

**Table 3.44C Number of Times Attended Religious Services in the Past Year, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Number of Times Attended Religious Services in the Past Year (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2003 and 2004**

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Times Attended Religious Services <sup>1</sup>			
	25 or More		Fewer Than 25	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
<b>(I) Demographic Characteristic</b>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	123	118	123	118
<b>AGE</b>				
12-13	62	60	62	60
14-15	61	61	61	61
16-17	59	60	59	60
<b>GENDER</b>				
Male	74	79	74	79
Female	83	77	83	77
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>				
Not Hispanic or Latino	111	106	111	106
White	94	86	94	86
Black or African American	42	45	42	45
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	6	*	6
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	24	26	24	26
Two or More Races	12	11	12	11
Hispanic or Latino	43	45	43	45
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>				
Large Metro	97	89	97	89
Small Metro	64	67	64	67
Nonmetro	39	42	39	42
<b>(II) Substance Use</b>				
<b>PAST MONTH</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	29	31	60	56
Marijuana	25	25	53	49
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	23	21	42	42
Cigarettes	31	30	65	65
Alcohol	41	42	72	71
Binge Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	31	31	56	63
<b>PAST YEAR</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	44	42	76	71
Marijuana	38	36	65	63
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	37	35	66	61
Cigarettes	42	39	77	75
Alcohol	56	53	86	85
<b>LIFETIME</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	52	49	85	75
Marijuana	44	39	76	67
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	45	44	77	72
Cigarettes	53	49	95	84
Alcohol	63	57	85	90

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Special occasions, such as weddings, funerals, or other special events, were not to have been considered in the number of times attended religious services.

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<sup>3</sup> Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days.

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(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Times Attended Religious Services <sup>1</sup>			
	25 or More		Fewer Than 25	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
<b>(I) Demographic Characteristic</b>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	0.50	0.48	0.50	0.48
<b>AGE</b>				
12-13	0.75	0.75	0.75	0.75
14-15	0.75	0.72	0.75	0.72
16-17	0.72	0.74	0.72	0.74
<b>GENDER</b>				
Male	0.59	0.62	0.59	0.62
Female	0.69	0.63	0.69	0.63
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.54	0.51	0.54	0.51
White	0.61	0.56	0.61	0.56
Black or African American	1.14	1.22	1.14	1.22
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	3.46	*	3.46
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	2.60	2.64	2.60	2.64
Two or More Races	2.94	2.58	2.94	2.58
Hispanic or Latino	1.07	1.09	1.07	1.09
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>				
Large Metro	0.74	0.68	0.74	0.68
Small Metro	0.88	0.90	0.88	0.90
Nonmetro	0.93	1.02	0.93	1.02
<b>(II) Substance Use</b>				
<b>PAST MONTH</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.36	0.39	0.37	0.34
Marijuana	0.31	0.32	0.32	0.29
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.28	0.27	0.25	0.25
Cigarettes	0.39	0.38	0.39	0.39
Alcohol	0.51	0.52	0.44	0.42
Binge Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	0.39	0.40	0.34	0.38
<b>PAST YEAR</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.55	0.54	0.46	0.42
Marijuana	0.47	0.46	0.40	0.38
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.45	0.44	0.40	0.36
Cigarettes	0.52	0.50	0.47	0.45
Alcohol	0.70	0.67	0.52	0.51
<b>LIFETIME</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.65	0.62	0.52	0.45
Marijuana	0.55	0.50	0.46	0.40
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.56	0.55	0.47	0.43
Cigarettes	0.66	0.62	0.57	0.50
Alcohol	0.78	0.72	0.51	0.54

