

# What is a Hate Crime?

“ ... A crime committed based on the victim’s perceived or actual race, color, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, or disability. ”

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## Ensure Your Safety & Seek Help

**Your first and foremost priority should be to ensure your physical safety!**

- + Seek medical attention immediately, if necessary.
- + Talk to someone you trust about the experience.
- + Remember that hate crimes can happen to anyone. You are not to blame!

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## Record Details About The Incident

**After the initial shock of the incident has passed, write down exactly what happened.**

- + Include as many specific details as possible.
- + Keep and make copies of all documentation (e.g., hate mail or recordings of hate calls).
- + Photograph any physical injuries, offensive graffiti, and/or evidence of vandalism.

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## Report The Incident

- + If you experience hate, you should report it. Contact local law enforcement and provide them with detailed information. Secure the names, contact information, and badge numbers of the investigating officers.
- + **Report a suspected hate crime to the FBI at 1-800-225-5324.** You can state your preferred language for translation services.
- + Consider reporting the incident to a community organization that is tracking hate crimes. This is only for data collection purposes. You should also report to local law enforcement and the FBI.
- + If you are concerned about your immigration status, consider seeking legal advice. U.S. immigration law provides several protections for immigrants who are victims of crime.

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## Contact A Community Organization

Contact a local community organization for assistance and support. Community organizations may be able to assist with dealing with law enforcement, language translation, seeking medical care or psychological counseling, locating an attorney, handling media, fundraising, and identifying a support network.

### Resources for more information on...

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# Ania ti krimen ti gura?

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## LISTAAN A PANGKITAAN PARA KADAGITI BIKTIMA

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### *Siguraduen ti Kinatalgedmo ken Agkiddaw iti Tulong*

**Ti kaunaan ken maipangruna a pakaseknam ket ti panangsigurado iti pisikal a kinatalgedmo.**

- \* No kasapulan, madagdagus nga agkiddaw iti medikal nga atension.
- \* Makipatang iti maysa a pagtalkam a tao maipapan iti padasmo.
- \* Laglagipen a dagiti krimen ti gura, mabalin a mapasamak iti uray asino man. Saan a sika ti mapabasol!

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### *Irekord dagiti Detalye maipapan iti Insidente*

**Kalpasan a nagmawmaw ti damo a pannakabigla iti insidente, isurat no ania a talaga ti napasamak.**

- \* Iraman dagiti ispesipiko a detalye iti mabalin a kas kaadu.
- \* Mangidulin ken mangaramid iti adu a kopia ti amin a dokumentasion (kas koma iti hate mail wenna dagiti nairekord a hate call).
- \* Retraturen ti ania man a pisikal a dunor, makasair a graffiti, ken/wenna ebidensia ti bandalismo.

### **DAGITI PAGTAUDAN**

Para iti ad-adu pay nga impormasion iti legal nga ayuda, pannakitinnulong kadagiti pannakabagi ti linteg, mental a salun-at, ken adu pay, bisitaen ti Hate Crime Resources ti National Asian Pacific Bar Association's (NAPABA) iti <https://www.napaba.org/page/HateCrimeResources>.

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### *I-report ti Insidente*

- \* No makapadaska iti gura, masapul nga i-report-mo daytoy. Kontaken dagiti lokal a pannakabagi ti linteg ket ikkan ida iti detaliado nga impormasion. Alaen dagiti nagan, impormasion ti pakakontakan, ken numero ti tsapa dagiti agim-imbetiga nga opisial.
- \* **I-report ti suspetsa a krimen ti gura iti FBI iti 1-800-225-5324.** Mabalinmo nga ibaga ti kayatmo a lengguahe para kadagiti serbisio ti panagipatarus.
- \* Ikosiderar ti panangi-report iti insidente iti maysa nga organisasion iti komunidad a mangbambantay kadagiti krimen ti gura Para laeng daytoy iti pakaseknan a panagkolekta iti data. Masapul met nga i-report-mo kadagiti pannakabagi ti linteg ken iti FBI.
- \* No maseknanka iti kasasaadmo maipanggep iti imigrasion, ikonsiderar ti panagkiddaw iti legal a pammagbaga. Mangipapaay ti linteg iti imigrasion ti U.S. kadagiti proteksion para kadagiti imigrante a biktima ti krimen.

