



# Child Vehicular Heatstroke by the Numbers

100% of heatstroke deaths of children in cars are preventable

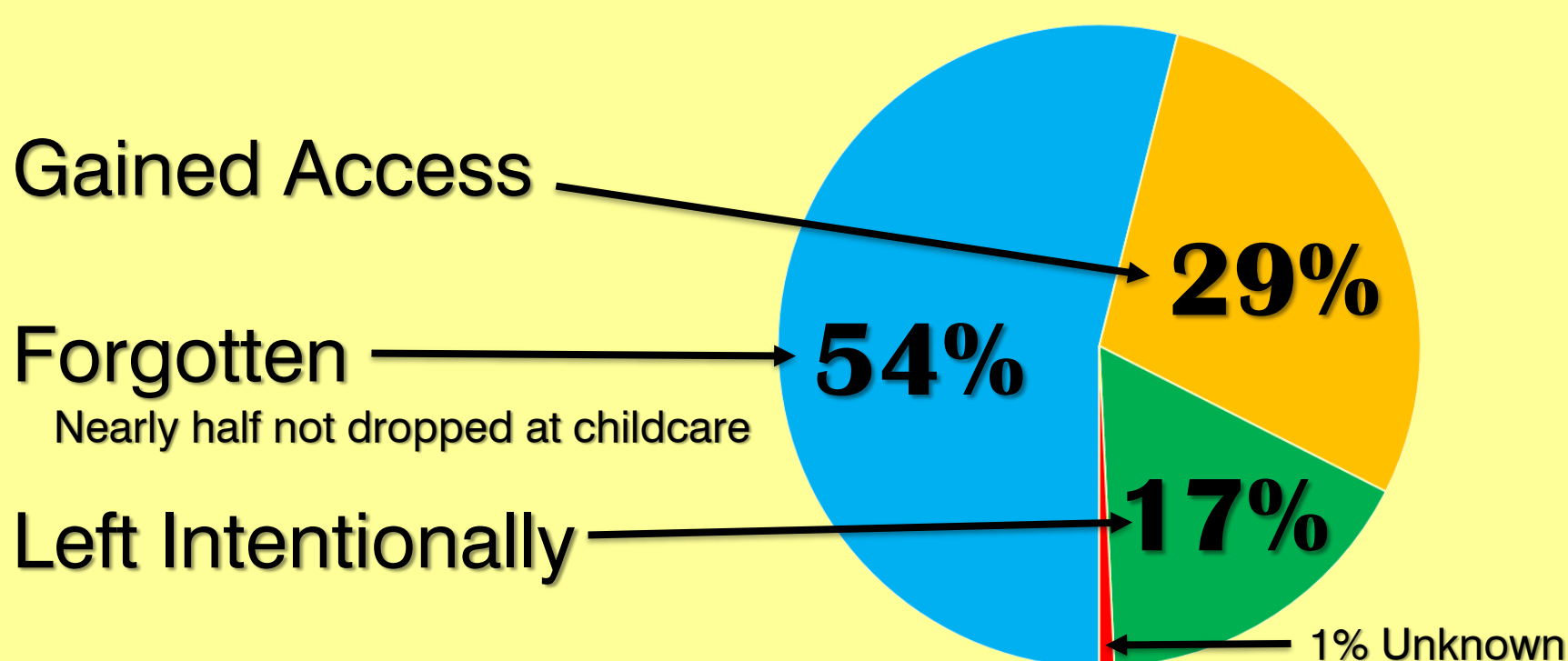
TOTAL SINCE 1998

AVERAGE PER YEAR

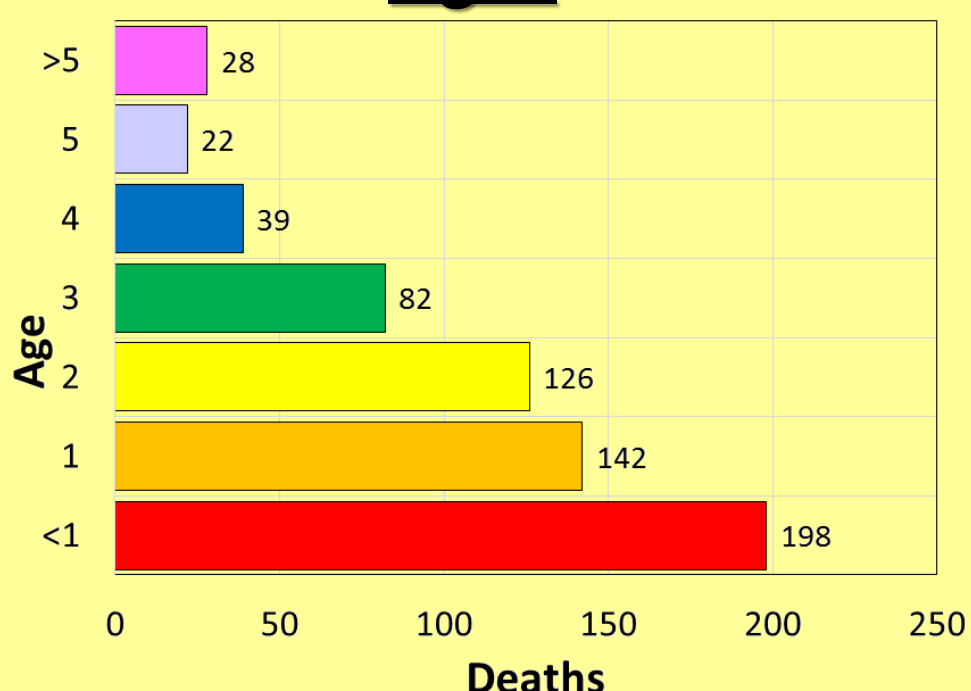
**719** DEATHS

**37**  
During summer that's almost 2 per week

## CIRCUMSTANCES



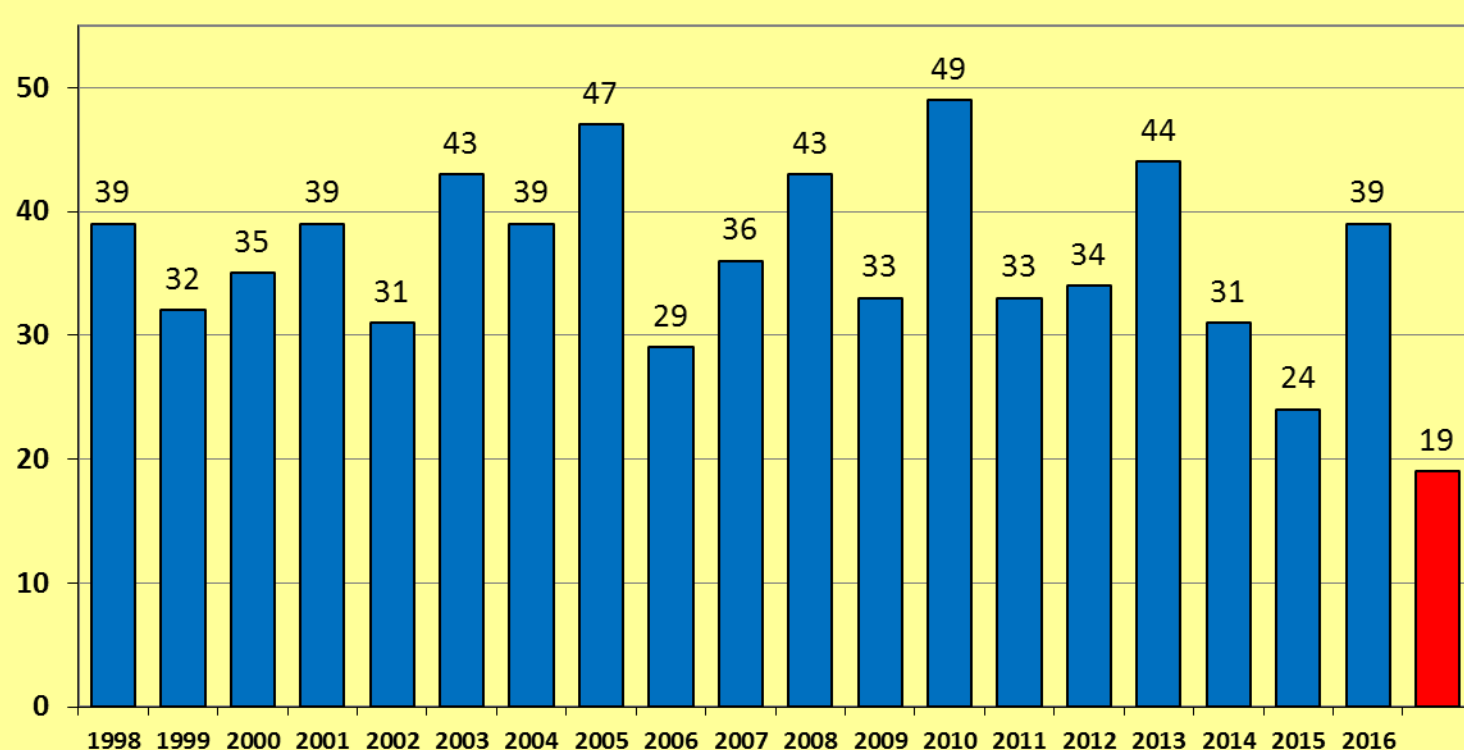
## Ages



### Forgetting Can Happen to Anyone

Mom, Dad, Grandparent, Sitter, Teacher, Administrator, Police, Dentist, Judge, Barber, Principal, Lawyer, Waiter, Engineer, Coach, Accountant, Secretary, Firefighter, Researcher, Childcare Provider, Barista, Tradesman, Student.

