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Violence

Violence is the intentional use of physical force or power, threatened or actual, against oneself, another person, or against a group or community, which either results in or has a high likelihood of resulting in injury, death, psychological harm, maldevelopment, or deprivation.

There are multiple forms of violence, including but not limited to community/street, family, gang, gender, intimate partner, intergenerational, sexual, school, and structural violence.

Issue Areas

Domestic Violence

Sexual Assault

Human Trafficking

Homicide Review Commission

Youth Violence Prevention

Intentional Injury

Structural Violence

Gun Violence




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PUBLIC HEALTH

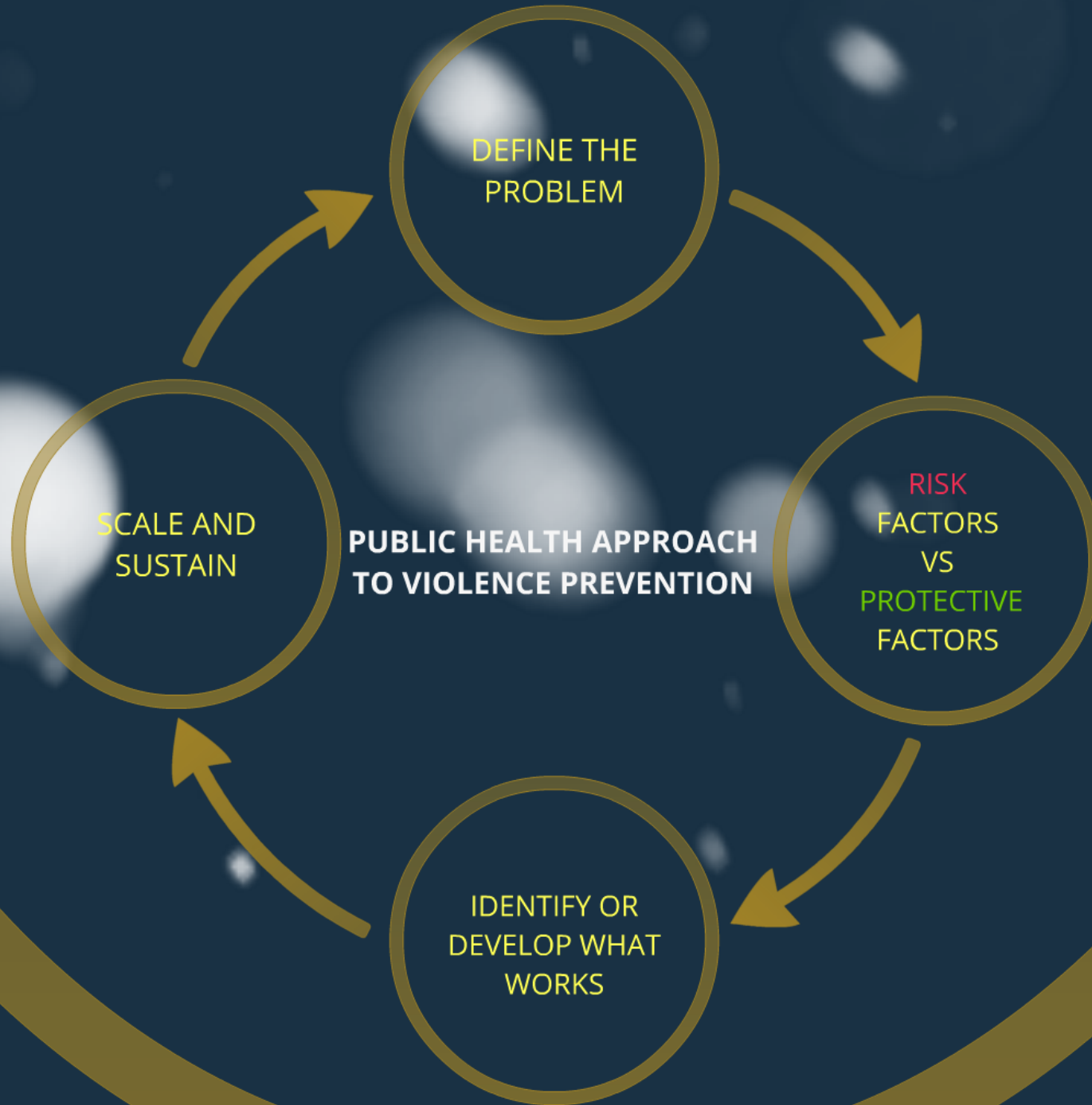
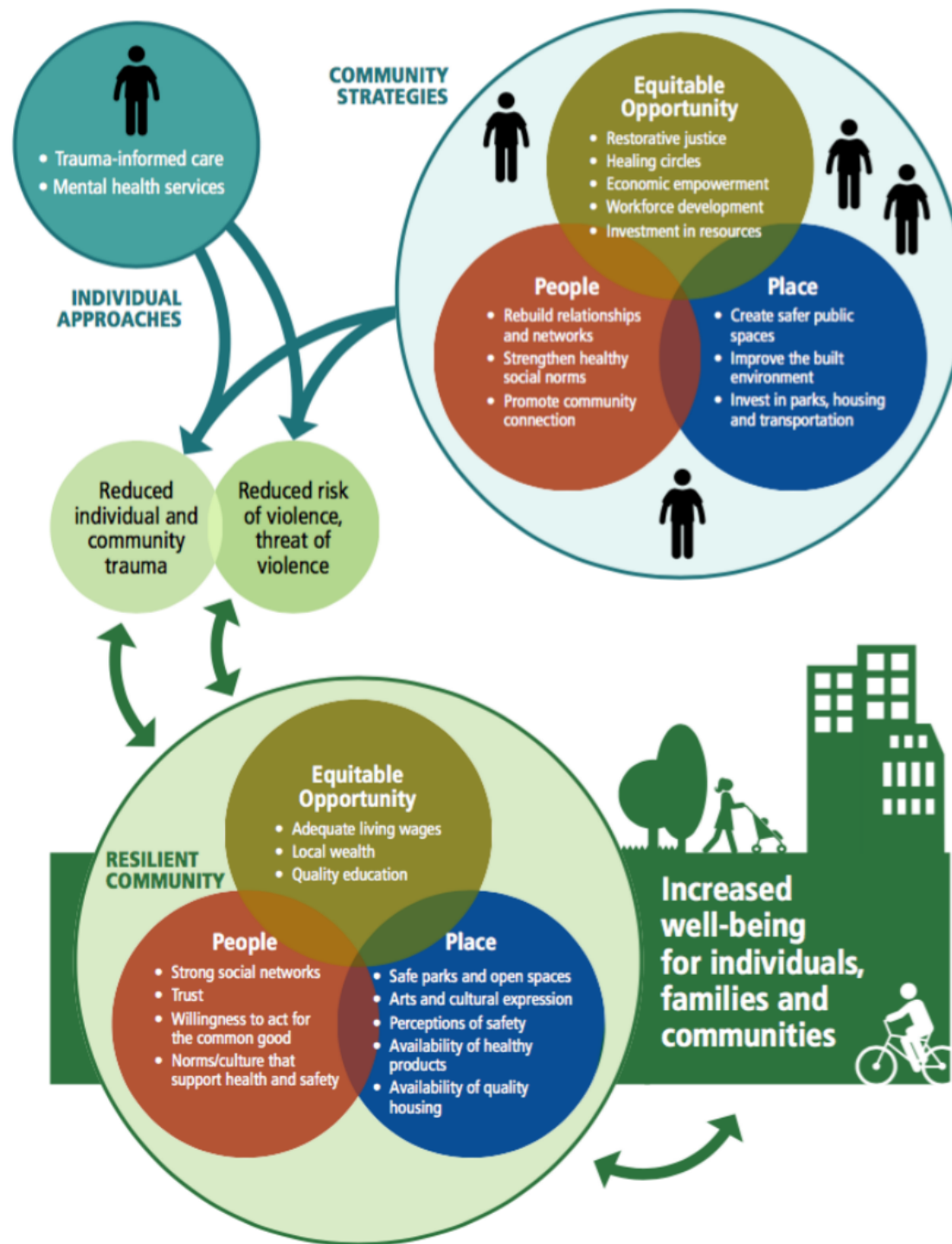


