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Human Rights Situation Report

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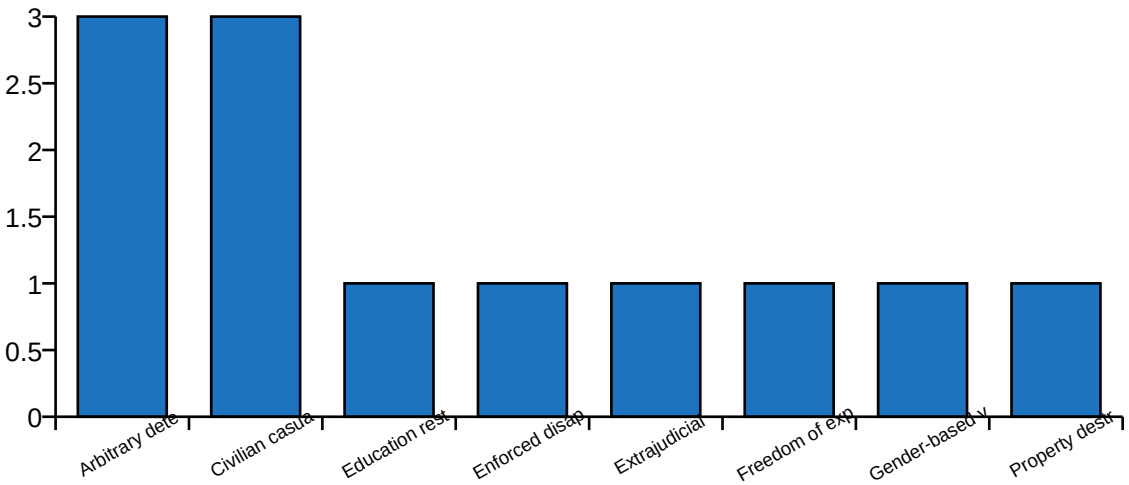
Executive summary

During the reporting period (past 30 days), the Afghanistan Human Rights Center documented **12** human-rights incident(s) across Afghanistan: **0** confirmed by a human reviewer and **12** provisional (classified with AI assistance and awaiting human review). The most frequently documented category was **Arbitrary detention**, and the most affected province was **Panjshir**. Of these, **0** incident(s) were assessed as critical severity. Figures are de-duplicated and coded to international human-rights and humanitarian law; they include provisional entries, which may change on review.

Methodology

Incidents are gathered from Afghan and international media, verified reports, and vetted contributor submissions. Each item is classified with AI assistance. An entry is marked confirmed once a human reviewer has accepted it; an entry that meets the automated confidence threshold but has not yet been reviewed is published as provisional and is labelled “under review” on the site. Duplicate reports of the same event are merged. Counts represent distinct events, not article volume.

Incidents by type



By incident type

Type	Count
Arbitrary detention	3
Civilian casualties	3
Education restriction	1
Enforced disappearance	1
Extrajudicial execution	1
Freedom of expression	1
Gender-based violence	1
Property destruction	1

Geographic distribution

Province	Count
Panjshir	3
Kabul	1
Kandahar	1
Nangarhar	1
Nuristan	1
Paktia	1
Paktika	1
Helmand	1
Samangan	1

Severity breakdown

Severity	Count
High	6
Medium	6

Notable incidents (critical & high severity)

A woman was beaten to death with a wooden stick by her husband in Hazrat Sultan district, Samangan, on 1 November 2026. Taliban police said the husband was arre

2026-11-01 · Samangan · Gender-based violence · severity: high

A woman was beaten to death with a wooden stick by her husband in Hazrat Sultan district, Samangan, on 1 November 2026. Taliban police said the husband was arrested on suspicion of murder and that an investigation is underway. They cited family disputes as the motive. The article places the killing against a background of weakened legal protections and closed support services for women under Taliban rule.

A 10-year-old child was killed and four other children, including a 10-year-old girl, were injured when an unexploded mortar shell reportedly fired from Pakista

2026-10-30 · Paktia · Civilian casualties · severity: high

A 10-year-old child was killed and four other children, including a 10-year-old girl, were injured when an unexploded mortar shell reportedly fired from Pakistan detonated in the Shapuli Khula area of Dand Patan district, Paktia, on 30 October 2026, according to Taliban police.

The Taliban detained six residents of Dara Abdullah Khil in Dara district, Panjshir: Farooq, Abdul Wahid, Qurban Ali, Mashallah, Mohammad Agha and Shah Ramazan.

2026-10-28 · Panjshir · Arbitrary detention · severity: high

The Taliban detained six residents of Dara Abdullah Khil in Dara district, Panjshir: Farooq, Abdul Wahid, Qurban Ali, Mashallah, Mohammad Agha and Shah Ramazan. They were transferred to a Taliban special unit in Anaba district. At least six other Dara residents were detained earlier in the week, making at least 12 arrests. Some detainees are relatives of a former anti-Taliban commander. The arrests followed an explosion claimed by the Green Trend group.

Taliban military units detained two community elders, Mir Ghiyas and Ghulam Akbar, in Abdullah Khil Valley, Dara district, Panjshir, on 27 October 2026. They we

2026-10-27 · Panjshir · Arbitrary detention · severity: high

Taliban military units detained two community elders, Mir Ghiyas and Ghulam Akbar, in Abdullah Khil Valley, Dara district, Panjshir, on 27 October 2026. They were transferred to a Taliban military brigade. The elders had been mediating for the release of four other residents detained after an explosion claimed by the anti-Taliban group Green Trend. The Taliban also imposed restrictions and set up checkpoints in the area.

Taliban forces arrested four civilian men (Muslim, Shir Shah, Abdul Kabbar and Sayed Rahman) on 23 October 2026 in the Abdullah Khil Valley, Dara district, Panj

2026-10-23 · Panjshir · Arbitrary detention · severity: high

Taliban forces arrested four civilian men (Muslim, Shir Shah, Abdul Kabbar and Sayed Rahman) on 23 October 2026 in the Abdullah Khil Valley, Dara district, Panjshir. Local sources say the men have no links to armed groups. They are held at a Taliban special brigade facility in Dashtak. No reason for the arrests has been given.

Allah Dad Badi Zai, a former local police commander, was arrested by Taliban intelligence in Lashkar Gah, Helmand, about six months ago. The Taliban denied the

2026-10-13 · Helmand · Enforced disappearance · severity: high

Allah Dad Badi Zai, a former local police commander, was arrested by Taliban intelligence in Lashkar Gah, Helmand, about six months ago. The Taliban denied the arrest, and a source reported severe torture in custody three months ago. His body was handed to his family by the Taliban's provincial police command, and he was buried in Marjah district. The cause of death is unclear.