

BJA Center for Program Evaluation and Performance Measurement - Place-Based Policing Strategy Logic Model

Goal: Reduce crime in locations (hot spots) with high crime

<u>Objectives</u>	<u>Inputs</u>	<u>Activities</u>	<u>Outputs/ Process Measures</u>	<u>Outcome Measures</u>
<p>1. Increase capacity to identify and target major crime problems</p> <p>2. Reduce the levels of social and physical disorder in the targeted hot spots</p> <p>3. Reduce the number of calls for service in the targeted hot spots</p>	<p>Research staff</p> <p>Government agency staff</p> <p>Social service staff</p> <p>Police command staff</p> <p>Records management staff</p> <p>Official crime reports</p> <p>Crime analysts</p> <p>Police officers</p>	<p>Hold interagency working group meetings with personnel from local enforcement and social service agencies and researchers to identify and address hot spots</p> <p>Conduct crime and geospatial analyses to identify what and where hot spots exist</p> <p>Craft a place-based policing strategy that incorporates relevant elements of effective law enforcement strategies</p> <p>Hold events to foster police officer “buy-in” for strategy</p>	<p>Total number of interagency working group meetings held</p> <p>Number of crime and geospatial analyses conducted during this reporting period</p> <p>Number of crime problem(s) identified during this reporting period</p> <p>Number of hot spots identified during this reporting period</p> <p>Number of different types of place-based policing strategies implemented this reporting period</p>	<p>Number of MOUs drafted during this reporting period</p> <p>Number of police calls for service in the targeted hot spots each month during the six months prior to the implementation of the place-based policing strategy</p> <p>Number of police calls for service in the targeted hot spots each month during the enforcement phase of the place-based policing strategy</p>

Conduct place-based law enforcement activities in the targeted hot spots

Conduct direct observations to assess disorder in the targeted hot spots

Number of police officer “buy-in” events held during this reporting period

Number of hot spot enforcement actions conducted during this reporting period (e.g., sweeps, crackdowns)

Number of police calls for service in the targeted hot spots during the six-month post enforcement-phase of the place-based policing strategy
Number of police calls for service in areas adjacent to targeted hot spots each month during the six months prior to the implementation of the place-based policing strategy

Number of police calls for service in areas adjacent to the targeted hot spots each month during the enforcement phase of the place-based policing strategy

Number of police calls for service in areas adjacent to the targeted hot spots during the six month post enforcement-phase of the place-based policing strategy

				<p>Number of observed incidents of disorder in the targeted hot spots each month during the six months prior to the implementation of the place-based policing strategy</p> <p>Number of observed incidents of disorder each month in the targeted hot spots during the enforcement phase of the place-based policing strategy</p> <p>Number of observed incidents of disorder in the targeted hot spots each month during the six-month post enforcement-phase of the place-based policing strategy</p>
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Theory

IF law enforcement, researchers and other key players work together to identify where areas of high crime (hot spots) exist and why they occur, and IF they design and implement a focused law enforcement response that is tailored specifically to address the identified crime hot spots, and IF police officers buy in to the approach and it is implemented as planned, THEN the number of police calls for service and disorder in the identified hot spots will be reduced without displacement to adjacent areas.