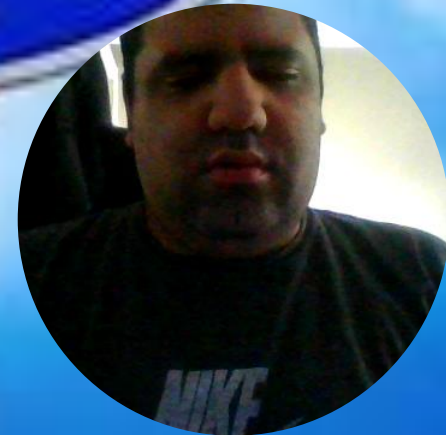


# Active Shooter Safety

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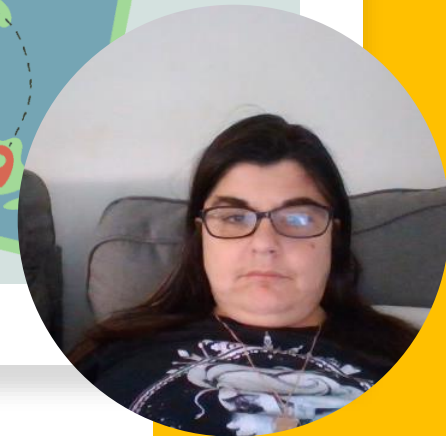
A photograph of Gabby Giffords and a man sitting on a couch. Gabby is on the left, wearing glasses and a blue top, smiling. The man is on the right, bald, wearing a dark shirt, also smiling. The background is a blurred indoor setting.

**GABBY GIFFORDS**  
**WON'T BACK DOWN**  
OFFICIAL TRAILER

# Active Shooter Situations

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- Active Shooter Situations can happen any time
- Active Shooter situations can happen at any place
- That's why it's important to be prepared.





# ACTIVE SHOOTER RESPONSE

LEARN HOW TO SURVIVE A SHOOTING EVENT



**RUN**



**HIDE**



**FIGHT**

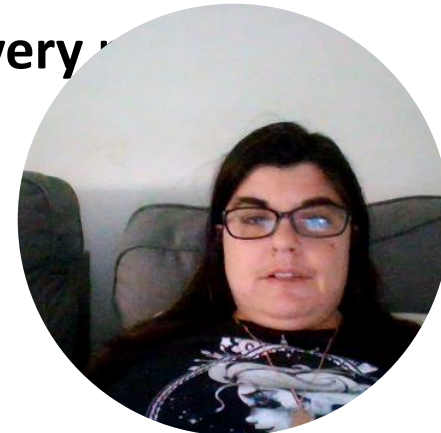
**CALL 911 ONLY WHEN IT'S SAFE TO DO SO**





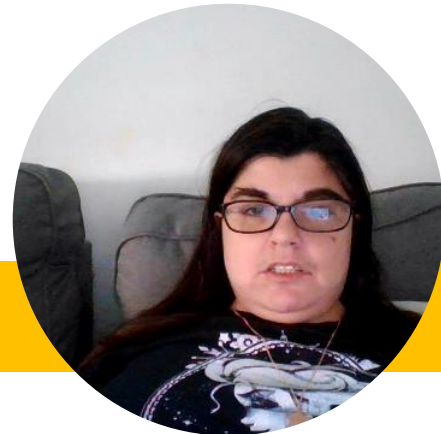
# Run

- Run only if there is a safe exit path available
  - Don't hesitate!
  - Leave your belongings behind
  - Help others escape, if possible.
  - Evacuate regardless of others.
  - Warn/prevent other individuals from entering.
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- **Always know where the exits are in every room you go!**



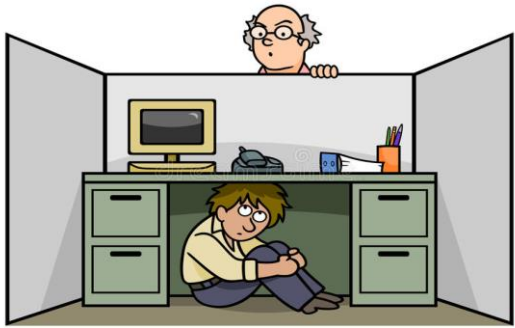
# Run- Part Two

- Don't attempt to move injured people
- **Keep your hands where the police can see them**
- Do what the police tell you to do
- Call 911 when its safe to do so



# Emergency Preparedness!

- In a Shooting Hide, close your door, stay away from windows, barricade your door with furniture if you can!



