Firearm deaths of children and teens, by age, manner, and race, 1987

| | Under 1 | 1-4 | 5-9 | 10-14 | 15-19 | Total under age 20 |
|--------------------------------|---------|-----|-----|-------|-------|-----------------------|
| | Under 1 | 1-4 | 5-9 | 10-14 | 15-19 | uge 20 |
| All races | 8 | 77 | 126 | 484 | 2,705 | 3,400 |
| Accident | 1 | 36 | 66 | 144 | 220 | 467 |
| Suicide | 0 | 0 | 1 | 151 | 1,129 | 1,281 |
| Homicide | 7 | 41 | 55 | 173 | 1,297 | 1,573 |
| Unknown intent | 0 | 0 | 4 | 16 | 59 | 79 |
| White | 7 | 48 | 92 | 361 | 1,691 | 2,199 |
| Accident | 1 | 24 | 51 | 123 | 171 | 370 |
| Suicide | 0 | 0 | 1 | 141 | 991 | 1,133 |
| Homicide | 6 | 24 | 38 | 83 | 479 | 630 |
| Unknown intent | 0 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 50 | 66 |
| Black | 1 | 25 | 30 | 108 | 953 | 1,117 |
| Accident | 0 | 9 | 13 | 18 | 46 | 86 |
| Suicide | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 107 | 114 |
| Homicide | 1 | 16 | 15 | 81 | 792 | 905 |
| Unknown intent | 0 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 8 | 12 |
| American Indian, Alaska Native | 0 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 19 | 28 |
| Accident | 0 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 8 |
| Suicide | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 16 |
| Homicide | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| Unknown intent | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 0 | 1 | 2 | 11 | 40 | 54 |
| Accident | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 3 |
| Suicide | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 16 | 17 |
| Homicide | 0 | 1 | 2 | 8 | 22 | 33 |
| Unknown intent | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |

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.