



Release Dates for  
Northern Ireland Policing Board  
Statistical Publications

**2024**

Statistical Report	Publication Frequency	National Statistics/Official Statistics/Other	5 Star Open Data Rating	Date of Publication	Information
Community Policing Survey	Annual	Other	★★★★☆	August 2024	Second year of survey (April-June 2024)
Custody Visiting Statistical Report	Annual	Official Statistics	★★★★☆	June 2024	Data for 2023-2024
Policing Plan Survey Report	Biennial	Official Statistics	★★★★☆	September 2025	Survey Data 2024-2025

The exact release date will be updated/confirmed at least 4 weeks before publication where possible.

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