Figure 5 Promoting Community Resilience: From Trauma to Well-being



VIOLENCE IS A LEARNED BEHAVIOR



COORDINATION

Cities with more coordination, communication, and attention to preventing violence have achieved lower violence rates.

National Crime Prevention Council. *Six Safe Cities: On the Crest of the Crime Prevention Wave*. USA: 1999.

Prothow-Stith, Deborah, and Howard R. Spivak. *Murder Is No Accident*. San Francisco: Jossey-Bass, 2004.

Weiss, Bille. *An Assessment of Youth Violence Prevention Activities in USA Cities*. Southern California Injury Prevention Research Center, UCLA School of Public Health: June 2008.

COMMUNITIES

The Cure Violence model has been replicated over 16 times and has been validated by a 3-year U.S. Department of Justice study conducted by 4 universities, showing 41–73% drops in shootings and killings, and 100% drops in retaliation murders. The first year of impact regularly shows 25–45% drops in shootings and killings.

Skogan, Hartnett, Bump, and Dubois. Executive Summary: Evaluation of CeaseFire-Chicago. May 2008. Accessed at http://www.northwestern.edu/ipr/publications/ceasefire_papers/executivesummary.pdf

PLANNING FOR ACTION

The City of Minneapolis documented a 40% drop in juvenile crime in 2 years since implementing its 4-point public health based Violence Prevention Blueprint for Action.

SCHOOLS

Schools can reduce violence by 15% in as little as 6 months through universal school-based violence prevention efforts.

Hahn R. Effectiveness of Universal School-Based Programs to Prevent Violent and Aggressive Behavior. *Am J Prev Med* 2007;33(2S):S114-S129

