

## Firearm deaths of children and teens, by age, manner, and race/Hispanic origin, 1999

	<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>
<b>All races</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>335</b>	<b>2,877</b>	<b>3,365</b>
Accident	0	12	19	57	126	214
Suicide	0	0	0	103	975	1,078
Homicide	8	50	61	163	1,708	1,990
Unknown intent	0	3	0	12	68	83
<b>White</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>248</b>	<b>1,609</b>	<b>1,934</b>
Accident	0	5	9	48	88	150
Suicide	0	0	0	94	817	911
Homicide	4	26	32	95	662	819
Unknown intent	0	1	0	11	42	54
<b>Black</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>1,167</b>	<b>1,301</b>
Accident	0	7	9	8	36	60
Suicide	0	0	0	5	120	125
Homicide	2	18	23	59	991	1,093
Unknown intent	0	2	0	1	20	23
<b>American Indian, Alaska Native</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>57</b>
Accident	0	0	0	1	1	2
Suicide	0	0	0	1	25	26
Homicide	2	2	2	4	16	26
Unknown intent	0	0	0	0	3	3
<b>Asian, Pacific Islander</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>73</b>
Accident	0	0	1	0	1	2
Suicide	0	0	0	3	13	16
Homicide	0	4	4	5	39	52
Unknown intent	0	0	0	0	3	3
<b>Hispanic*</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>528</b>	<b>605</b>
Accident	0	0	0	3	15	18
Suicide	0	0	0	13	94	107
Homicide	2	5	11	41	410	469
Unknown intent	0	1	0	1	9	11

\*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.  
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