

Dandenong Security Report

Local security guide - Dandenong VIC 3175 - South-east Melbourne

About Dandenong

Dandenong is about 30 km south-east of the Melbourne CBD.

Dandenong is the commercial centre of Melbourne's south-east, with the Dandenong Market, a large retail core around Lonsdale Street and extensive industrial estates to the south. The Crime Statistics Agency recorded 9,212 offences in Dandenong in the year to June 2026, and the City of Greater Dandenong had one of the highest offence rates in Greater Melbourne. Businesses with factories and warehouses need security as well as homes and shops.

Housing and local context

Housing stock: Post-war brick veneer and weatherboard houses, units, townhouses, new apartments near the station.

Residential Dandenong is mostly post-war brick veneer and weatherboard houses on quarter-acre-style blocks, many now subdivided for units and townhouses, with apartment development growing around the station and the central shopping area. Businesses range from market stalls and retail strips to large industrial sites. Homes often have driveways and carports at the side, while commercial sites have wide yards, roller doors and fences that need to be watched after hours.

Common security concerns in Dandenong

- Factories and warehouses left empty overnight and on weekends
- Vehicles parked in driveways, carports and open business yards
- Retail and market shopfronts closed after trading hours

Local tip: Have alarms at the factory reach a real person after hours

Warehouses and factories in and around Dandenong sit empty overnight and on weekends, often on large lots with little street traffic. An alarm that only sounds a siren relies on someone nearby hearing it. Back-to-base monitoring with patrol response, cameras covering the yard and loading doors, and good perimeter lighting mean someone is told while it is happening.

Security providers servicing Dandenong

BlueCorp Security - CCTV & Camera Installation

Licence 836-447-70S | 1300 133 654 | <https://www.bluecorpsecurity.com.au/>

Intellect Information Technology Pty Ltd - Cybersecurity for Business

Licence not published | ABN 32 058 948 809 | 1300 799 165 | <https://www.intellectit.com.au/>

Protection Pacific Security - Security Guards & Patrols

Licence 418-312-31S | 1300 793 911 | <https://www.protectionpacific.com/>

RAM Locksmiths - Locksmiths

Licence not published | 03 8784 3900 | <https://ramlocksmiths.com.au/>

VIP Security Services (Aust) Pty Ltd - CCTV & Camera Installation

Licence 646-337-32S | 1300 130 115 | <https://vipalarms.com.au/>

Walton Security - Security Guards & Patrols

Licence not published | 03 9970 8701 | <https://waltonsecurity.com.au/>

Before you hire: checklist

- Look up the licence number on the relevant state regulator register and confirm it is current.
- Check the ABN on the Australian Business Register (abr.business.gov.au).
- Hardwired 240V work needs a licensed electrician; in-wall data cabling needs an ACMA-registered cabler.
- For guards and patrols, confirm both the firm licence and each attending officer's licence.
- Get at least three written quotes listing camera models, recorder storage and warranty.
- Aim cameras at your own property and consider disabling audio on cameras facing shared areas.