PRIORITIES

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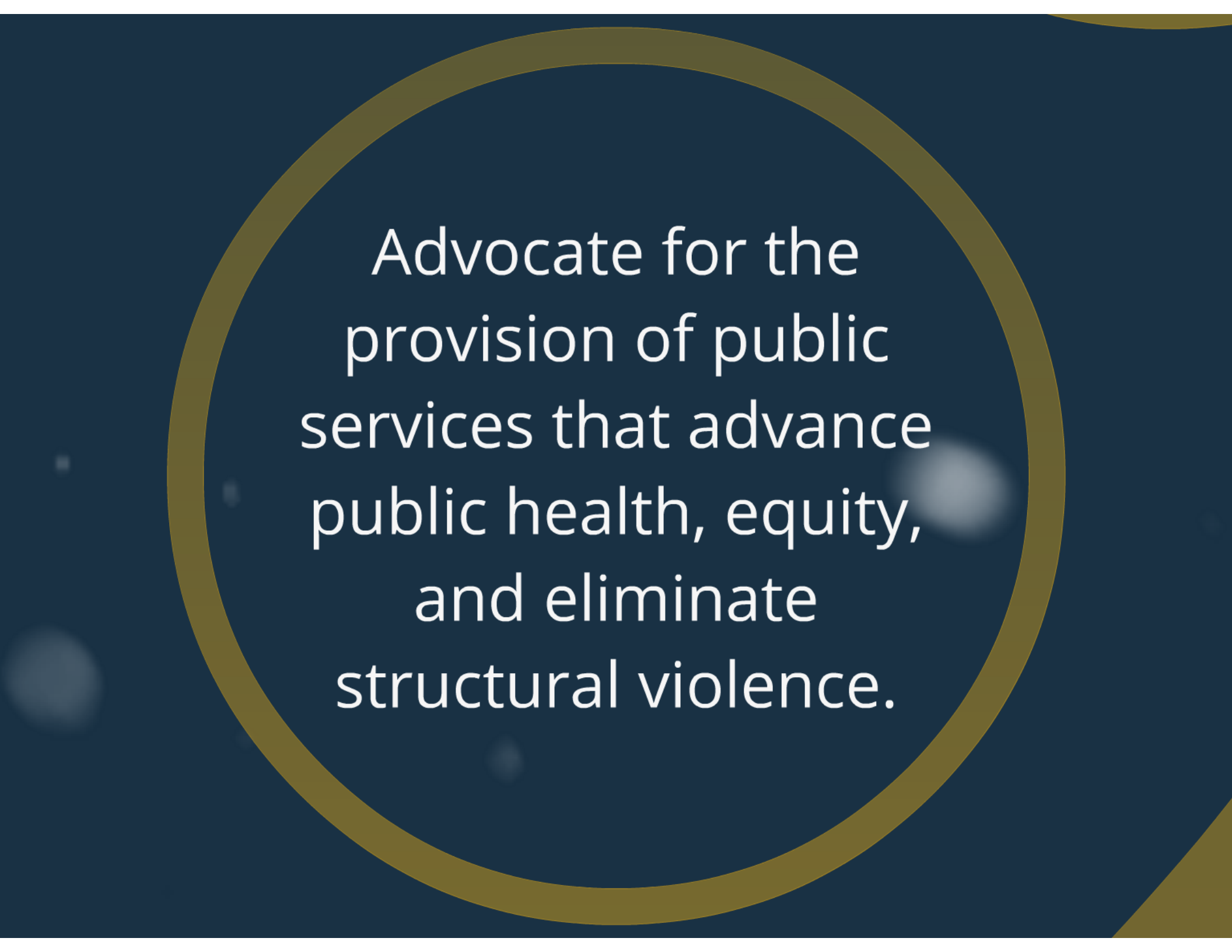
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YOUTH VIOLENCE PREVENTION EFFORTS TO DATE



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- Garden Homes & Franklin Heights
- Uniting Garden Homes
- MPD

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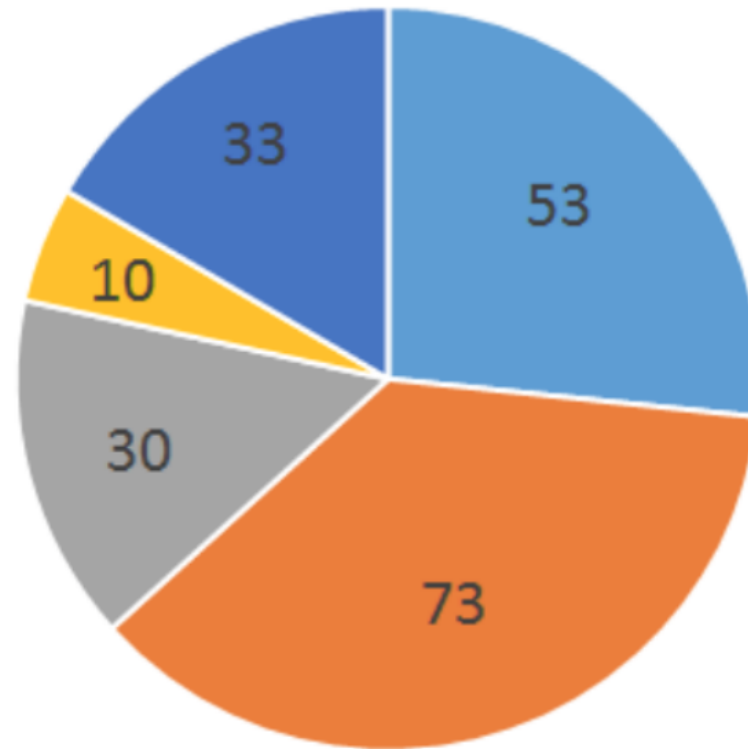
Trauma Response Initiative

- Launched June 2015
- OVP, MPD, and Wrap Around
- District 7
- Priority expansion for District 5



(The 33 cases currently open will eventually be classified into one of the other categories when the cases close.)

TRT Activity to Date July 21, 2016



- Initial Contact, Additional Information Provided - 53
- Contact Made, Additional Information Declined - 73
- Additional Services - 30
- Unable to Make Contact - 10
- Currently Open - 33

Youth Offender Outreach

- Partnership between OVP, MPD, and DOC
- Community driven idea
- Follow through support for youth offenders returning from confinement

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CAMPAIGN**

- Violence prevention presentation developed by Muhibb Dyer and Kwabena Nixon
- Over 1,700 students reached in 3 of MPS' largest high schools: North, Madison, and Vincent
- Planned expansion in 2016-2017 school year



- Milwaukee Fatherhood Initiative, President Hamilton, and OVP
- Pledge to stand against violence in homes and neighborhood



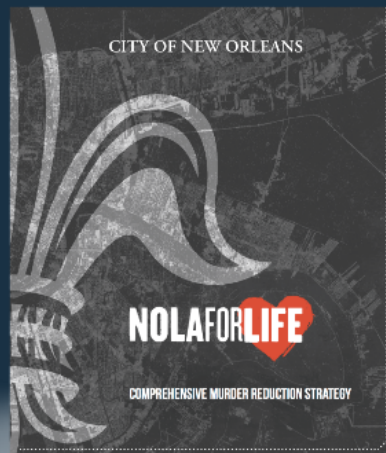
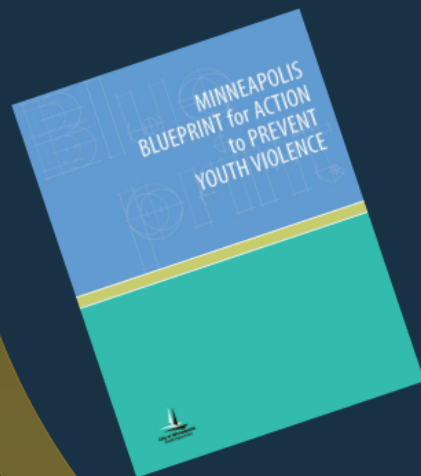
- Community Advocates, OVP, Running Rebels, Medical College of Wisconsin, and Children's Hospital of Wisconsin's Project Ujima.
- Providing training and mini-grants to youth serving agencies in restorative practice and conflict resolution.



