How does crime affect daily life in Mexico?

From clothing choices to family activities, crime is transforming daily life in Mexico.

How many households had at least one victim of crime

- 61.4% Stopped wearing valuable items
- 56.2% Stopped allowing kids to play outside
- 53.2% Stopped walking at night
- 34.6% Stopped visiting relatives or friends

35.8% of households had at least one victim of crime

December 2018

Most common crimes by household

- Robbery: 15.8%
- Car part theft: 13%
- Extortion: 12.4%
- Burglary: 6.6%
- Car theft: 4.1%

Policy Recommendations

- Develop and enforce legislation to prevent access to guns
- Increase surveillance of streets and public transportation
- Work with grassroots organizations to identify areas that require police attention to reduce extortion and theft

Source