

**Table 7.44C Illicit Drug Dependence or Abuse in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Age First Used Marijuana and Demographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		AGE FIRST USED MARIJUANA						Never Used Marijuana	
			14 or Younger		15-17		18 or Older			
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	205	199	122	116	131	108	90	105	68	56
AGE										
18-25	82	83	60	60	53	53	30	30	12	18
26-34	107	101	64	64	78	57	44	45	42	36
35-49	122	114	74	76	70	60	53	55	32	35
50 or Older	88	92	*	*	55	51	56	66	42	23
GENDER										
Male	161	158	96	99	107	93	79	70	50	45
Female	120	121	71	55	71	64	50	76	46	34
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE										
Not Hispanic or Latino	186	189	111	111	119	104	84	101	57	51
White	166	155	99	90	101	90	71	76	33	38
Black or African American	79	94	39	61	50	49	42	43	13	28
Other or Two or More Races	54	58	33	22	29	13	20	48	45	23
Hispanic or Latino	80	59	43	33	58	31	32	30	37	23
EDUCATION										
< High School	98	107	61	68	54	51	33	56	42	26
High School Graduate	117	117	60	72	72	60	51	56	48	43
Some College	112	93	66	49	63	59	58	45	19	28
College Graduate	102	84	33	32	69	55	39	53	15	11

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence or abuse is based on definitions found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

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**Table 7.44D Illicit Drug Dependence or Abuse in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Age First Used Marijuana and Demographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		AGE FIRST USED MARIJUANA						Never Used Marijuana	
			14 or Younger		15-17		18 or Older			
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.10	0.09	0.67	0.66	0.35	0.30	0.22	0.25	0.06	0.05
AGE										
18-25	0.26	0.26	0.98	1.02	0.61	0.57	0.66	0.69	0.08	0.12
26-34	0.31	0.29	1.69	1.83	1.05	0.82	0.59	0.60	0.24	0.21
35-49	0.19	0.17	0.92	0.97	0.42	0.37	0.41	0.42	0.12	0.12
50 or Older	0.11	0.11	*	*	1.50	1.38	0.35	0.37	0.07	0.04
GENDER										
Male	0.16	0.15	0.88	0.92	0.55	0.49	0.36	0.32	0.09	0.08
Female	0.11	0.11	0.99	0.86	0.43	0.39	0.26	0.37	0.07	0.05
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE										
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.10	0.10	0.69	0.72	0.35	0.33	0.22	0.26	0.06	0.05
White	0.11	0.10	0.74	0.71	0.36	0.34	0.23	0.23	0.04	0.05
Black or African American	0.32	0.37	2.36	3.00	1.16	1.29	0.86	0.87	0.09	0.20
Other or Two or More Races	0.44	0.44	4.34	3.09	2.28	1.02	1.15	2.63	0.50	0.24
Hispanic or Latino	0.30	0.21	2.21	1.68	1.81	0.96	1.05	0.91	0.19	0.12
EDUCATION										
< High School	0.27	0.30	1.63	1.78	1.18	1.10	0.88	1.57	0.17	0.11
High School Graduate	0.18	0.17	1.08	1.19	0.61	0.51	0.48	0.50	0.12	0.11
Some College	0.20	0.17	1.29	1.05	0.59	0.57	0.51	0.37	0.07	0.10
College Graduate	0.18	0.14	1.12	1.14	0.76	0.65	0.26	0.34	0.05	0.04

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence or abuse is based on definitions found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.

