



Prevention Research Center for Healthy Neighborhoods
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2012 Cuyahoga County Youth Risk Behavior Survey: Demographic Prevalence

Introduction

The Prevention Research Center for Healthy Neighborhoods (PRCHN) at Case Western Reserve University has administered the Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS) in school districts throughout Cuyahoga County since 2000. The YRBS is a cross-sectional tool developed by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to track adolescent risk behavior over time. In spring of 2012, the PRCHN conducted the YRBS among 7th and 8th grade students in Cuyahoga County middle schools. A more detailed description of the methodology is available at our website, <http://prchn.org/yrebs.apsx>.

Demographic Prevalence

This brief report presents results from the 2012 Cuyahoga County Middle School Youth Risk Behavior Survey and allows for comparison of health risk behaviors by demographic groups. In this brief report, we present:

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Data are presented by gender, race/ethnicity, and grade level. A statistically significant difference exists between groups if the 95% confidence intervals do not overlap.

Alcohol Use

Lifetime alcohol use			
Category	%	CI	
Gender			
Female	27.7	26.1 -	29.3
Male	27.8	26.3 -	29.2
Race/Ethnicity			
White	21.3	19.9 -	22.8
Black	35.8	34.1 -	37.6
Hispanic	42.5	39.2 -	45.8
Other	27.1	23.0 -	31.2
Grade			
7th	23.3	22.0 -	24.7
8th	31.4	29.9 -	32.9
Total	27.7	26.6-	28.8

Drank alcohol before age 11 years			
Category	%	CI	
Gender			
Female	6.9	6.1 -	7.7
Male	9.7	8.8 -	10.7
Race/Ethnicity			
White	5.4	4.7 -	6.1
Black	11.8	10.6 -	13.0
Hispanic	17.3	14.3 -	20.4
Other	12.1	8.8 -	15.3
Grade			
7th	9.0	8.1 -	9.9
8th	7.2	6.5 -	8.0
Total	8.4	7.8-	9.0

Current alcohol use		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	9.7	8.7 - 10.6
Male	9.2	8.3 - 10.2
Race/Ethnicity		
White	7.9	7.1 - 8.8
Black	10.7	9.5 - 11.8
Hispanic	19.2	16.6 - 21.7
Other	11.3	8.1 - 14.5
Grade		
7th	7.2	6.4 - 7.9
8th	11.2	10.2 - 12.2
Total	9.5	8.8- 10.1

Students believe it is very wrong for someone their age to drink alcohol regularly		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	63.2	61.6 - 64.9
Male	58.2	56.4 - 59.9
Race/Ethnicity		
White	63.3	61.6 - 65.1
Black	57.0	55.0 - 59.0
Hispanic	52.6	49.5 - 55.7
Other	61.2	56.7 - 65.8
Grade		
7th	66.9	65.3 - 68.5
8th	55.0	53.4 - 56.6
Total	60.6	59.4- 61.9

Students perceive that their parents believe it is very wrong for them to drink alcohol regularly		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	85.4	84.3 - 86.6
Male	81.1	79.8 - 82.4
Race/Ethnicity		
White	86.2	85.2 - 87.3
Black	79.1	77.4 - 80.8
Hispanic	72.4	69.5 - 75.2
Other	81.6	77.7 - 85.6
Grade		
7th	84.4	83.1 - 85.6
8th	82.3	81.1 - 83.4
Total	83.1	82.2- 84.0

Students perceive great risk of harm from drinking alcohol regularly		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	52.7	50.9 - 54.4
Male	47.6	46.0 - 49.2
Race/Ethnicity		
White	54.0	52.4 - 55.6
Black	45.0	42.7 - 47.2
Hispanic	39.6	36.5 - 42.7
Other	46.9	42.2 - 51.7
Grade		
7th	51.3	49.4 - 53.2
8th	49.2	47.6 - 50.9
Total	50.1	48.8- 51.3

Behaviors that Contribute to Unintentional Injuries

Rarely or never wore a seatbelt		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	8.1	7.3 - 8.9
Male	12.2	11.2 - 13.3
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	15.4	14.0 - 16.7
White	5.6	4.9 - 6.4
Hispanic	18.4	15.6 - 21.3
Other/Multiple	14.5	10.8 - 18.2
Grade		
7th	9.3	8.5 - 10.2
8th	10.7	9.8 - 11.7
Total	10.3	9.5 - 11.0

