





# Citywide Violence Prevention Strategic Framework

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# Agenda

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- Legislation Overview
- Purpose of the Citywide Violence Prevention Task Force
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- Framework Development
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- Partnership with Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Safety and Engagement



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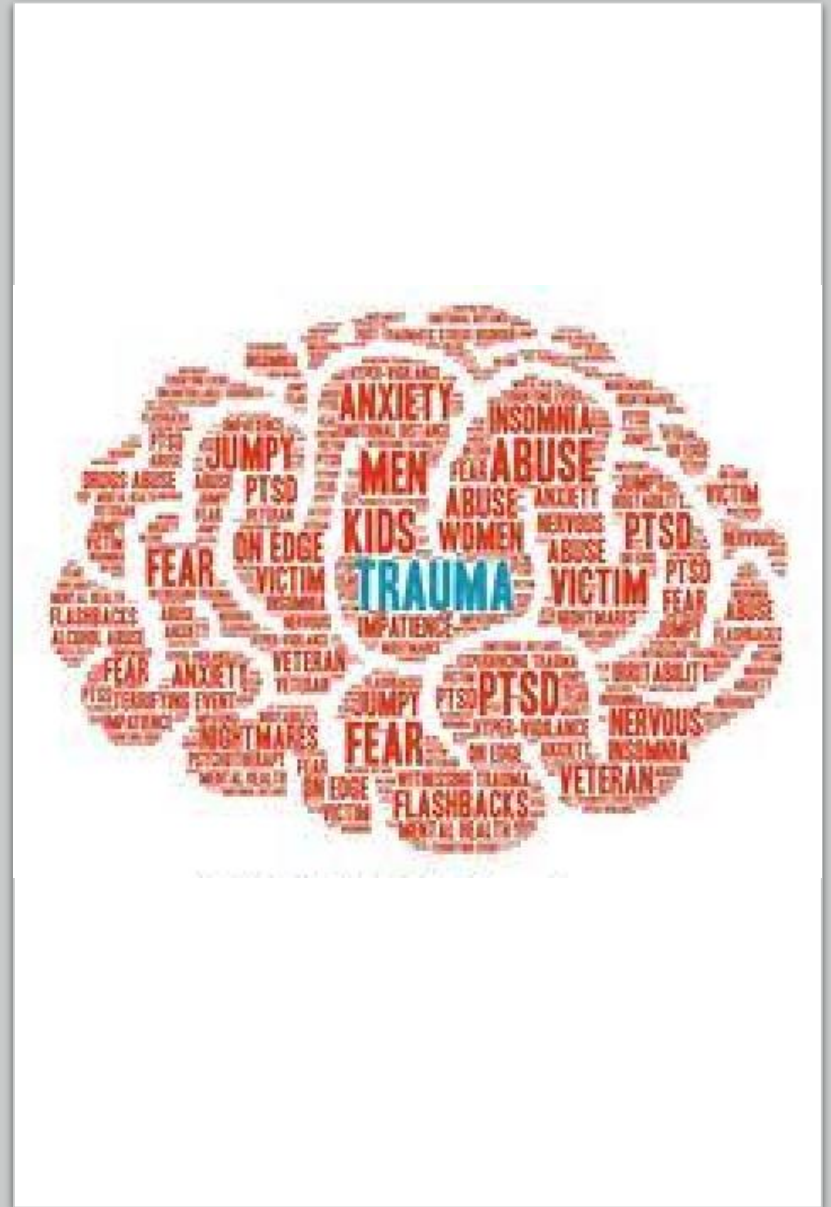
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# Violence as a Public Health Crisis

