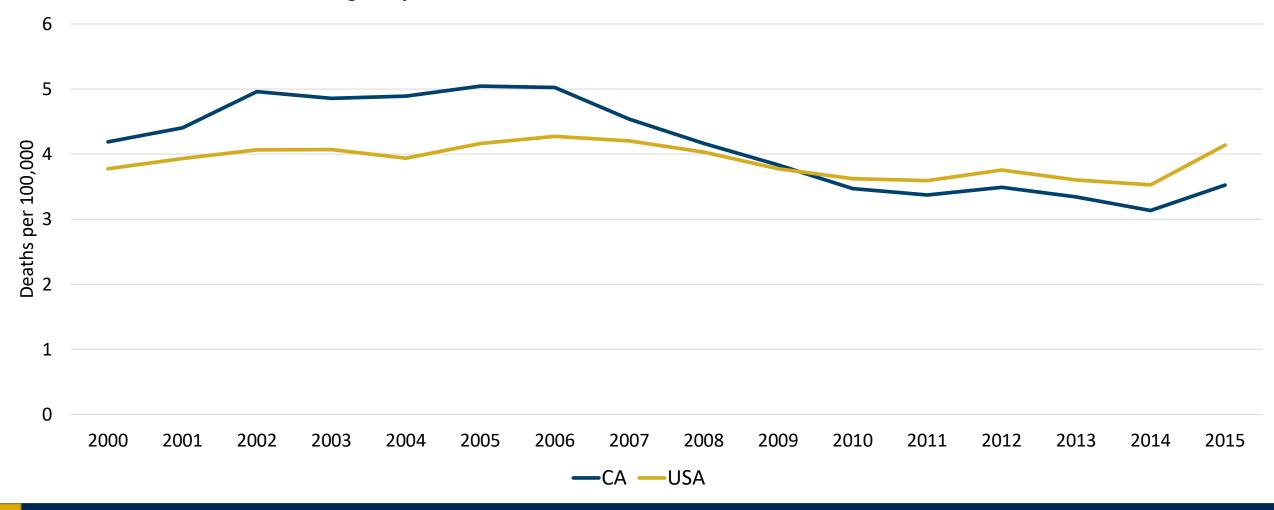
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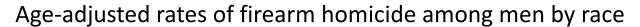
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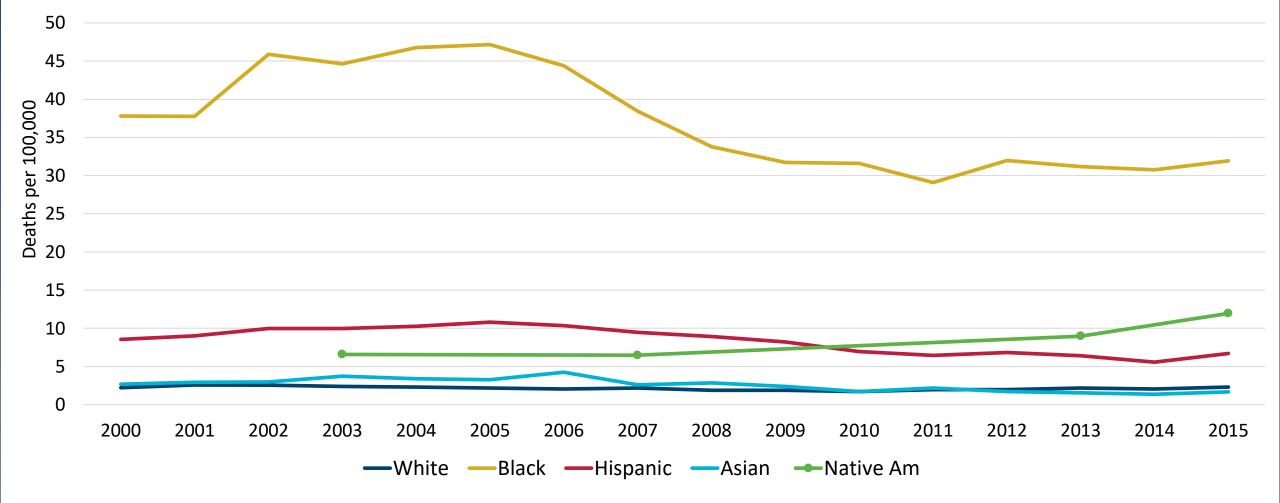
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Age-adjusted firearm homicide rate in California and the US



