

Let us start with the definition of national police. The National Police of Ukraine is a central executive authority that serves the society by ensuring the protection of human rights and freedoms, combating crime, maintaining public order and public security. That is why the main topic of this report is the activity of the patrol police and the experience of other countries, which is embodied in our law enforcement system. The Patrol Police is a unit of the National Police of Ukraine, which carries out round-the-clock patrols of the streets and is the first to respond to calls at emergency number 102. The patrol service is the main unit of the National Police of Ukraine, which often cooperates with society and is the first to respond to the challenges of citizens, and deals with the security of human rights and freedoms. Such approach to the work of law enforcement was borrowed from European neighbour countries and US police. European countries are practicing Community Policing. This project destroys the wall between law enforcement and civilian populations. This cooperation positively affects the work of the police and facilitates human lives. Police in Ukraine also abandoned the punitive and repressive strategy and moved on to partnership relations with the society, which resulted in lower levels of controversy between the community and law enforcement and increased confidence to the police.

To conclude all mentioned above we should say, that the newly formed police and the main components of the unit have not yet been tested by the time, but now the patrol service shows incredible results of work. Community Policing is developing in our country at an incredible pace. Ten years ago, people could not even imagine that free and open cooperation with the police could be so beneficial for both parties. We should believe that our police will continue supporting people, and patrol police will continue being their first effective help in solving problems

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POLICE PATROL IN THE USA

General trends in the development of police personnel education systems are brought in line with the requirements of the times and changes in police activities. Police officers are trained in practicing patrols, traffic control, possession of firearms, personal security techniques, and rules of conduct in extreme situations. They must know methods, rules, instructions, and fully understand how to properly perform their work.

Patrol officers in the USA like law enforcement officers in other countries are responsible for monitoring the area. That means that they drive in a car or patrol on foot their beat with the purpose of spotting the problems. Their duties are to respond to calls, make arrests, deal with conflicts, take crime reports, conduct traffic enforcement, investigate traffic accidents, transport criminals and perform crime prevention measures.

A patrol officer is the first person to arrive at the scene of any incident. Further investigation depends greatly on his actions there. The patrol officer is in the beat every day, he may be close to potential crime and can give important information.

Due to foot patrols the level of crime in Philadelphia reduced. There were identified 'hot spots' – 60 locations with the highest violent crime corners in the city. Police commanders organized officers' patrol in pairs with two pairs assigned to each foot patrol. Statistics showed that in several months violent crime decreased. There were positive changes of police activities in the target areas in detection of drug-related incidents, pedestrian and vehicle stops, making arrests.

Law enforcement patrol officers not only enforce the laws but also communicate with the members of the community, visit schools and talk with the pupils about police job, drug or alcohol addiction, safe driving. In large cities the police chiefs meet business owners and talk with the residents.

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REFORMING THE PATROL POLICE IN UKRAINE. EXPERIENCE OF GEORGIA

The reforms that have been taking place in Ukraine for three years have started with the launch of the new patrol police and in a short time have already made it possible to improve the quality of the work of patrols. It should be mentioned that the functions of the ministries of internal affairs in the majority of foreign countries are much wider than those of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of Ukraine. At the beginning of the reform of the National Police in Ukraine, the government has selected the experience of Georgia as the basis for organizing activities in the field of internal security.

The reform of the Georgian and Ukrainian police forces is supported by similar international organizations and countries, such as the United