

UNPOL priorities:

- Protection of civilians through regular patrolling alongside the Ivoirian police and gendarmerie, provision of advice on human rights observance, reception of victims and conducting investigations, child protection and protection from sexual and gender based violence (SGBV)
- Visits to local authorities and NGOs to assess the security, humanitarian and socio-political situation in their areas of responsibility and regular security coordination meetings in the field
- Strengthening of police and gendarmerie capacities through conducting of mentoring and training sessions
- Provision of support to the Ivoirian police in development of a national action plan on police-related reforms within the framework of Security Sector Reform

Challenges:

- Enhancing cooperation with local authorities and traditional leaders in terms of prevention of crime and inter-community violence
- Coordination between UNPOL and other mission components (Civil Affairs, RoL, HIV/AIDS, Child Protection, Human Rights) for mobilization of resources

WORKING WITH THE UNOCI POLICE

❖ **Examples of cooperation between UNPOL and UNOCI civilian components**

- Visits to local authorities
- Attendance to security councils chaired by prefects
- Follow-up of the land tenure issues

➤ **In cooperation with UNOCI Civil Affairs :**

- Training of FRCI personnel and prefects on maintenance of law and order and human rights

➤ **In cooperation with UNOCI Human rights Division, HIV/AIDS, Child Protection units :**

- Follow-up of arbitrary detention cases and facilitate contacts with DST (Direction de la Surveillance du Territoire)
- Preparation, elaboration, joint delivery of training on HIV/AIDS, Child protection, Gender and Human rights to Police and gendarmerie staff

➤ **In cooperation with UNOCI Rule of Law:**

- Preparation, elaboration, joint delivery of training on investigations of cases related to offences against vulnerable persons, sexual- and gender-based violence (SGBV),
- Joint preparation of the training on Judiciary police (OPJ) to police and gendarmerie officers empowered to make arrests and conduct investigations

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