

The City and the Dynamics of Inequality

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Introductory Comments

- 1 –brief description of crime research at CUA/CUAPR/IPR
- 2 – some background comments on trends in crime and inequality
- 3 – Introduce our main speakers

Crime and Criminal Justice Research at CUA/CUAPR/IPR

Public Impact and Public Involvement

Whistle Stop Evaluation (Dubow 1973)

Reactions to Crime Project (Lewis, Dubow, Skogan & Hunter 1976)

Fear of Rape Project (Gordon & Riger 1976)

Citizen Participation and Crime Prevention (Lavrakas & Skogan 1978)

Ten-Neighborhood Anti-Crime Self-Help Evaluation (Lavrakas 1982)

Five-Neighborhood Block Watch Evaluation (Lewis & Rosenbaum 1982)

Disorder, Crime and Community Decline (Skogan 1985)

Crime Stoppers Evaluation (Rosenbaum, Lurigio & Lavrakas 1985)

Crime Mapping (Neighborhood Information Project) (Gordon & LeBailly 1987)

Community Organizations and Neighborhood Crime (Skogan 1988)

Crime and the Survival of Small Businesses in Urban Neighborhoods (Skogan 1990)

Policing

Police Encounters With The Mentally Ill (Teplin 1982)

Procedural Justice and Policing (Tyler 1983)

Impact of Television Coverage of Police Brutality (Gordon 1983)

Fear Reduction Program Evaluation (Skogan 1983)

Evaluation of Chicago's Community Policing Program (Skogan 1993)

Police Training for Victim Services (Rosenbaum & Lurigio 1985)

Community Organization Involvement in Community Policing (Skogan 1995)

Evaluation of Regional Community Policing Training (Skogan 1997)

Monitoring Opinion Change in the District of Columbia Skogan 2000)

Impact of Information Technology in Policing (Skogan 2002)

Crime Victims

Crime and the Elderly (Cook & Skogan 1976)

Local Crime Survey Dissemination (Skogan 1978)

Victim Response in Stranger-to-Stranger Violence (1981)

Police and Civilian Help for Victims of Crime (Lurigio & Rosenbaum 1985)

Victims' Needs and Victim Programs (Lurigio & Skogan 1988)

Victimization of the Mentally Ill (Teplin 2000)

Politics and Governance

Law Enforcement Study Group (Gordon, McKnight, Fahey et al 1970)

hiring, misconduct,. shootings, legal representation, access to information

Politics of the Criminal Law (Berk 1971)

Comparative Study of Urban Public Order (Gurr 1972)

Governmental Responses to Crime 1948-1978 (Jacob & Lineberry 1978)

AIDS Education, Programs and Guidelines for Probation and the Courts (Lurigio 1978)

Criminal Justice Project of Cook County (Heinz 1990)

Impact of Mass Incarceration (circa 2002)

felon disenfranchisement (Manza)

children of incarcerated fathers (Hagan, Edin)

effect on job prospects (Pager)

Paths to Offending

Monitoring Delinquency Interventions (Gordon 1973)

Alcohol and Street Crime (Teplin 1982)

Evanston Gang Study (Rosenbaum 1983)

Worlds of the Mentally Ill (Lewis 1984)