**HOW TO BARRICADE A DOOR**

**OUTWARD-OPENING DOORS**

**1:** USE a rope, power cord, or belt to tie the doorknob to a nearby heavy object.

**2:** TAPE a broom handle perpendicular to the door frame, tying the handle to the doorknob to hold the door shut.

**3:** IF applicable, secure a belt around the top of the door hinge.

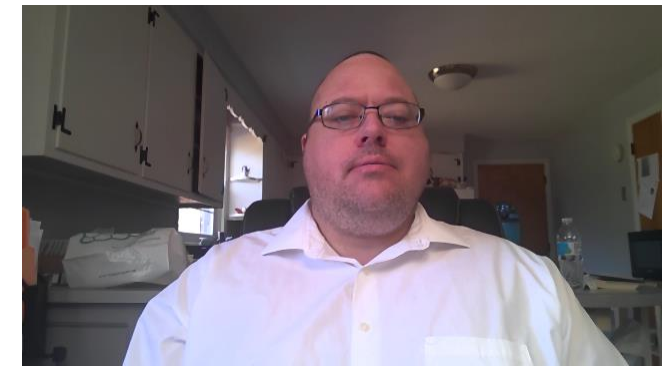
**4:** PILE heavy objects/furniture in the doorway to create obstacles if an attacker gets the door open.

**INWARD-OPENING DOORS**

**1:** WEDGE a chair under the doorknob or drive a doorstop into the space of the door frame.

**2:** BLOCK the door with any heavy objects/furniture available.

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# HIDE- PART TWO



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Shhhhhh





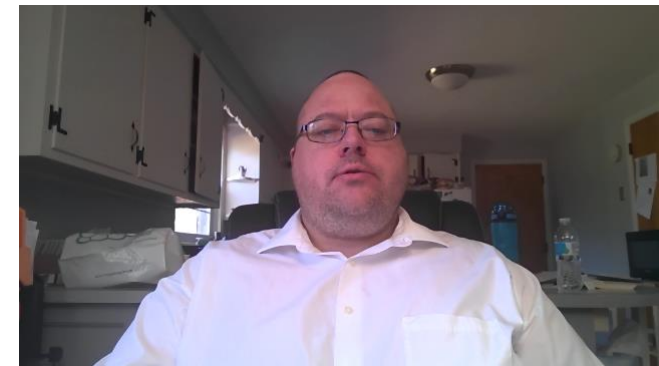
# Calling 911

- Only call 911 if it safe to do so!!! You don't want the shooter to hear you.
- Call even if you think others have also called.
- Tell the 911 operator:
  - Where the shooter is
  - How many shooters are there?
  - What does the shooter look like?
  - What kind of gun are they using?
  - Number of potential victims.



# Emergency Preparedness!

- In a shooting you want to Fight this means to take action for your survival!



# The Police

- What Should You Do When Police Come?



# The Police's Job



The police's first goal is to eliminate the threat: arrest or kill the shooter.

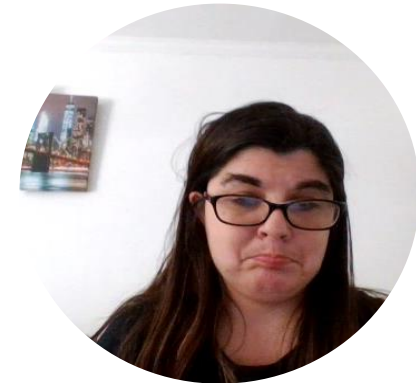






# Things That Law Enforcement Might Do

- Law Enforcement might:
  - Wear bulletproof vests, helmets, and other equipment.
  - Be armed with rifles, shotguns, and/or handguns.
  - Use pepper spray.
  - Shout commands.
  - Push individuals to the ground for their safety.