Rarely or never wore a bicycle helmet		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	76.7	75.1 - 78.3
Male	79.2	77.8 - 80.5
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	89.9	88.6 - 91.1
White	69.1	67.6 - 70.6
Hispanic	90.2	88.1 - 92.2
Other/Multiple	78.5	74.2 - 82.9
Grade		
7th	74.6	73.0 - 76.1
8th	81.3	79.9 - 82.7
Total	78.0	76.9 - 79.1

Depression and Suicide

Purposely hurt self without wanting to die			
Category	%	CI	
Gender			
Female	19.3	18.1 -	20.5
Male	9.9	8.9 -	10.9
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	15.7	14.4 -	17.1
White	12.8	11.8 -	13.8
Hispanic	22.7	19.9 -	25.6
Other/Multiple	17.7	13.9 -	21.5
Grade			
7th	13.4	12.3 -	14.4
8th	15.0	13.9 -	16.1
Total	14.4	13.6 -	15.2

Felt sad or hopeless			
Category	%	CI	
Gender			
Female	26.2	24.8 -	27.6
Male	14.4	13.3 -	15.6
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	23.0	21.5 -	24.5
White	17.2	16.0 -	18.5
Hispanic	31.7	29.0 -	34.5
Other/Multiple	20.7	17.3 -	24.1
Grade			
7th	18.8	17.6 -	20.1
8th	21.1	19.8 -	22.4
Total	20.1	19.2 -	21.1

Seriously considered attempting suicide		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	17.6	16.4 - 18.8
Male	9.8	8.8 - 10.7
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	15.4	14.1 - 16.6
White	11.9	10.8 - 12.9
Hispanic	18.7	16.1 - 21.4
Other/Multiple	18.6	14.6 - 22.6
Grade		
7th	13.3	12.2 - 14.3
8th	13.5	12.4 - 14.6
Total	13.5	12.8 - 14.3

Attempted suicide		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	10.3	9.4 - 11.3
Male	7.1	6.2 - 7.9
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	11.9	10.6 - 13.1
White	5.8	5.0 - 6.5
Hispanic	16.3	13.8 - 18.8
Other/Multiple	13.4	9.8 - 17.0
Grade		
7th	8.6	7.6 - 9.5
8th	8.3	7.4 - 9.2
Total	8.7	8.0 - 9.3

Illegal and Prescription Drug Use

Lifetime marijuana use		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	8.5	7.5 - 9.5
Male	13.1	12.0 - 14.2
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	14.7	13.2 - 16.1
White	7.6	6.7 - 8.5
Hispanic	19.8	17.1 - 22.6
Other/Multiple	13.7	10.4 - 17.0
Grade		
7th	7.3	6.5 - 8.1
8th	13.8	12.6 - 14.9
Total	10.9	10.1 - 11.7

Tried marijuana before age 11 years		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	1.1	0.8 - 1.4
Male	2.7	2.2 - 3.3
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	3.0	2.3 - 3.6
White	0.9	0.6 - 1.2
Hispanic	5.7	3.5 - 8.0
Other/Multiple	4.6	2.0 - 7.3
Grade		
7th	1.8	1.3 - 2.2
8th	1.7	1.3 - 2.1
Total	2.0	1.7 - 2.3

Current marijuana use		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	5.0	4.2 - 5.7
Male	7.8	7.0 - 8.7
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	9.0	7.8 - 10.1
White	4.4	3.7 - 5.1
Hispanic	11.9	9.4 - 14.4
Other/Multiple	8.9	6.1 - 11.6
Grade		
7th	4.0	3.4 - 4.7
8th	8.3	7.4 - 9.2
Total	6.5	5.9 - 7.1

Current unauthorized prescription drug use		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	10.6	9.6 - 11.5
Male	8.7	7.8 - 9.6
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	11.8	10.5 - 13.1
White	7.4	6.6 - 8.2
Hispanic	17.3	14.6 - 20.0
Other/Multiple	12.8	9.9 - 15.7
Grade		
7th	8.7	7.8 - 9.7
8th	10.0	9.1 - 10.9
Total	9.6	9.0 - 10.3

