

VIOLENCE PREVENTION UPDATE

Public Health Madison &
Dane County
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Where We Are Today

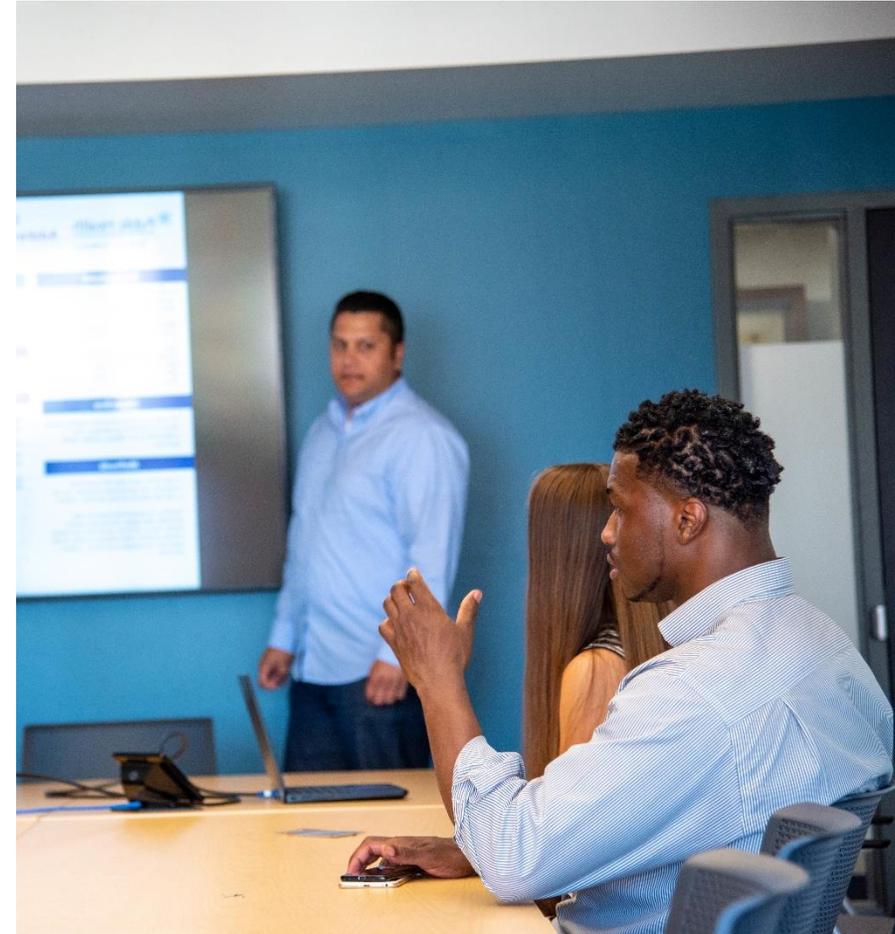
Violence Prevention Plan Feedback

- Feedback was collected by a variety of partners who work in the realm of violence prevention, violence interruption, positive youth development, supporting families, and dismantling systems that contribute to cycles of violence.
- Feedback from partners was widely positive
- Feedback has been analyzed, considered, and incorporated

Violence Prevention Plan Final Draft

- The plan is being formatted with the five priority areas, strategies and activities

Violence Prevention Plan is on track to be released in March!



Overview of Violence Prevention Plan



Understand Violence in Our Community Through Data



Support Community Engagement with Children, Youth and Families



Foster Strong Neighborhoods



Bolster and Increase Intervention and Continuous Healing for Those Affected by Violence



Strengthen Community Capacity, Engagement, and Coordination of Violence Prevention Efforts

Understand Violence in Our Community Through Data

Strategy 1: Use timely, comprehensive data to prioritize and implement prevention efforts

Strategy 2: Create data dissemination tools to aid in the understanding of violence data

Strategy 3: Enhance and strengthen data about gun ownership, safety, and use

Support Community Engagement with Children, Youth and Families

Strategy 1: Promote healthy families and quality early learning to foster culturally responsive, healthy child development

Strategy 2: Provide connections for children, youth and families at a high risk of violence engagement to high-quality community-based programs that promote health and social wellness

Strategy 3: Expand sexual assault primary prevention programming to address shared risk and protective factors of violence

Strategy 4: Increase employment and workforce development opportunities for youth

Foster Strong Neighborhoods

Strategy 1: Improve government-community relationships

Strategy 2: Build resident leadership and collective action to improve community well-being