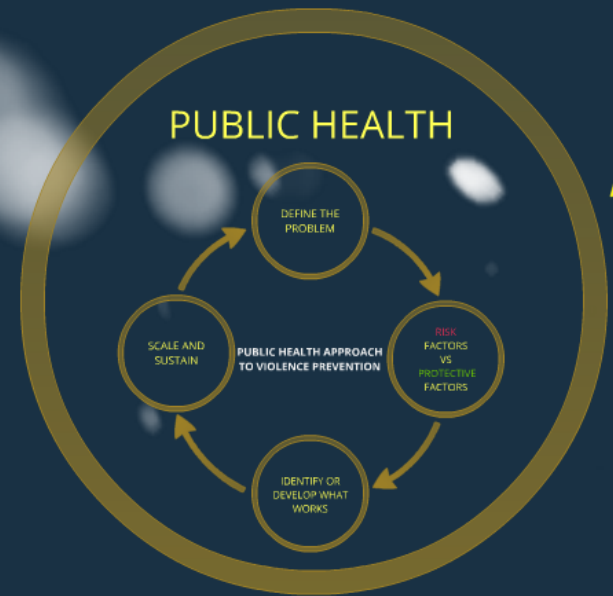
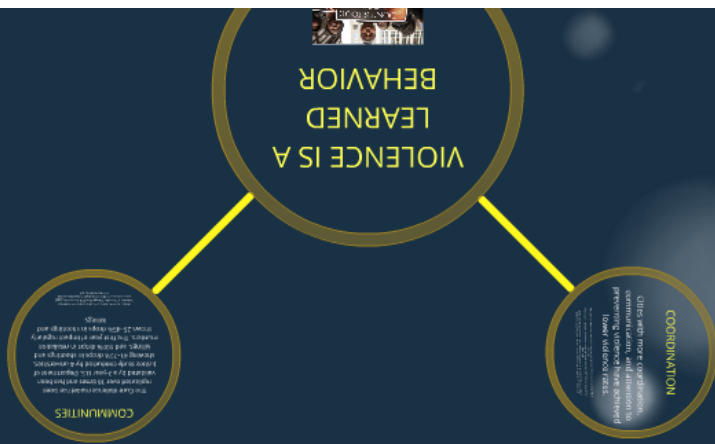
- Improving coordination of OST programs in the areas of access, quality, data, policy, and funding.
- Led by over 40 youth serving agency partners
- Pending partnership between the OVP Center for Youth Engagement to strengthen and expand this effort

ACTION PLAN

August 2016



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COMMISSION ON
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND
SEXUAL ASSAULT

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Milwaukee Homicide Review Commission

July 21, 2016

Mallory O'Brien, PhD
Division of Epidemiology
Institute for Health and Society
Medical College of Wisconsin

Goals of the MHRC

- **To better understand the nature of homicide and nonfatal shootings through comprehensive information sharing**
- **To develop innovative, proactive responses**
- **To strategically focus limited enforcement and intervention activities on identifiable risks**

Using the public health model

Analysis, identification of risk/protective factors, strategy development, assess, widespread adoption

MHRC Reviews

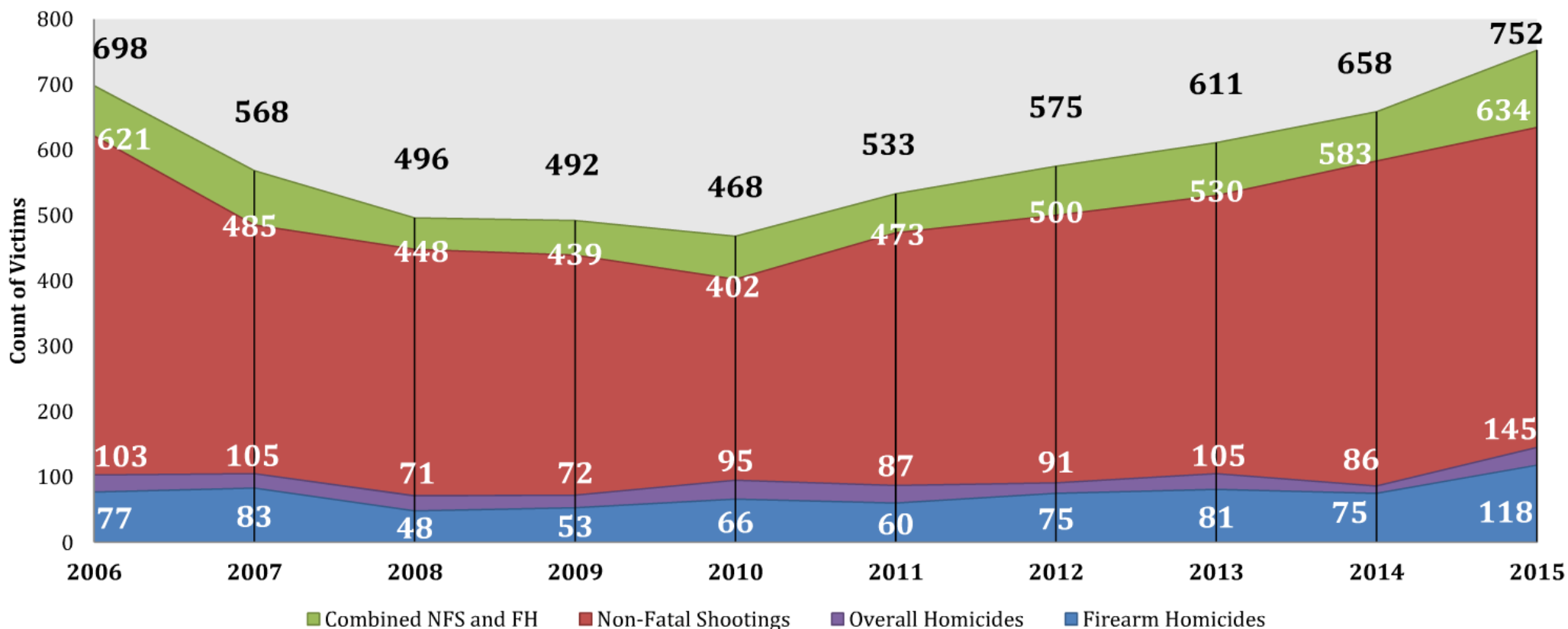
- **Criminal Justice Homicide Review**
- **Shooting Reviews***
- **DV Homicide and Near- Fatal DV Reviews***
- **Juvenile Reviews – On Hold**
- **Youth Reviews – On Hold**
- **Sexual Assault Reviews* (New 2015)**
- **Community Service Provider Review***
- **Working Group and Executive Committee**