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### *Kontaken ti maysa nga Organisasion iti Komunidad*

Kontaken ti maysa a lokal nga organisasion iti komunidad para iti tulong ken suporta. Mabalin dagiti organisasion iti komunidad ti mangtulong iti pannakipatang kadagiti pannakabagi ti linteg, pannakaipatarus ti lengguahe, panagkiddaw iti medikal a pannakataripato wenna pammagbaga a sikolohikal, panangbirok iti abogado, panangasikaso iti media, panagpataud iti pundo, ken panangbigbig iti network ti suporta.

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# Working With...

## Law Enforcement



### The Preliminary Investigation

Law enforcement officials will first conduct a preliminary investigation at the scene of the crime.

### The Follow-Up Investigation

There may be a follow-up investigation. Officers may conduct interviews, document the incident and apparent motives, arrest suspects, **notify the FBI.**

### Hate Crime Indicators

Law enforcement officials will consider the following bias indicators: racial, ethnic, gender and/or cultural differences; comments, written statements, or gestures; drawings, markings, symbols, or graffiti; organized hate groups; previous bias crimes or incident.

### FBI Involvement

The Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) is the lead agency for enforcing federal civil rights law. The Hate Crimes Unit of the FBI's Civil Rights Division investigates crimes motivated by bias toward race, color, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, gender identity, disability, or gender.

### Resources for more information on...

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## The Media



### Develop Talking Points

Identify a specific target audience and create messages that will achieve your goals. Specify what you want people to do, how they should do it, and why.

### Issue A Press Release

If the topic is newsworthy, consider answering these questions in a press release: Who? What? When? Where? Why? And how? Keep the press release short and include your contact information.

Example: <http://bit.ly/3IGgIJD>

### Write Blog / Social Media Post

Summarize your main points, establish your credibility, and use evidence. Be as concise and to the point as possible. For social media, be sure to use the hashtag **#StopAAPIHate** to maximize visibility.

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**Note:** Before speaking with the media, consider the victim's concerns regarding publicity. You may want to seek legal advice.  
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# PANNAKITINNULONG KADAGITI PANNAKABAGI TI LINTEG KEN ITI MEDIA

## PANNAKABAGI TI LINTEG



### *Ti Damdamo nga Imbestigasion*

Mangiwayat nga umuna dagiti opisial ti pannakabagi ti linteg iti maysa a damdamo (preliminary) nga imbestigasion iti nakapasamakan ti krimen.

### *Ti Panangsurnad nga Imbestigasion*

Mabalin nga adda panagsurnad wenno follow-up nga imbestigasion. Mabalin a mangiwayat dagiti opisial kadagiti interview, mangdokumentar iti insidente ken dagiti agparparang a motibo, mangarestar kadagiti suspetsa, ken [mangpakaammo iti FBI](#).

### *Dagiti Pakailasinan ti Krimen ti Gura*

Ikonsiderar dagiti opisial dagiti sumaganad a pakailasinan ti panangidumduma: gapu iti puli, etniko, katatao (gender) ken/wenno kultural a pagdudumaan; dagiti komento, naisurat a pakdaar, wenno gunggunay; dagiti drowing, marka, simbolo, wenno graffiti; dagiti organisado a grupo ti gura; dagiti kallabes a krimen wenno insidente ti panangidumduma.

### *Pannakiraman ti FBI*

Ti Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) ti daulo nga ahensia para iti pannakaipakat dagiti linteg ti pederal a civil rights. Im-imbestigaran ti Hate Crimes Unit ti Civil Rights Division ti FBI dagiti krimen a pinarnuay ti panangidumduma wenno panangilangi iti puli, maris ti kudil, relihion, nagtaudan a pagilian, seksual nga orientasion, identidad ti katatao (gender), disabilidad, wenno katatao.

### **DAGITI PAGTAUDAN**

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## MEDIA



### *Mangbukel kadagiti Puntos ti Mensahe ken Panangisao*

Bigbigen ti maysa a naipangruna a target nga agdengngeg, ken mangbukel kadagiti mensahe a makagun-od kadagiti panggepmo. Ibinsabinsa no ania ti kayatmo nga aramiden dagiti tattao, no kasanoda nga aramiden daytoy, ken no apay.