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(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Times Attended Religious Services <sup>1</sup>			
	25 or More		Fewer Than 25	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
<b>(I) Demographic Characteristic</b>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	0.2183		0.2183	
<b>AGE</b>				
12-13	0.3638		0.3638	
14-15	0.9245		0.9245	
16-17	0.1007		0.1007	
<b>GENDER</b>				
Male	0.3937		0.3937	
Female	0.3243		0.3243	
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.2735		0.2735	
White	0.2907		0.2907	
Black or African American	0.5702		0.5702	
American Indian or Alaska Native	*		*	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*		*	
Asian	0.4787		0.4787	
Two or More Races	0.2961		0.2961	
Hispanic or Latino	0.6911		0.6911	
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>				
Large Metro	0.1810		0.1810	
Small Metro	0.7376		0.7376	
Nonmetro	0.9569		0.9569	
<b>(II) Substance Use</b>				
<b>PAST MONTH</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.2457		0.1614	
Marijuana	0.4287		0.3762	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.1675		0.3290	
Cigarettes	0.4507		0.1412	
Alcohol	0.8546		0.7126	
Binge Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	0.9964		0.2527	
<b>PAST YEAR</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.5141		0.1185	
Marijuana	0.8900		0.1873	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.5880		0.3416	
Cigarettes	0.7709		0.1962	
Alcohol	0.5254		0.6970	
<b>LIFETIME</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.5121		0.3485	
Marijuana	0.5860		0.2179	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.7314		0.9295	
Cigarettes	0.1241		0.0028	
Alcohol	0.2519		0.3060	

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(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Life <sup>1</sup>			
	Agree/Strongly Agree		Disagree/Strongly Disagree	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
<b>(I) Demographic Characteristic</b>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	96	100	96	100
<b>AGE</b>				
12-13	43	50	43	50
14-15	54	55	54	55
16-17	56	56	56	56
<b>GENDER</b>				
Male	65	74	65	74
Female	60	63	60	63
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>				
Not Hispanic or Latino	86	90	86	90
White	73	73	73	73
Black or African American	32	32	32	32
American Indian or Alaska Native	5	7	5	7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	24	23	24	23
Two or More Races	11	12	11	12
Hispanic or Latino	41	43	41	43
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>				
Large Metro	74	76	74	76
Small Metro	51	55	51	55
Nonmetro	33	35	33	35
<b>(II) Substance Use</b>				
<b>PAST MONTH</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	54	54	40	38
Marijuana	46	44	36	34
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	38	38	32	30
Cigarettes	57	55	40	42
Alcohol	66	65	45	46
Binge Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	50	55	39	41
<b>PAST YEAR</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	74	73	50	48
Marijuana	59	63	45	44
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	62	59	47	41
Cigarettes	70	70	47	48
Alcohol	86	89	52	50
<b>LIFETIME</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	86	84	51	48
Marijuana	69	73	50	45
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	76	73	50	46
Cigarettes	88	86	52	51
Alcohol	95	92	53	50

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Life <sup>1</sup>			
	Agree/Strongly Agree		Disagree/Strongly Disagree	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
<b>(I) Demographic Characteristic</b>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	0.39	0.41	0.39	0.41
<b>AGE</b>				
12-13	0.52	0.62	0.52	0.62
14-15	0.66	0.65	0.66	0.65
16-17	0.68	0.70	0.68	0.70
<b>GENDER</b>				
Male	0.52	0.59	0.52	0.59
Female	0.49	0.52	0.49	0.52
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.42	0.44	0.42	0.44
White	0.47	0.48	0.47	0.48
Black or African American	0.88	0.86	0.88	0.86
American Indian or Alaska Native	3.06	4.55	3.06	4.55
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	2.56	2.42	2.56	2.42
Two or More Races	2.80	2.70	2.80	2.70
Hispanic or Latino	1.04	1.04	1.04	1.04
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>				
Large Metro	0.57	0.58	0.57	0.58
Small Metro	0.70	0.73	0.70	0.73
Nonmetro	0.79	0.84	0.79	0.84
<b>(II) Substance Use</b>				
<b>PAST MONTH</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.29	0.29	0.70	0.67
Marijuana	0.24	0.23	0.63	0.60
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.20	0.20	0.56	0.53
Cigarettes	0.30	0.29	0.69	0.74
Alcohol	0.35	0.34	0.78	0.82
Binge Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	0.27	0.29	0.69	0.73
<b>PAST YEAR</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.39	0.39	0.87	0.85
Marijuana	0.31	0.33	0.79	0.77
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.33	0.31	0.82	0.72
Cigarettes	0.37	0.37	0.83	0.84
Alcohol	0.46	0.47	0.91	0.89
<b>LIFETIME</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.46	0.44	0.89	0.85
Marijuana	0.37	0.39	0.88	0.80
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.40	0.38	0.88	0.82
Cigarettes	0.47	0.45	0.91	0.91
Alcohol	0.50	0.49	0.92	0.88

