

Chicago Domestic Crimes During Pandemic

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INTRODUCTION AND DATA

-introduce your general research question and your data (where it came from, how it was collected, what are the cases, what are the variables, etc.). -Define what we mean by domestic violence

METHODOLOGY

-variables used to address your research question -useful visualizations or summary statistics -introduce and justify the statistical method(s) that you believe will be useful in answering your research question.

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## Rows: 231,002
## Columns: 21
## $ CASE. <chr> "JD163753", "JD212847", "JC497784", "JC459410...
## $ DATE..OF.OCCURRENCE <chr> "02/24/2020 08:15:00 PM", "04/10/2020 10:56:0...
## $ BLOCK <chr> "031XX W LEXINGTON ST", "005XX W 103RD ST", "...
## $ IUCR <chr> "1153", "0560", "0860", "0560", "0810", "0820...
## $ PRIMARY.DESCRPTION <chr> "DECEPTIVE PRACTICE", "ASSAULT", "THEFT", "AS...
## $ SECONDARY.DESCRPTION <chr> "FINANCIAL IDENTITY THEFT OVER $ 300", "SIMPL...
## $ LOCATION.DESCRPTION <chr> "", "RESIDENCE", "DEPARTMENT STORE", "SIDEWAL...
## $ ARREST <chr> "N", "N", "N", "N", "N", "N", "N", "N", "N", "N", ...
## $ DOMESTIC <chr> "N", "N", "N", "N", "N", "N", "N", "N", "N", "N", ...
## $ BEAT <int> 1134, 2232, 1924, 122, 123, 2433, 312, 914, 3...
## $ WARD <int> 24, 9, 44, 4, 25, 48, 20, 11, 5, 26, 27, 37, ...
## $ FBI.CD <chr> "11", "08A", "06", "08A", "06", "06", "08A", ...
## $ X.COORDINATE <int> NA, 1174583, NA, NA, NA, NA, 1180030, 1171590...
## $ Y.COORDINATE <int> NA, 1836593, NA, NA, NA, NA, 1862317, 1887793...
## $ LATITUDE <dbl> NA, 41.70700, NA, NA, NA, NA, 41.77747, 41.84...
## $ LONGITUDE <dbl> NA, -87.63629, NA, NA, NA, NA, -87.61556, -87...
## $ LOCATION <chr> "", "(41.707000821, -87.636288063)", "", "", ...
## $ MONTH <int> 2, 4, 11, 10, 5, 12, 5, 5, 4, 5, 4, 5, 5, 5, ...
## $ DAY <int> 24, 10, 3, 4, 24, 5, 7, 3, 28, 7, 25, 7, 7, 5...
## $ YEAR <int> 2020, 2020, 2019, 2019, 2020, 2019, 2020, 202...
## $ DATEINT <int> 202002, 202004, 201911, 201910, 202005, 20191...

## # A tibble: 430 x 2
##   SECONDARY.DESCRPTION      n
##   <chr>                   <int>
## 1 $500 AND UNDER          20888
## 2 ABUSE / NEGLECT - CARE FACILITY      5
## 3 ABUSE/NEGLECT: CARE FACILITY        10
## 4 AGG CRIM SEX ABUSE FAM MEMBER        78
## 5 AGG CRIMINAL SEXUAL ABUSE           63
## 6 AGG PO HANDS ETC SERIOUS INJ         8
## 7 AGG PO HANDS NO/MIN INJURY        593
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## 8 AGG PRO EMP HANDS SERIOUS INJ      16
## 9 AGG PRO.EMP: HANDGUN                26
## 10 AGG PRO.EMP: OTHER DANG WEAPON     85
## # ... with 420 more rows

