

Firearm Fatality Trends 2019

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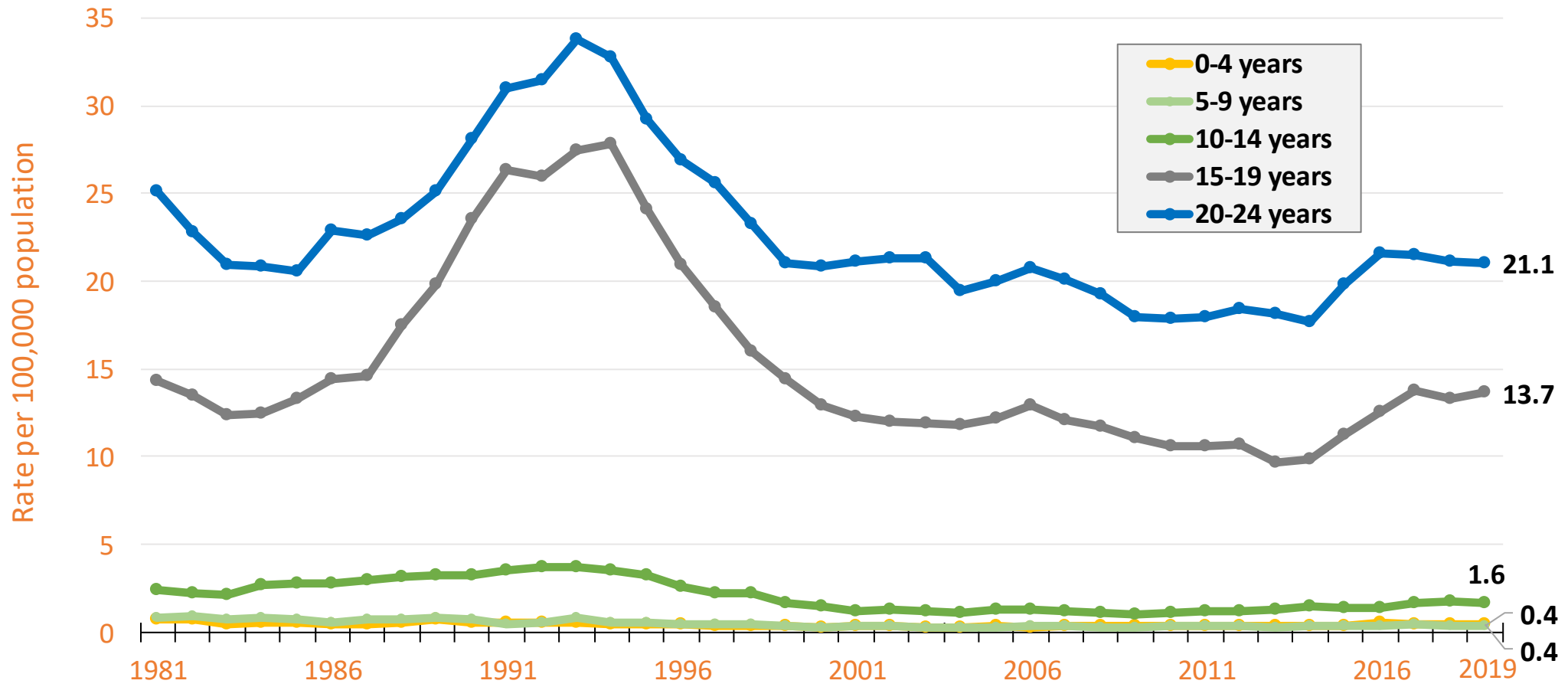
The CDC has posted the 2019 WISQARS injury fatality data.

- From WISQARS we have updated our prior trend slides now through 2019 for youth firearm fatality data and produced the following trend charts, by age group, gender, and race/ethnicity.

