Examining Criminology and Criminal Justice in the Black Community

The access and pursuit of equal access is a long; yet, historical telling of the black community and the community’s pursuit of equality. Pipelines from academic institutions to imprisonment centers are a reality for more than the black community. The gradual understanding of how and why many in the black community are viewed as innate criminals is ultimately a conclusion of baseless academic theories of social control and conflict theory. As this listing explores that literature and narratives that contribute to the conversation.

This listing provides reference materials to examine how black criminology does not adequately rehabilitate nor provide any constructive tools to blacks or positively contribute to social reality of being Black in the United States. Also included are source to illustrate police relations with the black community and has such relations have shaped the black experience.

Examinations of various policies and groundbreaking court cases that shock the American political system and are refining how many view black rehabilitating their lives.

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- Racial profiling
- Racial profiling AND black youth
- Black Lives Matters
- Police Brutality OR Police Harassment
- Discrimination
- Black men AND political injustices
- Police misconduct AND black men
- Police surveillance and black children
- Criminalization AND black children AND United States
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