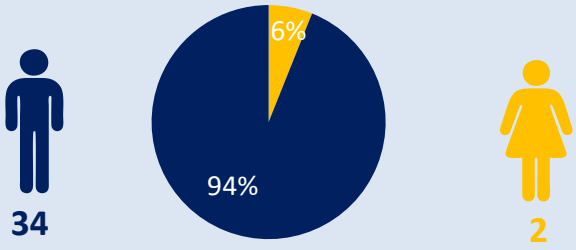
Municipal Community Safety Councils

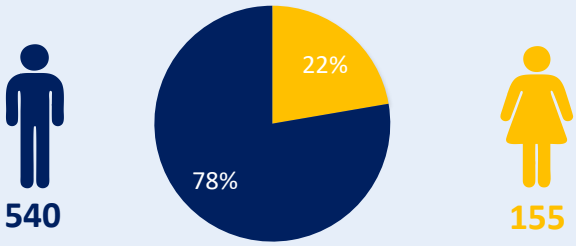
The OSCE Mission in Kosovo supports institutions and bodies responsible for addressing security concerns of communities, including the Municipal Community Safety Councils (MCSCs). The Mission conducts regular monitoring of MCSCs activities across Kosovo to enhance their performance and compliance. This information sheet outlines key indicators used to identify gaps and areas for improvement.

Established under the Ministry of Internal Affairs Administrative Instruction No. 27/2012 and the Ministry of Local Government Administrative Instruction No. 03/2012, MCSCs are created to improve community safety and security. They aim for a broad, gender-balanced, inclusive membership from all ethnic and religious communities within the municipality, contributing to communities' well-being. Between January and December 2025, there are 31 operational MCSCs across Kosovo (see the list of MCSCs on the next page).

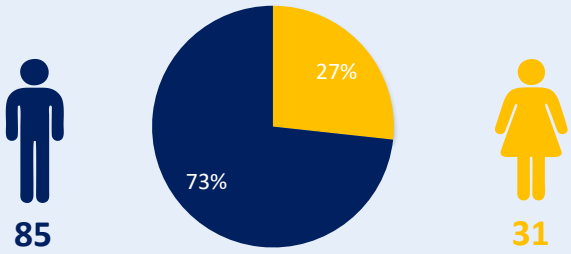
Representation of women and men as the chairperson of the MCSC



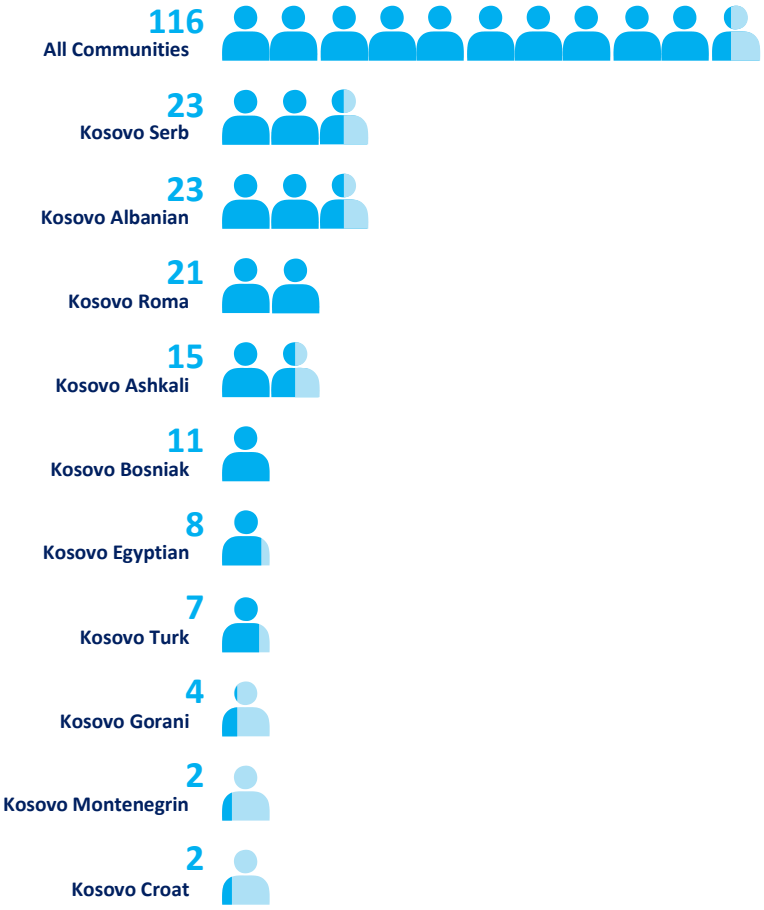
Representation of women and men in the total MCSCs membership