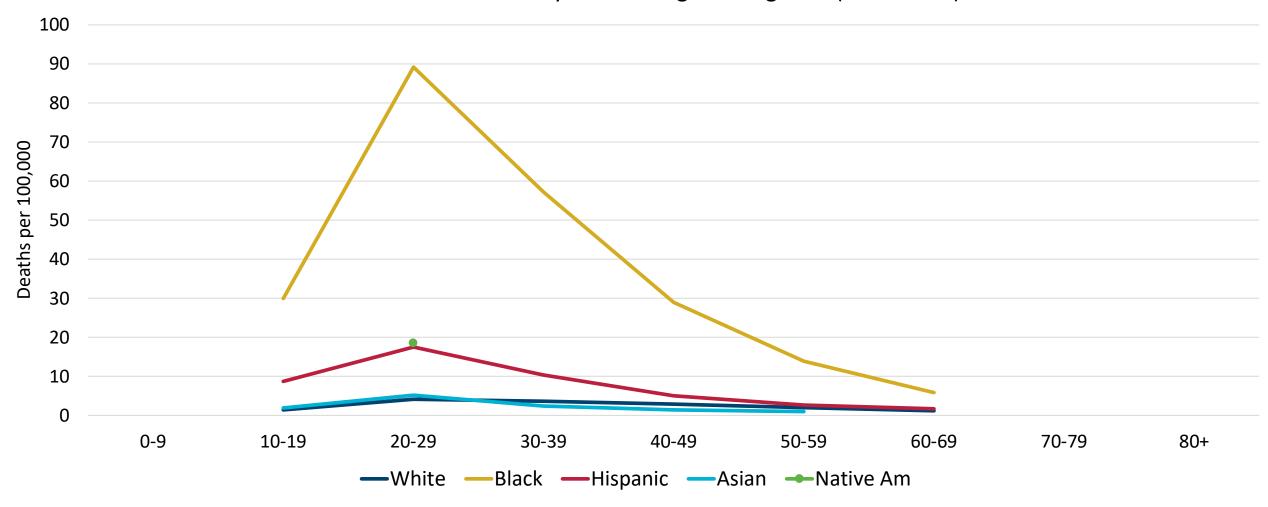
## Rate among black men down 32%, disparities remain





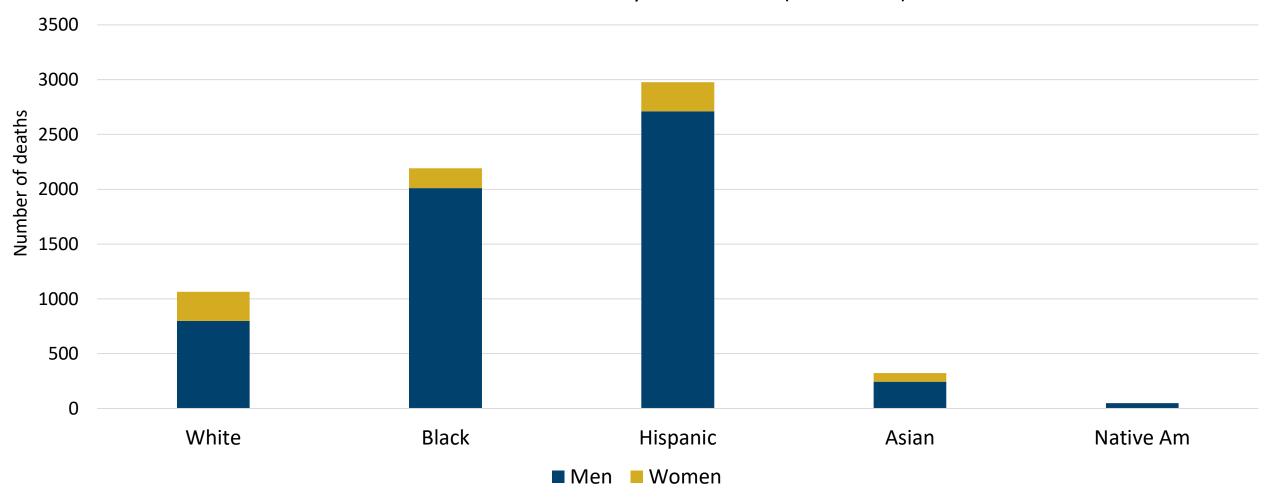
#### Homicide rates driven by men in their 20s

