

**Table 4.41B Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 or Older, Persons Aged 12 or Older At Risk for Initiation of Substance Use, and Past Year Substance Users Aged 12 or Older: Numbers in Thousands and Percentages, 2002 and 2003**

| Substance  | NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s) <sup>1</sup> |       | PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG TOTAL POPULATION <sup>1</sup> |      | PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PERSONS AT RISK FOR INITIATION <sup>1,2</sup> |      | PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PAST YEAR USERS <sup>1</sup> |      |
|--|---|-------|---|------|---|------|--|------|
|  | 2002  | 2003  | 2002  | 2003 | 2002  | 2003 | 2002   | 2003 |
| <b>ILLICIT DRUG<sup>3</sup></b>                      | 2,656   | 2,627 | 1.1   | 1.1  | 2.1   | 2.0  | 7.5  | 7.5  |
| Marijuana and Hashish                                | 2,196 <sup>a</sup>                                  | 1,973 | 0.9 <sup>a</sup>  | 0.8  | 1.5 <sup>a</sup>  | 1.4  | 8.5  | 7.8  |
| Cocaine  | 1,032   | 986   | 0.4   | 0.4  | 0.5   | 0.5  | 17.3   | 16.7 |
| Crack  | 337   | 269   | 0.1   | 0.1  | 0.1   | 0.1  | 21.7   | 19.1 |
| Heroin   | 117   | 92    | 0.0   | 0.0  | 0.1   | 0.0  | 28.7   | *    |
| Hallucinogens  | 1,152 <sup>b</sup>                                  | 886   | 0.5 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.4  | 0.6 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.4  | 24.1   | 22.5 |
| LSD  | 338 <sup>b</sup>                                    | 200   | 0.1 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.1  | 0.2 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.1  | 33.6   | 35.6 |
| PCP  | 123   | 105   | 0.1   | 0.0  | 0.1   | 0.0  | 49.9   | 48.1 |
| Ecstasy  | 1,206 <sup>b</sup>                                  | 642   | 0.5 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.3  | 0.5 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.3  | 37.9 <sup>b</sup>  | 29.9 |
| Inhalants  | 849   | 871   | 0.4   | 0.4  | 0.4   | 0.4  | 40.7   | 41.9 |
| Nonmedical Use of Psychotherapeutics <sup>4</sup>    | 2,552   | 2,583 | 1.1   | 1.1  | 1.3   | 1.3  | 17.4   | 17.2 |
| Pain Relievers                                       | 2,320   | 2,456 | 1.0   | 1.0  | 1.1   | 1.2  | 21.1   | 21.0 |
| OxyContin <sup>®</sup>                               | --  | --    | --  | --   | --  | --   | --   | --   |
| Tranquilizers  | 1,184   | 1,071 | 0.5   | 0.5  | 0.5   | 0.5  | 24.4   | 21.2 |
| Stimulants   | 783   | 715   | 0.3   | 0.3  | 0.4   | 0.3  | 24.6   | 26.0 |
| Methamphetamine                                      | 299   | 260   | 0.1   | 0.1  | 0.1   | 0.1  | 19.4   | 19.7 |
| Sedatives  | 209   | 194   | 0.1   | 0.1  | 0.1   | 0.1  | 21.3   | 23.3 |
| <b>ILLICIT DRUG OTHER THAN MARIJUANA<sup>3</sup></b> | 2,569   | 2,523 | 1.1   | 1.1  | 1.5   | 1.5  | 12.5   | 12.4 |
| <b>CIGARETTES</b>                                    | 1,940   | 1,983 | 0.8   | 0.8  | 2.6   | 2.6  | 2.7  | 2.8  |
| Daily Cigarette Use <sup>5</sup>                     | 1,016   | 1,064 | 0.4   | 0.4  | 0.7   | 0.7  | --   | --   |
| <b>SMOKELESS TOBACCO</b>                             | 951   | 928   | 0.4   | 0.4  | 0.5   | 0.5  | 9.0  | 9.0  |
| <b>CIGARS</b>  | 2,858   | 2,736 | 1.2   | 1.2  | 1.9   | 1.8  | 11.0   | 10.8 |
| <b>ALCOHOL</b>                                       | 3,942   | 4,082 | 1.7   | 1.7  | 9.0   | 9.2  | 2.5  | 2.6  |

\*Low precision, no estimate reported.

