

Joint Policing Committee - Garda Report



Garda Síochána Act 2005 – Joint Policing Guidelines 15.9

The following is compiled by way of general information, for the period under review, as per regulation 17.6, in accordance with the headings specified in that regulation, (1) Commission of Crime and (2) Crime Prevention matters.

Garda Station / (Sub)District	H District	Period	1 st April – 18 th June
Chief / Superintendent	Chief Supt Mark Curran	Date of JPC Meeting	26.6.2023

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Reports Of	2021	2022	Change	Detection Rate 2021	Detection Rate 2022	Comments
Assault Causing Harm	8	14	75%	13%	21%	
Assault Minor	16	17	6%	0%	6%	
Aggravated Burglary	1	0	-100%	0%	0%	
Burglary	11	10	-9%	36%	10%	
Criminal Damage	52	56	8%	15%	9%	
Discharge of Firearm	0	2	200%	0%	0%	
Robbery from Person	1	0	-100%	0%	0%	
Robbery from Establishments	1	0	-100%	100%	0%	
Theft from the Person	4	2	-50%	0%	0%	
Theft from MPV	20	8	-60%	5%	0%	
Traffic / UT of Vehicle	8	15	88%	13%	0%	
Theft from Shop	54	40	-26%	39%	10%	
Theft (Other)	19	11	-42%	26%	9%	
Fraud	13	17	31%	0%	18%	
Public Order Incidents	33	25	-24%	70%	60%	

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Domestic Violence - Incidents	100	125	25%	n/a	n/a	
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Reports Of	2021	2022	Change	Detection Rate 2021	Detection Rate 2022	Comments
Domestic Violence - Breach of Orders	15	18	20%	80%	44%	
Dog Offences	0	3	300%	0%	0%	
Offences against Animals	0	0	0%	0%	0%	

Garda Patrol Activity	2021	2022	Change	Detection Rate 2021	Detection Rate 2022	Comments
Possession of Firearm	1	0	-100%	100%	0%	
Possession of Drugs for Sale or Supply	30	28	-7%	63%	54%	
Possession of Drugs for Personal Use	35	17	-51%	97%	53%	
Possession of Offensive Weapon	9	3	-67%	78%	100%	
Searches under Drugs Act	238	82	-66%	n/a	n/a	
Vehicle Seizures Sec 41	42	61	45%	n/a	n/a	



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Garda Station / (Sub)District	Finglas	3 Month Period	1 st March -31 st May
Chief / Superintendent	Finbarr Murphy	Date of JPC Meeting	26 th June 2023

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	2022	2023	Percentage Change	Detection Rate 2022*	Detection Rate 2023*	Comments
Assault Causing Harm	30	19	-37%	25%	17%	Decrease, but this type of offending is still a concern
Assault Minor	43	40	-7%	10%	6%	Slightly down on previous year
Aggravated Burglary	0	1	+100%	0%	0%	Slightly down on previous year
Burglary	23	24	+4%	22%	14%	Slightly down on previous year
Criminal Damage	118	147	+25%	16%	12%	Slightly increase on previous year with a similar detection rate.
Discharge of Firearm	4	0	-100%	17%	0%	Decrease on previous year
Robbery from Person	4	4	0	12%	20%	No Change
Robbery from Establishments	5	2	-60%	70%	33%	Decrease on previous year
Theft from the Person	3	7	+133%	20%	0%	Increase in this type of offending
Theft from MPV	26	7	-73%	15%	0%	Decrease on previous year
Theft from Shop	81	81	0	46%	44%	No Change
Theft (Other)	111	92	-17%	9%	3%	Decrease on previous year
UT of Vehicle	24	30	+25%	13%	11%	Slight increase on previous year with a similar detection rate, However since January 117 vehicles have been recovered in the sub-district of Finglas alone
Fraud / Deception	60	61	+2%	6%	11%	Slight increase on previous year with a similar detection rate.

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	2022	2023	Percentage Change	Detection Rate 2022*	Detection Rate 2023*	Comments
Public Order	75	53	-29%	47%	49%	Decrease on previous year with a similar detection rate.
Garda Patrol Activity						
ASBO Issued						
Possession of Firearm						
Possession of Drugs for Sale or Supply						
Possession of Drugs for Personal Use						
Possession of Offensive Weapon						
Searches under Drugs Act						
Vehicle Seizures Sec 41						
Incidents						

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Domestic Violence	2022	2023	Percentage Change	Detection Rate 2022*	Detection Rate 2023*	Comments
Domestic Violence Incidents – No Offence Disclosed	166	135	-19%	N/A	N/A	Decrease, but this type of offending is still a concern.
Breach of Domestic Violence Orders~	23	30	+30%	78%	75%	This indicates an increase.

~ Domestic Violence Orders Include Barring Orders, Safety Orders and Protection Orders

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**Crime Prevention
Matters and Other
Information**

All victims of Domestic Violence in D11 are receiving a call back with a view to providing Crime Prevention Advice.

Victims of Drug debt intimidation are offered Crime Prevention Advice and an Inspector is also appointed to monitor all cases of Drug Debt intimidation.

There are special dedicated patrols by Garda teams, uniform and plain clothes, in the Finglas area who engage in patrols, check points and assisting regular units in responding to calls from the public when necessary.

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- denotes previous period as zero: Percentage cannot be calculated.

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