

The Proliferation and Continuing Evolution of the Hub & Situation Table Models in Canada

Norman E. Taylor

Senior Advisor to Deputy Ministers Dale McFee (SK) and Matthew Torigian (ON) Editor-in-Chief Journal of Community Safety and Well Being (CSWB) President, Global Network for Community Safety

October 4, 2016







Some Important Milestones in the Evolution of Collaborative Risk-Driven Community Safety and Well-being

2008-09

- Saskatchewan Future of Policing Study (GOS, RCMP, SACP) Taylor, N.E. (2010)
- Sustainable 'economics of policing' discussions gain national momentum

2010-11

- Extensive research and collaboration to build whole-of-government, risk-based model
- Charter executed among nine ministries and policing partners
- Parallel initiative led by Chief Dale McFee and Human Service partners in Prince Albert
- Combined efforts and research, including field study in Scotland (Nov. 2010)
- Recognized opportunity to prove concept in PA, combining promising elements of collaborative, risk-driven approaches

February 2011

Prince Albert Hub Model is launched

October 2011

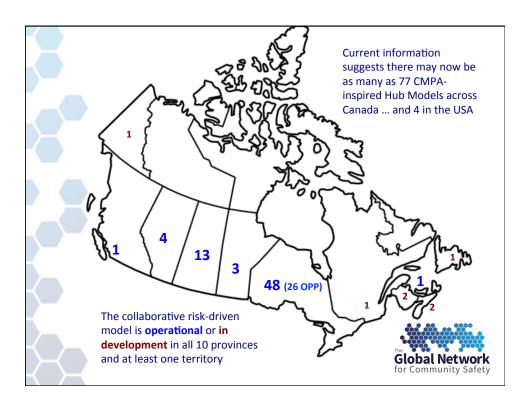
 Premier Brad Wall announces Building Partnerships to Reduce Crime (BPRC) strategy. He also commits sustainable funding and CMPA Centre of Responsibility (COR) is launched

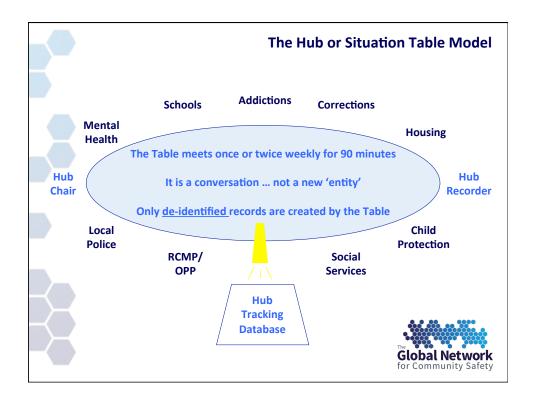
2012 - 201

- Toronto is the first outside delegation to visit CMPA in April 2012, initiating the Ontario Working Group. Over 30 delegations subsequently follow during the next 3 years.
- Ontario Working Group and MCSCS advance & support CSWB models in Ontario

2016

- KFL&A Community Risk Watch launch operational Situation Tables in Kingston & Napanee
- Next generation CSWB Planning Models taking shape in ON, PEI, Sask







Information Sharing in Collaborative Models The Evolution to Date

- · Hub (Situation Table) Proof-of-Concept Phases
- ISIWG Sask
- · Ontario Study and Resulting Guide
- PIA and SK-OIPC Response
- National Dialogue
- OIPC Involvement
- Global Network e-Learning "Design, Discipline and Training"
- OPP and RCMP Training



Filter One:

- Each agency develops internal protocol and referral form
- Standard template provided based on guidance from SK-OIPC
- Need to balance 'convenient use of Table' against self-triage and diversion of situations

Filter Two:

- Strictly de-identified introduction of situation
- Multi-perspective triage to determine if AER applies
- Caution: de-identified may become identified ... limit details in discussion

Filter Three:

- "You don't know what you don't know" establishes "need to know"
- Each agency determines professional and agency comfort with levels of disclosure
- Caution: once roles are identified ... Chair must carefully limit further discussion

Acutely Elevated Risk:

Significant interest at stake?

The Four Filters Discipline

Probability of harm occurring?

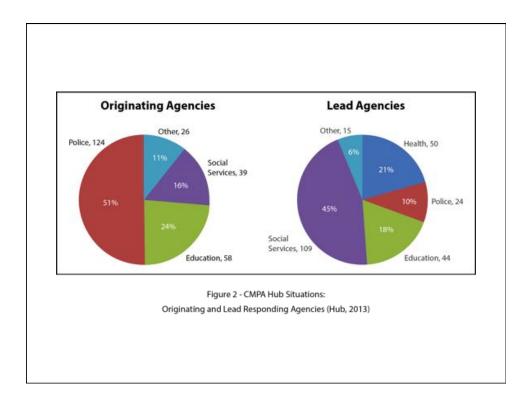
Significant intensity of harm?

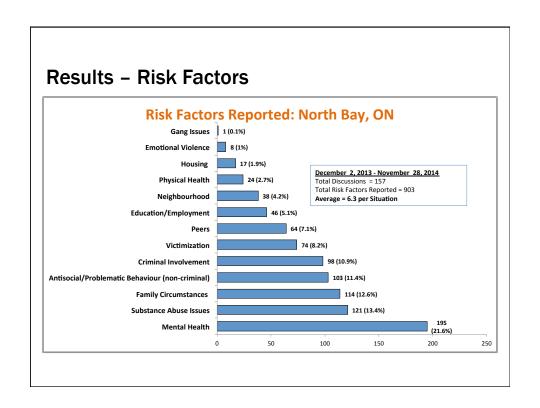
Multi-disciplinary nature of risk?