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<sup>a</sup> Difference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.<sup>b</sup> Difference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.<sup>1</sup> Past Year Initiates are defined as persons who used the substance(s) for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview.<sup>2</sup> At Risk for Initiation is defined as persons who did not use the substance(s) in their lifetime or used the substance(s) for the first time in the past year.<sup>3</sup> Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.<sup>4</sup> Nonmedical use of prescription-type pain relievers, tranquilizers, stimulants, or sedatives; does not include over-the-counter drugs.<sup>5</sup> Daily Cigarette Use is defined as ever smoking every day for at least 30 days.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002 and 2003.

**Table 4.42B Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 to 17, Persons Aged 12 to 17 At Risk for Initiation of Substance Use, and Past Year Substance Users Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands and Percentages, 2002 and 2003**

| Substance   | NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s) <sup>1</sup> |       | PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG TOTAL POPULATION <sup>1</sup> |      | PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PERSONS AT RISK FOR INITIATION <sup>1,2</sup> |      | PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PAST YEAR USERS <sup>1</sup> |      |
|---|---|-------|---|------|---|------|--|------|
|   | 2002  | 2003  | 2002  | 2003 | 2002  | 2003 | 2002   | 2003 |
| <b>ILLCIT DRUG<sup>3</sup></b>                      | 1,596   | 1,562 | 6.4   | 6.2  | 8.5   | 8.3  | 29.0   | 28.6 |
| Marijuana and Hashish                               | 1,373 <sup>a</sup>                                  | 1,219 | 5.5 <sup>a</sup>  | 4.9  | 6.5 <sup>a</sup>  | 5.7  | 35.1   | 32.5 |
| Cocaine   | 310   | 282   | 1.3   | 1.1  | 1.3   | 1.1  | 60.8   | 64.3 |
| Crack   | 86  | 76    | 0.3   | 0.3  | 0.4   | 0.3  | *  | *    |
| Heroin  | 39  | 25    | 0.2   | 0.1  | 0.2   | 0.1  | *  | *    |
| Hallucinogens                                       | 474   | 417   | 1.9   | 1.7  | 2.0   | 1.7  | 49.9   | 53.5 |
| LSD   | 180 <sup>b</sup>                                    | 96    | 0.7 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.4  | 0.7 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.4  | 56.5   | 64.1 |
| PCP   | 77  | 59    | 0.3   | 0.2  | 0.3   | 0.2  | 70.1   | *    |
| Ecstasy   | 350 <sup>b</sup>                                    | 219   | 1.4 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.9  | 1.4 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.9  | 64.0   | 66.4 |
| Inhalants   | 591   | 600   | 2.4   | 2.4  | 2.6   | 2.6  | 54.8   | 53.5 |
| Nonmedical Use of Psychotherapeutics <sup>4</sup>   |   |       |   |      |   |      |  |      |
| Pain Relievers                                      | 985   | 913   | 4.0   | 3.7  | 4.4   | 4.0  | 43.0   | 39.9 |
| OxyContin <sup>®</sup>                              | 908   | 890   | 3.7   | 3.6  | 4.0   | 3.9  | 48.4   | 46.3 |
| Tranquilizers                                       | --  | --    | --  | --   | --  | --   | --   | --   |
| Stimulants  | 314   | 319   | 1.3   | 1.3  | 1.3   | 1.3  | 55.4   | 54.5 |
| Methamphetamine                                     | 341   | 292   | 1.4   | 1.2  | 1.4   | 1.2  | 52.5   | 51.4 |
| Sedatives   | 131   | 107   | 0.5   | 0.4  | 0.5   | 0.4  | 58.1   | 61.8 |
| 63  | 66  | 0.3   | 0.3   | 0.3  | 0.3   | 0.3  | 45.4   | 50.3 |
| <b>ILLCIT DRUG OTHER THAN MARIJUANA<sup>3</sup></b> | 1,211   | 1,205 | 4.9   | 4.8  | 5.9   | 5.8  | 36.1   | 36.0 |
| <b>CIGARETTES</b>                                   | 1,187   | 1,226 | 4.8   | 4.9  | 6.7   | 6.6  | 23.4 <sup>a</sup>  | 25.9 |
| Daily Cigarette Use <sup>5</sup>                    | 403   | 439   | 1.6   | 1.8  | 1.7   | 1.9  | --   | --   |
| <b>SMOKELESS TOBACCO</b>                            | 459   | 487   | 1.9   | 1.9  | 2.0   | 2.1  | 43.2   | 47.0 |
| <b>CIGARS</b>                                       | 1,113   | 1,163 | 4.5   | 4.7  | 5.1   | 5.2  | 44.3   | 46.8 |
| <b>ALCOHOL</b>                                      | 2,588   | 2,593 | 10.5  | 10.4 | 15.6  | 15.4 | 30.2   | 30.2 |