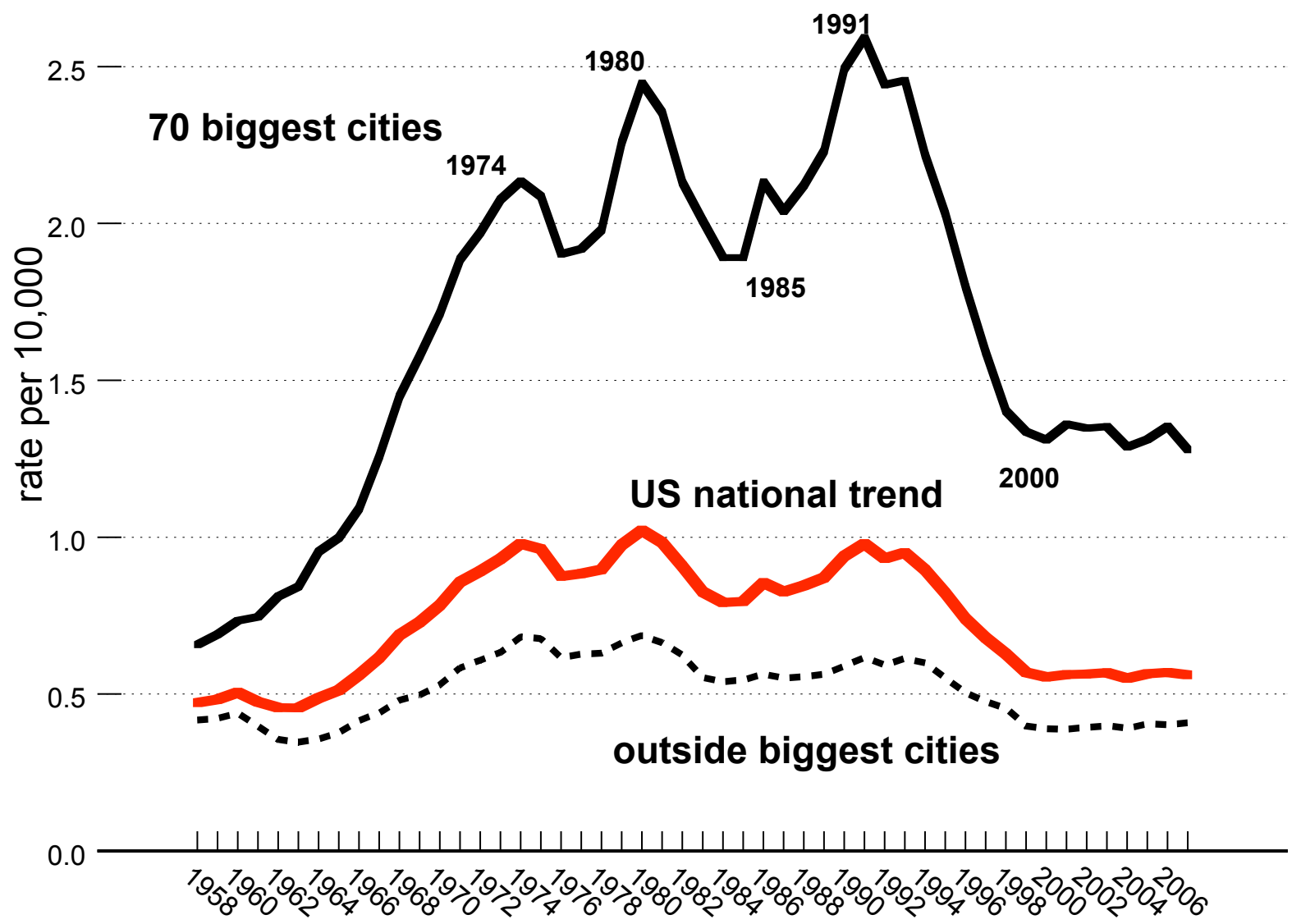
Incarcerated Juveniles Project (Teplin 2002)

Neighborhood Effects on Delinquency (Duncan et al 2006)