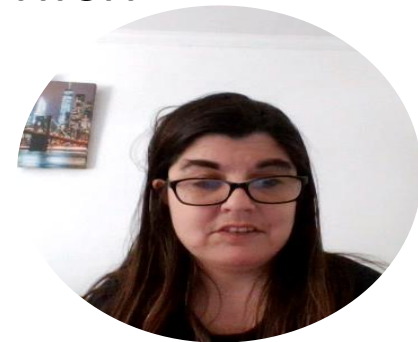




# Reacting To Law Enforcement



- Remain calm.
- Put down any items.
- Raise hands and spread fingers.
- Avoid quick movements.
- Avoid pointing, screaming, or yelling.
- Proceed in direction from which officers are entering







# Know The Warning Signs Of A Potential Shooter





# What to do if you see these warning signs

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1. Take warning signs seriously!!! Act immediately
2. Speak up! Say something to a trusted person or call 911
3. If you see something, always say something!!



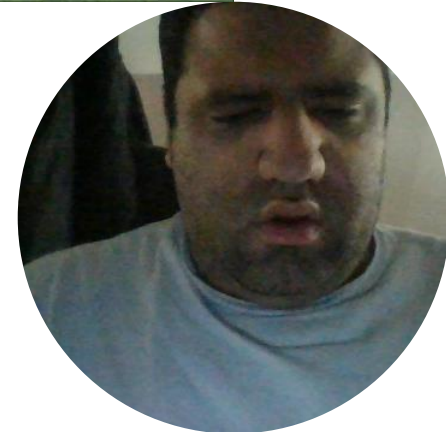
# Gun Violence

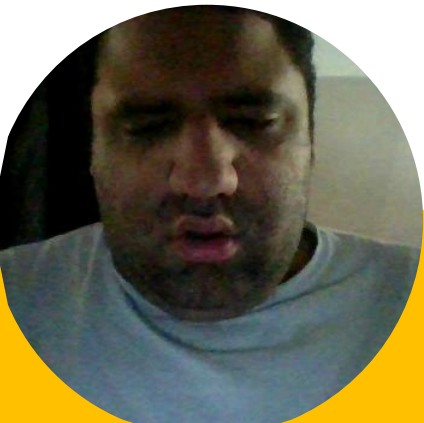
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- As of May 1, at least 13,959 people have died from gun violence in the U.S. this year,
- We need to be the voice of change to ensure that these tragedies do not keep repeating.



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- The science is abundantly clear: More guns do not stop crime. Guns kill more children each year than auto accidents. More children die by gunfire in a year than on-duty police officers and active military members. Guns are a public health crisis, just like COVID, and in this, we are failing our children, over and over again.





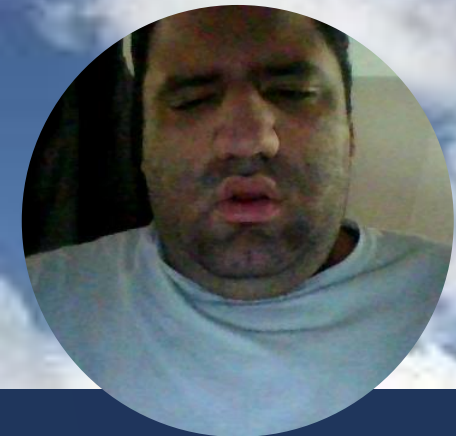
- What research we have is clear and grim. For example, in 2017, [guns overtook 60 years of cars](#) as the biggest injury-based killer of children and young adults (ages one to 24) in the U.S. By 2020, about eight in every 100,000 people died of car crashes. About 10 in every 100,000 people died of gun injuries.





**SAFETY  
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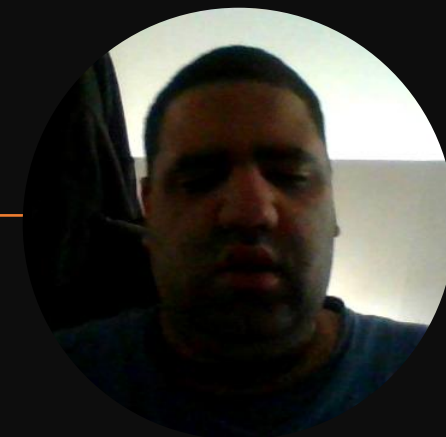
- A study comparing gun deaths the U.S. to other high-income countries in Europe and Asia tells us that [our homicide rate](#) in teens and young adults is 49 times higher. Our firearm suicide rate is eight times higher. The U.S. has more guns than any of the countries in the comparison.