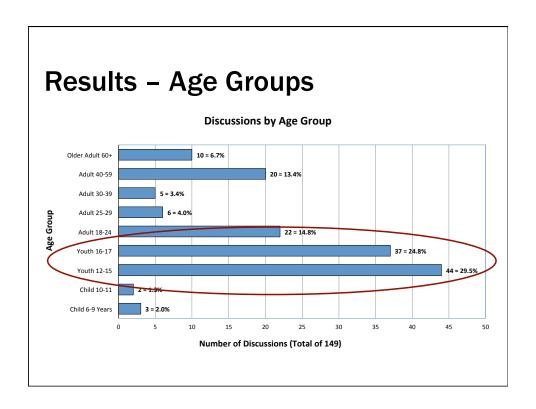
Filter Four:

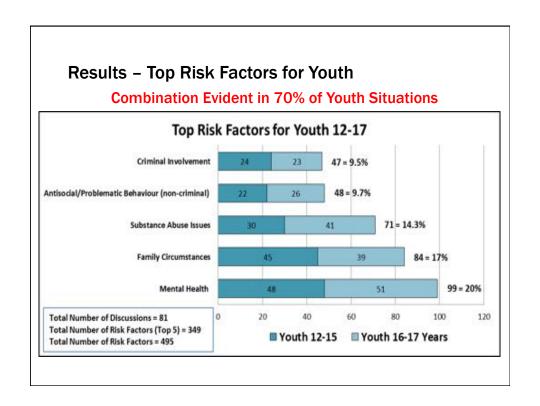
- Occurs outside of Table with only duly empowered agencies involved
- Standard CM protocols apply Report back strictly limited to coded outcomes











Outcomes and Evaluation Studies The Experience to Date

Published evaluations to date:

12 on the Hub/Situation Table (incl.1 QN research study on PA publication pending)

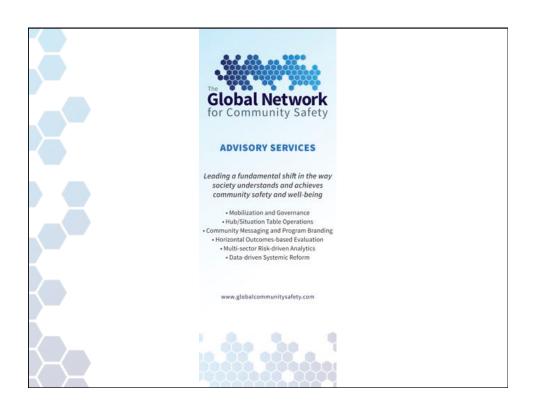
Barrie (2)
Brant
Cambridge/Kitchener Waterloo (2)
Guelph
Ottawa
OWG Framework
Prince Albert (multiple)
FOCUS Rexdale
Samson Cree Nation
Tech-enabled Hubs (underway)
1 on the Prince Albert COR

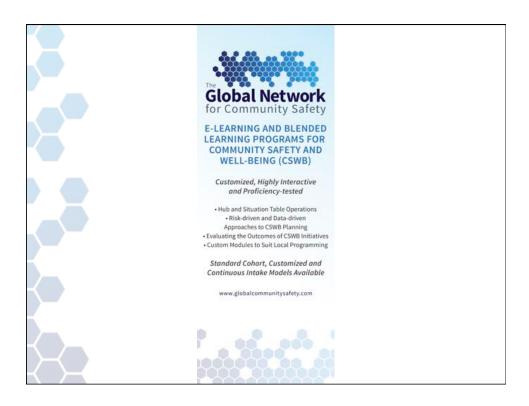
Published Data Analytic Reports include:

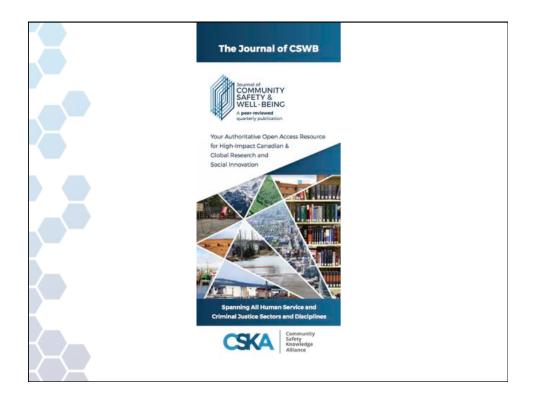
Durham Region North Bay Prince Albert Sudbury

Early outcomes have included:

- · increased access to services
- quicker access to services
- better understandings of client needs
- improved communication among agencies
- reduced barriers to support from human service agencies
- identified gaps in the human service delivery system
- increased efficiencies in human service delivery
- improved client-service provider relations
- highly informative insights on the composite patterns of risk factors affecting AER
- · Measurable \$\$ impact on policing









What Comes Next?

CSKA – Research into Tech-Enabled Hubs

PAL – Saskatoon Police, Mental Health, Dr. Brian Rector

SiPACS – CSKA & ISM Canada – Interdisciplinary Predictive Analytics

UK MASH & MHUB Systems – Automated 'Acutely Elevated Risk' Dashboarding

Community Mobilization and Alignment – Comprehensive Data-Driven CSWB in Ontario

... We Ain't Seen Nothing Yet!!





Thank You

Resources and References Available at:

www.globalcommunitysafety.com

http://globalcommunitysafety.com/resources/community/kfla

Continuing Call for Papers at:

www.JournalCSWB.ca