Offered, sold, or given drugs on school property		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	6.9	5.9 - 7.8
Male	11.5	10.4 - 12.5
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	10.7	9.4 - 12.0
White	7.9	7.0 - 8.7
Hispanic	13.6	11.5 - 15.7
Other/Multiple	13.2	9.6 - 16.7
Grade		
7th	7.7	6.9 - 8.6
8th	10.4	9.4 - 11.4
Total	9.3	8.6 - 10.0

Students believe it is very wrong for someone their age to smoke marijuana		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	76.8	75.4 - 78.2
Male	68.5	66.8 - 70.1
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	65.3	63.2 - 67.3
White	77.6	76.1 - 79.0
Hispanic	64.8	61.6 - 68.0
Other/Multiple	73.5	69.4 - 77.7
Grade		
7th	78.3	76.8 - 79.7
8th	67.5	65.9 - 69.2
Total	72.5	71.3 - 73.6

Students perceive that their parents believe it is very wrong for them to smoke marijuana		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	91.4	90.5 - 92.3
Male	86.3	85.2 - 87.4
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	84.1	82.7 - 85.6
White	92.4	91.6 - 93.2
Hispanic	80.2	77.1 - 83.2
Other/Multiple	85.7	81.8 - 89.5
Grade		
7th	90.2	89.3 - 91.2
8th	88.0	86.9 - 89.0
Total	88.7	88.0 - 89.5

Students perceive great risk of harm from trying marijuana once or twice		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	45.4	43.7 - 47.0
Male	45.9	44.2 - 47.5
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	39.7	37.7 - 41.6
White	49.1	47.5 - 50.7
Hispanic	39.7	36.3 - 43.1
Other/Multiple	45.7	41.0 - 50.5
Grade		
7th	49.4	47.8 - 51.0
8th	41.5	40.0 - 43.1
Total	45.3	44.1 - 46.5

Students perceive great risk of harm from smoking marijuana regularly

Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	71.7	70.1 - 73.3
Male	64.9	63.3 - 66.5
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	55.3	53.2 - 57.3
White	77.4	76.0 - 78.9
Hispanic	51.6	48.2 - 55.0
Other/Multiple	62.6	57.5 - 67.7
Grade		
7th	71.6	69.9 - 73.3
8th	65.3	63.8 - 66.8
Total	68.1	67.0 - 69.3

Nutrition

Ate fruits and vegetables five or more times per day		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	28.5	27.1 - 30.0
Male	27.5	26.0 - 29.0
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	22.7	21.1 - 24.3
White	32.1	30.6 - 33.7
Hispanic	22.1	19.1 - 25.0
Other/Multiple	33.3	28.9 - 37.7
Grade		
7th	30.9	29.4 - 32.4
8th	25.3	23.9 - 26.7
Total	28.1	27.0 - 29.1

Ate fast food one or more times		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	69.6	68.1 - 71.0
Male	71.6	70.1 - 73.0
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	77.6	76.2 - 79.0
White	64.5	62.8 - 66.2
Hispanic	81.7	79.4 - 83.9
Other/Multiple	69.4	65.3 - 73.5
Grade		
7th	68.6	67.0 - 70.2
8th	72.4	71.1 - 73.8
Total	70.6	69.6 - 71.7

Did not eat breakfast every day		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	65.1	63.6 - 66.7
Male	53.1	51.4 - 54.7
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	67.4	65.6 - 69.3
White	51.6	50.0 - 53.2
Hispanic	63.8	60.9 - 66.8
Other/Multiple	57.5	52.9 - 62.2
Grade		
7th	55.7	54.0 - 57.4
8th	61.5	60.0 - 63.1
Total	58.7	57.6 - 59.9

Drank 3 or more glasses of milk per day		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	18.1	17.0 - 19.3
Male	29.9	28.5 - 31.3
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	16.9	15.6 - 18.2
White	30.1	28.7 - 31.6
Hispanic	22.9	20.2 - 25.5
Other/Multiple	23.7	19.7 - 27.7
Grade		
7th	24.9	23.6 - 26.2
8th	23.8	22.5 - 25.2
Total	24.3	23.4 - 25.3