### *Mangiruar iti Press Release*

No ti topiko ket importante a maipadamag, sungbatan dagitoy a saludsod iti maysa a press release: Asino? Ania? Kaano? Sadinno? Apay? Ken kasano? Ababa laeng ti press release, ken iraman ti impormasion ti pangkontak kenka. Pagarigan: <http://bit.ly/3IGqJJD>

### *Mangsurat iti Blog wenno Poste iti Social Media*

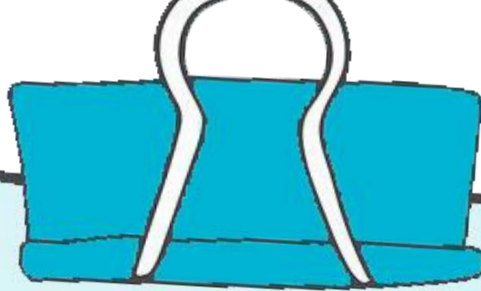
Gupgopen amin dagiti kangrunaan a puntosmo, ipaneknekmo ti kredibilidadmo, ken agusar iti ebidensia. Agingga iti mabalin, ababa laeng ken direkta iti punto. Para iti social media, siguraduen nga agusar iti hashtag nga **#StopAAPIHate** tapno ad-adu ti makakita.



*Sakbay nga agsao iti media, ikonsiderar dagiti pakaseknan ti biktima maipanggep iti publisidad. Mabalin a kayatmo ti agkiddaw iti pammagbaga a legal.*



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# Checklist for Community Organizations

## ✓ Offer Assistance to Hate Crime Victims

Assess and provide for the particular needs of the victim(s). These needs can be filing a police report, working with police and prosecutors, seeking medical care or psychological counseling, locating an attorney, finding a language translator, handling media inquiries, obtaining financial assistance, and offering a support network.

## ✓ Reporting Hate Crimes and Hate Incidents

Determine whether the victim wants law enforcement involvement. Reporting to law enforcement will prompt further investigation. Reporting to community organizations that track hate incidents will only record the incident.

### **Reporting to Law Enforcement**

+ Contact local law enforcement and provide them with detailed information. Secure the names, contact information, and badge numbers of the investigating officers.

+ **Report a suspected hate crime to the FBI at 1-800-225-5324.** You can state your preferred language for translation services.

### **Reporting to Community Organizations**

Report the incident to a community organization that is tracking hate crimes, like **Stop AAPI Hate**. This is only for data collection purposes.

## ✓ Speak out Against Acts of Hate

Hate crimes must be denounced swiftly in order to provide a message to the public that hate will not be tolerated. Here are some things you can do to speak out against hate crimes:

**Communication:** Issue a press release; contact local media; coordinate a press conference

**Community:** Work with local leaders; organize community events

**Government:** Facilitate meetings with law enforcement and local, state, and federal officials to address your community's concerns.

## ✓ Educate and Mobilize the Community

Raise community awareness regarding hate crimes and violence by providing workshops, holding community briefings, facilitating town hall meetings, organizing conferences or panel discussions, and translating community education materials.

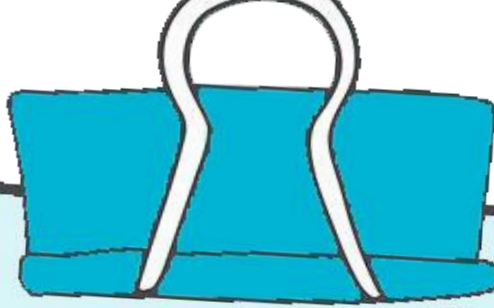
## ✓ Create an Anti-Hate Crime Task Force

As a longer-term solution, create or take part in an anti-hate crime task force that meets on a regular basis and is involved with local and national organizations.

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# LISTAAN A PANGKITAAN PARA KADAGITI ORGANISASION

## ✓ **Mangted iti Saranay kadagiti Biktima ti Krimen ti Gura**

Amirisen ken mangipaay kadagiti partikular a pakasapulan ti/dagiti biktima. Dagitoy a pakasapulan ket mabalin a panangpila iti report iti polis, pannakitinnulong kadagiti polis ken prosecutor, panangala iti medikal a pannakataripato wenno pammagbaga a sikolohikal, panangbirok iti abogado, panangsapul iti agipatpatarus iti lengguahe, panangasikaso kadagiti saludsod ti media, pannakagun-od iti tulong a pinansial, ken panangted iti network ti suporta.

