



Countering terrorism through outreach

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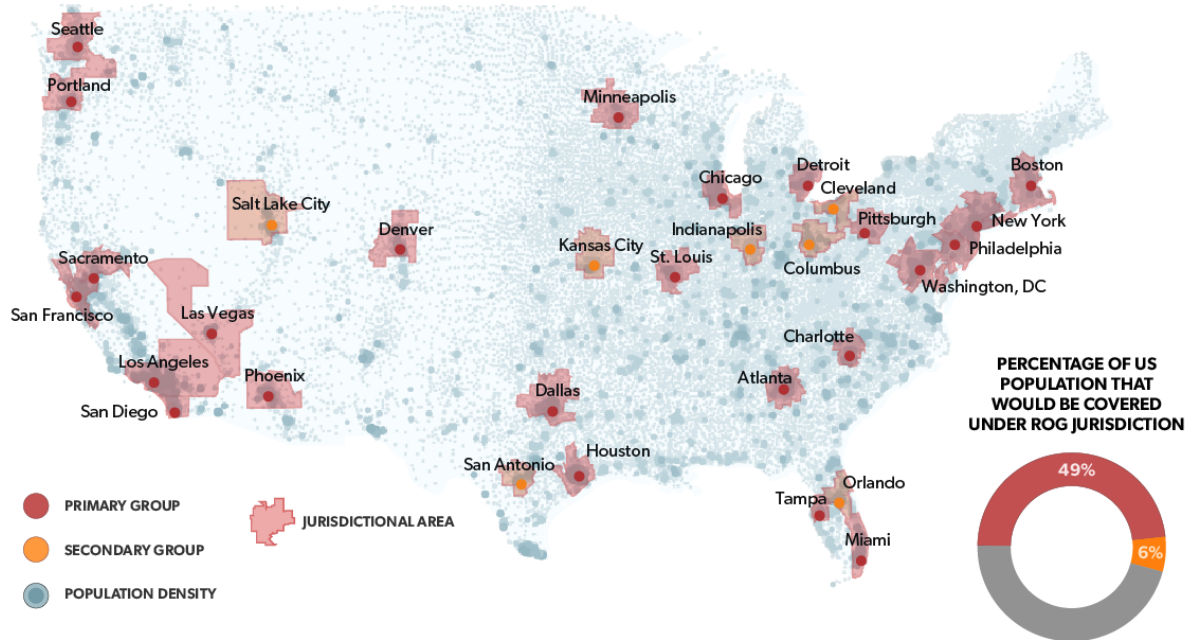
This infographic accompanies Matt Mayer's recent report, "[Create Regional Outreach Groups to Establish Connections and Build Trust](http://www.aei.org/publication/create-regional-outreach-groups-to-establish-connections-and-build-trust) (<http://www.aei.org/publication/create-regional-outreach-groups-to-establish-connections-and-build-trust>)."

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The primary group of 24 ROGs represents a consolidation of 28 urban areas already identified by the Department of Homeland Security as at high risk of terrorist attack. The author also presents an additional secondary group of seven ROGs, based on a population size greater than 2.3 million, that Congress could consider including in the program.

To learn more, read "Create Regional Outreach Groups to Establish Connections and Build Trust" by Matt A. Mayer.



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