Obesity and Weight Control

Overweight		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	15.4	13.9 - 16.9
Male	17.3	16.0 - 18.6
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	20.7	18.8 - 22.7
White	13.2	12.1 - 14.3
Hispanic	16.6	13.9 - 19.3
Other/Multiple	19.7	15.5 - 24.0
Grade		
7th	17.3	15.9 - 18.7
8th	15.6	14.2 - 17.0
Total	16.4	15.4 - 17.4

Obese		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	11.1	9.8 - 12.5
Male	13.8	12.4 - 15.2
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	17.4	14.8 - 19.9
White	8.9	8.0 - 9.9
Hispanic	16.2	14.0 - 18.5
Other/Multiple	11.8	9.0 - 14.7
Grade		
7th	12.7	11.3 - 14.0
8th	12.5	11.1 - 13.9
Total	12.6	11.4 - 13.7

Describes self as slightly or very overweight		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	26.9	25.4 - 28.4
Male	21.3	19.9 - 22.6
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	22.3	20.4 - 24.3
White	24.6	23.3 - 25.9
Hispanic	26.6	23.6 - 29.6
Other/Multiple	26.4	22.2 - 30.5
Grade		
7th	23.2	21.8 - 24.7
8th	24.4	23.0 - 25.8
Total	23.9	22.8 - 25.0

Trying to lose weight		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	47.5	45.7 - 49.2
Male	30.7	29.2 - 32.2
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	39.7	37.3 - 42.0
White	37.5	36.0 - 39.1
Hispanic	44.9	41.6 - 48.1
Other/Multiple	36.8	32.9 - 40.7
Grade		
7th	38.5	36.8 - 40.2
8th	39.0	37.3 - 40.6
Total	38.6	37.4 - 39.9

Physical Activity

Participated in 60 or more minutes of physical activity on 5 or more days		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	46.9	45.1 - 48.7
Male	61.9	60.3 - 63.5
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	47.5	45.3 - 49.6
White	60.8	59.2 - 62.5
Hispanic	43.0	39.8 - 46.2
Other	56.2	51.6 - 60.8
Grade		
7th	55.9	54.4 - 57.5
8th	53.8	51.9 - 55.7
Total	54.7	53.4 - 56.0

Did not participate in 60 or more minutes of physical activity on any day		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	8.4	7.4 - 9.4
Male	6.0	5.2 - 6.7
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	11.0	9.7 - 12.3
White	3.7	3.1 - 4.3
Hispanic	12.9	10.4 - 15.4
Other	8.2	5.0 - 11.4
Grade		
7th	6.6	5.9 - 7.3
8th	7.3	6.3 - 8.2
Total	7.1	6.5 - 7.8

Watched television 3 or more hours per day		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	34.6	33.0 - 36.2
Male	35.1	33.8 - 36.5
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	54.0	52.3 - 55.7
White	20.4	19.2 - 21.6
Hispanic	40.7	37.7 - 43.6
Other	32.9	28.7 - 37.1
Grade		
7th	34.8	33.3 - 36.2
8th	34.8	33.2 - 36.4
Total	34.9	33.8 - 35.9

Used computers 3 or more hours per day		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	29.3	27.8 - 30.9
Male	35.4	33.9 - 37.0
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	41.8	39.9 - 43.7
White	24.6	23.2 - 26.1
Hispanic	43.8	40.6 - 46.9
Other	38.7	34.3 - 43.1
Grade		
7th	30.6	29.1 - 32.1
8th	33.9	32.5 - 35.4
Total	32.5	31.4 - 33.6

Played on one or more sports teams		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	67.1	65.5 - 68.7
Male	76.3	74.9 - 77.7
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	66.6	64.4 - 68.7
White	77.0	75.7 - 78.4
Hispanic	58.3	55.0 - 61.5
Other	71.5	71.1 - 71.9
Grade		
7th	72.1	70.6 - 73.7
8th	71.9	70.1 - 73.6
Total	71.9	70.7 - 73.0