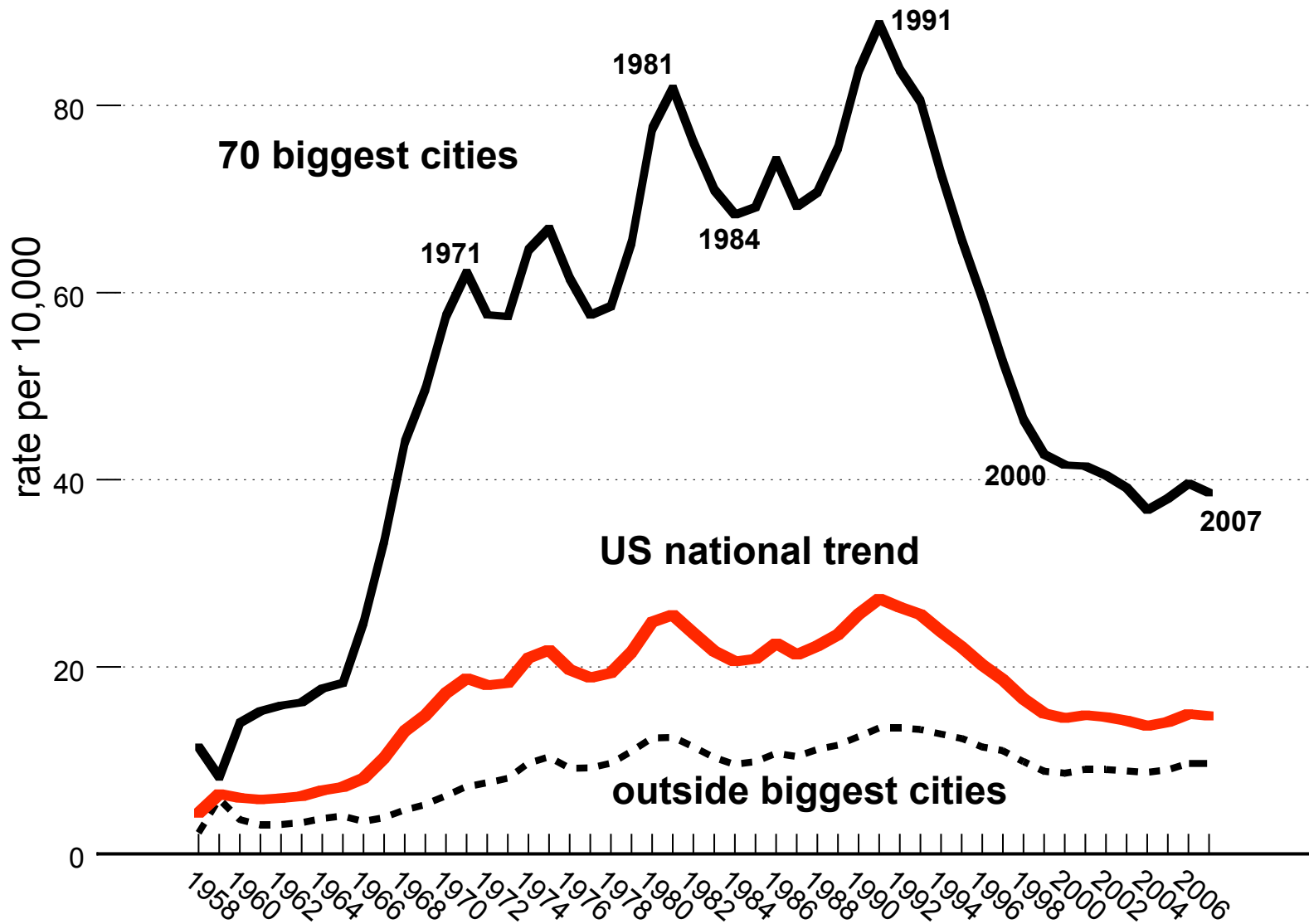
Evaluation of CeaseFire (Skogan 2005)

Crime and Welfare Reform (Lewis 2008)