**Table 7.44P Illicit Drug Dependence or Abuse in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Age First Used Marijuana and Demographic Characteristics: P Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		AGE FIRST USED MARIJUANA						Never Used Marijuana	
			14 or Younger		15-17		18 or Older			
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.1926		0.8654		0.4371		0.3351		0.8673	
AGE										
18-25	0.8677		0.9088		0.9716		0.7566		0.3476	
26-34	0.0811		0.7060		0.1484		0.3867		0.8126	
35-49	0.4276		0.6863		0.4914		0.8092		0.5757	
50 or Older	0.8054		*		0.6171		0.6609		0.6608	
GENDER										
Male	0.0676		0.8733		0.1691		0.0429		0.9000	
Female	0.8270		0.5010		0.5041		0.3515		0.9214	
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE										
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.4933		0.6083		0.7164		0.3966		0.6037	
White	0.3366		0.9669		0.9329		0.1830		0.2156	
Black or African American	0.5640		0.2366		0.9173		0.3979		0.4486	
Other or Two or More Races	0.6210		0.5138		0.1052		0.1185		0.3681	
Hispanic or Latino	0.0564		0.0494		0.2314		0.5672		0.5682	
EDUCATION										
< High School	0.8653		0.8125		0.9308		0.3897		0.3394	
High School Graduate	0.8346		0.4128		0.6874		0.2605		0.5036	
Some College	0.0287		0.1286		0.4150		0.2223		0.2433	
College Graduate	0.5595		0.7259		0.6493		0.9848		0.4146	

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence or abuse is based on definitions found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.

**Table 7.45C Alcohol Dependence or Abuse in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Age First Used Alcohol and Demographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		AGE FIRST USED ALCOHOL					
			14 or Younger		15-17		18 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
<b>TOTAL</b>	411	394	220	251	274	253	198	193
<b>AGE</b>								
18-25	119	119	88	87	79	87	44	45
26-34	165	173	118	112	116	111	84	94
35-49	228	228	153	154	136	144	96	101
50 or Older	242	220	95	128	171	141	137	124
<b>GENDER</b>								
Male	315	315	195	206	218	210	167	149
Female	210	210	107	128	139	123	100	115
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>								
Not Hispanic or Latino	386	353	205	229	249	241	188	171
White	361	344	197	213	229	219	161	139
Black or African American	131	137	47	77	87	76	83	78
Other or Two or More Races	82	80	44	24	43	50	53	57
Hispanic or Latino	139	158	96	98	100	81	64	92
<b>EDUCATION</b>								
< High School	161	179	92	112	95	92	82	85
High School Graduate	198	202	113	127	125	134	104	81
Some College	212	207	132	117	120	127	98	101
College Graduate	228	231	102	125	171	144	101	115

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Dependence or abuse is based on definitions found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.

**Table 7.45D Alcohol Dependence or Abuse in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Age First Used Alcohol and Demographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005**

Demographic Characteristic	Total <sup>1</sup>		AGE FIRST USED ALCOHOL					
			14 or Younger		15-17		18 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
<b>TOTAL</b>	0.19	0.18	0.54	0.60	0.38	0.33	0.25	0.23
<b>AGE</b>								
18-25	0.37	0.37	0.82	0.82	0.56	0.56	0.54	0.55
26-34	0.47	0.50	1.31	1.29	0.87	0.87	0.74	0.75
35-49	0.35	0.35	0.97	0.99	0.54	0.55	0.47	0.49
50 or Older	0.29	0.26	1.17	1.42	0.78	0.60	0.34	0.30
<b>GENDER</b>								
Male	0.30	0.30	0.75	0.80	0.53	0.51	0.49	0.44
Female	0.19	0.19	0.72	0.84	0.43	0.36	0.21	0.24
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>								
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.20	0.19	0.55	0.62	0.38	0.35	0.27	0.24
White	0.23	0.21	0.61	0.67	0.42	0.37	0.29	0.25
Black or African American	0.51	0.53	1.60	2.22	1.28	1.19	0.80	0.72
Other or Two or More Races	0.67	0.62	2.80	2.06	1.50	1.76	1.03	1.01
Hispanic or Latino	0.52	0.57	2.18	2.07	1.29	1.04	0.65	0.87
<b>EDUCATION</b>								
< High School	0.44	0.49	1.59	1.73	0.96	0.95	0.65	0.74
High School Graduate	0.29	0.29	0.99	1.07	0.54	0.58	0.42	0.31
Some College	0.38	0.36	1.11	1.00	0.61	0.62	0.49	0.48
College Graduate	0.39	0.37	0.86	1.09	0.86	0.68	0.47	0.48

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Dependence or abuse is based on definitions found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

<sup>1</sup> Estimates in the Total column represent persons aged 18 or older, regardless of whether they ever used alcohol.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.