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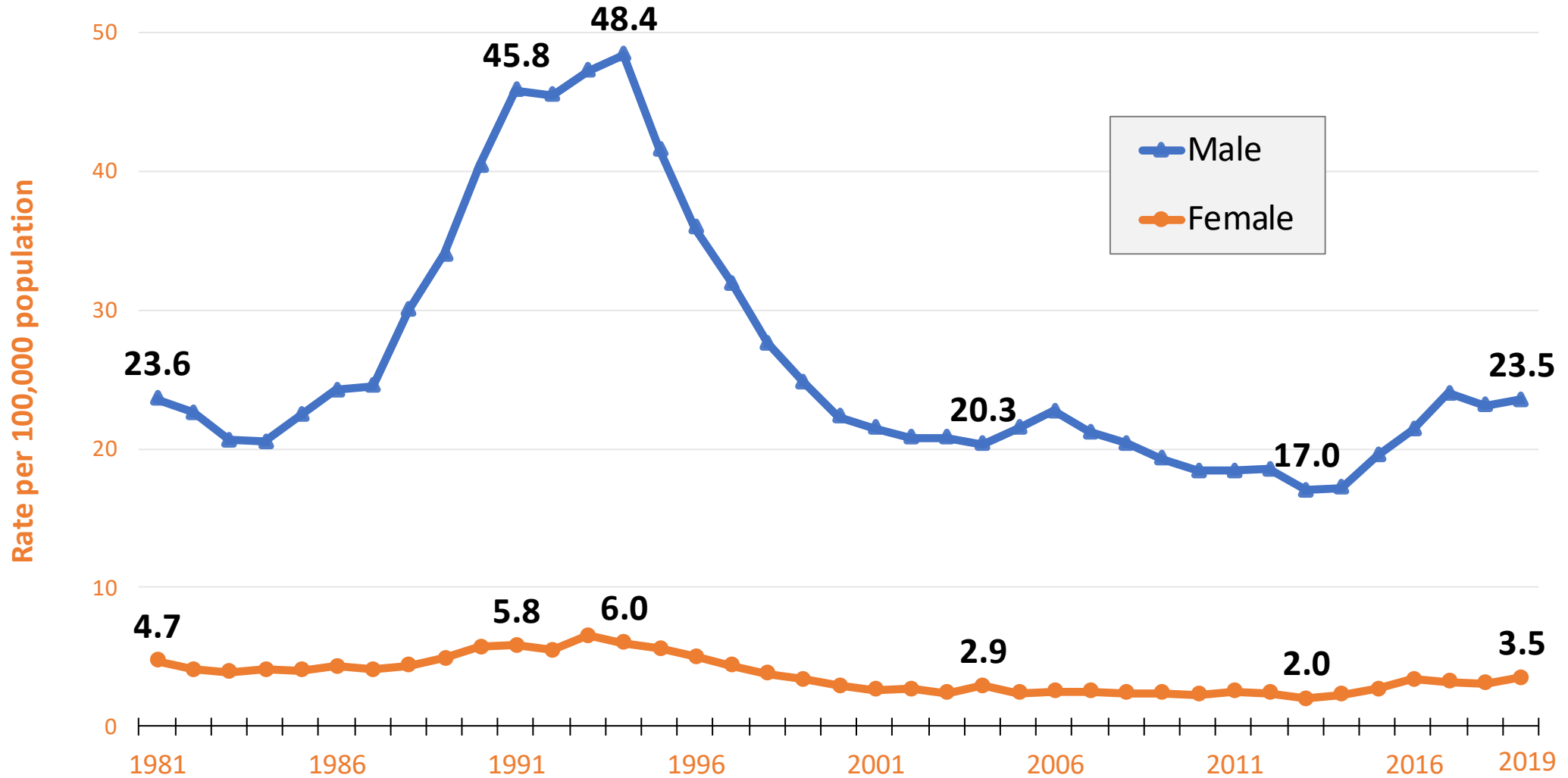
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US Child, Teenage, and Young Adult Firearm-Related Deaths by Age Group, 1981-2019



