

The Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) recognizes the enormous benefit a healthy crime analysis capacity can bring to law enforcement agencies. To increase crime analysis capacity nationally, BJA funds guidance, training, and technical assistance designed to directly support and assist state, local, and tribal law enforcement agencies in increasing their crime analysis capacity.

BJA National Training and Technical Assistance Center

Crime Analysis on Demand Tailored Training and Technical Assistance

The BJA National Training and Technical Assistance Center (NTTAC) promotes the BJA mission by facilitating the delivery of high-quality, strategically focused training and technical assistance (TTA) to achieve safe communities nationwide. The NTTAC has identified expert providers to deliver high-quality services and products that address analytical gaps and needs for crime analysts and law enforcement personnel.

To learn more about Crime Analysis on Demand and request technical assistance from NTTAC, visit <u>https://www.bjatraining.org</u>.

Increasing Crime Analysis Capacity A Crime Analysis Symposium for Law Enforcement Leaders

The Police Foundation and the International Association of Crime Analysts invite law enforcement executives to a highly informative symposium that will provide them an overview of crime analysis best practices and organizational considerations necessary to integrate crime analysis and evidence-based policing strategies into their agencies' everyday practices, making them more effective and efficient in reducing crime in their communities. In a one-day symposium, executives will be shown how to focus their use of crime analysis by matching the appropriate type of analysis to the appropriate rank and division in the agency, so that crime reduction at all levels is informed by actionable crime analysis. The symposium is funded by BJA.

To learn more, please visit <u>www.policefoundation.org</u>; sign up for our mailing list and be the first to know about our next symposium, or contact us at (202) 833-1460.

Building Analytical Capacity Crime Analysis for Chief Executives

BJA, in partnership with the International Association of Directors of Law Enforcement Standards and Training (IADLEST), provides a series of two-day regional and online workshops in which agency teams, including agency executives, commanders, and analysts, create customized action plans to address specific crime analysis challenges within their departments. This workshop will assist top commanders and their teams in identifying how to support actionable analysis within their own departments and use that analysis to drive operations. As part of the workshop, attendees will receive the comprehensive guidebook *Building a Model Crime Analysis Capability: 50 Steps for Law Enforcement Professionals*, <u>www.iadlest.org/Projects</u> /CrimeAnalysisforChiefExecutives.aspx.

Building a Nationwide Crime Analysis Capability

BJA, in partnership with the Institute for Intergovernmental Research (IIR), is identifying, assessing, and leveraging best practices and lessons learned from existing Crime Analysis Centers. Three pilot sites have been selected and provided funding to improve their crime analysis capacity and become models for the field. Lessons learned and products from these sites will be used to develop an implementation toolkit of resources that may be used by any law enforcement agency seeking to improve its crime analysis proficiency. <u>http://www.iir.com</u>

Putting a Value on Crime Analysts Considerations for Law Enforcement Executives

BJA, in partnership with the Vera Institute, developed guidance so law enforcement executives may understand how an investment in crime analysts contributes to the goals and mission of policing, via the execution of a costbenefit analysis.

http://www.vera.org/pubs/value-crime-analysts-law -enforcement-executives

The mission of the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) is to provide leadership and services in grant administration and criminal justice policy development to support state, local, and tribal justice strategies to achieve safer communities.