Firearm homicide rate by race and age among men (2011-2015)



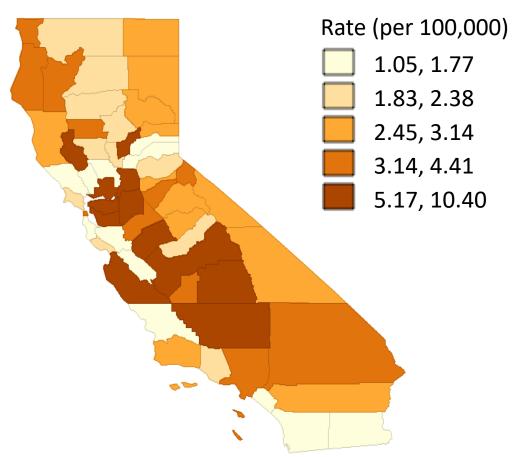
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Firearm homicide counts by race and sex (2011-2015)

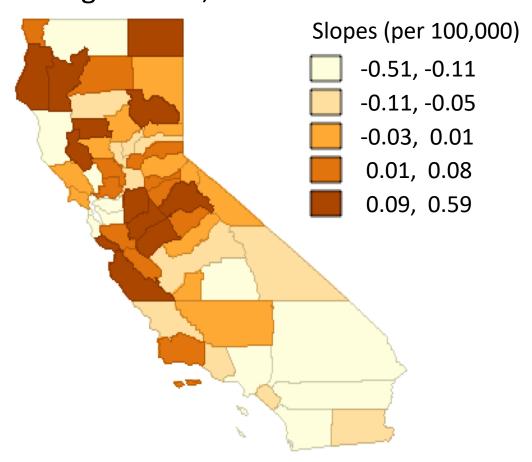