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<sup>a</sup> Difference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.<sup>b</sup> Difference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.<sup>1</sup> Past Year Initiates are defined as persons who used the substance(s) for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview.<sup>2</sup> At Risk for Initiation is defined as persons who did not use the substance(s) in their lifetime or used the substance(s) for the first time in the past year.<sup>3</sup> Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.<sup>4</sup> Nonmedical use of prescription-type pain relievers, tranquilizers, stimulants, or sedatives; does not include over-the-counter drugs.<sup>5</sup> Daily Cigarette Use is defined as ever smoking every day for at least 30 days.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002 and 2003.

**Table 4.43B Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 18 to 25, Persons Aged 18 to 25 At Risk for Initiation of Substance Use, and Past Year Substance Users Aged 18 to 25: Numbers in Thousands and Percentages, 2002 and 2003**

| Substance   | NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s) <sup>1</sup> |       | PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG TOTAL POPULATION <sup>1</sup> |      | PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PERSONS AT RISK FOR INITIATION <sup>1,2</sup> |      | PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PAST YEAR USERS <sup>1</sup> |      |
|---|---|-------|---|------|---|------|--|------|
|   | 2002  | 2003  | 2002  | 2003 | 2002  | 2003 | 2002   | 2003 |
| <b>ILLCIT DRUG<sup>3</sup></b>                      | 793   | 742   | 2.6   | 2.3  | 6.0   | 5.6  | 7.2  | 6.8  |
| Marijuana and Hashish                               | 733   | 666   | 2.4   | 2.1  | 4.9   | 4.4  | 7.9  | 7.4  |
| Cocaine   | 594   | 576   | 1.9   | 1.8  | 2.2   | 2.1  | 28.5   | 27.5 |
| Crack   | 100   | 109   | 0.3   | 0.3  | 0.3   | 0.4  | 37.7   | 39.8 |
| Heroin  | 66  | 42    | 0.2   | 0.1  | 0.2   | 0.1  | *  | *    |
| Hallucinogens                                       | 584 <sup>b</sup>                                    | 425   | 1.9 <sup>b</sup>  | 1.3  | 2.4 <sup>b</sup>  | 1.7  | 22.2   | 20.1 |
| LSD   | 142   | 98    | 0.5 <sup>a</sup>  | 0.3  | 0.5 <sup>a</sup>  | 0.4  | 25.7   | 28.9 |
| PCP   | 46  | 41    | 0.1   | 0.1  | 0.2   | 0.1  | *  | *    |
| Ecstasy   | 613 <sup>b</sup>                                    | 337   | 2.0 <sup>b</sup>  | 1.1  | 2.3 <sup>b</sup>  | 1.2  | 34.0   | 28.9 |
| Inhalants   | 247   | 247   | 0.8   | 0.8  | 0.9   | 0.9  | 36.0   | 37.4 |
| Nonmedical Use of Psychotherapeutics <sup>4</sup>   |   |       |   |      |   |      |  |      |
| Pain Relievers                                      | 885   | 930   | 2.9   | 2.9  | 3.5   | 3.7  | 25.0   | 24.3 |
| OxyContin <sup>®</sup>                              | --  | --    | --  | --   | --  | --   | --   | --   |
| Tranquilizers                                       | 414   | 457   | 1.3   | 1.4  | 1.5   | 1.6  | 27.4   | 27.2 |
| Stimulants  | 337 <sup>b</sup>                                    | 240   | 1.1 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.8  | 1.2 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.8  | 29.4 <sup>b</sup>  | 21.5 |
| Methamphetamine                                     | 132   | 92    | 0.4   | 0.3  | 0.4   | 0.3  | 25.2   | 18.2 |
| Sedatives   | 53  | 42    | 0.2   | 0.1  | 0.2   | 0.1  | 33.0   | 26.5 |
| <b>ILLCIT DRUG OTHER THAN MARIJUANA<sup>3</sup></b> | 899   | 823   | 2.9   | 2.6  | 4.6   | 4.2  | 14.2   | 13.0 |
| <b>CIGARETTES</b>                                   | 641   | 659   | 2.1   | 2.1  | 6.7   | 6.5  | 4.2  | 4.4  |
| Daily Cigarette Use <sup>5</sup>                    | 447   | 474   | 1.4   | 1.5  | 2.2   | 2.3  | --   | --   |
| <b>SMOKELESS TOBACCO</b>                            | 396   | 353   | 1.3   | 1.1  | 1.6   | 1.4  | 15.9   | 14.2 |
| <b>CIGARS</b>                                       | 1,031   | 1,055 | 3.3   | 3.3  | 5.8   | 5.7  | 14.7   | 14.6 |
| <b>ALCOHOL</b>                                      | 1,230 <sup>a</sup>                                  | 1,430 | 4.0 <sup>a</sup>  | 4.5  | 22.9 <sup>a</sup>   | 25.8 | 5.1 <sup>a</sup>   | 5.8  |