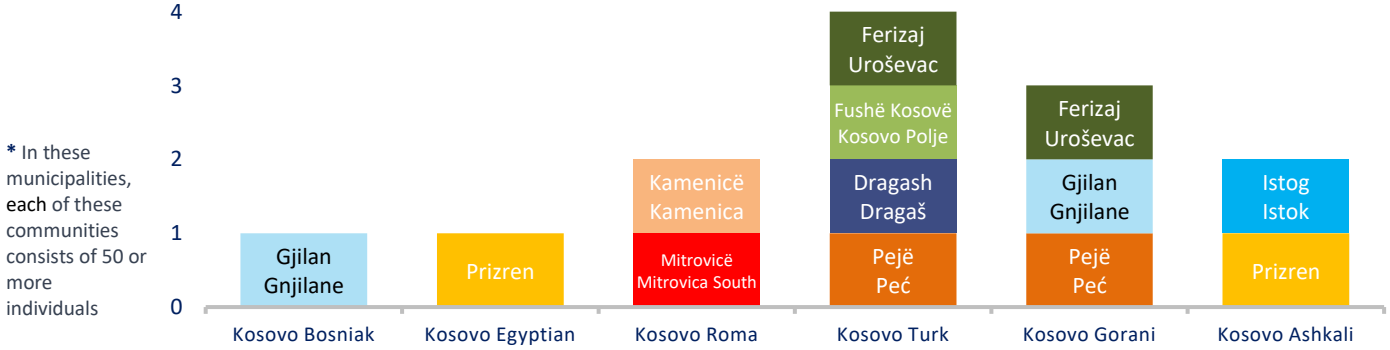
Gender distribution among community representation in the MCSCs



Community representation in the MCSCs



Number of MCSCs lacking community representation*



* In these municipalities, each of these communities consists of 50 or more individuals

