Major Crimes : April to June 2026

Major Crime Incidents decreased by 12%,

April-June 2025 vs. 2026

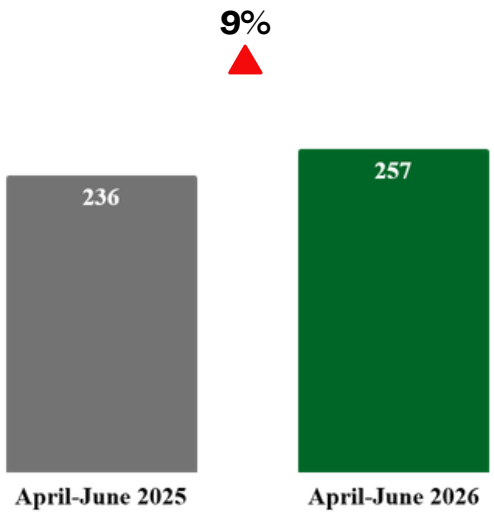
From April to June 2026, the Belize Police Department recorded 257 Major Crimes.

This represents a total of 21 more Major Crime incidents when compared to the same period in 2025.

This includes the six categories on Major Crimes: Murder (30), Rape (9), Robbery (37), Burglary (145), Theft (26) and Unlawful Sexual Intercourse (10).

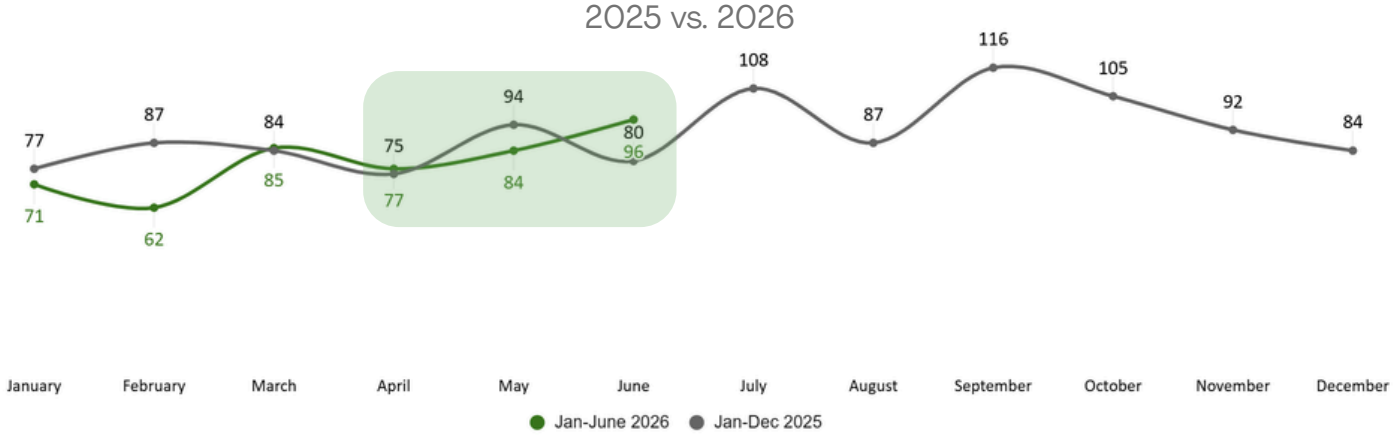
Total Major Crimes Incidents,

April-June 2025 vs. 2026



Major Crimes by Month,

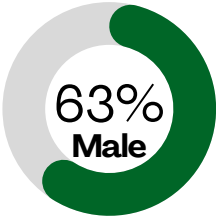
2025 vs. 2026



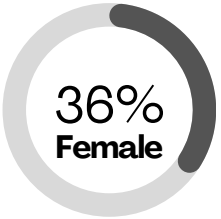
During April to June 2026, Major Crimes resulted in 21 more reports when compared to the same period in the previous year. While Major Crimes decreased for majority of the first quarter of 2026, the only decrease during the second quarter of 2026 was in May which reflected a decrease of 11% (10) when compared to the same period the previous year.