## ✓ **Panangi-report kadagiti Krimen ti Gura ken Insidente ti Gura**

Ammuen no kayat ti biktima ti pannakairaman dagiti pannakabagi ti linteg. Ti panangi-report kadagiti pannakabagi ti linteg ket papardasenna ti ad-adda pay a pannakaimbestigar. Ti panangi-report kadagiti organisasion iti komunidad a mangbambantay kadagiti insidente ti gura ket irekordna laeng ti insidente.

### **Pangi-report kadagiti Pannakabagi ti Linteg**

+ Kontaken ti lokal a pannakabagi ti linteg ket ited kadakuada ti detaliado nga impormasion. Alaen dagiti nagan, impormasion ti pakakontakan, ken numero ti tsapa dagiti agim-imbetiga nga opisial.

+ **I-report ti suspetsa a krimen ti gura iti FBI iti 1-800-225-5324.** Mabalainmo nga ibaga ti kayatmo a lengguahe para kadagiti serbisio ti panagipatarus.

### **Panangi-report kadagiti Organisasion iti Komunidad**

I-report ti insidente iti organisasion iti komunidad a mangbambantay kadagiti krimen ti gura, kas iti [Stop AAPI Hate](#). Para laeng daytoy iti pakaseknan a panagkolekta iti data.

## ✓ **Agsao Kontra kadagiti Aramid ti Gura**

Nasken a makontra a madagdagus dagiti krimen ti gura tapno makaited iti mensahe iti publiko a saan a mapanuyonoyan ti gura. Dagitoy ti sumagmamano a bambanag a mabalainmo nga aramiden iti panangkontra kadagiti krimen ti gura:

**Dagiti Komunikasion:** Mangiruar iti press release; kontaken ti lokal a media; makikoordinar para iti maysa a press conference

**Komunidad:** Makitinnulong kadagiti lokal a lider; mangorganisar kadagiti events iti komunidad

**Gobierno:** Mangiwayat kadagiti panagtataripnong kadagiti pannakabagi ti linteg ken kadagiti lokal, estado, ken pederal nga opisial tapno maasikaso dagiti pakaseknan ti komunidad.

## ✓ **Edukaran ken Paggunayen ti Komunidad**

Yad-adu ti pannakaammo ti komunidad maipapan kadagiti krimen ti gura ken kinaranggas babaen ti panangipaay kadagiti workshop, panangangay kadagiti panangimpormar iti komunidad, panangiwayat kadagiti panagtataripnong iti munisipio, panangorganisar kadagiti komperensia wenno panagpapatang a panel, ken panangipatarus kadagiti material ti edukasion ti komunidad.

## ✓ **Mangbukel iti maysa a Task Force a Kontra Krimen ti Gura**

Kas maysa a napapaut a maaramid a solusyon, mangbukel wenno makisali iti maysa a task force a kontra krimen ti gura nga agtataripnong a regular ken karaman kadagiti lokal ken nasional nga organisasion.

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# Frequently Asked Questions

**“ What is a Hate Crime? A crime committed based on the victim’s perceived or actual race, color, religion, national origin, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, or disability. ”**

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***What is the difference between a “hate crime” and a “hate incident”***

**Hate crimes** must involve a “crime” and it often involves harassment and/or a violent crime, such as assault, murder, arson, vandalism, or threats to commit such crimes. It may also cover conspiring or asking another person to commit such crimes, even if the crime was never carried out.

**Hate incidents** are acts of prejudice that are not crimes and do not involve violence, threats, or property damage. The most common examples are isolated forms of speech in the form of racial slurs.

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***Why should I report a “hate crime”***

There is a significant disparity between hate crimes that actually occur and those reported to law enforcement. It is critical to report hate crimes not only to show support and get help for victims, but also to send a clear message that the community will not tolerate these kinds of crimes. Reporting hate crimes allows communities and law enforcement to fully understand the scope of the problem in a community and put resources toward preventing and addressing attacks based on bias and hate. Regardless of whether an incident amounts to a hate crime or a hate incident, it should be reported so that an investigation can occur.