***Grant Funded**

Firearm-Related Violence

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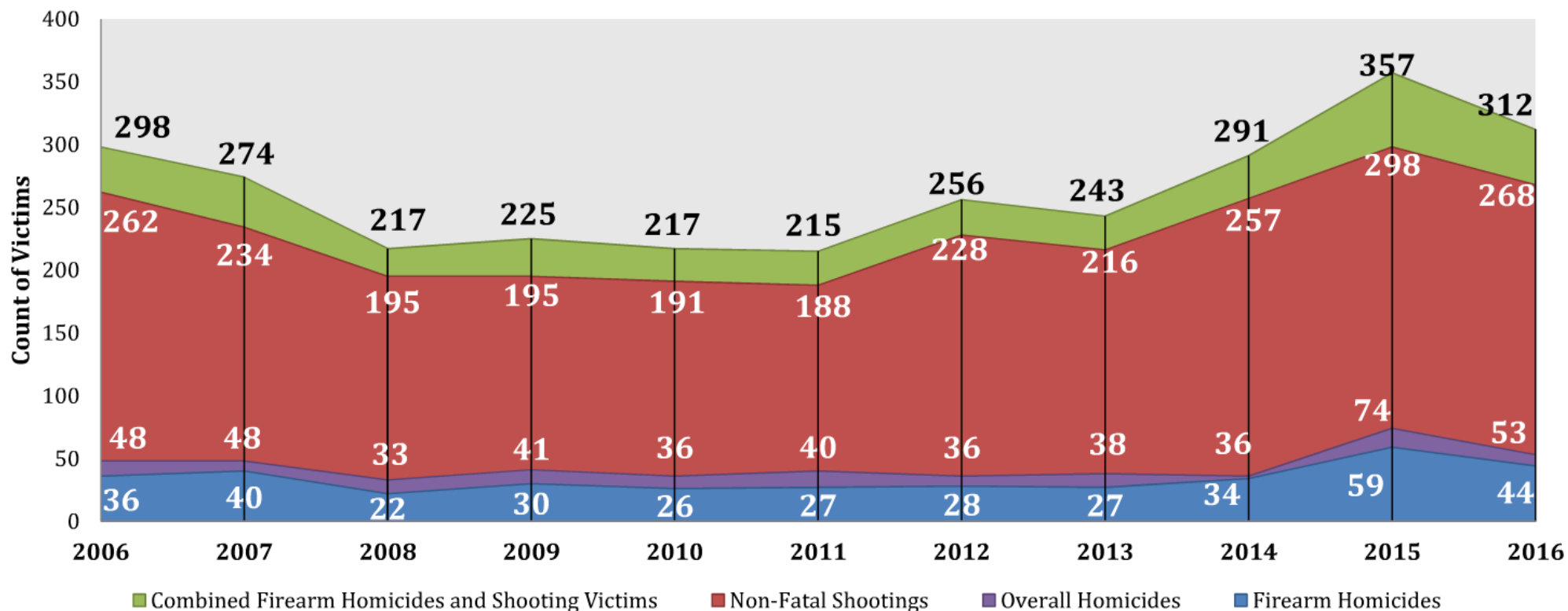
Combined Firearm Homicide and Non-Fatal Shooting Victims by Year



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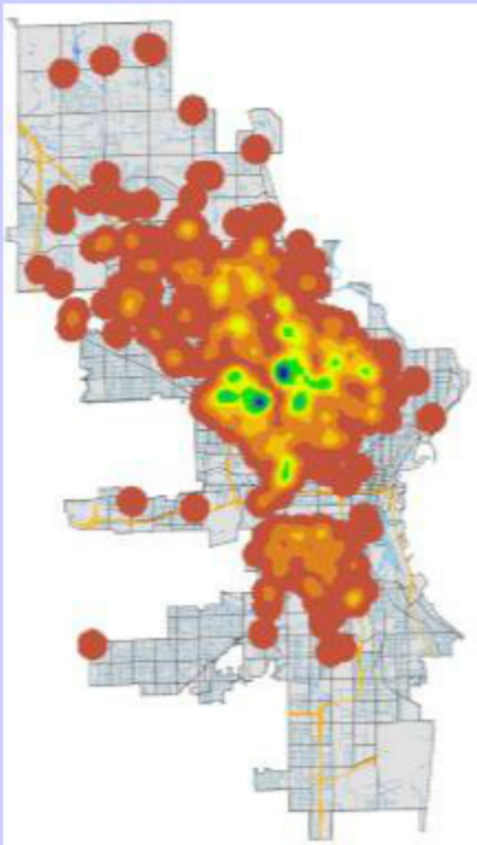
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**Combined Firearm Homicide and Shooting Victims
 by Year through 2nd Quarter (1/1 - 6/30)**



