



Some results from the 2015/16 Survey



Around 9% of households and their adult occupants had been victims of crime

Experience of crime

The risk of becoming a victim of crime is **9%** lower than England and Wales



Perceptions of crime

The most common reason people chose not to report crimes to the police was that the police could not or would not do anything.



73% of people felt that a 'fear of crime' had a **minimal** effect on their quality of life

Criminal Justice System

Survey respondents believed the top three causes of crime were;

1. Drugs
2. Alcohol
3. Lack of discipline from parents



75% of people think the police do a good job



82% of people think the Criminal Justice System is fair

Northern Ireland Crime Survey



What is it?

This survey asks people in Northern Ireland about their experiences of and perceptions of crime

For more information phone:
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How was I chosen?

Your house was chosen at random from the Land & Property Services list of addresses



What type of questions will I be asked?

The interviewer will ask questions about the level of crime in your area, any crimes of which you may have been a victim, your confidence in policing and any worries you may have about crime



What is it used for?

The survey provides information about the levels and types of crimes occurring in Northern Ireland, as well as information on how people perceive and react to crimes



How long will it take?

Depending on your answers, the survey takes on average around 45 minutes to complete



Will the answers be treated in confidence?

Yes absolutely. Any information you provide will be kept entirely confidential. No personal details will be used in any facts or figures



Do I have to do it?

No, it is entirely voluntary, but around 2,000 households in NI take part every year. The results will be of benefit to everyone