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- We need to become the kind of country that says the lives of children are more valuable than the right to weapons that have killed them, time and again. Since Columbine. Since Sandy Hook. Since always.

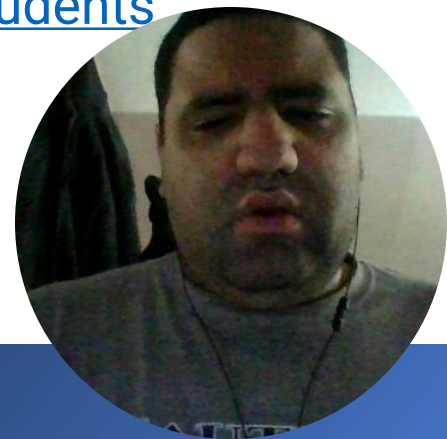
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- Are some youth at even higher risk? [Current evidence](#) suggests that youth who have been bullied by their peers, traditionally (e.g., verbal, physical) and through cyber media (e.g., email, SMS, social media) may be especially vulnerable to gun violence. We know that [bullied students tend to carry guns more frequently than nonbullied students](#)





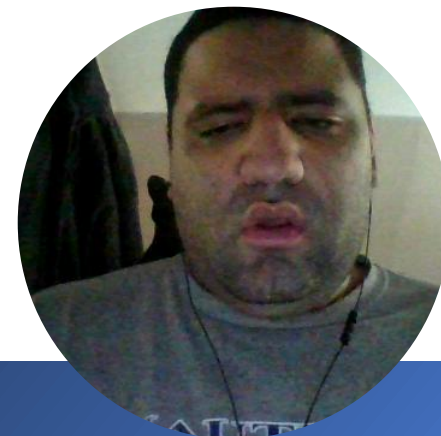
- Of the 10,704 students included in this study, about 4 percent (446 students) said they could get access to a loaded gun without adult permission. This number is startlingly high, and should be of great concern given the frequency of school shootings in the U.S. It becomes even more concerning when we compare students' self-reported experience of being bullied.







- Overall, bullied youth, particularly those who report both traditional and cyberbullying, were significantly more likely to also report access to a loaded gun without adult permission.



# What Are The Solutions to gun violence?

- Background checks on all gun sales
- Extreme risk laws: Extreme Risk laws, sometimes referred to as “Red Flag” laws, allow loved ones or law enforcement to intervene by petitioning a court for an order to temporarily prevent someone in crisis from accessing guns.
- People with dangerous histories must be prohibited from having guns.
- Assault weapons are exceptionally deadly firearms commonplace in mass shootings. They are generally capable of firing far more bullets, far faster than manual-action hunting rifles. Prohibiting assault weapons can prevent mass shooting injuries and deaths.



**EVERYTO**  
**FOR GUN SAFE**



# Solutions Continued

- **Prohibit High-Capacity Magazines:** A gun magazine is the rectangular piece that holds shells for feeding into the firearm's chamber. High-capacity ammunition magazines, commonly defined as those capable of holding more than 10-rounds, make shootings more deadly. The more rounds a shooter can fire without reloading, the more wounds they can inflict.
- **Disarm Hate:** Guns and hate are a fatal combination. In an average year, more than 10,300 hate crimes in the United States involve a firearm—more than 28 each day. In most of the US, some people convicted of hate crimes can still legally buy and have guns.







**MAKE THE  
PROMISE**





**IN MEMORY**

 Alyssa Alhadeff	 Scott Beigel	 Martin Duque	 Nicholas Dworet	 Aaron Feis	 Jaime Guttenberg
 Chris Hixon	 Luke Hoyer	 Cara Loughran	 Gina Montalto	 Joaquin Oliver	 Alaina Petty
 Meadow Pollack	 Helena Ramsay	 Alex Schachter	 Carmen Schentrup	 Peter Wang	

**ALLEN SHOOTING VICTIMS**

 Christian LaCour	 Aishwarya Thatikonda	 Daniela Mendoza	 Sofia Mendoza	 Kyu Cho	 Cindy Cho	 James Cho	 Elio Cumana-Rivas
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