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(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Life <sup>1</sup>			
	Agree/Strongly Agree		Disagree/Strongly Disagree	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
<b>(I) Demographic Characteristic</b>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	0.5792		0.5792	
<b>AGE</b>				
12-13	0.6732		0.6732	
14-15	0.4491		0.4491	
16-17	0.5151		0.5151	
<b>GENDER</b>				
Male	0.9686		0.9686	
Female	0.3912		0.3912	
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.5935		0.5935	
White	0.9692		0.9692	
Black or African American	0.5164		0.5164	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.5491		0.5491	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*		*	
Asian	0.1124		0.1124	
Two or More Races	0.3121		0.3121	
Hispanic or Latino	0.9073		0.9073	
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>				
Large Metro	0.4259		0.4259	
Small Metro	0.8931		0.8931	
Nonmetro	0.9142		0.9142	
<b>(II) Substance Use</b>				
<b>PAST MONTH</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.0883		0.4527	
Marijuana	0.1496		0.8597	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.2729		0.1889	
Cigarettes	0.3671		0.9618	
Alcohol	0.7812		0.9199	
Binge Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	0.3051		0.5587	
<b>PAST YEAR</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.1223		0.5888	
Marijuana	0.2102		0.9881	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.4369		0.3308	
Cigarettes	0.3748		0.6930	
Alcohol	0.2499		0.3250	
<b>LIFETIME</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.2539		0.6120	
Marijuana	0.3161		0.7635	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.6005		0.3581	
Cigarettes	0.0048		0.2691	
Alcohol	0.1020		0.6490	

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(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Religious Beliefs Influence How Youths Make Decisions in Life <sup>1</sup>			
	Agree/Strongly Agree		Disagree/Strongly Disagree	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
<b>(I) Demographic Characteristic</b>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	105	108	105	108
<b>AGE</b>				
12-13	56	54	56	54
14-15	57	59	57	59
16-17	63	59	63	59
<b>GENDER</b>				
Male	72	79	72	79
Female	73	66	73	66
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>				
Not Hispanic or Latino	96	96	96	96
White	79	82	79	82
Black or African American	36	39	36	39
American Indian or Alaska Native	7	7	7	7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	29	24	29	24
Two or More Races	13	14	13	14
Hispanic or Latino	41	49	41	49
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>				
Large Metro	82	84	82	84
Small Metro	57	54	57	54
Nonmetro	36	38	36	38
<b>(II) Substance Use</b>				
<b>PAST MONTH</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	49	46	45	45
Marijuana	41	37	42	41
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	37	32	32	34
Cigarettes	50	47	48	51
Alcohol	60	59	53	56
Binge Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	46	47	44	52
<b>PAST YEAR</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	70	64	58	55
Marijuana	56	54	52	51
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	56	52	50	46
Cigarettes	62	60	57	57
Alcohol	80	83	66	60
<b>LIFETIME</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	80	75	60	56
Marijuana	64	63	58	53
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	71	65	53	53
Cigarettes	80	77	65	63
Alcohol	91	86	64	60

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(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Religious Beliefs Influence How Youths Make Decisions in Life <sup>1</sup>			
	Agree/Strongly Agree		Disagree/Strongly Disagree	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
<b>(I) Demographic Characteristic</b>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	0.43	0.44	0.43	0.44
<b>AGE</b>				
12-13	0.68	0.67	0.68	0.67
14-15	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70
16-17	0.77	0.74	0.77	0.74
<b>GENDER</b>				
Male	0.58	0.63	0.58	0.63
Female	0.61	0.55	0.61	0.55
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.47	0.47	0.47	0.47
White	0.52	0.54	0.52	0.54
Black or African American	0.98	1.07	0.98	1.07
American Indian or Alaska Native	4.11	4.07	4.11	4.07
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	3.01	2.50	3.01	2.50
Two or More Races	3.40	3.18	3.40	3.18
Hispanic or Latino	1.04	1.20	1.04	1.20
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>				
Large Metro	0.63	0.64	0.63	0.64
Small Metro	0.79	0.72	0.79	0.72
Nonmetro	0.86	0.92	0.86	0.92
<b>(II) Substance Use</b>				
<b>PAST MONTH</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.29	0.27	0.58	0.57
Marijuana	0.25	0.22	0.54	0.52
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.22	0.19	0.40	0.43
Cigarettes	0.30	0.28	0.61	0.65
Alcohol	0.36	0.35	0.68	0.71
Binge Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	0.28	0.28	0.56	0.67
<b>PAST YEAR</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.42	0.38	0.75	0.70
Marijuana	0.33	0.32	0.67	0.64
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.34	0.31	0.64	0.58
Cigarettes	0.37	0.36	0.74	0.72
Alcohol	0.48	0.49	0.84	0.76
<b>LIFETIME</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.48	0.45	0.77	0.71
Marijuana	0.38	0.38	0.74	0.68
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.43	0.39	0.68	0.67
Cigarettes	0.48	0.46	0.83	0.80
Alcohol	0.54	0.51	0.82	0.76

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

<sup>1</sup> Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

<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> Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2003 and 2004.



