

Brady Campaign



To Prevent Gun Violence

SENSIBLE GUN LAWS SAVE LIVES

THERE ARE TOO MANY VICTIMS OF GUN VIOLENCE

As a nation, we are better than this

IN ONE YEAR ON AVERAGE* (all ages)

➔ **More than 100,000 people in America** are shot in murders, assaults, suicides & suicide attempts, accidents, or by police intervention.

31,537 people die from gun violence:

- ✓ 11,583 people are murdered.
- ✓ 18,783 people kill themselves.
- ✓ 584 people are killed accidentally.
- ✓ 334 are killed by police intervention.
- ✓ 252 die but intent is not known.

71,386 people survive gun injuries:

- ✓ 51,249 people are injured in an attack.
- ✓ 3,627 people survive a suicide attempt.
- ✓ 15,815 people are shot accidentally.
- ✓ 694 people are shot by police intervention.

IN ONE YEAR ON AVERAGE* (ages 0-19)

➔ **More than 18,000 American children and teens** are shot in murders, assaults, suicides & suicide attempts, accidents, or by police intervention.

2,829 kids die from gun violence:

- ✓ 1,888 children and teens are murdered.
- ✓ 766 children and teens kill themselves.
- ✓ 124 children and teens killed accidentally.
- ✓ 18 are killed by police intervention.
- ✓ 34 die but the intent was unknown.

15,428 kids survive gun injuries:

- ✓ 11,929 are injured in an attack.
- ✓ 254 survive a suicide attempt.**
- ✓ 3,164 are shot accidentally.
- ✓ 81 are shot in a police intervention.**

EVERY DAY ON AVERAGE* (all ages)

➔ **Every day, 282 people in America** are shot in murders, assaults, suicides & suicide attempts, accidents, and police intervention.

➔ Every day, **86 people die** from gun violence: 32 are murdered; 51 kill themselves; 2 die accidentally; 1, intent unknown.

➔ Every day, **196 are shot and survive**: 140 shot in an assault; 10 survive a suicide attempt; 43 are shot accidentally, 2 are shot in a police intervention.

EVERY DAY ON AVERAGE* (ages 0-19)

➔ Every day, **50 children and teens** are shot in murders, assaults, suicides & suicide attempts, accidents, and police intervention.

➔ Every day, **8 children and teens die** from gun violence: 5 are murdered; 2 kill themselves.

➔ Every day, **42 children and teens are shot and survive**: 33 shot in an assault; 1 survives a suicide attempt; 9 are shot accidentally.

** The Brady Campaign averaged the most recent three years of data from death certificates (2008-2010) and estimates of emergency room admissions (2009-2011) available via CDC's National Center for Injury Prevention and Control's Web-based Injury Statistics Query and Reporting System, www.cdc.gov/ncipc/wisqars/. Data retrieved 12/28/12. Numbers may not sum to 100% because of rounding. **Estimate may be unstable.*