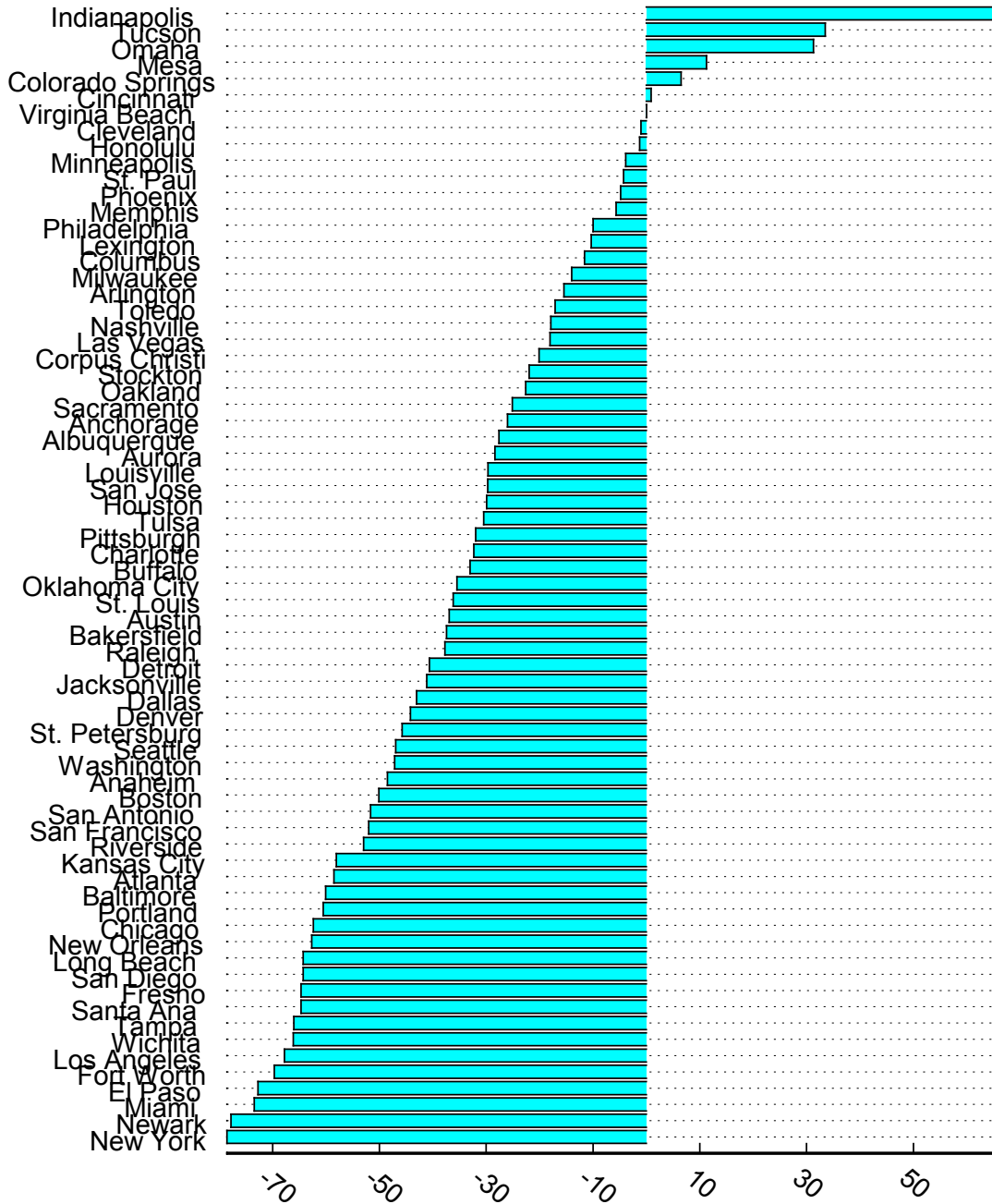
Trends in Homicide 1958-2007



Trends in Robbery 1958-2007



Changes in Robbery 1991-2007




Percent of 70 biggest cities DOWN

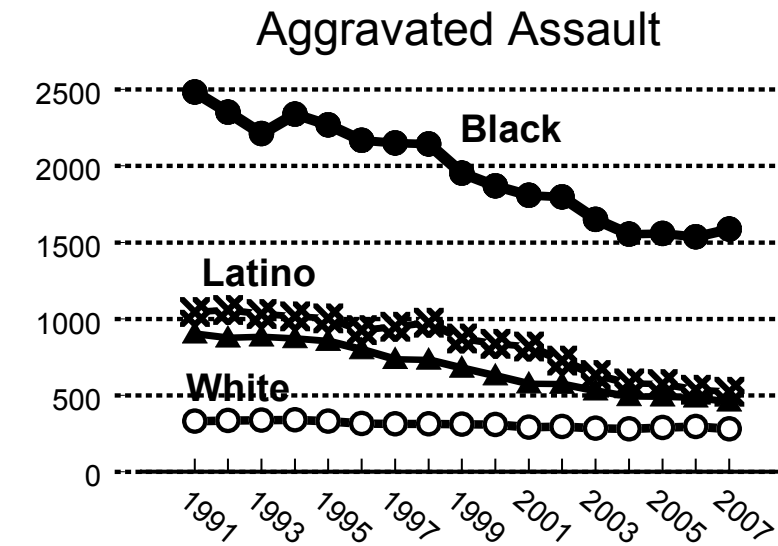
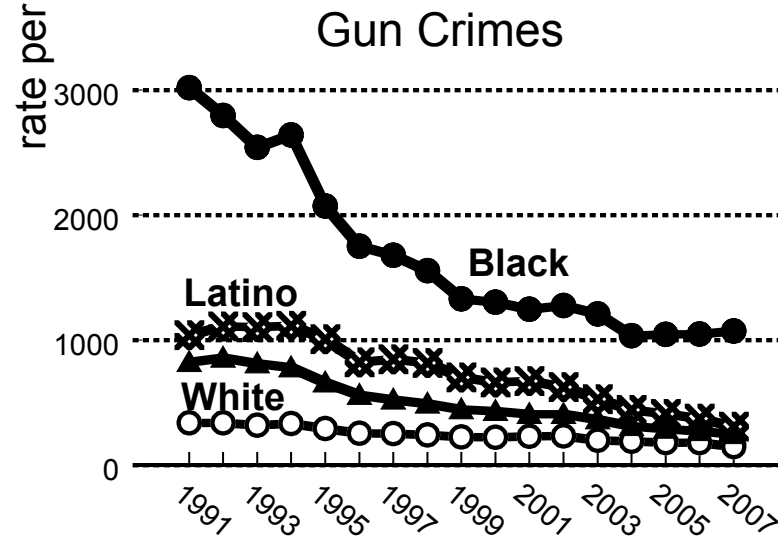
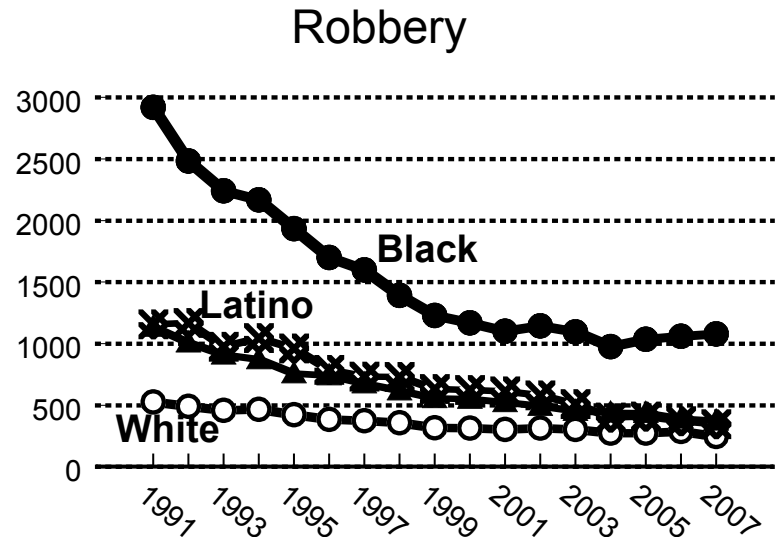
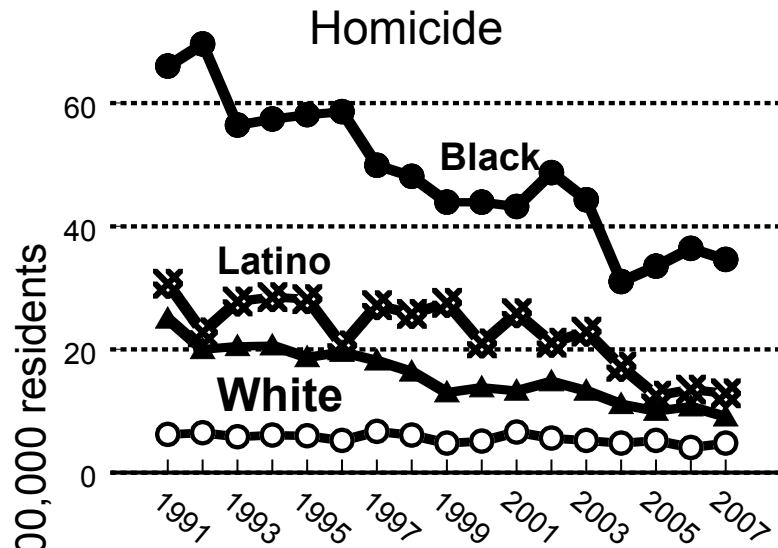
- homicide 81%
- robbery 90
- burglary 96
- auto theft 81

Percent aggregate 70-city rate DOWN

- homicide -48%
- robbery -55
- burglary -48
- auto theft -51

Chicago Trends in Violent Crime by Race

 Diverse beats



Distribution of Crime Decline 1991-2007 by Area Race Chicago

Gun Crimes	Black	White	Latino	Diverse	Total
1991	28222	3254	3869	4256	39601
2007	9082	1550	1192	1335	13159
Drop 91-07	-19140	-1704	-2677	-2921	-26443
Pct of city total	72%	6%	10%	11%	
Homicide					
Pct of city total	68%	2%	13%	17%	
Robbery					
Pct of city total	66%	9%	11%	14%	