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Current Idea:

How different UK Police forces handled Stop and searches during lockdowns in different areas of the UK?

The Literature:

Stop and Search During COVID-19

▼ **Investigating the police use of stop and search in England and Wales during the coronavirus pandemic**

General analysis investigating stop and search in the UK, during lockdowns

▼ **Bayesian Structural Time Series and Geographically Weighted Logistic Regression Modelling Impacts of COVID-19 Lockdowns on the Spatiotemporal Patterns of London's Crimes**

Deeper analysis investigating stop and search in London during lockdowns

▼ **The impact of COVID-19 lockdowns on crime demand and charge volumes in England and Wales**

Police report on the issue

Has very accurate dates for lockdown timings

Does Stop and Search Actually Work?

▼ **Does Stop and Search Deter Crime? Evidence From Ten Years of London-wide Data**

Basically stop and search had little effect on crime

Disproportionate Use of Force in the UK

▼ **Race and support for police use of force: findings from the UK**

This is looking at interactions between police and public...

The Objectives

- (1) to explore the influence of suspect race in how people respond to police use of force;
- (2) to test the interaction between participant ethnicity and suspect race;
- (3) to understand what attitudes and beliefs influence how people respond to police use of force.

▼ **Disproportionality in Misconduct Cases in the Metropolitan Police Service**

Internal review of officer misconduct

- Shows how BAME officers are negatively discriminated against

Notes:

- Crime rates went down during lockdowns

- stops and searches went up generally

- could this be a class problem?
 - ie richer areas less stopped and searched
 - ie could get away with breaking laws
 - over policing?