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Update 1:

My first update of the summer! So thrilled to be working at UChicago Law's Civil Rights and Police Accountability Clinic this summer. Along with direct services, we are working toward systemic change. Week 1: readings and meetings.

Update 2:

At our clinic, we are litigating multiple cases involving people coerced and abused by CPD into giving false confessions. Last week, my clinic partner and I worked on a memo analyzing our latest deposition.

Update 3:

We are compiling a 50-state survey of state court opinions and laws regarding standing to sure for injunction. The goal is to group states from lenient to stringent and evaluating to what extent each state conforms to the current federal standard.

Update 4:

On July 27, we testified at city council's public safety committee hearing in support of the Anjanette Young Ordinance: https://chicago.suntimes.com/city-hall/2021/7/27/22596467/chicago-police-search-warrants-policy-reforms-anjanette-young-city-council-black-female-aldermen.