Measuring Gun Violence In The District of Columbia

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Monitoring Violent Gun Crime Trends

Current Projects

- Regularized Monitoring and Presentations on Violent Gun Crimes Trends and Hot Spots
  - Monthly Analysis and Dissemination at GunStat
  - Regularized Sharing With Enforcement, Community and VI Partners

- Risk Terrain Modeling for Shootings, Gun Robberies and Carjackings
  - Twice Yearly Identification of Priority Places and High-Risk Locations Types

- Gun Violence Dashboard for CJCC Principals
  - Adult and Juvenile Violent Gun Crime and Gun Possession Arrest
  - Gun Recovery Information
Monitoring Firearm Injury Victimization

Current Projects

- Firearm Injury Surveillance Through Emergency Rooms (FASTER) Dashboard
  - CDC Funded – DC Health/DC CJCC Implementation
- Gun Violence Dashboard for CJCC Principals
  - Law Enforcement Data on Homicide and Shooting Victimization

Related Future Projects

- Advancing Violence Epidemiology in Real-Time (AVERT)
  - DC Health/DC CJCC – Awaiting word on FY24 CDC Funding
  - Proposing to built a system to link hospital and ED data and identify repeat firearm injury victims
- DC HVIP Evaluation
  - Awaiting word from BJS on our SJS application
Identifying High-Risk Individuals, Motives and Drivers of Gun Violence

Current Projects

- Replicating The Gun Violence Problem Analysis
  - Funding: BJS - SJS
  - Partners: Metropolitan Police Department, DC Office of Gun Violence Prevention and the National Institute of Criminal Justice Reform (TTA Provider)
  - Analysis Topic
    - 2021-2022 Homicides and Shootings
      - Criminal Histories on Victims, Defendants and Suspects
      - Incident Analysis: Motives, Locations and Crew Involvement
      - High-Risk Groups, Networks and Individuals (DC Drivers of Gun Violence)

Related SAC Projects

- GunStat Initiative
  - Purpose: To monitor the justice system interactions with the 2021 Adult DC Drivers of Gun Violence.
    - Arrests, Papering, Court Cases, Supervision, Victimization and Participation in Rehabilitative Services

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Figure 3. Victims and Suspects of Homicides: Prior Offenses