

GET INVOLVED

Join us as we work alongside residents, youth, families, and community partners to help promote safety, awareness, and support throughout Detroit neighborhoods.

All community members welcome!!

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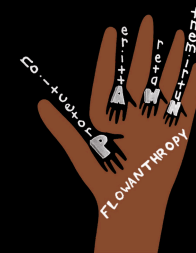
WHAT'S INSIDE

- Gun safety education
- Detroit-specific facts
- Resources for parents
- Ways the community can protect youth
- A message of hope and action

GUN SAFETY & VIOLENCE PREVENTION

COMMUNITY GUIDE

Presented by Flowanthropy, a Detroit-based 501(c)(3) committed to Protection, Prevention, and Community Safety.



Detroit Strong

Understanding Gun Violence

Did You Know?

- Detroit recorded its lowest homicide totals in decades in 2024.
- Community violence intervention efforts continue helping reduce shootings.
- Many firearm injuries involving children occur when unsecured firearms are accessible.

Detroit By The Numbers

According to the City of Detroit:

- Detroit recorded 203 homicides in 2024, the lowest number since 1965.
- Non-fatal shootings dropped to 606 incidents, a 25% decrease from the previous year.
- Homicides declined by 19% from 2023 to 2024.

<https://www.clickondetroit.com/news/local/2026/01/08/detroit-violent-crime-drops-to-lowest-level-in-decades-homicides-fall-below-200-for-first-time-since-1965/>

Protection for Our Youth

In Michigan, an average of 95 children and teens die from gun-related injuries each year, and more than half of those deaths are homicides.

We want our children of Detroit to know that your future matters!

Choose:

Peace over retaliation

Dialogue over violence

Community over conflict

Hope over despair

We believe Protecting our youth is not solely the responsibility of parents, schools, or law enforcement. It is the responsibility of an entire community. Every conversation, every act of mentorship, every opportunity provided, and every life encouraged helps build a safer Detroit!!

Resources

Michigan Secure Storage Information:

<https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/safety-injury-prev/firearm-injury-prevention/firearm-safety>

Michigan Safe Storage Law Information:

<https://www.michigan.gov/mdhhs/safety-injury-prev/firearm-injury-prevention/firearm-safety>

Remember: If you see something, say something. Your awareness can save lives.

CRISIS HOTLINES

988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline: 988

Crisis Text Line: Text HOME to 741741

National DV Hotline: 1-800-799-7233