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<sup>a</sup> Difference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.<sup>b</sup> Difference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.<sup>1</sup> Past Year Initiates are defined as persons who used the substance(s) for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview.<sup>2</sup> At Risk for Initiation is defined as persons who did not use the substance(s) in their lifetime or used the substance(s) for the first time in the past year.<sup>3</sup> Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.<sup>4</sup> Nonmedical use of prescription-type pain relievers, tranquilizers, stimulants, or sedatives; does not include over-the-counter drugs.<sup>5</sup> Daily Cigarette Use is defined as ever smoking every day for at least 30 days.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002 and 2003.

**Table 4.44B Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 26 or Older, Persons Aged 26 or Older At Risk for Initiation of Substance Use, and Past Year Substance Users Aged 26 or Older: Numbers in Thousands and Percentages, 2002 and 2003**

| Substance  | NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s) <sup>1</sup> |      | PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG TOTAL POPULATION <sup>1</sup> |      | PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PERSONS AT RISK FOR INITIATION <sup>1,2</sup> |      | PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PAST YEAR USERS <sup>1</sup> |      |
|--|---|------|---|------|---|------|--|------|
|  | 2002  | 2003 | 2002  | 2003 | 2002  | 2003 | 2002   | 2003 |
| <b>ILLICIT DRUG<sup>3</sup></b>                      | 268   | 324  | 0.1   | 0.2  | 0.3   | 0.3  | 1.4  | 1.7  |
| Marijuana and Hashish                                | 90  | 88   | 0.1   | 0.0  | 0.1   | 0.1  | 0.7  | 0.6  |
| Cocaine  | 127   | 128  | 0.1   | 0.1  | 0.1   | 0.1  | 3.6  | 3.8  |
| Crack  | 151   | 83   | 0.1   | 0.0  | 0.1   | 0.0  | 12.7   | 8.1  |
| Heroin   | 12  | 25   | 0.0   | 0.0  | 0.0   | 0.0  | *  | *    |
| Hallucinogens  | 93  | 44   | 0.1   | 0.0  | 0.1   | 0.0  | 7.8  | 4.2  |
| LSD  | 16  | *    | 0.0   | *    | 0.0   | *    | *  | *    |
| PCP  | *   | *    | *   | *    | *   | *    | *  | *    |
| Ecstasy  | 243 <sup>b</sup>                                    | 86   | 0.1 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.0  | 0.1 <sup>b</sup>  | 0.0  | 29.1   | *    |
| Inhalants  | 11  | 24   | 0.0   | 0.0  | 0.0   | 0.0  | *  | *    |
| Nonmedical Use of Psychotherapeutics <sup>4</sup>    |   |      |   |      |   |      |  |      |
| Pain Relievers                                       | 630   | 708  | 0.4   | 0.4  | 0.4   | 0.5  | 7.9  | 8.7  |
| OxyContin <sup>®</sup>                               | 527   | 636  | 0.3   | 0.4  | 0.3   | 0.4  | 9.4  | 10.7 |
| Tranquilizers  | --  | --   | --  | --   | --  | --   | --   | --   |
| Stimulants   | 456   | 295  | 0.3   | 0.2  | 0.3   | 0.2  | 16.5 <sup>a</sup>  | 10.6 |
| Methamphetamine                                      | 106   | 183  | 0.1   | 0.1  | 0.1   | 0.1  | 7.6 <sup>a</sup>   | 17.1 |
| Sedatives  | 36  | 61   | 0.0   | 0.0  | 0.0   | 0.0  | 4.5  | *    |
| Sedatives  | 93  | 86   | 0.1   | 0.0  | 0.1   | 0.1  | *  | *    |
| <b>ILLICIT DRUG OTHER THAN MARIJUANA<sup>3</sup></b> | 459   | 496  | 0.3   | 0.3  | 0.4   | 0.4  | 4.2  | 4.6  |
| <b>CIGARETTES</b>                                    | 111   | 98   | 0.1   | 0.1  | 0.2   | 0.2  | 0.2  | 0.2  |
| Daily Cigarette Use <sup>5</sup>                     | 166   | 150  | 0.1   | 0.1  | 0.2   | 0.2  | --   | --   |