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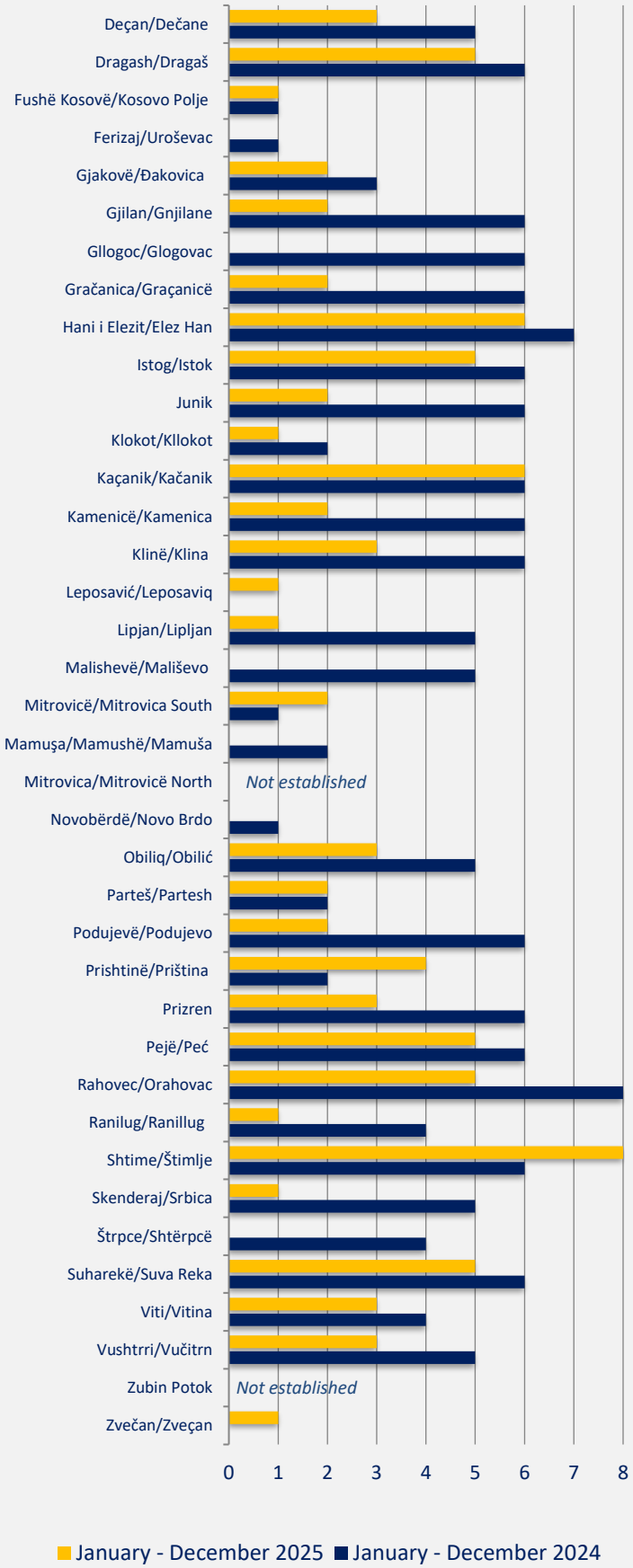
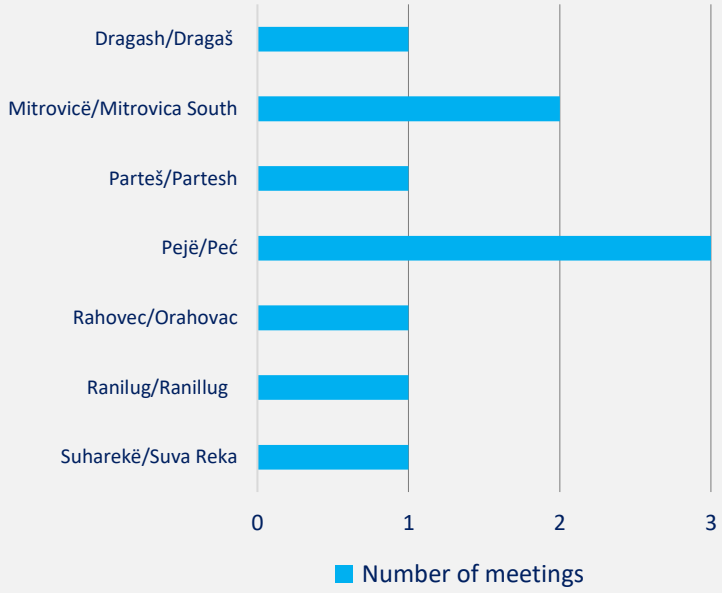
Performance and Functioning in 2025

Number of meetings held in 2025

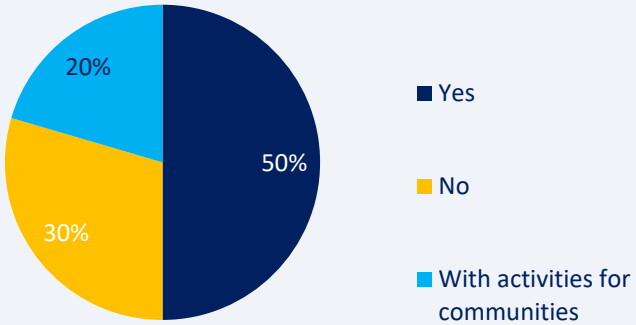
Administrative Instructions 27/2012 and 03/2012 require six meetings annually



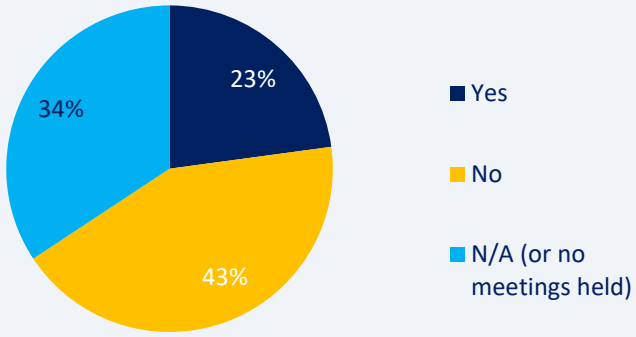
MCSC meetings where security incidents or concerns of communities were discussed



MCSCs that adopted a work plan to address security or safety concerns of non-majority communities



Municipalities that abide by the requirement to compensate MCSC members



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