

# GUN SAFETY

## What Can You Do?

Mine too! OK.

Whenever my kids go to friends' homes to play, I ask if there are any guns in the home.

Yes, we do have a gun.

Thank you for letting me know. Kids are curious and sometimes get into places they shouldn't. I just wanted to ask how your guns are stored?

We put the gun in a safe and lock up the ammo separately.

Thanks very much. I'll have Jimmy there at 3 p.m. See you then.

## SAFE GUN STORAGE

- Always lock and store guns and ammunition separately and out of reach of children.
- Never leave an unlocked gun out of your sight even for a second.

Visit [healthychildren.org](https://www.healthychildren.org) and search for play date safety tips.

## TALKING TO FRIENDS, FAMILY AND CHILDREN

- Teach your children and teens to walk away and tell an adult immediately if they come across a gun.
- Always ask about guns and safe gun storage before sending your children on play dates or to visit friends' homes.

 **#1** cause  
of death  
for children & teens

Gun-related injuries are the #1 leading cause of death for children and teens

 **1 in 3**  
households

Approximately 1 in 3 households in the U.S. have firearms

**8**   
children & teens

Each day in the US, 8 children/teens are killed or injured by improperly stored gun

**CALIFORNIANS ARE  
REQUIRED BY LAW TO  
STORE GUNS SAFELY.**

For more information on gun safety and how to keep your kids and teens safe, scan the QR code