| <b>SMOKELESS TOBACCO</b>                             | 95  | 88   | 0.1   | 0.0  | 0.1   | 0.1  | 1.4  | 1.3  |
| <b>CIGARS</b>  | 714   | 518  | 0.4   | 0.3  | 0.6   | 0.5  | 4.4  | 3.3  |
| <b>ALCOHOL</b>                                       | 124   | 60   | 0.1   | 0.0  | 0.6   | 0.3  | 0.1  | 0.0  |

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Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

<sup>4</sup> Nonmedical use of prescription-type pain relievers, tranquilizers, stimulants, or sedatives; does not include over-the-counter drugs.<sup>5</sup> Daily Cigarette Use is defined as ever smoking every day for at least 30 days.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002 and 2003.

**Table 4.45A Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Gender: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003**

| Substance  | NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s) <sup>1</sup> |       |                  |       |                  |       |
|--|---|-------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
|  | Total   |       | Male             |       | Female           |       |
|  | 2002  | 2003  | 2002             | 2003  | 2002             | 2003  |
| <b>ILLICIT DRUG<sup>2</sup></b>                          | 2,656   | 2,627 | 1,242            | 1,137 | 1,415            | 1,490 |
| Marijuana and Hashish                                    | 2,196 <sup>a</sup>                                  | 1,973 | 1,064            | 929   | 1,132            | 1,044 |
| Cocaine  | 1,032   | 986   | 552              | 548   | 479              | 438   |
| Crack  | 337   | 269   | 190              | 135   | 148              | 134   |
| Heroin   | 117   | 92    | 77               | 59    | 40               | 33    |
| Hallucinogens  | 1,152 <sup>b</sup>                                  | 886   | 569              | 480   | 583 <sup>b</sup> | 406   |
| LSD  | 338 <sup>b</sup>                                    | 200   | 173 <sup>a</sup> | 123   | 165 <sup>b</sup> | 76    |
| PCP  | 123   | 105   | 51               | 59    | 72               | 46    |
| Ecstasy  | 1,206 <sup>b</sup>                                  | 642   | 611 <sup>b</sup> | 328   | 595 <sup>b</sup> | 314   |
| Inhalants  | 849   | 871   | 475              | 457   | 374              | 414   |
| Nonmedical Use of<br>Psychotherapeutics <sup>3</sup>     | 2,552   | 2,583 | 1,150            | 995   | 1,402            | 1,588 |
| Pain Relievers   | 2,320   | 2,456 | 1,090            | 1,007 | 1,230            | 1,448 |
| OxyContin <sup>®</sup>                                   | --  | --    | --               | --    | --               | --    |
| Tranquilizers  | 1,184   | 1,071 | 464              | 415   | 720              | 656   |
| Stimulants   | 783   | 715   | 371              | 272   | 413              | 442   |
| Methamphetamine  | 299   | 260   | 141              | 130   | 158              | 129   |
| Sedatives  | 209   | 194   | 57               | 66    | 152              | 128   |
| <b>ILLICIT DRUG OTHER<br/>THAN MARIJUANA<sup>2</sup></b> | 2,569   | 2,523 | 1,154            | 1,083 | 1,415            | 1,441 |
| <b>CIGARETTES</b>  | 1,940   | 1,983 | 919              | 919   | 1,021            | 1,063 |
| Daily Cigarette Use <sup>4</sup>                         | 1,016   | 1,064 | 530              | 483   | 486              | 581   |
| <b>SMOKELESS TOBACCO</b>                                 | 951   | 928   | 702              | 708   | 249              | 220   |
| <b>CIGARS</b>  | 2,858   | 2,736 | 1,537            | 1,482 | 1,322            | 1,254 |
| <b>ALCOHOL</b>   | 3,942   | 4,082 | 1,756            | 1,827 | 2,186            | 2,255 |