Major Crimes reported by sex,

April-June 2026



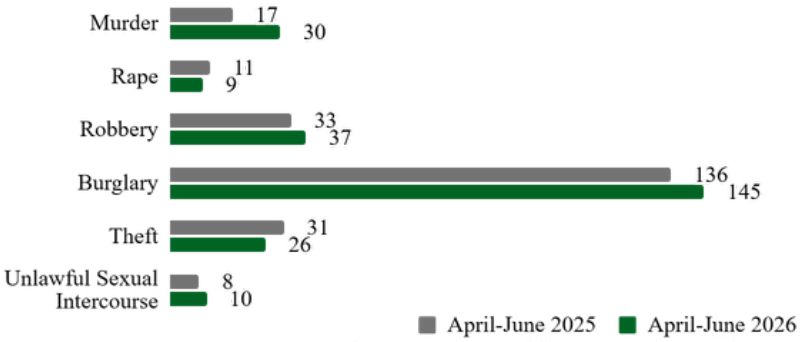
During April to June 2026, 63% (163) of the victims of Major Crimes were males.



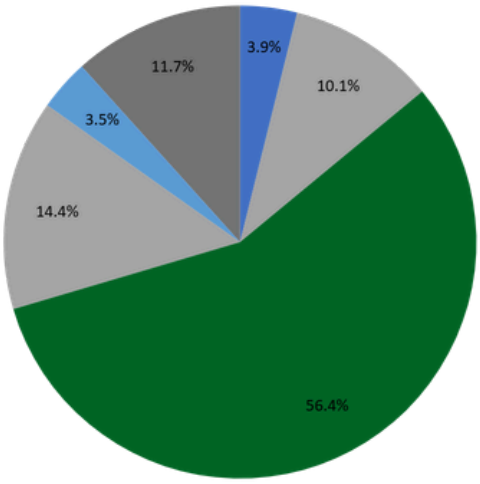
During April to June 2026, 36% (92) of the victims of Major Crimes were females.

** 2 victims of unknown sex
** One incident may result in multiple victims

Major Crimes by category,
April-June 2025 vs. 2026



Major Crimes by category,
April-June 2026



Burglary accounted for 56% (145) of the Major Crimes recorded from April to June 2026. This reflects an increase of 7% (9) more Burglaries recorded compared to the same period in 2025. Rape and Theft both reflected a decrease during April to June 2026 with 2 and 5 less reports respectively. However, Murder Robbery and Unlawful Sexual Intercourse increased by 29, 4, and 2 more reports respectively.

Murder
2026: **30**
2025: **17**
▲ **76%**

Rape
2026: **9**
2025: **11**
▼ **18%**

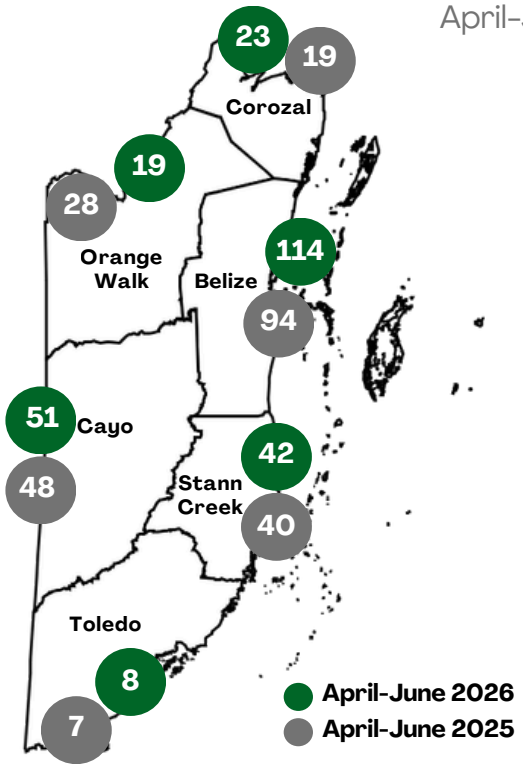
Robbery
2026: **37**
2025: **33**
▲ **12%**