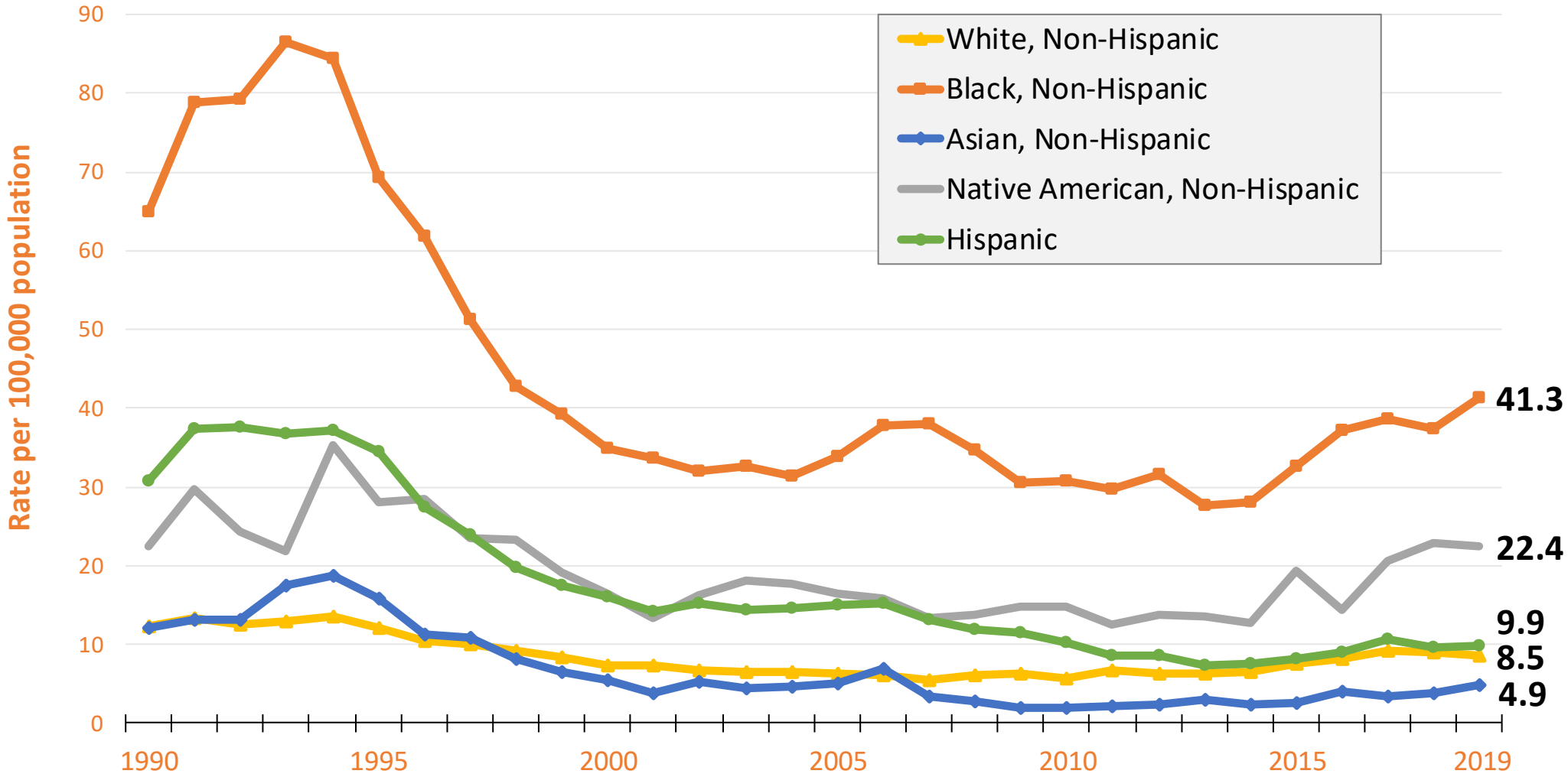
In 2019: 7,947 total firearm deaths (ages 0-24)

US Teenage (Ages 15-19) Firearm-Related Deaths by Gender, 1981-2019



Source: AAP analysis of CDC/National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, WISQARS fatal injury reports (<https://webappa.cdc.gov/sasweb/ncipc/mortrate.html>)

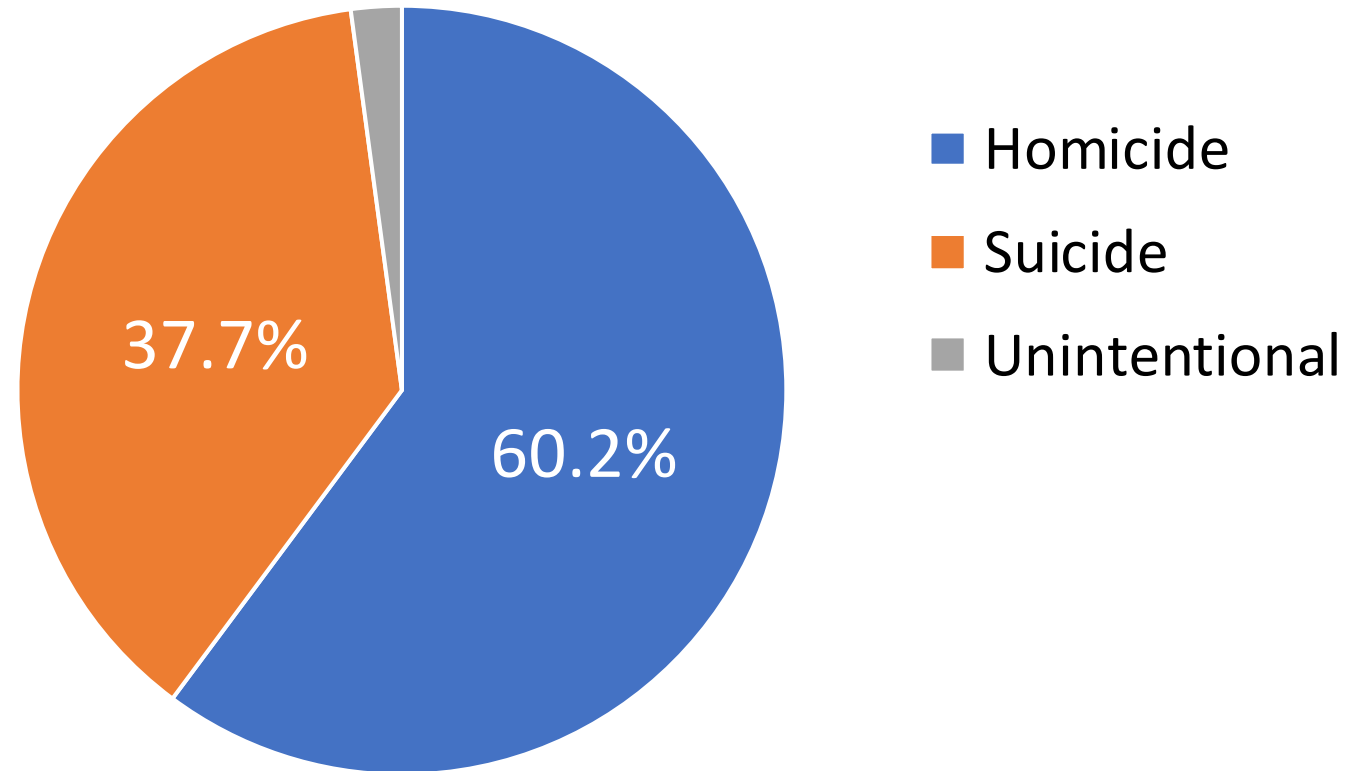
US Teenage (Ages 15-19) Firearm-Related Deaths by Race/Ethnicity, 1990-2019



