

Firearm deaths of children and teens, by age, manner, and race/Hispanic origin, 2000

	<i>Under 1</i>	<i>1-4</i>	<i>5-9</i>	<i>10-14</i>	<i>15-19</i>	<i>Total under age 20</i>
All races	13	46	70	304	2,579	3,012
Accident	1	18	18	49	107	193
Suicide	0	0	0	110	897	1,007
Homicide	12	28	50	137	1,549	1,776
Unknown intent	0	0	2	8	26	36
White	6	28	50	224	1,454	1,762
Accident	1	11	11	41	76	140
Suicide	0	0	0	103	741	844
Homicide	5	17	39	75	617	753
Unknown intent	0	0	0	5	20	25
Black	7	13	18	72	1,039	1,149
Accident	0	5	5	7	28	45
Suicide	0	0	0	4	117	121
Homicide	7	8	11	58	888	972
Unknown intent	0	0	2	3	6	11
American Indian, Alaska Native	0	4	1	2	37	44
Accident	0	2	1	1	3	7
Suicide	0	0	0	1	20	21
Homicide	0	2	0	0	14	16
Unknown intent	0	0	0	0	0	0
Asian, Pacific Islander	0	1	1	6	49	57
Accident	0	0	1	0	0	1
Suicide	0	0	0	2	19	21
Homicide	0	1	0	4	30	35
Unknown intent	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hispanic*	1	7	10	44	506	568
Accident	0	2	2	4	12	20
Suicide	0	0	0	7	88	95
Homicide	1	5	8	33	399	446
Unknown intent	0	0	0	0	7	7

*Persons of Hispanic origin can be of any race.

Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Injury Control and Prevention, WISQARS, at <<http://www.cdc.gov/ncipc/wisqars>>, accessed December 2004.
Calculations by Children's Defense Fund.