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## Predictive Policing Makes Impact



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**SOUTHEAST ALBUQUERQUE, N.M.** — Albuquerque Police have a new way of fighting crime.

Predictive policing allows them to use state of the art technology to stay one step ahead of the bad guys.

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APD's Southeast area command unit said it's seeing big results after using a sophisticated computer system to map and predict crime trends. The data is then used to help investigators determine where to put officers in order to stop crimes before they happen.

"Since it's come out from its inception, we get weekly data of overall areas in the city and specifically in the area command," said Commander Michael Geier.

And Geier said it's already proving its worth because it's stopped some burglaries and led to some arrests.