

The Role of Training in Implementation of Community Policing

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Abstract

This paper seeks to highlight the importance of training for implementation of community policing. Community policing requires a transition from traditional policing methods to proactive and problem-oriented policing, which is constructed upon police-citizen partnership. For the successful implementation of community policing, the change process needs to be fully realized throughout the organization. Suitably appropriate methods of training will help officers to fully understand the goals of community policing.

This paper focuses on the types of existing community policing training methods as well as the obstacles that complicate training efforts. Moreover, the paper provides some recommendations on community policing training programmes to make them more helpful for police departments

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