Firearms Injury Prevention

• 2019 state legislative cycle
  • 23 states and DC signed 70 gun safety bills into law
    • 4 states enacted or strengthened background check laws (NM, NV, NY, WA)
    • 4 states strengthened child access prevention laws (CA, CT, NV, NY)
    • 6 states enacted laws prohibiting gun access by domestic abusers (AR, CA, LA, NM, OR, WA)
    • 7 states and DC enacted or strengthened ERPO laws (CA, CO, DC, HI, IN, NV, NY, WA)
  • 27 states defeated bills that would weaken gun laws
  • States invested a record amount of funding for violence intervention and prevention programs - $132m
• 3 ACP Chapters (CO, LA, and FL) participated in rallies coordinated by Giffords on federal funding for gun violence research.
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