Table S.1. Correlation Matrix of All Variables

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
(1) Propensity to Offend	1.00												
(2) Fear of Apprehension	30	1.00											
(3) Perceived Certainty	20	.37	1.00										
(4) Perceived Severity	18	.28	.20	1.00									
(5) Perceived Control	.13	19	32	14	1.00								
(6) Self-Control	33	.14	.13	.18	11	1.00							
(7) Prior Offending	.48	22	14	13	.15	29	1.00						
(8) Personal Arrest	.17	07	06	.02	.01	09	.27	1.00					
(9) Vicarious Arrest	.14	13	06	07	.03	09	.19	.10	1.00				
(10) Male	.08	15	13	03	.15	06	.12	.15	01	1.00			
(11) Age	01	.05	03	.16	.05	.13	02	.29	.07	.10	1.00		
(12) Hispanic	03	.00	.00	05	03	06	03	02	.09	.06	02	1.00	
(13) White	01	.05	.09	.08	03	.04	.05	.04	11	03	.00	75	1.00

	Outcome Measure				
	Perceived	Fear of	Fear of	Propensity to	
	Certainty	Apprehension	Apprehension	Offend	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	
Fear of Apprehension	_	—	—	155***	
				(.033)	
Perceived Certainty	_	—	.290***	058	
			(.034)	(.033)	
Perceived Control	256***	—	038	_	
	(.033)		(.033)		
Perceived Severity	.140***	_	.177***	034	
	(.032)		(.032)	(.031)	
Self-Control	.044	.057	.004	190***	
	(.034)	(.035)	(.033)	(.031)	
Prior Offending	082*	170***	126***	.414***	
	(.035)	(.037)	(.034)	(.033)	
Personal Arrest	052	078	109	.067	
	(.152)	(.159)	(.147)	(.139)	
Vicarious Arrest	016	191**	160*	.034	
	(.067)	(.070)	(.065)	(.062)	
Male	146*	282***	193**	013	
	(.066)	(.068)	(.064)	(.061)	
Age	013	.025	.020	.013	
	(.011)	(.012)	(.011)	(.011)	
Hispanic	.253**	.211*	.089	126	
	(.096)	(.100)	(.094)	(.089)	
White	.326***	.252*	.086	098	
	(.097)	(.101)	(.094)	(.089)	
Constant	.094	453	289	157	
	(.243)	(.252)	(.235)	(.223)	
R ²	0.16	0.09	0.23	0.34	

Table S.2. Standardized Scales Sensitivity: OLS Regressions Predicting Key Deterrence Factors (n = 829)

NOTES: The effects in the above table were computed in the same fashion as those presented in Table 3, but with the standardized scales used instead of the mean of the standardized items for all of the factors included in the models.

Predictors	Outcome	Direct Effect	SE	Indirect Effect	SE	Total Effect	SE
Fear of Apprehension \rightarrow	Propensity to Offend	155***	.033	_	_	155***	.033
Perceived Certainty $ ightarrow$	Propensity to Offend	058	.032	045***	.011	103**	.031
Perceived Control $ ightarrow$	Propensity to Offend	_	_	.032**	.010	.032**	.010
Perceived Severity $ ightarrow$	Propensity to Offend	034	.030	042***	.009	076**	.030
Perceived Certainty $ ightarrow$	Fear of Apprehension	.290***	.034	_	_	.290***	.034
Perceived Control $ ightarrow$	Fear of Apprehension	038	.033	074***	.013	113***	.033
Perceived Severity \rightarrow	Fear of Apprehension	.177***	.031	.041***	.010	.217***	.032

Table S.3. Standardized Scales Sensitivity: Direct, Indirect, and Total Effects from Path Analysis (n = 829)

NOTES: The effects in the above table were computed in the same fashion as those presented in Table 4, but with the standardized scales used instead of the mean of the standardized items for all of the factors included in the models.

