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Research, Report and Campaigns:

Mapping Police Violence: Data on police violence tracking metrics such as race, location, whether or not the person killed was armed, if less lethal force was attempted, if video evidence exists, if the officers involved had formerly killed anybody. Most recent full report contains 2017 data.

National Conference of State Legislatures, Legislative Responses for Policing – State Bill Tracking Database (June 25, 2020).

Obama Foundation Resources, including recording of Virtual Town Hall with President Obama (June 3, 2020).

Leadership Conference on Civil and Human Rights—New Era of Public Safety: A Guide to Fair, Safe, and Effective Community Policing: The recommended reforms in this report, which are intended to create accountability and build better relationships between law enforcement and communities of color, stem from President Obama’s Task Force on 21st Century Policing.

U.S. General Services Administration, Office of Evaluation Sciences, Community Action Deck: A discussion support tool for empowering communities to take action on the recommendations of the President’s Task Force on 21st Century Policing (Dec. 2016)

The Opportunity Agenda—Promoting Accountability: Learn how police accountability works, and the four mechanisms—community-based, political, civil, and criminal—for holding law enforcement accountable.

United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime, Handbook on police accountability, oversight and integrity

ACLU’s Fighting Police Abuse: A Community Action Manual

Police Use of Force Project: How police use of force policies can help to end police violence.

Campaign Zero—Solutions: A look at data and research informed policy solutions that communities can put in place to end police violence. Most recent available reports are from 2016.

8 Can’t Wait: Project by Campaign Zero aiming to reduce police violence by enacting eight policies in cities across the United States.

8 To Abolition: A campaign focused on building toward a society without police or prisons, where communities are equipped to provide for their safety and wellbeing.

Center for Policing Equity - A Policy Plan for Policing in America: A Policy Plan for Policing in America Re-imagining Public Safety: Prevent Harm and Lead with the Truth is a joint effort between the Center for Policing Equity and the Yale Justice Collaboratory.

We Still Deserve Safety: Renewing the Call to End the Criminalization of Women and Girls of Color: Three years after first issuing We Deserve Safety: Ending the Criminalization of Women and Girls of Color, YWCA’s 2020 review paints a disturbing picture of the gendered racial profiling and criminalization that girls and women of color continue to experience.

Articles:

Equal Justice Initiative—Tragic Death of George Floyd Reveals Continuing Problem of Police Violence: A reflection on the current state of police reform with recommendations for progress.

**Explainers Archives - The Appeal:** In our Explainer series, Justice Collaborative lawyers and other legal experts help unpack some of the most complicated issues in the criminal justice system.

**Center for Policing Equity—The Science of Justice: Race, Justice, and Police Use of Force:** This detailed report delves into police administrative data to show disparities in the use of force. The director of the Center, Phillip Atiba Goff, delivers a [TED talk on fighting racism and improving policing here](https://www.ted.com/talks/Phillip_Atiba_Goff_fighting_racism_and_improving_policing).  

**Videos:**


**The JustPod:** Podcast from the Criminal Justice Section of the ABA on the topic of “George Floyd and Prosecution of Police:” Byron Conway, Executive Board Member of the BPDA and Erika Gilliam-Booker, President of the National Black Prosecutor’s Association.