145

lives lost



 = 20 victims

633

shot non-fatally



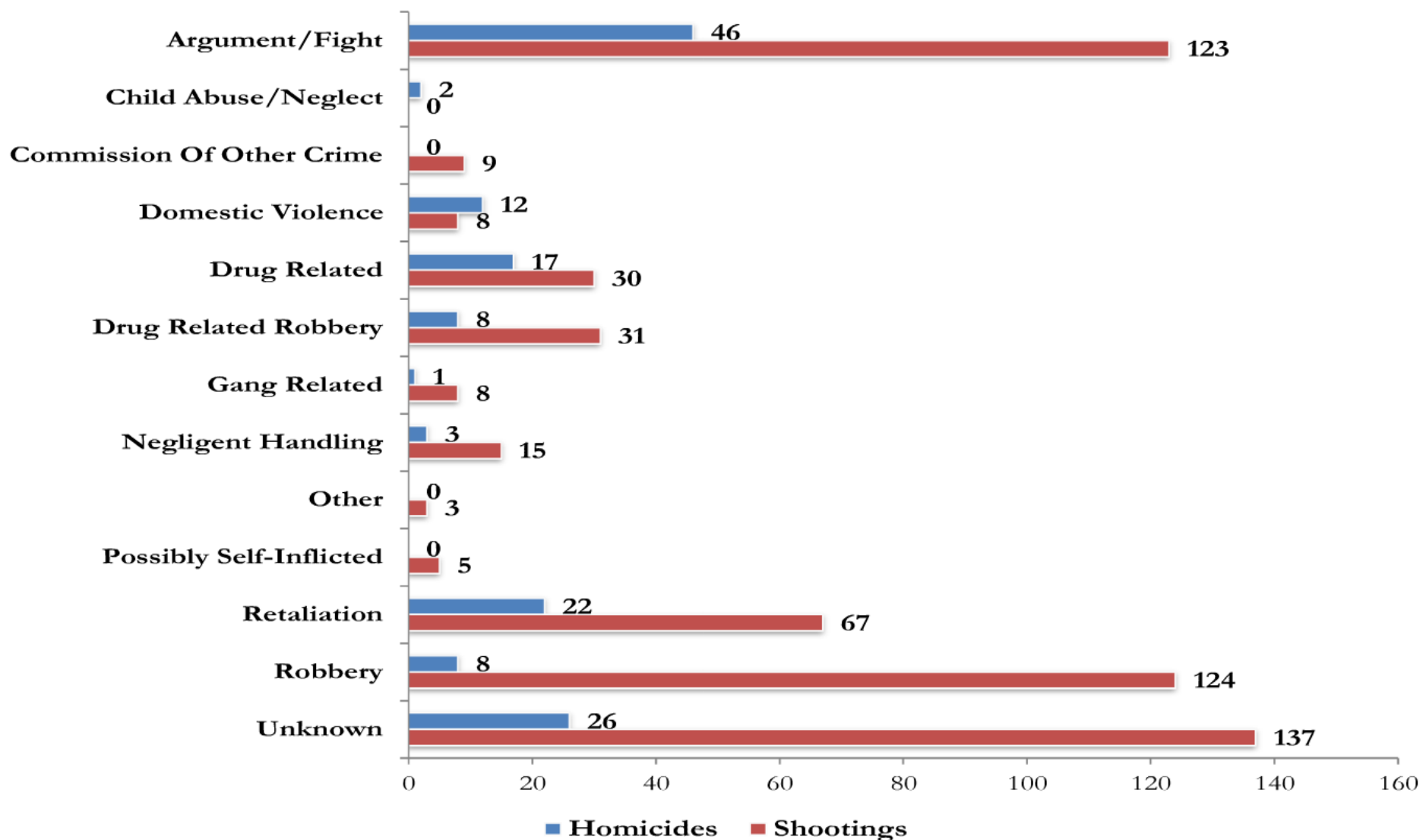
CFR - Milwaukee (2015)