	0	Moo	del	
	No Fear or Certainty	No Certainty	No Fear	All Predictors
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Fear of Apprehension	_	144***	_	131***
		(.026)		(.028)
Perceived Certainty	—	—	091**	046
			(.030)	(.031)
Perceived Severity	084**	046	069*	042
	(.029)	(.029)	(.029)	(.029)
Self-Control	195***	189***	188***	186***
	(.032)	(.031)	(.032)	(.031)
Prior Offending	.426***	.398***	.417***	.396***
	(.036)	(.035)	(.036)	(.035)
Personal Arrest	.106	.097	.106	.098
	(.093)	(.092)	(.093)	(.092)
Vicarious Arrest	.042	.023	.041	.024
	(.041)	(.040)	(.041)	(.040)
Male	.020	010	.006	014
	(.040)	(.040)	(.040)	(.040)
Age	.004	.005	.003	.005
	(.007)	(.007)	(.007)	(.007)
Hispanic	111	091	092	083
	(.059)	(.058)	(.059)	(.058)
White	092	071	068	061
	(.059)	(.058)	(.059)	(.058)
Constant	026	046	014	038
R ²	.2799	.3051	.2880	.3070

Table S.4. OLS Regressions Predicting Propensity to Offend (n=829)	
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NOTES: The above table depicts a stepwise regression predicting propensity to offend with the mean of the standardized items used for the factors. Specifically, perceived certainty and fear of apprehension are incrementally added/removed from the model to depict the independent effects and balance of the mediation.

	Means (or Pro	portions) and	Tests of Differences by Subsample		
	Standard Deviation	s for Subsamples			
	Arrested at Least	Never Arrested	Difference of	Test Statistic for	
	Once (n=44)	(n=785)	Means (or	Difference (t or z)	
			proportions)		
Propensity to Offend	.460	019	.479	3.34**	
	(.930)	(.613)			
Fear of Apprehension	234	.011	245	-1.75	
	(.900)	(.753)			
Perceived Severity	.062	010	.072	.55	
	(.843)	(.681)			
Perceived Certainty	148	.015	163	-1.66	
	(.628)	(.664)			
Perceived Control	.054	.005	.049	.404	
	(.776)	(.734)			
Prior Offending	.671	042	.713	4.60***	
	(1.010)	(.533)			
Self-Control	231	.014	244	-1.84	
	(.857)	(.623)			
Family Ever Arrested ^z	.841	.632	.209	2.82***	
	—	—			
Male ^z	.682	.367	.315	4.18***	
	—	—			
Age	23.318	19.543	3.776	3.58***	
	(6.894)	(2.375)			
Hispanic ^z	.386	.431	044	57	
	–	_			
White ^z	.523	.427	.096	1.25	
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Table S.5. Tests of Differences in Means for All Variables by Having a Prior Arrest

NOTES: All of the tests for difference of means were conducted with t-tests of difference of means for independent samples with separate variances while the tests of differences in proportions were conducted with the corresponding z-test of difference in proportions. Those variables with a Z subscript were binary variables that required a z-test of a difference in proportions instead of a t-test for a difference of means.

Variables in Correlation		Correlations for	Subsamples	Tests of Differences by Subsample		
Variable 1	Variable 2	Arrested at Least Once (n=44)	Never Arrested (n=785)	Difference of Correlations	Test Statistic for Difference (z)	
Propensity to Offend	Fear of Apprehension	40**	28***	12	-0.85	
Propensity to Offend	Perceived Certainty	08	20***	.12	0.76	
Propensity to Offend	Perceived Severity	42**	16***	26	-1.79	
Propensity to Offend	Perceived Control	02	.14***	16	-1.00	
Fear of Apprehension	Perceived Certainty	.29	.38***	09	-0.63	
Fear of Apprehension	Perceived Severity	.40**	.27***	.13	0.92	
Fear of Apprehension	Perceived Control	16	19***	.03	0.19	
Perceived Certainty	Perceived Severity	.14	.20***	06	-0.39	
Perceived Certainty	Perceived Control	61***	30***	31	-2.49*	
Perceived Severity	Perceived Control	02	15***	.13	0.82	

 Table S.6. Tests of Differences in Bivariate Correlations of Primary Measures by Having a Prior Arrest

NOTES: Each individual correlation is tested against zero with a t test, while all of the tests for difference of correlations were conducted with Fisher's z-test for independent samples.