



## Lack Of Intelligence Has Resulted In Security Threats, Physical Harm

Physical threats are rising and increasingly unmanageable, putting unprecedented financial, reputational and liability pressures on business leadership and security teams, according to a new study, titled *2021 State of Protective Intelligence Report: A Mandate for Proactive Protective Intelligence in the Era of Exponential Physical Security Threats*.

The study, commissioned by the Ontic Center for Protective Intelligence, aimed to examine the perspectives of chief security officers, chief legal officers, chief compliance officers and physical security decision-makers on their physical security operations. The research objective, according to Ontic was to uncover “what keeps them up at night, challenges and opportunities they foresee in 2021, and the pressing need for physical security modernization through technology...”

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## Eyes On Minneapolis Public Safety Budget

The Mayor of Minneapolis is expected to approve a budget passed by the City Council that reduces the amount apportioned to the police department by \$8 million, but leaves the size of the force untouched, according to a report in the Minneapolis StarTribune.

The reduction will make room for other initiatives many feel are necessary in local police departments, including: mental health crisis teams, expansion of mental-health training for 911 operators and other programs that could reduce violence without police intervention...

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## Here's What Physical Security Leaders Are Prioritizing During Covid

Covid-19 has led to a focus on security efforts that will ensure the safety of people and facilities. But, with budgets tight, security leaders have to get creative.

A new survey from Genetec finds, for the majority of security professionals, the top three challenges during the pandemic are:

- Managing employee and visitor safety
- Dealing with physical security threats (e.g. vandalism, theft, break-ins, etc.)
- Remote management and securing of buildings

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#### **SPEAKER:**



**Nick Simon**

National Sales Manager  
Alvarado Turnstiles

From minimizing the opportunity for unauthorized access, to providing touchless entry and capacity control to meet current hygiene and social distancing requirements, this webinar explores how turnstiles can meet the access control needs of your facility in the "new normal" and beyond. Speaker Nick Simon from Alvarado Turnstiles will explain the benefits and performance features of speed gate and full height turnstiles, as they help to enhance safety and security in a wide variety of touchless applications, including corporate offices, healthcare facilities and distribution warehouses.

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