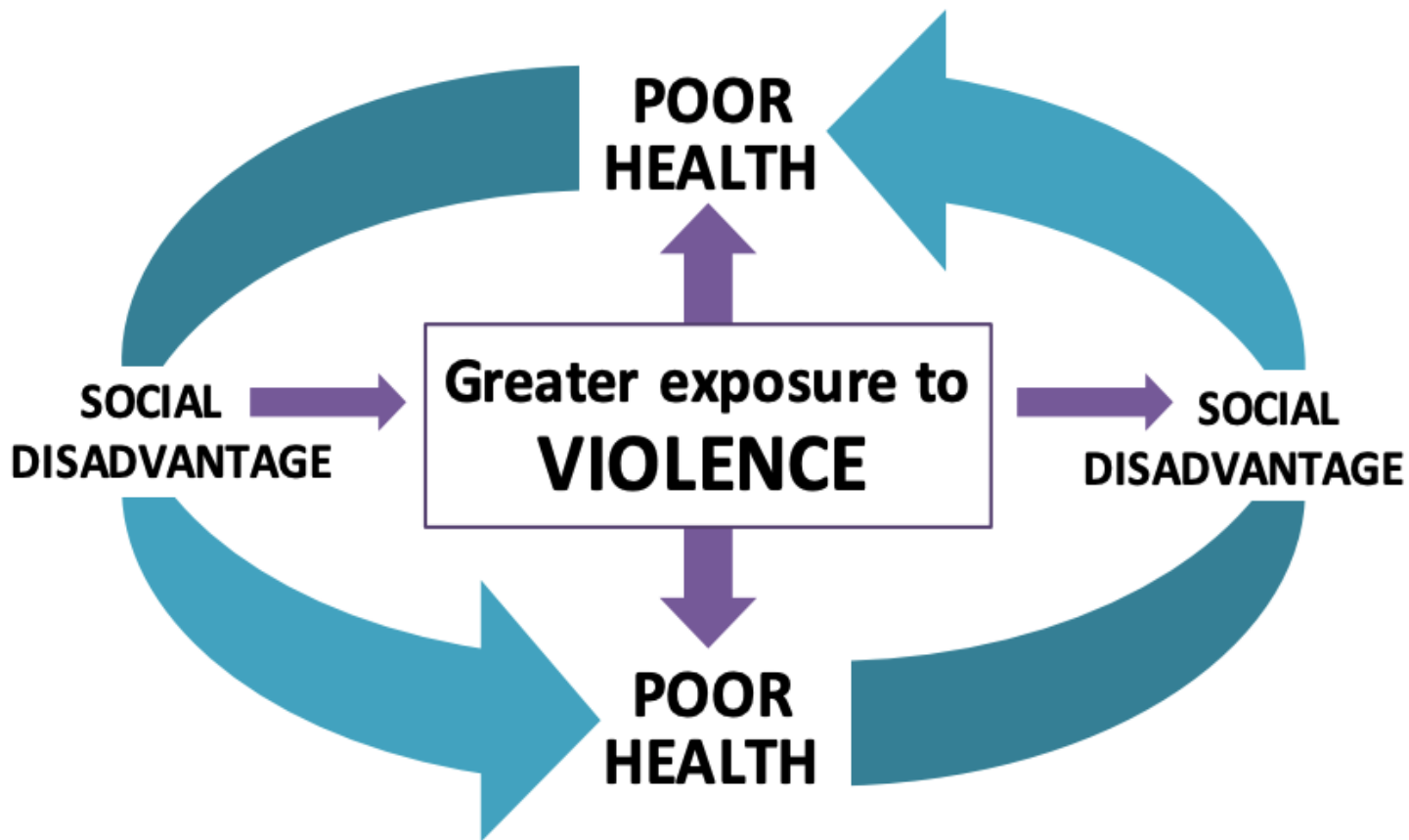
- Violence is a public health crisis (APHA, 2018)
- Exposure to trauma and violence linked to negative health outcomes
- Violence is a social determinant of health
- Most often, violence is preventable



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# Links between Violence and Social Disadvantage



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<https://www.preventioninstitute.org/sites/default/files/publications/How%20Social%20Factors%20Shape%20Health.pdf>

# Prevention is Key

- Address “upstream” causes of violence with efforts and resources
  - Policies
  - Programs
- Awareness of structural disadvantages
- Community plays a pivotal role
- Involves key stakeholders



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# Overview of Legislation: Council Bill 19-0451

- Over 16 named agencies on the TF
- Focus on the Social Determinants of Health
- Analyze available City data from City agencies
- Outline public health and safety strategies



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# Purpose of the Task Force

- Develop a Citywide violence prevention plan
  - Using a holistic, public health approach that collectively addresses both violence and trauma
- Address the social determinants of health (SDOH)



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# Planning Process

- Convened task force members
- Facilitated 8 planning sessions using Results Based Accountability approach
- Posted draft framework - public comment
- Pass the torch to the Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Safety and Engagement to operationalize the plan



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# Convened Task Force Members



