

# THE CARDIFF MODEL

**VIOLENCE IS A PUBLIC HEALTH ISSUE.**

Partnerships between hospitals and law enforcement can help communities better understand where violence is happening and create collaborative solutions.

OVER **50%** OF VIOLENT CRIME IS NEVER REPORTED TO LAW ENFORCEMENT



## IMPACT

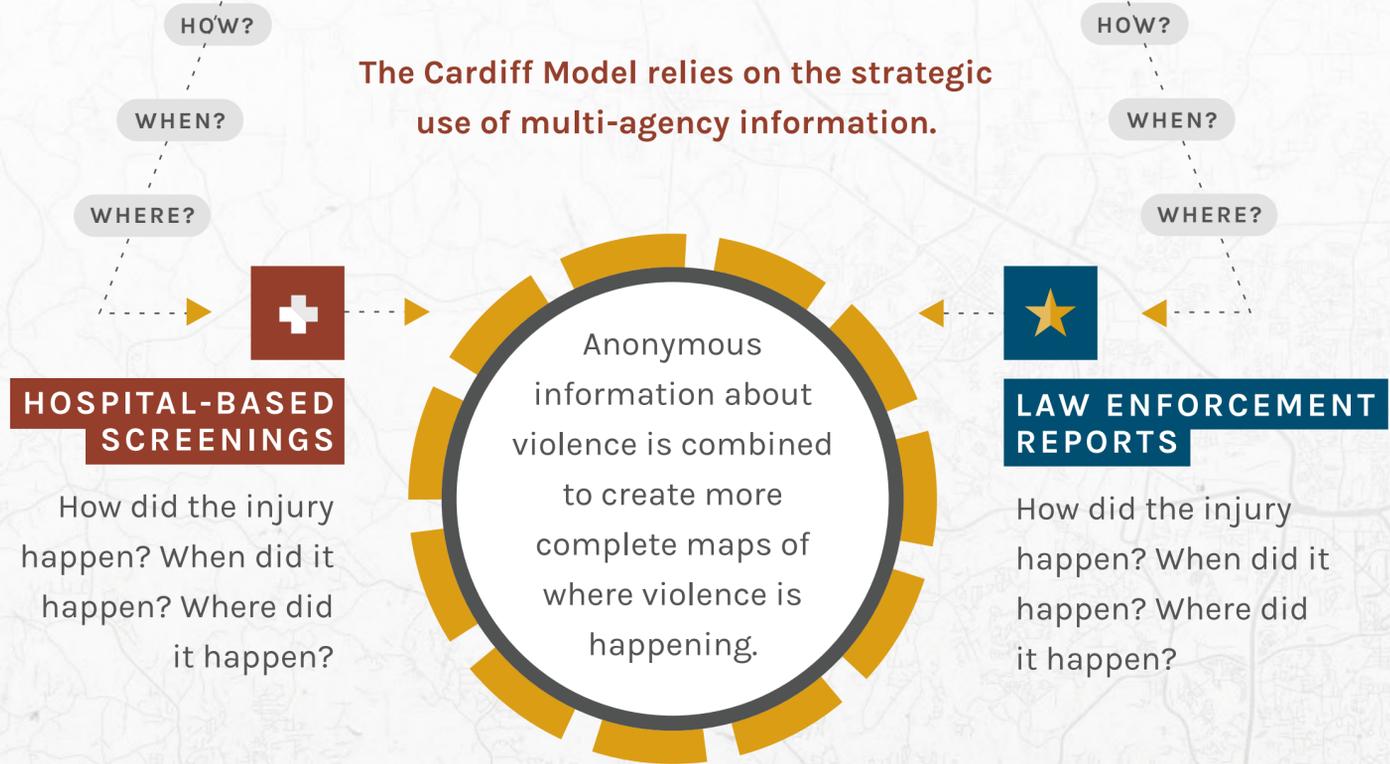
THE CARDIFF MODEL is an **effective and cost-saving** approach to prevent violence. THE CARDIFF MODEL has led to a:

**42%**  
DECREASE

in violent injury hospital admissions in Cardiff, U.K.

**\$34**  
SAVED

in criminal justice and health system costs for every \$1 spent



Sharing information through community partnerships can help to create local solutions for preventing violent injuries in public spaces.

- POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS: IMPROVED LIGHTING, VISIBILITY, AND GREEN SPACE
- POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS: MENTORING AND AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS
- POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS: REMEDIATION OF ABANDONED BUILDINGS AND VACANT LOTS
- POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS: LOCAL ORDINANCE ENFORCEMENT
- POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS: STREET OUTREACH AND COMMUNITY NORMS CHANGE
- POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS: POLICE PATROLS AND IMPROVING SECURITY

## LEARN MORE

Visit the Cardiff Model toolkit for more information:

[www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/fundedprograms/cardiffmodel](http://www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/fundedprograms/cardiffmodel)



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