Positive Youth Development

Spent at least one hour in clubs or organizations outside of school			
Category	%	CI	
Gender			
Female	62.7	61.1 - 64.2	
Male	58.1	56.5 - 59.6	
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	54.9	53.0 - 56.7	
White	65.4	63.9 - 66.9	
Hispanic	47.7	44.6 - 50.8	
Other/Multiple	58.2	53.2 - 63.1	
Grade			
7th	60.8	59.2 - 62.4	
8th	59.8	58.2 - 61.4	
Total	60.3	59.2 - 61.4	

Spent at least one hour helping other people without getting paid to make one's community a better place for people to live			
Category	%	CI	
Gender			
Female	44.2	42.6 - 45.8	
Male	40.9	39.2 - 42.6	
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	42.6	40.5 - 44.6	
White	42.7	41.1 - 44.3	
Hispanic	42.5	39.8 - 45.1	
Other/Multiple	43.8	39.3 - 48.2	
Grade			
7th	42.6	41.0 - 44.2	
8th	42.4	40.8 - 44.1	
Total	42.5	41.3 - 43.7	

Parents talk with student about school almost every day		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	58.3	56.7 - 59.9
Male	57.4	55.8 - 59.1
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	55.7	53.7 - 57.7
White	60.6	59.0 - 62.2
Hispanic	47.2	43.8 - 50.6
Other/Multiple	49.4	44.7 - 54.0
Grade		
7th	57.7	56.0 - 59.4
8th	58.2	56.6 - 59.7
Total	57.8	56.6 - 59.0

Students help decide what goes on in school		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	43.9	42.2 - 45.5
Male	44.4	42.8 - 46.1
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	42.9	41.0 - 44.8
White	45.7	44.1 - 47.2
Hispanic	38.8	35.6 - 42.1
Other/Multiple	45.0	40.3 - 49.7
Grade		
7th	43.9	42.2 - 45.7
8th	44.6	43.1 - 46.2
Total	44.2	43.0 - 45.3

Students feel like they matter to people in their community		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	46.0	44.5 - 47.5
Male	51.7	50.0 - 53.3
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	48.2	46.3 - 50.1
White	50.5	48.9 - 52.1
Hispanic	42.3	39.0 - 45.6
Other/Multiple	47.8	43.3 - 52.3
Grade		
7th	50.7	49.0 - 52.3
8th	47.4	45.8 - 49.0
Total	48.9	47.7 - 50.1

Described their grades in school as A's and B's		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	72.8	71.2 - 74.3
Male	65.1	63.4 - 66.8
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	52.7	50.5 - 55.0
White	81.2	79.8 - 82.7
Hispanic	58.2	54.5 - 61.9
Other/Multiple	62.3	57.5 - 67.2
Grade		
7th	69.0	67.3 - 70.8
8th	68.7	66.8 - 70.7
Total	68.7	67.4 - 70.0

Supportive adult		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	88.4	87.4 - 89.4
Male	86.3	85.3 - 87.4
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	86.8	85.7 - 88.0
White	88.6	87.7 - 89.5
Hispanic	80.7	77.9 - 83.5
Other/Multiple	82.2	77.9 - 86.5
Grade		
7th	88.1	87.2 - 89.1
8th	86.9	86.0 - 87.9
Total	87.3	86.6 - 88.0

Trusted friend		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	92.7	91.8 - 93.5
Male	86.0	84.9 - 87.2
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	86.6	85.3 - 87.9
White	91.6	90.7 - 92.5
Hispanic	84.1	81.4 - 86.8
Other/Multiple	86.8	83.1 - 90.6
Grade		
7th	88.9	88.0 - 89.8
8th	87.0	85.9 - 88.0
Total	89.2	88.5 - 89.9

Ate dinner with family			
Category	%	CI	
Gender			
Female	86.6	85.5 -	87.7
Male	87.6	86.4 -	88.7
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	79.5	77.8 -	81.2
White	92.7	91.8 -	93.5
Hispanic	81.8	79.0 -	84.6
Other/Multiple	85.0	81.4 -	88.6
Grade			
7th	87.1	86.0 -	88.3
8th	87.3	86.2 -	88.4
Total	87.0	86.2 -	87.9

Preventive Health Care

Described health in general as fair or poor		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	10.0	9.0 - 11.1
Male	6.3	5.5 - 7.1
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	8.9	7.6 - 10.3
White	7.1	6.2 - 7.9
Hispanic	13.6	11.1 - 16.1
Other/Multiple	9.5	6.7 - 12.3
Grade		
7th	7.8	6.8 - 8.8
8th	8.1	7.2 - 9.0
Total	8.1	7.4 - 8.8