***Resources for more information on...***

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***How is a hate crime different from a “regular” crime***

Hate crimes have a broader effect than most other kinds of crime. Hate crime victims include not only the crime’s immediate target but also others like them. Hate crimes affect families, communities, and at times, the entire nation.

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***How is the prosecution of a hate crime different from a regular crime***

Hate crime laws vary from state-to-state. Most hate crime laws provide for enhanced penalties if there is sufficient evidence that an offender has committed a crime with bias motivation. Moreover, hate crime laws sometimes provide increased financial, technical, and forensic support to state and local law enforcement involved in prosecuting hate crime cases. Even if a state or territory does not have a hate crimes law, hate crimes can still be reported.

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# DAGITI KANAYON A MADAMAG A SALUDSOD

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**Ania ti nagdumaan ti maysa a “krimen ti gura” ken ti maysa nga “insidente ti gura”?**

Masapul nga adda mairaman a “krimen” iti krimen ti gura ken kanayon a pakairamanan ti panangrribuk ken/wenno naranggas a krimen, kas iti panagkabil, pammapatay, panagpuor, bandalismo, wenno dagiti pangta a panangaramid kadagita a krimen. Mabalín pay a sakupenna ti pannakikumplot wenno panangkiddaw iti sabali a tao tapno aramiden dagita a krimen, uray pay no saan a natuloy a naaramid ti krimen.

Ti insidente ti gura ket dagiti aramid a panangidumduma wenno panangilangi a saan a makuna a krimen ken saan a pakairamanan ti kinaranggas, panangipangta, wenno panagdadael iti sanikua. Dagiti kagagangayan a pagarigan ket dagiti manmano a kita ti pannakaisao kadagiti porma ti pananguyaw iti puli.

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**Apay a masapul nga i-report-ko ti maysa a krimen ti gura?**

Adda dakkal a nagdudumaan dagiti krimen ti gura a talaga a mapaspasamak ken kadagidiay mairep-report kadagiti pannakabagi ti linteg. Masapul unay a mai-report dagiti krimen ti gura saan laeng a tapno maipakita ti suporta ken makaala iti tulong para kadagiti biktima, ngem tapno makaiwaragawag pay iti nalawag a mensahe a saan a palubosan ti komunidad dagiti kakastoy a klase ti krimen. Ti panangireport kadagiti krimen ti gura, palubosanna a nalawag a maawatan dagiti komunidad ken pannakabagi ti linteg ti pakabuklan ti problema iti maysa a komunidad ket maipanda dagiti rekursos para iti pannakaliklik ken pannakaasikaso dagiti panagatake a nakabasar iti panangidumduma ken gura. Uray pay no ti insidente ket agtinnag a maysa krimen ti gura wenno maysa nga insidente ti gura, masapul a mai-report tapno maiwayat ti maysa nga imbestigasion.

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**Kasano a dagiti krimen ti gura ket maiduma kadagiti “gagangay” a krimen?**

Nalawlaw ti epekto dagiti krimen ti gura ngem iti kaaduanna a sabsabali a klase ti krimen. Mairaman kadagiti biktima ti krimen ti gura saan laeng a ti mismo a target ti krimen ngem pati iti sabsabali pay a kas kadakuada. Apektaran dagiti krimen ti gura dagiti pamilia, dagiti komunidad, ken no dadduma, ti sibubukel a pagilian.

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**Kasano a ti pannakausig ti maysa a krimen ti gura ket naiduma iti maysa a “gagangay” a krimen?**

Agduduma dagiti linlinteg iti krimen iti tunggal estado. Kaaduanna a linlinteg iti krimen ti gura ti mangipaay kadagiti naipadakkal a dusa no adda naan-anay a pammaneknek a ti naglabsing ket nakaaramid iti krimen a ti panggepna ket mangidumduma wenno mangilangi. Kasta met a dagiti linteg iti krimen ti gura no dadduma ket mangipaay iti napangato a pinansial, teknikal, ken forensic a suporta kadagiti estado ken lokal a pannakabagi ti linteg a nairaman iti pannakausig dagiti kaso ti krimen ti gura. Uray no awan ti linteg iti krimen ti gura iti maysa nga estado wenno teritorio, mabalín latta a mai-report dagiti krimen ti gura.

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