### Highest homicide rates clustered in Central Valley



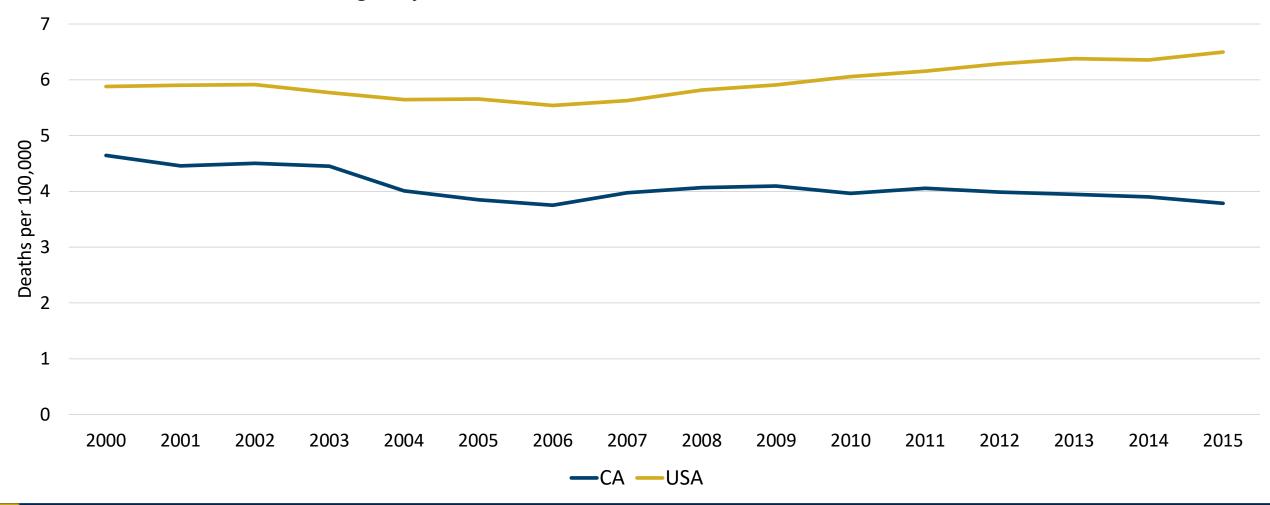


#### Change in rate, 2005-2015



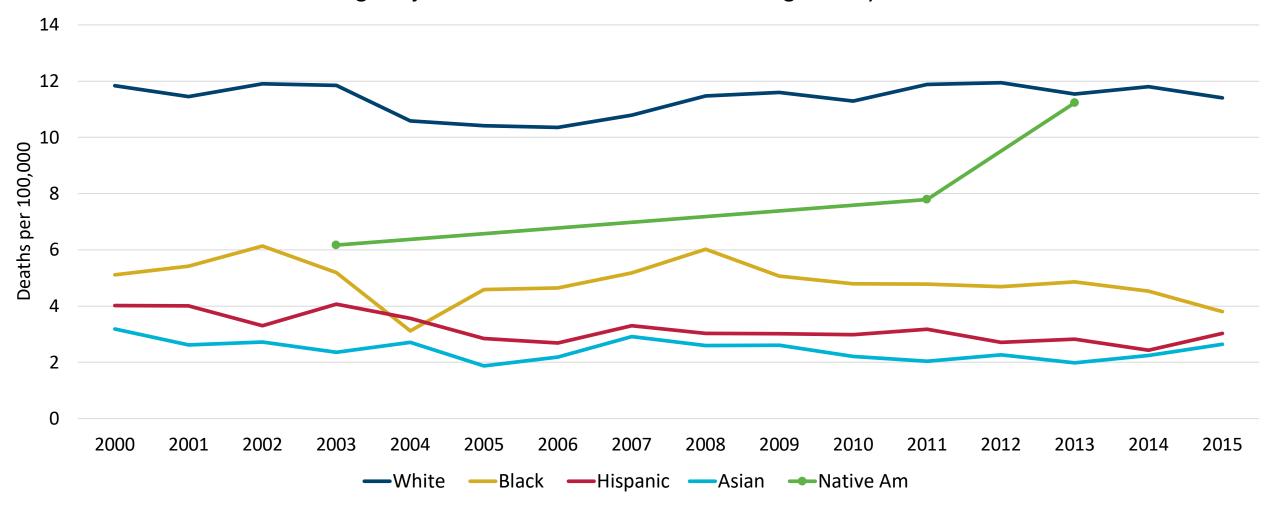
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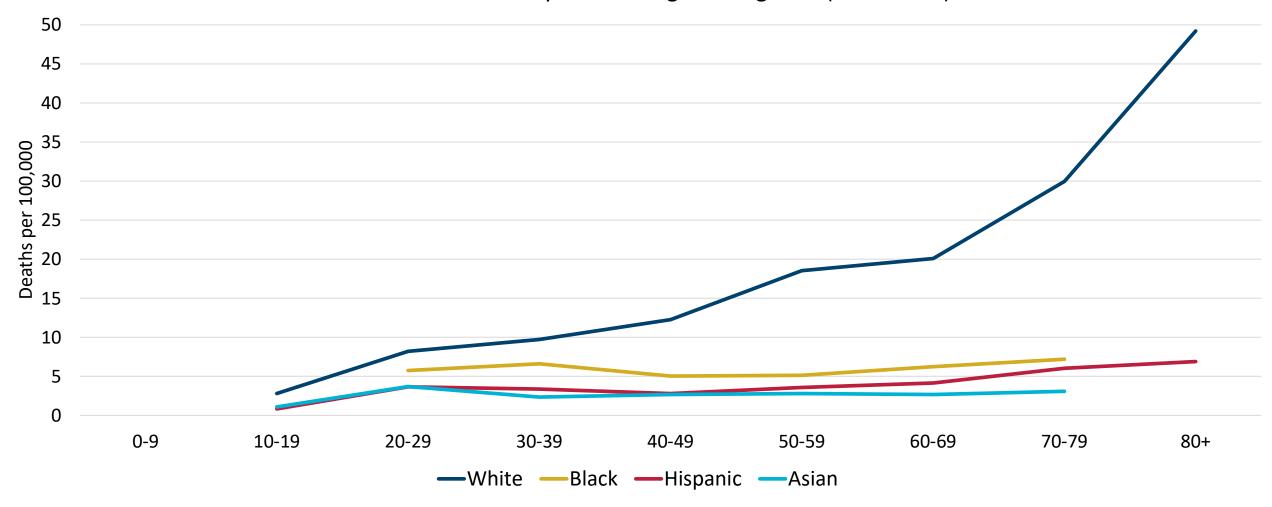
#### Rates increasing for white and Native American men