15.8%

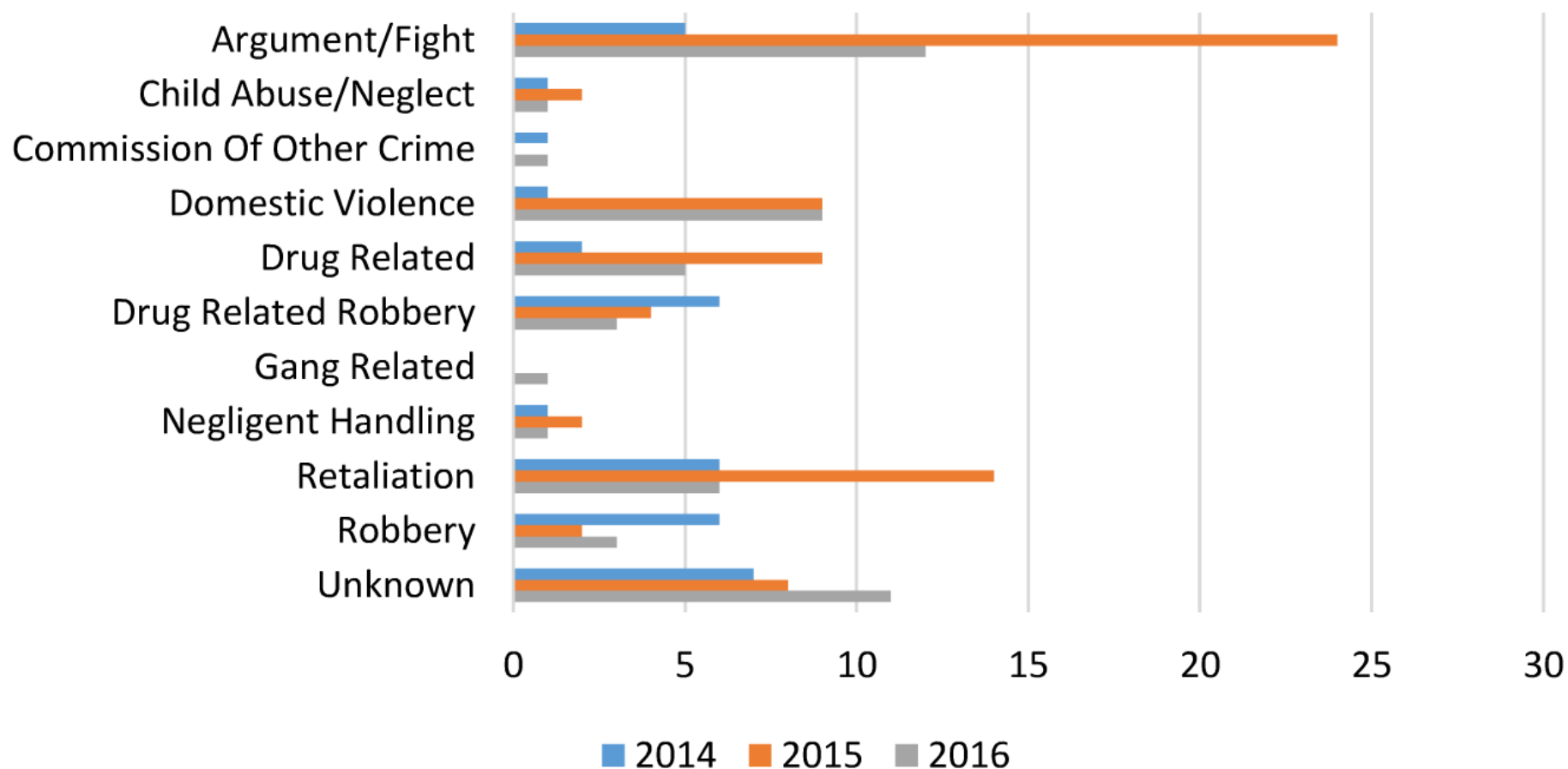
CFR - Nat'l Avg. Annual (2010-2012)

19%*

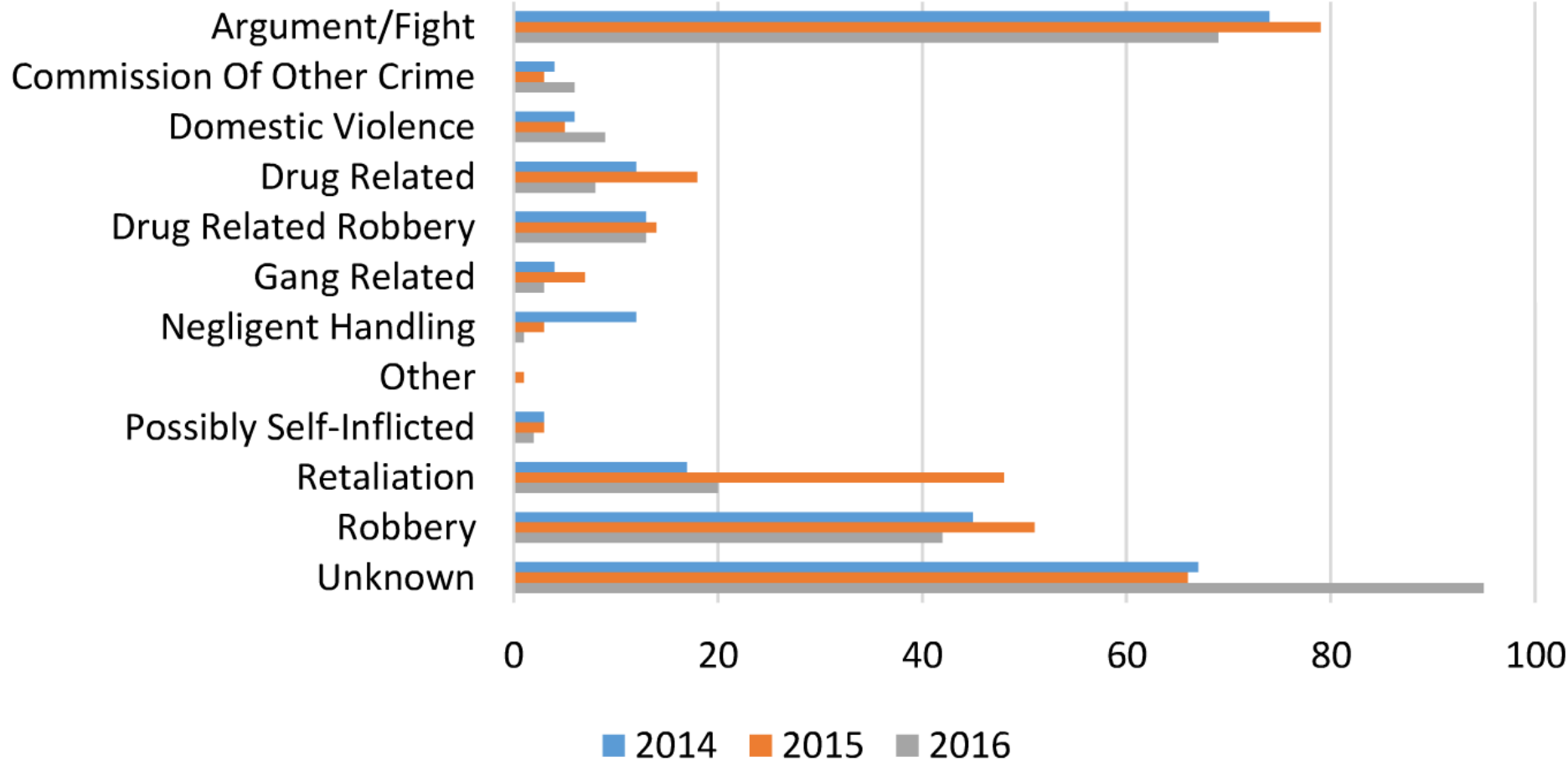
2015 Homicides and Shootings by Primary Factor