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<sup>a</sup> Difference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.<sup>b</sup> Difference between estimate and 2003 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.<sup>1</sup> Past Year Initiates are defined as persons who used the substance(s) for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview.<sup>2</sup> Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically. Illicit Drugs Other Than Marijuana include cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.<sup>3</sup> Nonmedical use of prescription-type pain relievers, tranquilizers, stimulants, or sedatives; does not include over-the-counter drugs.<sup>4</sup> Daily Cigarette Use is defined as ever smoking every day for at least 30 days.

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**Table 4.46A Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 or Older Who Initiated Use Prior to the Age of 18, by Gender: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003**

| Substance   | NUMBERS OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s) <sup>1</sup> |       |                  |       |                  |       |
|---|--|-------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
|   | Total  |       | Male             |       | Female           |       |
|   | 2002   | 2003  | 2002             | 2003  | 2002             | 2003  |
| <b>ILLCIT DRUG<sup>2</sup></b>                          | 1,720  | 1,699 | 838              | 781   | 883              | 919   |
| Marijuana and Hashish                                   | 1,488 <sup>a</sup>                                   | 1,330 | 732 <sup>a</sup> | 603   | 757              | 728   |
| Cocaine   | 369  | 341   | 180              | 162   | 188              | 179   |
| Crack   | 94   | 86    | 36               | 36    | 58               | 49    |
| Heroin  | 42   | 28    | 18               | 14    | 24               | 15    |
| Hallucinogens   | 587 <sup>b</sup>                                     | 467   | 277 <sup>a</sup> | 209   | 309              | 258   |
| LSD   | 216 <sup>b</sup>                                     | 114   | 111 <sup>b</sup> | 57    | 105 <sup>b</sup> | 57    |
| PCP   | 93   | 63    | 42               | 32    | 51               | 31    |
| Ecstasy   | 450 <sup>b</sup>                                     | 244   | 198 <sup>b</sup> | 101   | 252 <sup>b</sup> | 143   |
| Inhalants   | 626  | 665   | 330              | 321   | 296              | 344   |
| Nonmedical Use of<br>Psychotherapeutics <sup>3</sup>    | 1,100  | 1,036 | 519              | 469   | 581              | 567   |
| Pain Relievers  | 1,007  | 1,020 | 484              | 474   | 523              | 546   |
| OxyContin <sup>®</sup>                                  | --   | --    | --               | --    | --               | --    |
| Tranquilizers   | 352  | 366   | 147              | 153   | 204              | 213   |
| Stimulants  | 394 <sup>a</sup>                                     | 308   | 182 <sup>a</sup> | 127   | 212              | 182   |
| Methamphetamine   | 149  | 111   | 58               | 49    | 91               | 62    |
| Sedatives   | 66   | 73    | 19               | 35    | 47               | 38    |
| <b>ILLCIT DRUG OTHER<br/>THAN MARIJUANA<sup>2</sup></b> | 1,354  | 1,325 | 651              | 629   | 703              | 696   |
| <b>CIGARETTES</b>                                       | 1,316  | 1,352 | 618              | 628   | 698              | 724   |
| Daily Cigarette Use <sup>4</sup>                        | 483  | 526   | 257              | 249   | 226              | 278   |
| <b>SMOKELESS TOBACCO</b>                                | 504  | 544   | 382              | 440   | 122              | 104   |
| <b>CIGARS</b>   | 1,263  | 1,297 | 753              | 752   | 509              | 545   |
| <b>ALCOHOL</b>  | 2,807  | 2,819 | 1,269            | 1,282 | 1,539            | 1,537 |