Strategy 3: Connect residents to resources to improve their quality of life

Strategy 4: Strengthen relationships between police and community

Strategy 5: Improve cultural responsiveness and support cultural identity of community members

Bolster and Increase Intervention and Continuous Healing for Those Affected by Violence

Strategy 1: Create and support systems that respond to individual and community needs prior to, during, and following violence incidents

Strategy 2: Explore group violence intervention models

Strategy 3: Promote culturally responsive trauma-informed care, healing, behavioral health, and trauma reduction services

Strategy 4: Strengthen treatment and healing services for survivors of sexual assault, domestic violence and violence within home environments

Strategy 5: Identify and support people at risk for self-harm and suicide

Strategy 6: Strengthen and increase restorative justice in courts, child welfare institutions, schools, and community settings through better coordination between organizations.

Strategy 7: Reduce disproportionate arrests and incarceration

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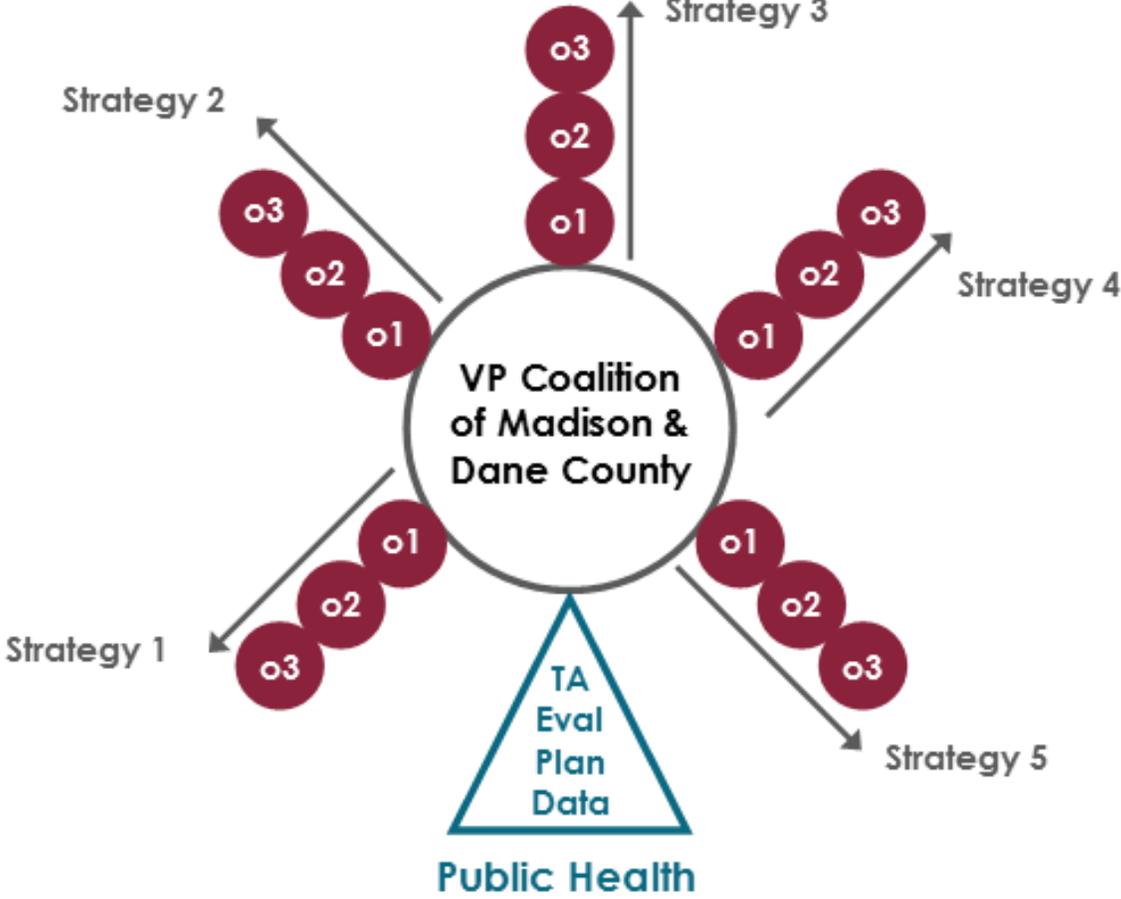
Strategy 1: Build capacity for systems change and increased collaboration across organizations and sectors

Strategy 2: Create mechanisms for sustainable funding

Strategy 3: Develop a Dane County Violence Prevention Plan and communication plan

Strategy 4: Increase violence prevention evaluation capacity and accountability

Overview of Hub and Spoke



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HUB

The Violence Prevention Coalition of Madison and Dane County will serve as a central coordination hub for violence prevention work.