Burglary
2026: **145**
2025: **136**
▲ **7%**

Theft
2026: **26**
2025: **31**
▼ **16%**

Unlawful Sexual Intercourse
2026: **10**
2025: **8**
▲ **25%**

Major Crimes by District,
April-June 2025 vs. 2026



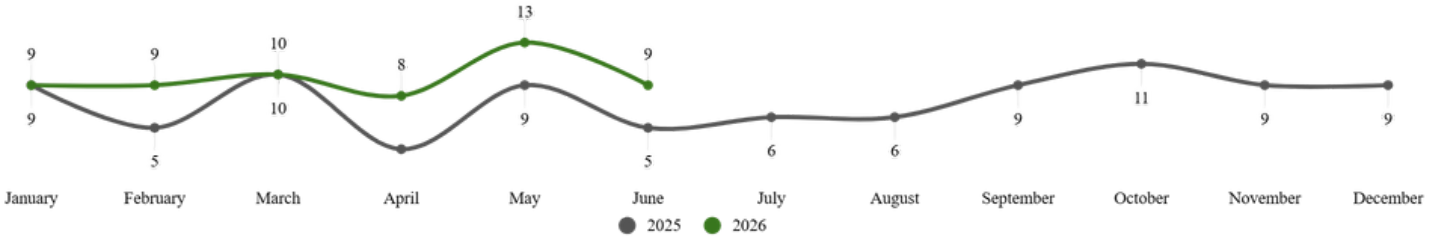
During April to June 2026, all of the districts except for Orange Walk reflected an increase in major crimes reports. The Corozal, Belize, Cayo, Stann Creek, and Toledo Districts reported an increase of 21% (4), 21% (20), 6% (3), 5% (2), and 14% (1), respectively, in major crimes.

The Belize District accounted for 44% (114) of the Major Crimes recorded during this period.

The Orange Walk District recorded a 32% (9) decrease compared to the same period in the previous year.

Total Number of Murders,

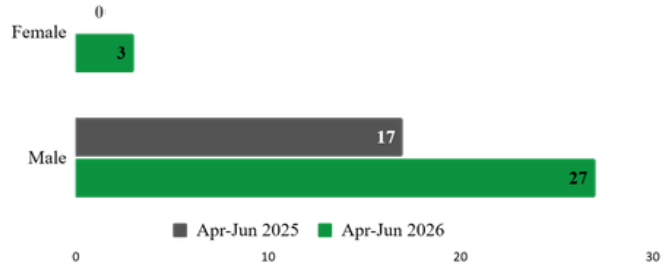
April-June 2025 vs. 2026



April to June 2026 reflected an overall increase of 76% (13) murders when compared to the same period in 2025. All three months saw an increase by 5, 4 and 4 respectively.

Murder Incidents by Sex,

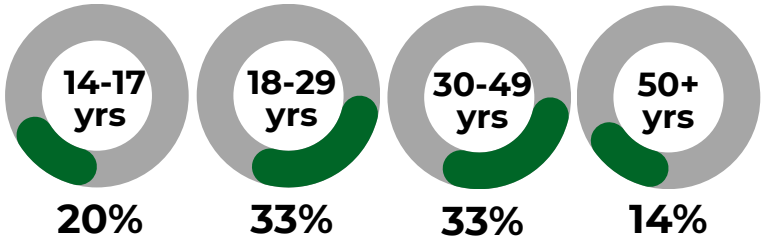
April-June 2025 vs. 2026



From April to June 2026, 90% (27) of the Murder victims were males.

Murder Incidents by Age,

April-June 2026



66% (20) of the victims of Murder were between 18 to 49 years.

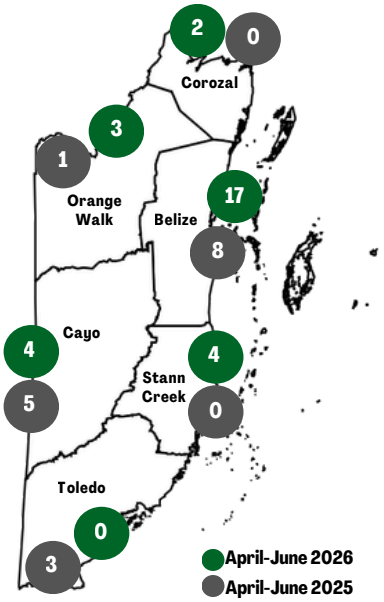
Murders by District,

April-June 2025 vs. 2026

The Belize District accounted for 57% (17) of the Murder incidents recorded from April to June 2026, reflecting an increase of 113% (13) compared to the same period in 2025.

The Corozal, Orange Walk and Stann Creek Districts also reflected an increase in Murders during April to June 2026 in comparison to the same period in 2025, by 2, 2 and 4, respectively.

The Cayo District reported a decrease by 1 and the Toledo District reported 0 cases of Murder in comparison to the same period in the previous year.



Data Source: Belize Police Department (BPD) through the Crime Fusion Center