\*Low precision, no estimate reported.

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**Table 4.47A Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 or Older Who Initiated Use Prior to the Age of 21, by Gender: Numbers in Thousands, 2002 and 2003**

| Substance   | NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s) <sup>1</sup> |       |                  |       |                  |       |
|---|---|-------|------------------|-------|------------------|-------|
|   | Total   |       | Male             |       | Female           |       |
|   | 2002  | 2003  | 2002             | 2003  | 2002             | 2003  |
| <b>ILLCIT DRUG<sup>2</sup></b>                          | 2,197   | 2,126 | 1,060            | 970   | 1,137            | 1,156 |
| Marijuana and Hashish                                   | 1,943 <sup>a</sup>                                  | 1,744 | 952 <sup>a</sup> | 808   | 991              | 936   |
| Cocaine   | 694   | 662   | 364              | 363   | 330              | 299   |
| Crack   | 139   | 146   | 61               | 76    | 78               | 69    |
| Heroin  | 88 <sup>a</sup>                                     | 49    | 53               | 30    | 35               | 19    |
| Hallucinogens   | 918 <sup>b</sup>                                    | 756   | 441              | 392   | 477 <sup>b</sup> | 364   |
| LSD   | 300 <sup>b</sup>                                    | 174   | 156 <sup>a</sup> | 102   | 144 <sup>b</sup> | 72    |
| PCP   | 118   | 92    | 51               | 51    | 67 <sup>a</sup>  | 41    |
| Ecstasy   | 767 <sup>b</sup>                                    | 461   | 351 <sup>b</sup> | 213   | 416 <sup>b</sup> | 248   |
| Inhalants   | 771   | 791   | 428              | 412   | 343              | 379   |
| Nonmedical Use of<br>Psychotherapeutics <sup>3</sup>    | 1,608   | 1,544 | 778              | 701   | 830              | 843   |
| Pain Relievers  | 1,484   | 1,495 | 715              | 706   | 768              | 789   |
| OxyContin <sup>®</sup>                                  | --  | --    | --               | --    | --               | --    |
| Tranquilizers   | 557   | 582   | 264              | 253   | 294              | 329   |
| Stimulants  | 580 <sup>b</sup>                                    | 453   | 285 <sup>a</sup> | 203   | 295              | 250   |
| Methamphetamine   | 209   | 166   | 91               | 90    | 118 <sup>a</sup> | 76    |
| Sedatives   | 86  | 91    | 31               | 43    | 55               | 48    |
| <b>ILLCIT DRUG OTHER<br/>THAN MARIJUANA<sup>2</sup></b> | 1,812   | 1,766 | 869              | 842   | 943              | 924   |
| <b>CIGARETTES</b>                                       | 1,694   | 1,758 | 819              | 824   | 875              | 934   |
| Daily Cigarette Use <sup>4</sup>                        | 764   | 808   | 415              | 398   | 349              | 410   |
| <b>SMOKELESS TOBACCO</b>                                | 761   | 750   | 578              | 593   | 183              | 157   |
| <b>CIGARS</b>   | 1,906   | 1,964 | 1,144            | 1,157 | 762              | 807   |
| <b>ALCOHOL</b>  | 3,467   | 3,644 | 1,605            | 1,660 | 1,862            | 1,984 |

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