**Table 3.46P Youths' Feelings That Religious Beliefs Influence How Youths Make Decisions in Life, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Youths' Feelings That Religious Beliefs Influence How They Make Decisions in Life (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2004 Versus 2003**

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Religious Beliefs Influence How Youths Make Decisions in Life <sup>1</sup>			
	Agree/Strongly Agree		Disagree/Strongly Disagree	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
<b>(I) Demographic Characteristic</b>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	0.7774		0.7774	
<b>AGE</b>				
12-13	0.6541		0.6541	
14-15	0.7120		0.7120	
16-17	0.6213		0.6213	
<b>GENDER</b>				
Male	0.5836		0.5836	
Female	0.8842		0.8842	
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.8482		0.8482	
White	0.6555		0.6555	
Black or African American	0.7186		0.7186	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.3186		0.3186	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*		*	
Asian	0.1835		0.1835	
Two or More Races	0.5188		0.5188	
Hispanic or Latino	0.7771		0.7771	
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>				
Large Metro	0.9688		0.9688	
Small Metro	0.6174		0.6174	
Nonmetro	0.9737		0.9737	
<b>(II) Substance Use</b>				
<b>PAST MONTH</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.0064		0.9692	
Marijuana	0.1248		0.8171	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.0459		0.8098	
Cigarettes	0.0598		0.6796	
Alcohol	0.4724		0.7964	
Binge Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	0.7088		0.3783	
<b>PAST YEAR</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.0399		0.9881	
Marijuana	0.1633		0.7940	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.0885		0.7960	
Cigarettes	0.0469		0.8406	
Alcohol	0.1849		0.4516	
<b>LIFETIME</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.0698		0.4102	
Marijuana	0.1535		0.7976	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.2054		0.1351	
Cigarettes	0.0005		0.3733	
Alcohol	0.0568		0.8618	

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

<sup>1</sup> Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

<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> Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2003 and 2004.

**Table 3.47C Youths' Feelings That It Is Important for Friends to Share Youths' Religious Beliefs, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Youths' Feelings That It Is Important for Friends to Share Their Religious Beliefs (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2003 and 2004**

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Important for Friends to Share Religious Beliefs <sup>1</sup>			
	Agree/Strongly Agree		Disagree/Strongly Disagree	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
<b>(I) Demographic Characteristic</b>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	107	112	107	112
<b>AGE</b>				
12-13	60	61	60	61
14-15	57	60	57	60
16-17	57	57	57	57
<b>GENDER</b>				
Male	70	74	70	74
Female	74	77	74	77
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>				
Not Hispanic or Latino	98	99	98	99
White	84	83	84	83
Black or African American	42	41	42	41
American Indian or Alaska Native	8	7	8	7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	25	29	25	29
Two or More Races	11	11	11	11
Hispanic or Latino	47	50	47	50
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>				
Large Metro	83	84	83	84
Small Metro	60	66	60	66
Nonmetro	41	42	41	42
<b>(II) Substance Use</b>				
<b>PAST MONTH</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	32	32	57	59
Marijuana	25	25	53	51
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	28	23	40	42
Cigarettes	30	34	64	64
Alcohol	38	40	70	70
Binge Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	30	32	57	62
<b>PAST YEAR</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	48	45	78	76
Marijuana	36	37	69	68
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	42	37	66	61
Cigarettes	42	42	77	73
Alcohol	54	54	90	87
<b>LIFETIME</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	57	50	85	79
Marijuana	42	41	78	75
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	53	45	78	71
Cigarettes	55	49	89	85
Alcohol	64	60	88	92

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

<sup>1</sup> Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

<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> Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2003 and 2004.

