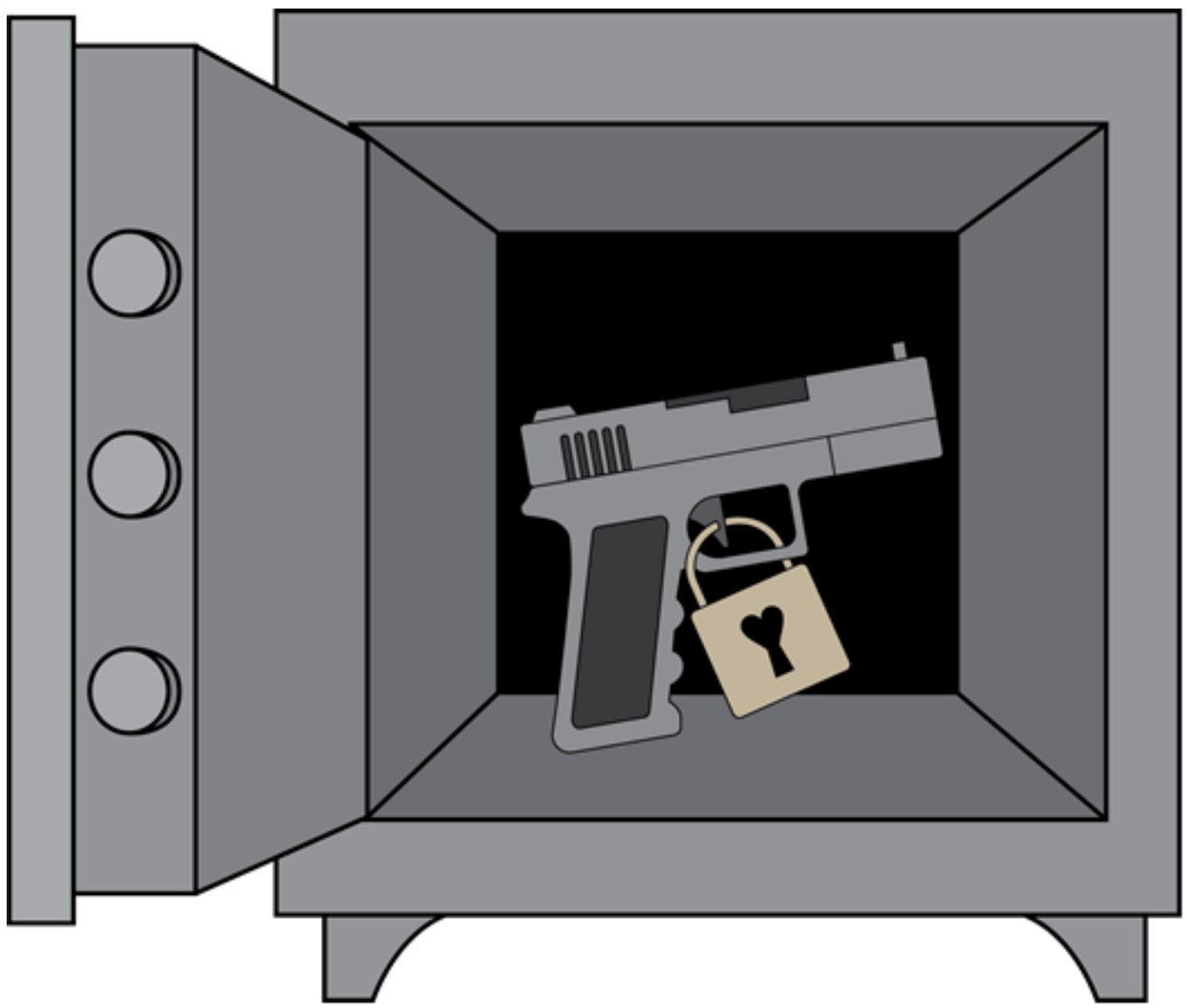


# Safe Gun Storage



Safe gun storage can **prevent** at least **half** of child deaths due to guns.

- Children as young as 2 can pull the trigger of a gun.
- Storing your firearm safely can keep a child from accidentally firing the weapon, causing injury or death.
- Teens and young adults are more likely to use guns from their homes in homicides and suicides.

**Gun locks help prevent children from using guns during critical moments**

**4.6 Million**

Children live in homes with **unlocked guns**

**ALWAYS** keep guns secured by using a safe or a trigger lock.

**NEVER** leave a gun unsecured in a car. More than half of stolen guns are taken from cars.

**ALWAYS**  
Keep ammunition locked separately from your locked gun

**350**  
**Children**  
under 18 are shot **not on purpose** each year