Saw a doctor or nurse for check-up		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	67.8	66.2 - 69.5
Male	66.2	64.8 - 67.7
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	58.9	57.0 - 60.9
White	74.0	72.6 - 75.3
Hispanic	53.6	50.1 - 57.1
Other/Multiple	62.2	57.7 - 66.8
Grade		
7th	66.5	64.8 - 68.1
8th	67.8	66.3 - 69.4
Total	66.9	65.8 - 68.0

Reproductive Health

Lifetime sexual intercourse		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	9.1	8.1 - 10.1
Male	22.0	20.6 - 23.3
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	27.4	25.5 - 29.3
White	7.1	6.2 - 8.0
Hispanic	26.7	23.1 - 30.2
Other/Multiple	21.8	17.7 - 25.9
Grade		
7th	13.6	12.4 - 14.7
8th	17.2	15.9 - 18.5
Total	15.8	14.8 - 16.7

Used a condom during last sexual intercourse		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	71.7	66.9 - 76.5
Male	73.0	70.2 - 75.8
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	77.7	75.0 - 80.4
White	64.6	58.8 - 70.4
Hispanic	61.9	54.6 - 69.3
Other/Multiple	72.4	63.8 - 80.9
Grade		
7th	74.4	71.1 - 77.6
8th	73.3	69.8 - 76.8
Total	72.8	70.3 - 75.3

Ever taught in school about AIDS or HIV infection			
Category	%	CI	
Gender			
Female	76.2	74.7 -	77.7
Male	77.0	75.6 -	78.5
Race/Ethnicity			
Black	79.0	77.4 -	80.7
White	76.1	74.4 -	77.7
Hispanic	65.8	61.5 -	70.1
Other/Multiple	76.0	71.2 -	80.7
Grade			
7th	70.6	69.0 -	72.1
8th	82.8	81.4 -	84.1
Total	76.6	75.5 -	77.8

Tobacco Use

Lifetime cigarette use		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	8.2	7.3 - 9.1
Male	9.3	8.3 - 10.3
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	9.5	8.4 - 10.7
White	7.5	6.5 - 8.4
Hispanic	18.4	15.4 - 21.4
Other/Multiple	12.2	9.0 - 15.5
Grade		
7th	6.3	5.5 - 7.0
8th	10.6	9.5 - 11.7
Total	8.8	8.1 - 9.5

Smoked a whole cigarette before age 11 years		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	2.1	1.6 - 2.5
Male	2.9	2.4 - 3.5
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	3.1	2.5 - 3.8
White	1.6	1.2 - 2.0
Hispanic	8.9	6.1 - 11.6
Other/Multiple	6.4	3.2 - 9.5
Grade		
7th	2.2	1.8 - 2.6
8th	2.3	1.8 - 2.8
Total	2.5	2.2 - 2.9

Current cigarette use		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	3.1	2.6 - 3.7
Male	4.1	3.4 - 4.8
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	3.2	2.5 - 4.0
White	3.5	2.9 - 4.1
Hispanic	9.4	6.9 - 11.9
Other/Multiple	4.5	2.3 - 6.6
Grade		
7th	2.7	2.2 - 3.2
8th	4.1	3.4 - 4.7
Total	3.7	3.3 - 4.0

Cigarette use on school property		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	1.1	0.8 - 1.4
Male	2.7	2.2 - 3.2
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	2.3	1.8 - 2.8
White	1.1	0.8 - 1.5
Hispanic	6.7	4.7 - 8.7
Other/Multiple	5.4	2.9 - 8.0
Grade		
7th	1.5	1.2 - 1.9
8th	1.8	1.4 - 2.2
Total	1.9	1.6 - 2.3

Current cigar use		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	5.7	5.0 - 6.4
Male	7.5	6.7 - 8.4
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	10.7	9.5 - 11.9
White	3.2	2.6 - 3.8
Hispanic	13.9	11.4 - 16.4
Other/Multiple	9.9	6.7 - 13.2
Grade		
7th	5.4	4.7 - 6.1
8th	7.4	6.6 - 8.2
Total	6.7	6.1 - 7.3