Age-adjusted rates of firearm suicide among men by race



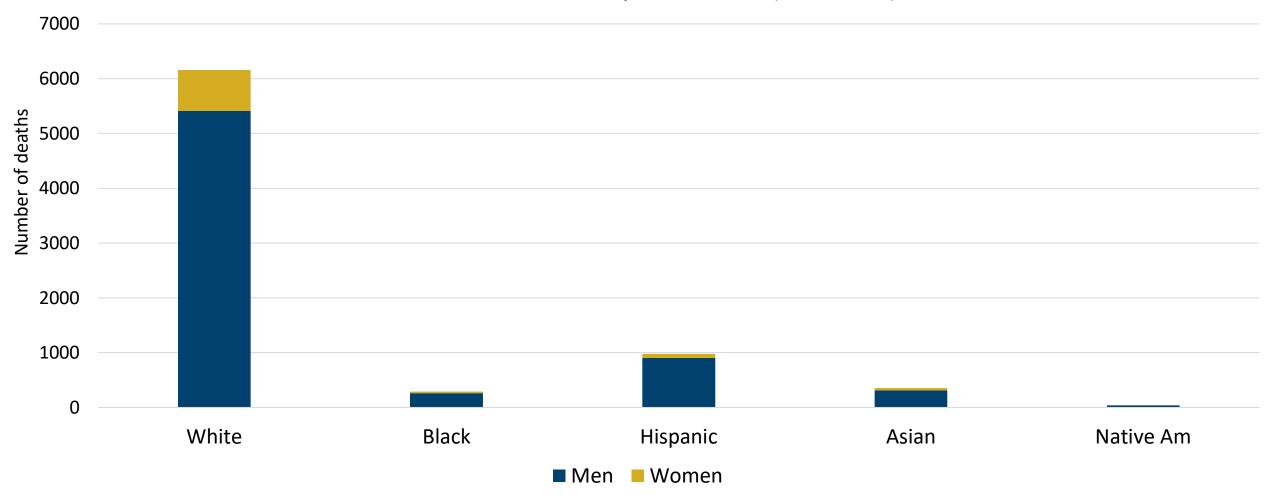
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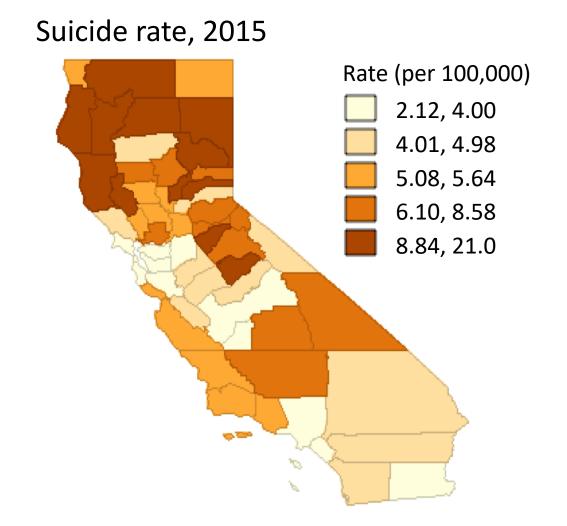


# Whites disproportionately affected by firearm suicide

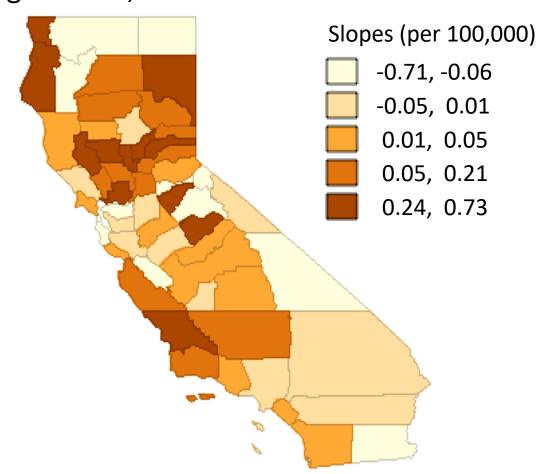
Firearm suicide counts by race and sex (2011-2015)



#### Highest suicide rates clustered in rural north



Change in rate, 2006-2015



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