

S. 173/H.R. 660: Ethan's Law

What will the law do?

- Safe & Secure Storage of Firearms
- Penalties for Violations
- Incentives for States to adopt similar laws
- Civil justice for injured persons

Sponsors:

- Senator Richard Blumenthal (CT)
- Rep. Rosa DeLauro (CT-3)

Take Action:

[Mercy Action Alert](#) including holdout [senators](#) (12) & [reps](#) (3)

Why is it important?

- Firearms are the leading cause of death of children and teens.
- 8 children a day are injured or killed by unsecured guns.
- Increased risk of homicide and suicide
- 76% of school shooters access guns from family members
- Statistics taken from [Newtown Action Alliance: Ethan's Law pdf](#)

For statistics and more information:

[White House Executive Actions](#) 1/25/24

[DOJ guide to safe storage](#)

[Newtown Action Alliance: Ethan's Law pdf](#)

[Brady: End Family Fire campaign](#)

[Brady: 5 Year Gun Deaths and Injuries Stats Jan 2021](#)