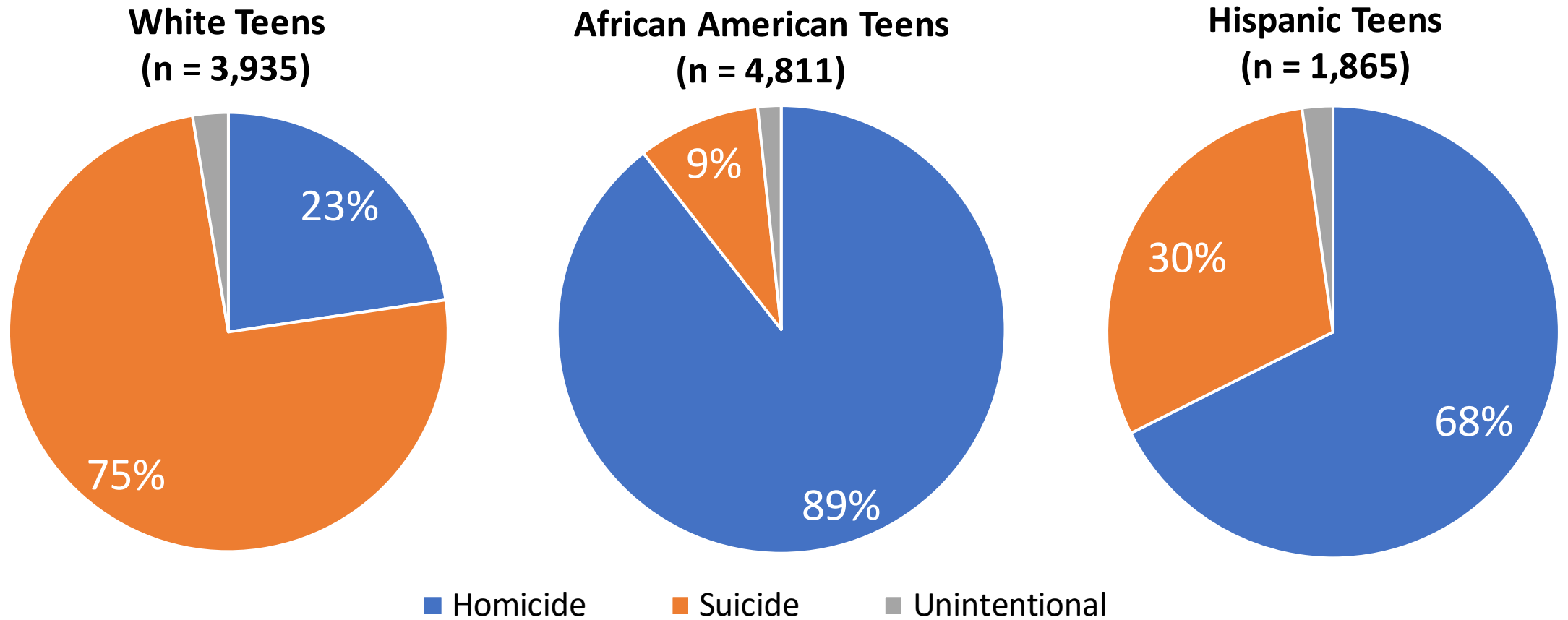
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Intent of Firearm Deaths Among US Teenagers (Ages 15-19), 2016-19

N = 10,489 (known intent only)



Intent of Firearm Deaths Among US Teenagers (Ages 15-19) by Race/Ethnicity, 2016-19



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