS OF SECURITY AND TRUST IN POLICE IN IRAQ Baradiyah, Basra

ABOUT THE PROJECT

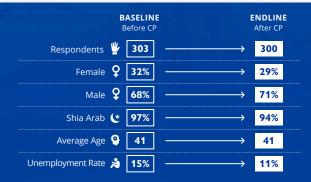
IOM Iraq has partnered with Yale Law School's Center for Global Legal Challenges to study the effects of IOM's Community Policing Program, aimed at improving safety and security by building trust and cooperation between Iraqi civilians and law enforcement institutions. This study includes two waves of 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 Baradiyah from the baseline survey of 303 respondents in July 2019 before the implementation of IOM's Community Policing Program and 300 respondents in the endline survey in December 2019, after the implementation of the program.



DEMOGRAPHICS OF SURVEY SAMPLE



Before CP: Before the implementation of the Community Policy Program (Jul–Aug 2019) **After CP:** After the implementation of the Community Policy Program (Dec 2019)

PERCEPTIONS OF SECURITY

perceived the community as very safe

20% After CP Before CP

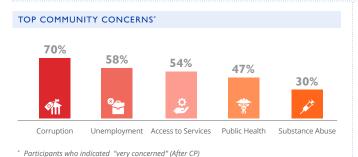
said their family's security situation had improved over the last year



45%

expected the **level of violence** in the community to increase in the next year





POLICE TRUST, COOPERATION, AND RESPECT Before CP After CP Trust the Police 19% 19% Are Likely to Report 30% 40% a Crime to the Police Said That the Police are 24% 30% Respectful Toward Them

EFFECTIVENESS OF LOCAL POLICE

In Fighting Crime:



In Maintaining Security:



ACTORS PERCEIVED AS HAVING A POSITIVE IMPACT ON SECURITY® Before CP After CP **52%** 82% Local Police P Tribal Leaders 67% 58% Popular Mobilization Forces 50% 45% Religious Institutions 46% 40% 38% Mukhtar (Local Authority) $\overline{\mathbf{m}}$ * Actors most consistently present in the community PREFERRED WAYS OF APPROACHING POLICE TO REPORT PROBLEMS Before CP After CP Anonymously 35% 45% Contactthe Police Go to a Police 13% Department Would Not Report 45% 22% the Incident Ask an Intermediary 40% 20% to Talk to the Police Approach a Police Officer

* Denotes a percentage increase or decrease between the baseline survey (July-August 2019) and the endline survey (December 2019)

I Personally Know

16%

11%