

## Unauthorized Weapons

The following weapons are prohibited unless government issued:

- Any explosive weapons/materials (i.e., grenades, dynamite, fireworks, etc.)
- Switchblade knives or any type of knife with an automatic blade release
- Gravity knives (free-floating blade)
- Spring-loaded night sticks
- Firearm silencers
- Automatic firearms
- Short barrel firearm, i.e:
  - any rifle with a barrel length less than 16 inches
  - a shotgun with a barrel length less than 18 inches
  - rifle or shotgun when overall length of the weapon is less than 26 inches
- Homemade mortars, a.k.a. "tennis ball launchers," "potato guns," or similar devices.
- Night sticks, black jacks, or saps
- Swords (excluding decorative display)
- Do not carry on person or brandish any weapons that propel an object by non-explosive means such as Bows, BB or Pellet guns, air rifles/pistols, sling shots etc., stun guns or similar devices.
- Do not carry on person or brandish any knives with blades over 3 inches



### For Emergencies:

**Dial 911** from any phone  
From Cell Phone: (334) 953-9911

### Non Emergencies:

**Base Defense Operations Center**  
(Law Enforcement Desk): (334) 953-7222  
Bldg 929

**Pass & Registration**  
(Visitor Control Center): (334) 953-9498  
Bldg 518

### References for More Information

MAXWELLAFBMAN31-101, Installation Access Control

42 ABW Plan 31-101, Integrated Defense

### Helpful Web Links

<https://www.e-publishing.af.mil/>

<https://www.alabamaag.gov/firearms-law/>

<http://training.nra.org/>



## Privately Owned Firearms



## Policies & Information

MAXWELLAFBVA31-115, 20240911  
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## Having Privately Owned Weapons on Maxwell AFB/Gunter Annex

### Authorized Storage Areas

The 42 SFS Armory, FamCamp, AAFES, and privatized housing are the only authorized areas for storing Privately Owned Firearms (POFs) on Maxwell-Gunter AFB (MAFB)

### Dormitory or Lodging Residences

Privately-owned firearms are prohibited in all dormitories and lodging facilities and must be registered and stored in the 42 SFS Armory or off-base.

### Privatized Housing Residents

It is mandatory for all personnel storing privately owned firearms in their on-base residence to register their firearms with the 42 SFS.

This must be done within **30** days for newly assigned personnel residing on-base.

### Forms

Personnel with firearms will accomplish an AF Form 1314, *Firearms Registration*, with all their firearms listed and a DD Form 2760, *Qualification to Possess Firearms or Ammunition*.

Both forms must be hand-carried to the 42 SFS Armory, Bldg 943, 130 West Selfridge Street, Maxwell AFB.

### Carry of Concealed Weapons

Concealed Carry on Maxwell AFB and Gunter Annex (MAFB) with a state concealed carry permit is NOT AUTHORIZED. Only LEOSA-credentialed individuals can carry concealed privately-owned firearms on MAFB and only after completing required local application process. See LEOSA Pamphlet (MAFBPAM 31-115) for info.

### On-Base Transport of POFs

Personnel with POFs who reside in housing or dormitories must transport their firearms unloaded at all times. POFs can only be transported for storage in 42 SFS Armory, Housing, FamCamp, AAFES, on-base shooting activities, and for transporting POFs off the installation for target practice or hunting purposes off the installation.

Physically separate firearms and associated ammunition to inhibit the ability to rapidly load the firearm.

Personnel stopped for base entry point checks, traffic violations, or for any other reason by law enforcement or command officials must immediately inform law enforcement or command officials that there is a POF in their possession.

Individuals who violate any of the firearm procedures may lose their privilege to transport or store their privately-owned firearm on the installation. The Installation Commander can restrict the carry or impose additional sanctions/controls for privately-owned firearms at any time.

Contractors, visitors, or holders of special/one-time passes ARE NOT allowed to bring firearms into the legal boundary of MAFB at any time

### Further info

Further guidance can be found in MAXWELLAFBMAN31-113, *Installation Access Control*.

For any questions, please contact 42 SFS Base Defense Operations Center (BDOC) at (334) 953-7222.

### Helpful Links

Project ChildSafe:  
[www.projectchildsafe.org](http://www.projectchildsafe.org)

National Rifle Association "Eddie Eagle" Program:  
<http://www.nrahq.org/safety/eddie/>

Common Sense About Kids & Guns:  
<http://www.kidsandguns.org/>

FBI's Gun Safety Site:  
<http://www.fbi.gov/kids>