## U.S. Child Vehicular Heatstroke Deaths



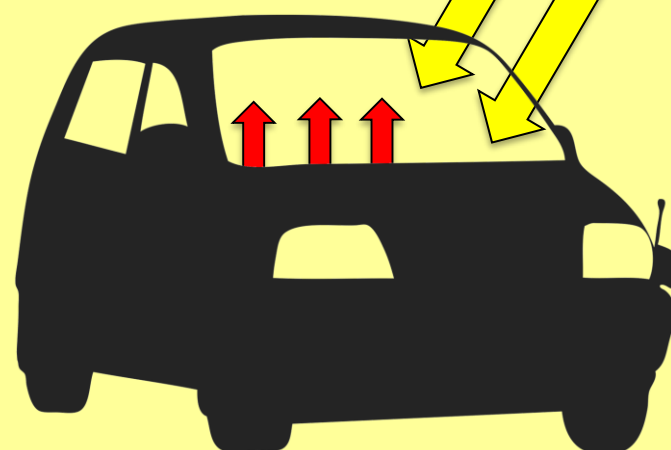
## HOW HOT? HOW FAST?

**80%**

of total heat rise occurs in the 1<sup>st</sup> 30 min.

Max temps can exceed: **135°**

Interior temperatures can be 50° higher than outside.



## SAFETY TIPS

- Never** leave children unattended in a vehicle. NOT EVEN FOR A MINUTE!
- Always** check the backseat. Leave your wallet or purse as a reminder.
- Always** keep vehicle locked and keys out of reach.
- Make** arrangements with your childcare provider to call if child is absent.
- CALL 9-1-1** if you see a child alone in a vehicle.



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