



**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.

<b>Garda Station / (Sub)District</b>	Cabra	<b>Period</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> of October - 31 <sup>st</sup> of December
<b>Chief / Superintendent</b>	Michael McNulty	<b>Date of JPC Meeting</b>	Tuesday 30 January 2024

Garda Patrol activity	2022	2023	Percentage Change	Detection Rate 2022*	Detection Rate 2023*	Comments (For internal use only)
<b>Assault Causing Harm</b>	4	13	<b>+225%</b>	23%	21%	7 Incidents are Domestic Violence Related with suspects nominated and 4 of which resulted in charges 1 Incidents where male was assaulted but IP not co-operating 1 Incident where land lord assault by tenant, male charged 1 Incident as a result of road –rage between female driver and female neighbour, IP was 5 months pregnant at the time – investigation ongoing 1 incident of male assaulted by group of males, no suspects identified 1 incident of a male assaulted by 2 unknown males but IP believes it's in relation to a recent drugs seizure in his premises. 1 incident of male stabbed in side, not co-operating. IP is prolific burglar from outside the district
<b>Assault Minor</b>	14	10	<b>-29%</b>	8%	9%	3 Incidents have suspects nominated. 2 of these incidents are Domestic Violence related. 1 incident if security guard assaulted by customer in Aldi 1 incident of male assaulted in phoenix park by group of teenagers 1 male punched by male in a pub, no complaint made 1 male assaulted outside a restaurant by unknown male 2 incidents involve people known to each other 1 incident may not be a assault, female verbally abused by taxi driver, investigation ongoing

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Aggravated Burglary	1	1	0%	0%	0%	s/o forced entry through front door, went upstairs to where IP was located in his bedroom and attempted to gain entry. IP held door closed, in the process received a cut to his arm, which he believes was caused by a knife. The intruder left the scene in a white VW Passat vehicle. IP unwilling to co-operate with Gardai, Enquiries ongoing.
Burglary	9	16	+78%	5%	14%	4 incidents of break in at schools, 2 incidents of business premises 1 incident of ex-boyfriend broke into house and was charged 9 The other burglaries are all related to homes, and many are attempt only – where home owners found damage to windows or doors in attempts to break
Criminal Damage	33	31	-6%	15%	13%	The majority of incidents are damage to vehicles either in a suspected attempt to steal the vehicle or steal contents from the vehicle. Other incidents involve vehicles being set alight and S/O charged  4 incidents involve IP properties where 3 s/o are nominated.
Discharge of Firearm	0	0	0%	NA	NA	
Robbery from Person	0	1	+100%	NA	14%	Male attempted to rob a bag of I/P receiving a number of punches while walking from the maple centre,
Robbery from Establishments	0	2	+200%	67%	0%	1 incident where male and female snatched money from a till in shop pushing the cashier stealing €280. 1 incident at petrol station where male produced a unbroken glass bottle and stole €100
Theft from the Person	2	4	+100%	8%	13%	Head phones snatched from woman's head while on a bus Delivery driver had a package stolen Laptop stolen from person having me through Facebook marketplace DVSA where phone charger was stolen and I/P hit with same

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Theft from MPV	11	33	-200%	1%	6%	12 of the 33 incidents occurred in the Phoenix Park. There are a variety of locations within the park with the Papal Cross and Polo Grounds being the most frequent. A complete absence of CCTV at all of these locations hampers investigations  11 incidents relate to cars being left open overnight
Theft from Shop	29	31	+7%	42%	18%	9 incidents at Aldi a reduction of 11 with one detection Supervalu 6 with one detection Tesco's 11 with three detections  A day of action targeting specific prolific offender was conducted in conjunction with DDU Cabra. This led to a number of arrests and suspects before the courts.
Theft (Other)	7	14	+100%	10%	2%	The thefts (other) category involve a variety of offences including theft of take away food, theft of a phone and the theft of a trailer from a building site.
UT of Vehicle	20	11	-45%	10%	19%	The vehicles and methods used can be broken down as follows: 4 – Motorbikes / scooters – all taken without keys – one chained 1 – Japanese Import – taken without keys 1 – attempted Hijacking of a car – 1 female passengers, drunk male arrested  5 taken without keys
Fraud / Deception	7	3	-57%	12%	5%	2 incident relates to an online fraud.. The other incident related to a stolen bank card that was tapped to buy goods in a shop
Public Order Incidents	28	21	-25%	43%	46%	Most of these incidents relate to person under the influence of intoxicants, no incidents of note

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ASBO Issued	0	0	0%	NA	NA	
Possession of Firearm	0	0	0%	NA	NA	
Possession of Drugs for Sale or Supply	3	5	+67%	71%	78%	Intelligence led operations targeting a variety of premises in Cabra. The total value of drugs recovered is estimated at just under €25,000. The most common types are Cannabis herb and cocaine
Possession of Drugs for Personal Use	3	9	+200%	78%	76%	Most of these detections are a result of stopping / searching people while on patrol. Most common drugs found are Cannabis, cocaine and Benzodiazepine.
Possession of Offensive Weapon	0	2	+200%	75%	75%	males were found in possession of knife and other incident male had a hammer.
Searches under Drugs Act	24	14	-42%	NA	NA	
Vehicle Seizures Sec 41	33	29	-12%	NA	NA	

\*Detection Rates given are a yearly figure

Domestic Violence	2022	2023	Percentage Change	Detection Rate 2022*	Detection Rate 2023*	Comments (For internal use only)
Domestic Violence Incidents – No Offence Disclosed	46	43	-7%	NA	NA	Gardaí continue to meet with people in Domestic Abuse situations and offer any advice and support possible, even when no criminal offence is apparent.
Breach of Domestic Violence Orders~	9	4	-56%	75%	69%	

~ Domestic Violence Orders Include Barring Orders, Safety Orders and Protection Orders  
- denotes previous period as zero: Percentage cannot be calculated.

**Crime Prevention  
Matters and Other  
Information**

The Drug Related Intimidation work mentioned at the last JPC has been continuing and has been active across the K District. A number of people have been arrested in relation to this type of activity and are presently before the courts.

The Halloween campaign which was a multi-agency approach undertaken with DCC resulted in huge improvements over previous years. The active engagement with community stakeholders, advance visits to schools, working closely with contractors and the planned events themselves worked well and will be built upon for future years.

Anti-Social behaviour continues to be targeted and locations where this is taking place identified. In one area, constructive discussions have taken place between AGS and management Companies. A raft of measures have been undertaken in order to tackle this behaviour.

A large operation took place with the public transport providers which saw Gardaí using all forms of public transport to tackle criminality and anti-social behaviour. AGS worked with Irish Rail enforcement staff in order to provide support when dealing with fare evaders. A number of drug searches took place and arrests were made in relation to Warrants and Public Order Offences.

The annual Christmas Dinner for the Retired Active Persons group returned for the first year since COVID. This was organised by Garda Ciara McGrath, Cabra Community Policing, and catered for 65 older people. The event was supported by Dublin City Council and was a huge success.

Cabra once again is host to a foreign dignitary and a large scale Security Operation has been implemented for the Phoenix Park. This provides an opportunity to re-engage with stakeholders and local residents.

It should be noted that in any reference to statistics, those statistics are provisional, operational, liable to change and some possibly re-classified with the introduction of Central Statistics Office reports.