Homicide by Primary Factor and Year 1/1 - 6/30



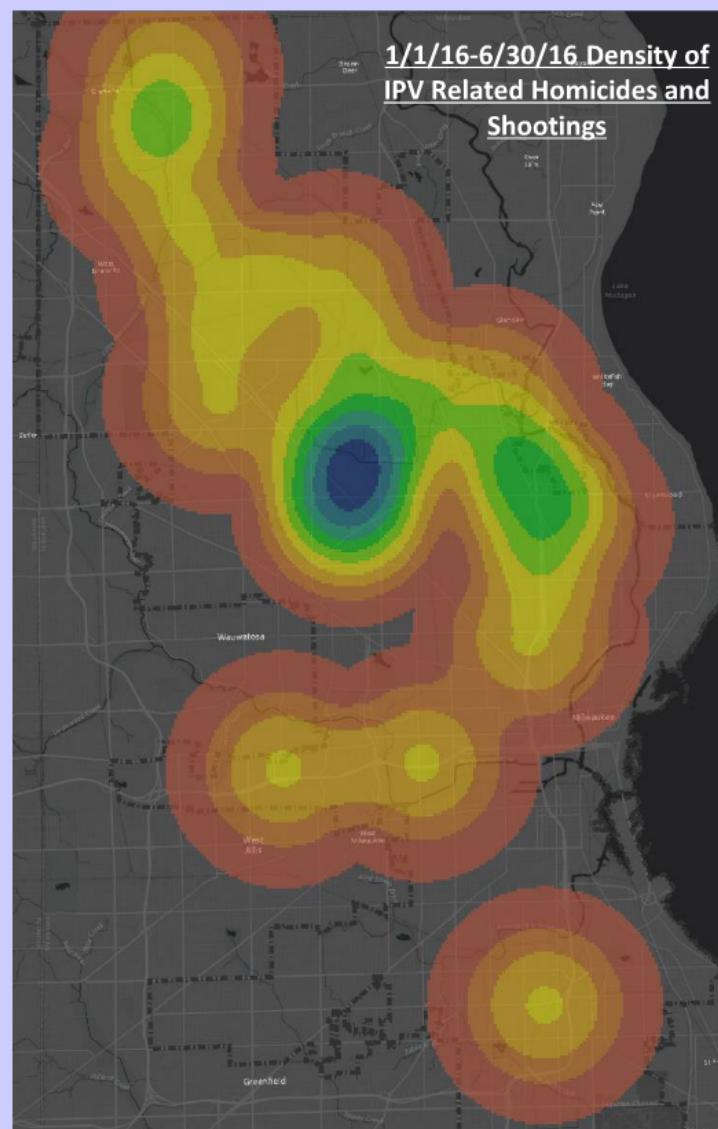
Shooting by Primary Factor and Year 1/1 - 6/30



Mid-Year IPV

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Day / Time	Count	% of Total
Sunday	3	18.8%
12:10:00 AM	1	6.3%
2:55:00 AM	1	6.3%
9:40:00 AM	1	6.3%
Monday	4	25.0%
4:00:00 AM	1	6.3%
1:50:00 PM	2	12.5%
6:30:00 PM	1	6.3%
Wednesday	2	12.5%
12:44:00 PM	1	6.3%
10:45:00 PM	1	6.3%
Thursday	3	18.8%
2:45:00 AM	1	6.3%
7:55:00 PM	1	6.3%
8:10:00 PM	1	6.3%
Saturday	4	25.0%
2:40:00 AM	1	6.3%
2:45:00 AM	1	6.3%
4:10:00 AM	1	6.3%
9:00:00 PM	1	6.3%
Grand Total	16	100.0%



Mid-Year IPV

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1/1/2016 - 6/30/2016 IPV

Victims

Median age: 27.5

Female 75% (12)

Black Female 56% (9)

White Hispanic Female 6% (1)

White Non-Hispanic Female
13% (2)

Male 25% (4)

Black Male 25% (4)

1/1/2016 - 6/30/2016 IPV

Suspects

Median age: 30.5

Female 25% (4)

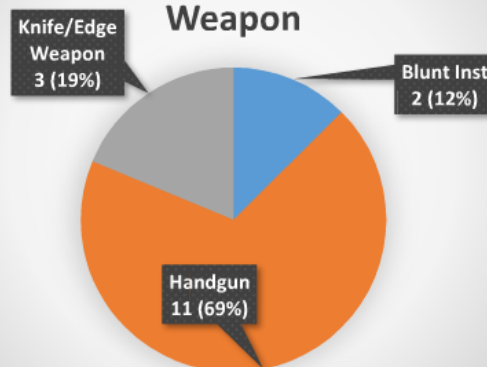
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(1)

IPV-Related Homicides and NFS by Weapon



- PSN 2015 – Comprehensive NFS Strategy
- Anger Management/Conflict Resolution Assessment
- Youth Reviews
- IPV Prevention Strategy Development

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