DATABASE 2012-2024 ON ANTI-MUSLIM HATRED

Research findings

Country code	Year	Reference details title	Reference details URL	Main thematic focus	Institution	Key findings - Short summary	Methodology (Qualitative/Quantitative and exact type used, questionnaires etc)	Sample details and representativeness	Area/location of interest - NUTS3 level
Hungary	2012	UNHCR Hungary (2012): Hungary as a country providing asylum (Magyarország mint menedéket nyújtó ország)	http://www.refworld.org/cgi-bin/texis/vtx/rwmain/opendocpdf.pdf?reldoc=y&docid=...	Racism & xenophobia, Public perceptions and attitudes	UNHCR | United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees	The report finds Hungarians xenophobic and not welcoming to refugees and asylum seekers. While the number of reported hate crimes is not significant, refugees and asylum seekers have to face xenophobia, racism and intolerance in their everyday activities. This attitude is also experienced in schools. Bus drivers, supermarket employees and workers in the service sector also show a negative attitude towards refugees and asylum seekers. National measures and practices against xenophobia are premature and not sufficient to change the attitude of the population. The media often links refugees and asylum seekers to criminals, and labels them as parasites that induces fear in Hungary.	The report uses results of surveys and statistics that NGOs and governmental agencies carried out and collected in 2010-2011. A UNHCR delegation made an unannounced visit to Hungary in 2011 to conduct a random check in the reception facilities and interview people (refugees, asylum seekers and staff members) there.	The report does not include the number of interviewed people in the reception facilities. In April 2011, the UN rapporteur for freedom of speech visited the country, and in May 2011, the UN rapporteur for xenophobia, racism and intolerance conducted a visit in Hungary. The report builds on the findings of these visits.	Not applicable - national level

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