Firearm-Related Injury and Death in the United States: A Call to Action From Over 50 Supportive Organizations and the American Bar Association

Joint position paper from ACP, other professional organizations and the American Bar Association calling for policies to help mitigate the rate of firearms injuries and deaths in the United States.


Organizations Endorsing Joint Firearms Paper – as of 9/15/15

Note: Leaders of the organizations in bold font were authors of the original paper

1. Alliance for Academic Internal Medicine
2. American Academy of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry
3. American Academy of Family Physicians
4. American Academy of Neurology
5. American Academy of Otolaryngology – Head and Neck Surgery
6. American Academy of Pediatrics
7. American Academy of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation
8. American Bar Association
9. American College of Chest Physicians
10. American College of Emergency Physicians
11. American College of Medical Genetics and Genomics
12. American College of Nurse-Midwives
13. American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists
14. American College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine
15. American College of Physicians
16. American College of Preventive Medicine
17. American College of Surgeons
18. American Geriatrics Society
19. American Medical Student Association
20. American Medical Women’s Association
21. American Psychiatric Association
22. American Psychological Association
23. American Public Health Association
24. American Society for Clinical Pathology
25. American Society of Hematology
26. American Thoracic Society
27. Association of Chiefs and Leaders of General Internal Medicine
28. Brady Campaign and Center to Prevent Gun Violence
29. CeaseFirePA
30. Children’s Defense Fund
31. Council of Medical Specialty Societies
32. Doctors for America
33. Institute for Patient- and Family-Centered Care
34. Law Center to Prevent Gun Violence
35. National Association of Pediatric Nurse Practitioners
36. National Association of Social Workers
37. National Board of Medical Examiners
38. National Coalition Against Domestic Violence
39. National Medical Association
40. National Partnership for Women and Families
41. National Physicians Alliance
42. National Urban League
43. Newtown Action Alliance
44. Patient-Centered Primary Care Collaborative
45. Physicians for Social Responsibility
46. Prevention Institute
47. Sandy Hook Promise
48. Society for Adolescent Health and Medicine
49. Society of Critical Care Medicine
50. Society of General Internal Medicine
51. Society of Thoracic Surgeons
52. Violence Policy Center