Students believe it is very wrong for someone their age to smoke cigarettes		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	74.3	72.8 - 75.8
Male	70.9	69.4 - 72.4
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	67.1	65.0 - 69.2
White	76.8	75.5 - 78.2
Hispanic	60.7	57.3 - 64.2
Other/Multiple	69.4	65.3 - 73.5
Grade		
7th	76.0	74.4 - 77.5
8th	69.8	68.4 - 71.3
Total	72.5	71.4 - 73.6

Students perceive that their parents believe it is very wrong for them to smoke cigarettes		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	91.3	90.4 - 92.1
Male	87.0	85.8 - 88.2
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	84.9	83.5 - 86.3
White	92.4	91.5 - 93.3
Hispanic	80.0	76.9 - 83.0
Other/Multiple	84.4	80.4 - 88.4
Grade		
7th	89.7	88.7 - 90.7
8th	89.0	87.9 - 90.0
Total	89.0	88.3 - 89.8

Students perceive great risk of harm from smoking cigarettes		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	67.4	65.7 - 69.1
Male	63.7	62.0 - 65.3
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	53.3	51.2 - 55.4
White	74.8	73.2 - 76.3
Hispanic	47.3	43.9 - 50.7
Other/Multiple	58.0	53.3 - 62.8
Grade		
7th	64.4	62.7 - 66.2
8th	66.7	65.1 - 68.4
Total	65.4	64.2 - 66.6

Violence

Carried a weapon on school property		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	2.3	1.9 - 2.8
Male	4.8	4.1 - 5.5
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	5.2	4.3 - 6.0
White	1.9	1.5 - 2.4
Hispanic	8.7	6.5 - 11.0
Other/Multiple	7.5	4.4 - 10.7
Grade		
7th	3.6	3.0 - 4.1
8th	3.2	2.6 - 3.8
Total	3.6	3.2 - 4.1

Did not go to school because of safety concerns		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	8.8	7.8 - 9.7
Male	7.4	6.5 - 8.2
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	10.9	9.6 - 12.2
White	5.7	4.9 - 6.4
Hispanic	13.4	10.8 - 15.9
Other/Multiple	8.6	5.7 - 11.5
Grade		
7th	8.7	7.7 - 9.7
8th	7.2	6.4 - 8.1
Total	8.1	7.4 - 8.7

In a physical fight		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	26.8	25.2 - 28.4
Male	42.1	40.5 - 43.8
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	45.3	42.8 - 47.7
White	26.4	25.0 - 27.7
Hispanic	46.2	42.9 - 49.5
Other/Multiple	46.3	41.5 - 51.2
Grade		
7th	37.0	35.1 - 38.9
8th	32.3	30.7 - 33.8
Total	34.8	33.5 - 36.0

In a physical fight on school property		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	11.8	10.7 - 12.9
Male	21.6	20.3 - 22.9
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	25.2	23.4 - 27.0
White	10.2	9.3 - 11.2
Hispanic	24.7	21.8 - 27.6
Other/Multiple	26.3	21.6 - 31.0
Grade		
7th	19.0	17.6 - 20.3
8th	14.5	13.4 - 15.6
Total	16.9	16.0 - 17.8

Bullied on school property		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	36.5	34.8 - 38.1
Male	31.3	29.7 - 32.8
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	28.6	26.6 - 30.6
White	37.9	36.4 - 39.4
Hispanic	33.1	29.8 - 36.3
Other/Multiple	30.4	26.1 - 34.6
Grade		
7th	34.0	32.6 - 35.5
8th	33.4	31.5 - 35.2
Total	33.8	32.6 - 34.9

Electronically bullied		
Category	%	CI
Gender		
Female	28.8	27.2 - 30.4
Male	15.1	13.9 - 16.2
Race/Ethnicity		
Black	20.1	18.6 - 21.6
White	22.6	21.3 - 24.0
Hispanic	24.7	21.7 - 27.7
Other/Multiple	19.0	15.1 - 23.0
Grade		
7th	20.9	19.6 - 22.1
8th	22.3	20.8 - 23.8
Total	21.7	20.7 - 22.7

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