**Table 3.47D Youths' Feelings That It Is Important for Friends to Share Youths' Religious Beliefs, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Youths' Feelings That It Is Important for Friends to Share Their Religious Beliefs (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2003 and 2004**

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Important for Friends to Share Religious Beliefs <sup>1</sup>			
	Agree/Strongly Agree		Disagree/Strongly Disagree	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
<b>(I) Demographic Characteristic</b>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	0.44	0.46	0.44	0.46
<b>AGE</b>				
12-13	0.73	0.76	0.73	0.76
14-15	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70
16-17	0.70	0.70	0.70	0.70
<b>GENDER</b>				
Male	0.56	0.59	0.56	0.59
Female	0.62	0.64	0.62	0.64
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.48	0.48	0.48	0.48
White	0.55	0.55	0.55	0.55
Black or African American	1.16	1.12	1.16	1.12
American Indian or Alaska Native	4.68	4.39	4.68	4.39
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*
Asian	2.60	2.98	2.60	2.98
Two or More Races	2.72	2.49	2.72	2.49
Hispanic or Latino	1.19	1.21	1.19	1.21
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>				
Large Metro	0.64	0.64	0.64	0.64
Small Metro	0.83	0.89	0.83	0.89
Nonmetro	0.98	1.02	0.98	1.02
<b>(II) Substance Use</b>				
<b>PAST MONTH</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.38	0.38	0.36	0.36
Marijuana	0.29	0.30	0.33	0.31
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.32	0.27	0.25	0.26
Cigarettes	0.36	0.40	0.40	0.39
Alcohol	0.44	0.48	0.44	0.43
Binge Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	0.36	0.39	0.35	0.38
<b>PAST YEAR</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.56	0.54	0.49	0.47
Marijuana	0.42	0.44	0.43	0.42
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.49	0.44	0.41	0.37
Cigarettes	0.49	0.50	0.48	0.45
Alcohol	0.63	0.65	0.56	0.54
<b>LIFETIME</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.67	0.59	0.53	0.49
Marijuana	0.49	0.49	0.49	0.46
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.63	0.54	0.49	0.44
Cigarettes	0.65	0.58	0.56	0.52
Alcohol	0.76	0.71	0.55	0.57

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

<sup>1</sup> Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

<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> Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2003 and 2004.

**Table 3.47P Youths' Feelings That It Is Important for Friends to Share Youths' Religious Beliefs, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Substance Use, by Youths' Feelings That It Is Important for Friends to Share Their Religious Beliefs (II), among Persons Aged 12 to 17: P Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2004 Versus 2003**

(I) Demographic Characteristic and (II) Substance Use	Important for Friends to Share Religious Beliefs <sup>1</sup>			
	Agree/Strongly Agree		Disagree/Strongly Disagree	
	2003	2004	2003	2004
<b>(I) Demographic Characteristic</b>				
<b>TOTAL</b>	0.3403		0.3403	
<b>AGE</b>				
12-13	0.7813		0.7813	
14-15	0.0158		0.0158	
16-17	0.6824		0.6824	
<b>GENDER</b>				
Male	0.0705		0.0705	
Female	0.7780		0.7780	
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>				
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.5538		0.5538	
White	0.4100		0.4100	
Black or African American	0.5579		0.5579	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.6096		0.6096	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*		*	
Asian	0.8125		0.8125	
Two or More Races	0.1904		0.1904	
Hispanic or Latino	0.3380		0.3380	
<b>COUNTY TYPE</b>				
Large Metro	0.1088		0.1088	
Small Metro	0.6125		0.6125	
Nonmetro	0.9463		0.9463	
<b>(II) Substance Use</b>				
<b>PAST MONTH</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.3214		0.0982	
Marijuana	0.7399		0.1097	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.0254		0.6059	
Cigarettes	0.3379		0.1059	
Alcohol	0.9389		0.5516	
Binge Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	0.6504		0.4400	
<b>PAST YEAR</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.4584		0.1614	
Marijuana	0.4328		0.0745	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.0640		0.8547	
Cigarettes	0.5963		0.0646	
Alcohol	0.7061		0.5071	
<b>LIFETIME</b>				
Illicit Drug <sup>2</sup>	0.1213		0.8341	
Marijuana	0.5623		0.0576	
Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana <sup>2</sup>	0.0037		0.1114	
Cigarettes	0.1883		0.0019	
Alcohol	0.2545		0.2434	

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

<sup>1</sup> Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

<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> Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days.

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