

# HATE-BASED VIOLENCE



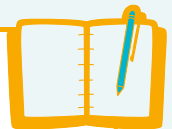
*Hate-based violence happens when someone acts violently on bias or prejudice against a person or a group of people. These acts are purposeful and intended to intimidate members of a group (racial, religions, gender etc.). It differs from other forms of violence in these ways:*

## Motivation



- *Hate-based violence is a result of bias, prejudice, or hatred of a specific identity (racial, religious etc.)*
- *Other types of violence may result from personal disputes or criminal activity*

## Intent



- *Hate-based violence means to intimidate and send a message to all members of the targeted group*
- *Other types violence may have specific intent unrelated to group intimidation or oppression*

## Target



- *Hate-based violence specifically targets people or groups of people because of an identity or characteristic*
- *Other types of violence may target at random or target someone based on personal disputes, opportunity, criminal activity etc.*

## Links to Violent Groups



- *Hate-based violence is often inspired or supported by organized hate groups*
- *Other types of violence might be linked to organized crime or gangs, but aren't inspired by hate groups*