## isbeforecovid      n
## 1      0 90305
## 2      1 140697

## isprelockdown      n
## 1      0 196383
## 2      1 34619

## islockdown         n
## 1      0 214160
## 2      1 16842

## isphase2           n
## 1      0 212424
## 2      1 18578

## isphase3           n
## 1      0 218280
## 2      1 12722

## isphase4           n
## 1      0 223458
## 2      1 7544

## isdomviolence      n
## 1      0 206105
## 2      1 24897

## [1] isdomviolence n
## <0 rows> (or 0-length row.names)

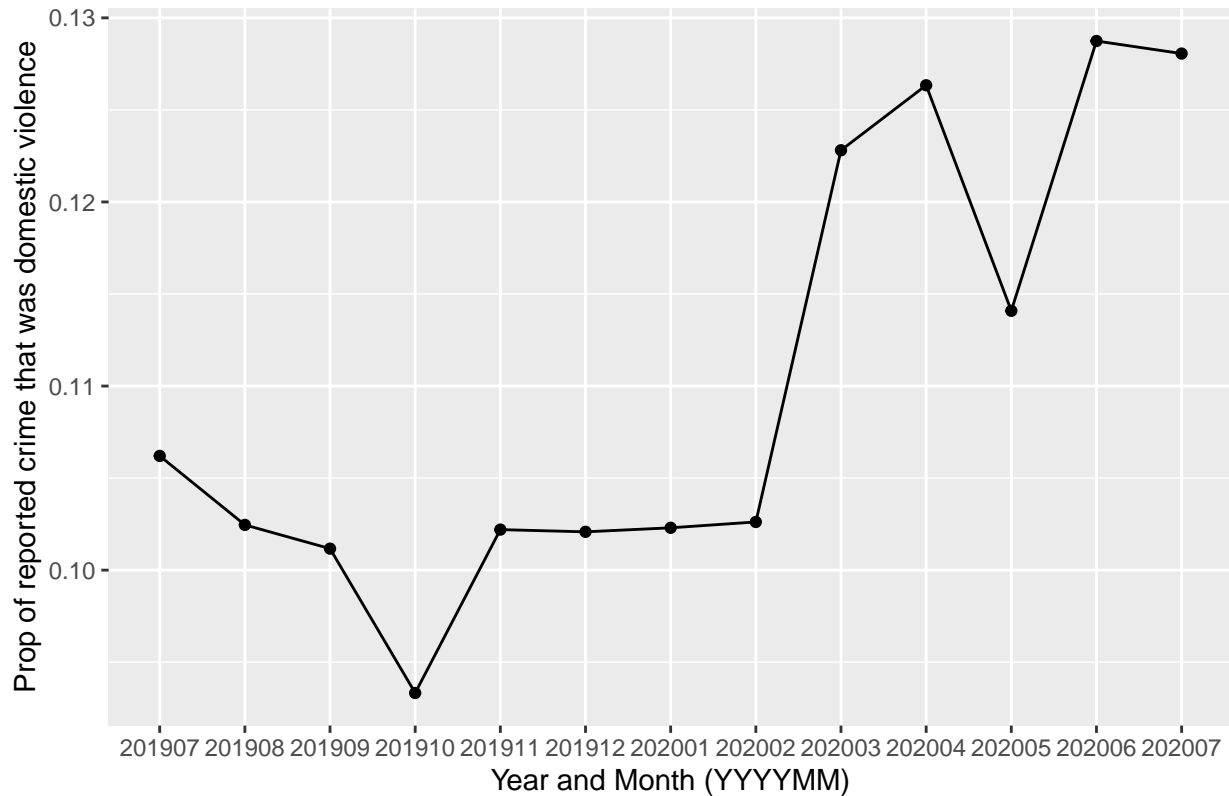
## isdomviolence      n
## 1      0 15502
## 2      1 1842

```

RESULTS

-Showcase how -Provide the main results from your analysis

Monthly domestic violence proportion seem to have shot up in March, whe



Chi-Square Test

```
##
##      lockdown    post    pre
## 0      31109  17599 157397
## 1       4311   2667  17919
##
## Pearson's Chi-squared test
##
## data:  table(domvio_mut$isdomviolence, domvio_mut$chisquare_indicators)
## X-squared = 247.63, df = 2, p-value < 2.2e-16
```

Since the data (Table 1) satisfies the independent sampling assumption and is large enough (i.e. each cell > 10), we will be performing a chi-square test at the $\alpha = 0.05$ significance level. We test the two hypotheses below:

H0 : The frequency of domestic violence cases in Chicago is unrelated to the phases of the pandemic. H1 : The frequency of domestic violence cases in Chicago is related to the phases of the pandemic.

Under the null hypothesis, our test statistic has a chi-square distribution with 2 degrees of freedom. We performed the test and obtained a chi-square value of 247.63, which corresponds to a p-value of < 0.001 . Thus, at an $\alpha = 0.05$ significance level, we reject the null hypothesis; there is sufficient evidence to suggest that the frequency of domestic violence cases in Chicago is related to the phases of the pandemic.

Step Down 2 Proportion Z-Tests Since the overall Chi-square test was significant, we stepped down to identify where the differences are. We conducted three 2 proportion z-tests. To account for multiple

comparisons, we will perform the Bonferroni correction and thus assess our results relative to the adjusted $\alpha = 0.05/3$ level.

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##
## 2-sample test for equality of proportions with continuity correction
##
## data:  c(4311, 2667) out of c(35420, 20266)
## X-squared = 11.411, df = 1, p-value = 0.0007303
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
## 95 percent confidence interval:
##  -0.01569439 -0.00408326
## sample estimates:
##      prop 1      prop 2
## 0.1217109 0.1315997

##
## 2-sample test for equality of proportions with continuity correction
##
## data:  c(2667, 17919) out of c(2667 + 17599, 17919 + 157397)
## X-squared = 166.3, df = 1, p-value < 2.2e-16
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
## 95 percent confidence interval:
##  0.024497 0.034283
## sample estimates:
##      prop 1      prop 2
## 0.1315997 0.1022097

##
## 2-sample test for equality of proportions with continuity correction
##
## data:  c(4311, 17919) out of c(35420, 17919 + 157397)
## X-squared = 118.55, df = 1, p-value < 2.2e-16
## alternative hypothesis: two.sided
## 95 percent confidence interval:
##  0.01579582 0.02320653
## sample estimates:
##      prop 1      prop 2
## 0.1217109 0.1022097

## [1] 0.01666667
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We found that all three pairwise difference in proportions are significant at the adjusted significance level.

Regression Analysis

DISCUSSION

-summary of what you have learned about your research question along -statistical arguments supporting your conclusions -critique your own methods and provide suggestions for improving your analysis (Issues pertaining to the reliability and validity of your data and appropriateness of the statistical analysis) -what you would do differently -what you would do next if you were going to continue work on the project