The Hub is supported by PHMDC in the areas of technical assistance, data, evaluation, planning and overall coordination.

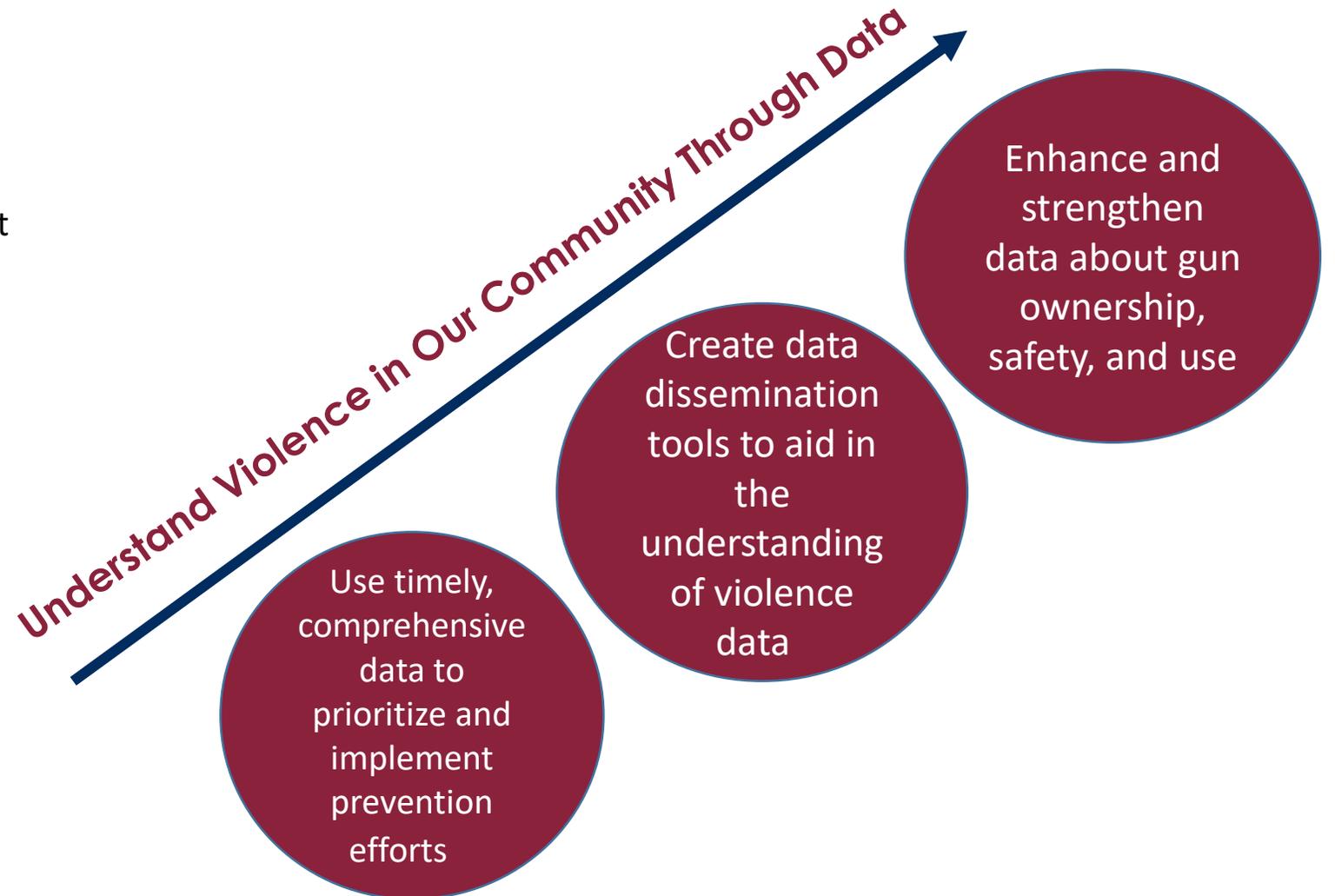


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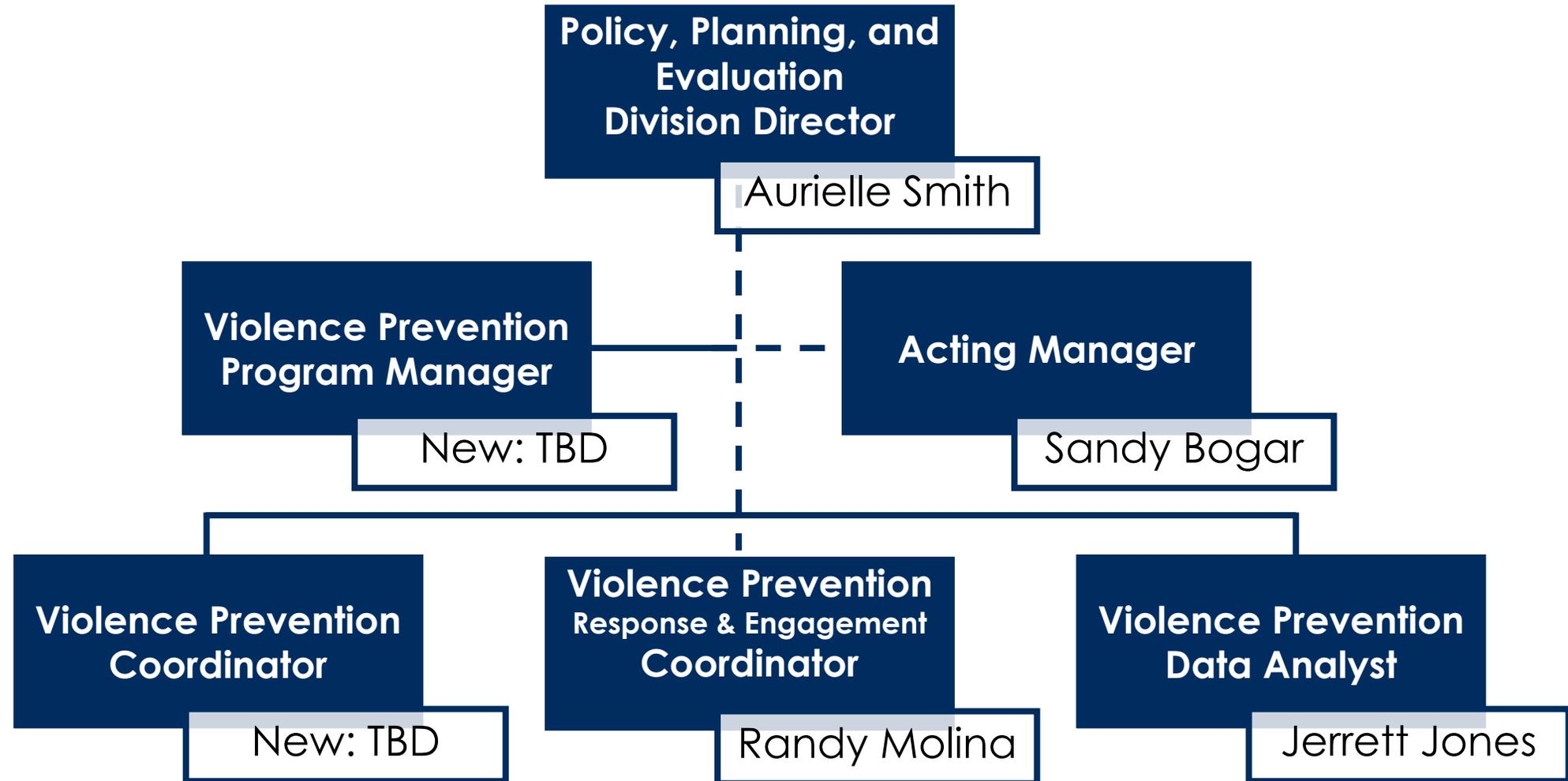
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SPOKES

The Spokes of the Violence Prevention Coalition of Madison and Dane County will be facilitated in the style of work groups that will bring together partners and organizations with alignment around a specific priority area and its associated strategies.



Overview of Violence Prevention Unit (VPU)



Next Steps

Violence Prevention Unit

- Moving forward with hiring a Violence Prevention Manager and a Violence Prevention Response and Engagement Coordinator
- Planning for the next Violence Prevention Coalition of Dane County meeting (aiming for Summer 2021)
- Improving our data infrastructure to aid be more forward facing to allow for the public and stakeholders to be more informed about violence in Madison

Roadmap to Reduction

- On track for release in March!
- Working with CDD on an RFP to dispense violence prevention funds.

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