



Strategies for Policing Innovation 2021 Virtual National Meeting Agenda

January 27 - 28, 2021

Meeting Overview and Purpose:

The Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA), in collaboration with the CNA Center for Justice Research and Innovation, the Strategies for Policing Innovation (SPI) Training and Technical Assistance (TTA) provider, will hold a two half-day SPI national meeting virtually for SPI sites.

This meeting will improve and enhance each SPI site's understanding of the program's goals and technical assistance resources. The meeting's objectives include the further development and dissemination of evidence-based policing practices; the review of each site's progress toward key milestones and successful evaluation of the project's outcomes; the identification of important partnership and peer-to-peer exchange opportunities; and the initiation of plans for program sustainability.

The conference is critical to BJA's mission within the Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, and will highlight successful SPI initiatives.

Topics to be covered at the meeting:

- Overview of SPI initiatives, including principles and practices, site progress and activities, key expectations regarding research partnerships, research methods and outcomes, lessons learned, data and analysis, sustainability, and collaboration
- How to be successful, highlighting SPI sites
- How to sustain these initiatives, highlighting sustainability resources and site practices
- Discussion and learning of best practices on topics of interest (e.g., violence reduction, multi-agency collaboration, officer safety, crime analysis, community partnerships, and technology)
- Peer-to-peer networking exchange opportunities and roundtable discussions
- Planning sessions



Day 1—Wednesday, January 27, 2021

Time	Session
12:30 – 1:00 p.m.	<i>Registration and Login</i>
1:00 – 1:30 p.m.	Welcome/Overview of Agenda
1:30 – 2:30 p.m.	Keynote Session: Leveraging an SPI for Organizational Change
2:30 – 2:40 p.m.	<i>Break</i>
2:40 – 4:00 p.m.	Plenary Session: Operationalizing SPI Principles into Agency Practice
4:00 – 4:10 p.m.	<i>Break</i>
4:10 – 4:50 p.m.	Breakout Session: Problem-Solving Through Innovation
4:50 – 5:00 p.m.	Plenary Session: Closing Remarks

Day 2—Thursday, January 28, 2021

Time	Session
12:30 – 12:45 p.m.	<i>Registration and Login</i>
12:45 – 1:00 p.m.	Overview of the Day’s Agenda
1:00 – 1:45 p.m.	Keynote Session: Building Support for an SPI - Strategic Communication in the Community and Within the Agency
1:45 – 2:05 p.m.	Plenary Session: Ask BJA
2:05 – 2:15 p.m.	<i>Break</i>
2:15 – 3:45 p.m.	Breakout Session: Problem-Solving Through Innovation
3:45 – 3:55 p.m.	<i>Break</i>
3:55 – 4:45 p.m.	Breakout FY19 Sites: Site Sustainability Planning
3:55 – 4:45 p.m.	Breakout FY20 Sites: Launching an SPI
4:45 – 5:00 p.m.	Plenary Session: Closing Remarks and Evaluation