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# Planning Sessions

Session	Focus	Date
1	Facilitate RBA Orientation Establish RBA Framework	September 17 <sup>th</sup> , 2020
2	Select Results and Indicators	October 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2020
3	Begin RBA Turn the Curve Process	October 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2020
4	Finalize Strategies	October 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2020
5	Develop Public Comment Survey	November 12 <sup>th</sup> , 2020
6	Release Framework for Public Comment	December 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2020
7	Integrate Public Comment into Framework	January 7 <sup>th</sup> , 2021
8	Finalize Part 1 of Plan	January 21 <sup>st</sup> , 2021



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# Results Based Accountability Approach

- Select results
- Select indicators for each result
- Select strategies with agencies and partners
- *Next Steps*
  - *Engage community to develop overall strategies*
  - *Implement strategies*



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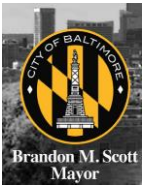
# Citywide Results & Indicators

Result	Indicator
Equitable life opportunities	Graduation rates
Equitable life expectancy	Life expectancy
Are safe	Uniformed Crime Reporting (UCR) total crime data
Are thriving	Percentage of the population employed (ages 16-64)

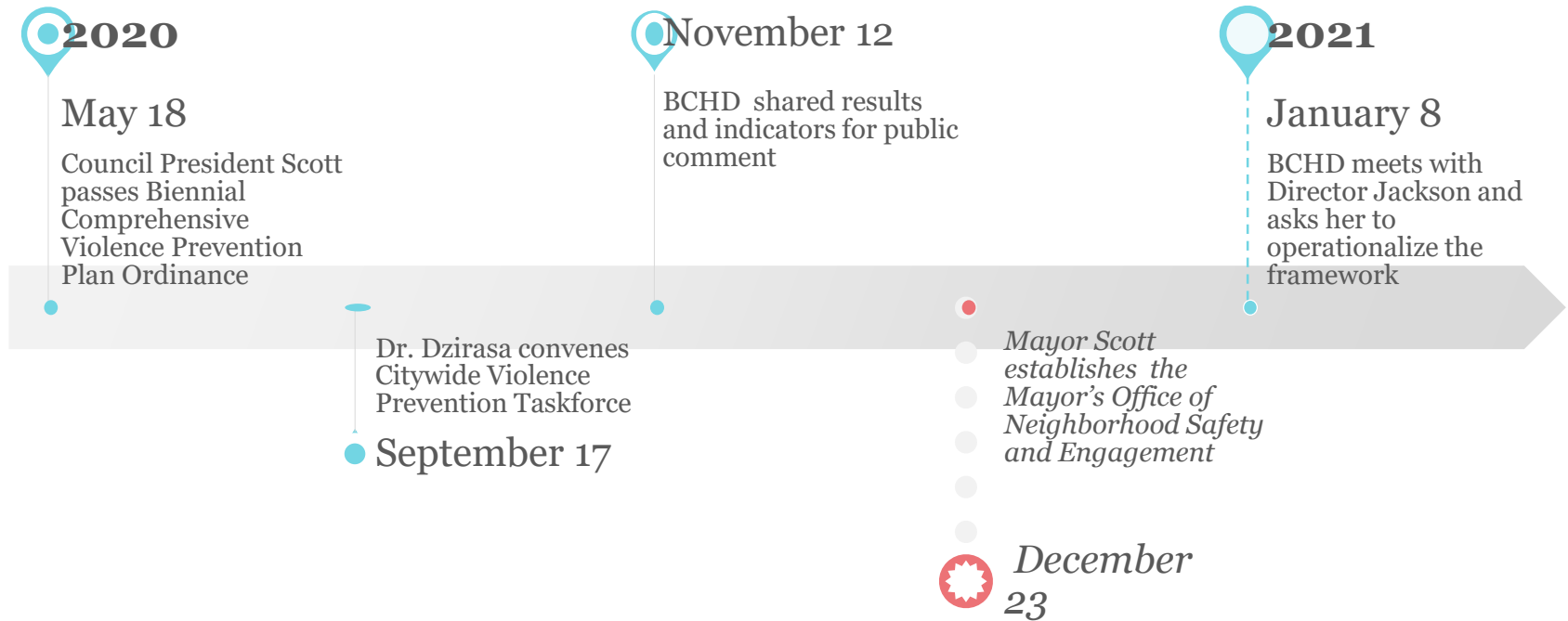


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# Violence Prevention Planning Timeline



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# Partnership with Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Safety and Engagement



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