

## Access & Accountability: An Analysis of Police Records of Police Violence



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## 50 Police Departments

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Los Angeles, California

Phoenix, Arizona

San Diego, California

San Jose, California

San Francisco, California

Indianapolis, Indiana

Fort Worth, Texas

El Paso, Texas

Denver, Colorado

Memphis, Tennessee

Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Boston, Massachusetts

Louisville, Kentucky

Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Long Beach, California

Mesa, Arizona (Maricopa County)

Omaha, Nebraska

New York, New York

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Chicago, Illinois

San Antonio, Texas

Dallas, Texas

Jacksonville, Florida

Austin, Texas

Columbus, Ohio

Charlotte, North Carolina

Seattle, Washington

Detroit, Michigan

Washington, District of Columbia

Nashville, Tennessee

Tucson, Arizona

Las Vegas, Nevada

Fresno, California

Colorado Springs, Colorado

Virginia Beach, Virginia

Raleigh, North Carolina

Oakland, California

Tulsa, Oklahoma

Minneapolis, Minnesota

Cleveland, Ohio

Wichita, Kansas

Houston, Texas

Baltimore, Maryland

Portland, Oregon

New Orleans, Louisiana

Sacramento, California

Atlanta, Georgia

Kansas City, Missouri

Miami, Florida

Albuquerque, New Mexico





Rice & Valencia Streets, Cincinnati, OH – Google Maps



Canfield Drive, Ferguson, MO – Google Maps

# Means By Which Police Evade Documentation

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FOIA/FOIL refusals

Public records laws that exempt police investigatory records

Difficult to navigate public interfaces

Vague reporting

Loosely standardized practices for documenting officer involved shootings and use of force

Byzantine archives and/or no public-facing historical records

Document destruction

Application of state wiretapping laws to prevent citizen documentation

Falsifying records

Use of force memo forms oriented toward justifications for use of force

Violating/ignoring subpoenas for documentation

Evidence tampering

Wrongly informing citizens they cannot film/photograph

Turning off dashboard cameras

No dashboard cameras

No body cameras

Lacking of statutory limits to “active investigations”

Refusals to take reports of civilian complaints

Cell phone jamming at protests





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# Principles for Survivor-Centered Human Rights Documentation

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Community Autonomy

Shared Stewardship

Multiplicity

Community Rooted Praxis

Reflexivity



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