

## FY 2017 Smart Policing Initiative

**Project Description:** The Smart Policing Initiative seeks to build upon analysis-driven, evidence-based policing by encouraging state, local, and tribal law enforcement agencies to develop effective, economical, and innovative responses to crime within their jurisdictions. All agencies supported by SPI partner with researchers to evaluate the effectiveness of their initiatives. The goals of SPI are to:

- Establish and/or expand evidence-based programming in police agencies to increase their ability to effectively and sustainably prevent and respond to crime.
- Establish sustainable research partnerships that are integrated into the strategic and tactical operations of police agencies.
- Foster effective and consistent collaboration within police agencies, with external agencies, and with the communities they serve to increase public safety.
- Use technology, intelligence, and data in innovative ways that enable police agencies to focus resources on the people and places associated with high concentrations of criminal behavior and crime.
- Advance the state of policing practice and science for the benefit of the entire field through dissemination of promising practices and research findings.

Applicant Name	Award Amount
City of Birmingham (AL)	\$700,000
Executive Office of the Governor of Delaware (DE)	\$381,387
City of Commerce City (CO)	\$699,721
City of Newark Department of Public Safety (NJ)	\$700,000
Providence Police Department (RI)	\$700,000
City of Tempe (AZ)	\$700,000
City of Syracuse (NY)	\$553,501