

# Check Your Safety:

## A Safe Firearm Storage Checklist



**All gun owners in North Carolina have a responsibility to store their firearms safely.**

Securing your guns helps prevent accidents as well as theft. Don't let your firearms end up in the wrong hands. Follow these simple steps to keep them safe.

**Don't put it off. Take a few moments today to make sure your firearms are safely secured.**

- I have a method for effectively locking my firearm.
- I lock it up after every use.
- I unload my firearm when it's not in use.
- I store the ammunition in a separate location when possible.
- I keep the lock combination or the location of a key secret from children and others who should not access my firearms.
- I lock my firearm regardless of whether it's at home or in my vehicle.



For more resources and information on safe firearm storage, scan the QR code or visit

[ncsafe.org](https://ncsafe.org)

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*Secure All Firearms Effectively*