**Table 7.45P Alcohol Dependence or Abuse in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Age First Used Alcohol and Demographic Characteristics: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004**

Demographic Characteristic	Total <sup>1</sup>		AGE FIRST USED ALCOHOL					
			14 or Younger		15-17		18 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
<b>TOTAL</b>	0.8756		0.8522		0.8360		0.7014	
<b>AGE</b>								
18-25	0.8498		0.4640		0.6502		0.6784	
26-34	0.7369		0.4993		0.6126		0.9280	
35-49	0.8580		0.6638		0.6550		0.8679	
50 or Older	0.7572		0.3103		0.7810		0.6781	
<b>GENDER</b>								
Male	0.3812		0.2619		0.5119		0.2022	
Female	0.3252		0.1633		0.6270		0.3197	
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>								
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.8034		0.9673		0.6350		0.4229	
White	0.6547		0.4891		0.6860		0.6238	
Black or African American	0.6781		0.0317		0.8270		0.2967	
Other or Two or More Races	0.8972		0.9795		0.3231		0.8959	
Hispanic or Latino	0.8561		0.5764		0.4976		0.4193	
<b>EDUCATION</b>								
< High School	0.8703		0.4589		0.6306		0.8624	
High School Graduate	0.8554		0.9201		0.3152		0.1471	
Some College	0.9347		0.5323		0.5951		0.8030	
College Graduate	0.9675		0.4248		0.5291		0.7457	

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<sup>1</sup> Estimates in the Total column represent persons aged 18 or older, regardless of whether they ever used alcohol.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.

**Table 7.46C Alcohol Dependence or Abuse in the Past Year among Persons Aged 21 or Older, by Age First Used Alcohol and Age Group: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005**

Age Group	Total		AGE FIRST USED ALCOHOL							
			14 or Younger		15-17		18-20		21 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
<b>21 OR OLDER</b>	408	400	211	242	269	245	166	170	103	89
21 to 25	106	109	62	65	59	64	33	39	20	12
26 or Older	383	372	203	235	255	233	162	163	100	88
26 to 49	276	295	188	194	177	185	103	122	72	62
26 to 34	174	186	118	112	116	111	69	83	46	45
35 to 49	230	236	153	154	136	144	78	91	55	42
50 or Older	245	227	95	128	171	141	115	107	69	63

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Dependence or abuse is based on definitions found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.

**Table 7.46D Alcohol Dependence or Abuse in the Past Year among Persons Aged 21 or Older, by Age First Used Alcohol and Age Group: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005**

Age Group	Total <sup>1</sup>		AGE FIRST USED ALCOHOL							
			14 or Younger		15-17		18-20		21 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
<b>21 OR OLDER</b>	0.20	0.18	0.56	0.64	0.40	0.35	0.35	0.34	0.34	0.29
21 to 25	0.45	0.46	1.01	1.11	0.75	0.75	0.71	0.84	1.09	0.69
26 or Older	0.21	0.19	0.63	0.71	0.42	0.37	0.37	0.36	0.35	0.30
26 to 49	0.27	0.28	0.76	0.79	0.46	0.47	0.51	0.59	0.63	0.50
26 to 34	0.47	0.50	1.31	1.29	0.87	0.87	1.00	1.09	1.05	0.91
35 to 49	0.35	0.35	0.97	0.99	0.54	0.55	0.58	0.68	0.76	0.57
50 or Older	0.29	0.26	1.17	1.42	0.78	0.60	0.49	0.44	0.41	0.37

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<sup>1</sup> Estimates in the Total column represent persons aged 21 or older, regardless of whether they ever used alcohol.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.



**Table 7.46P Alcohol Dependence or Abuse in the Past Year among Persons Aged 21 or Older, by Age First Used Alcohol and Age Group: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004**

Age Group	Total <sup>1</sup>		AGE FIRST USED ALCOHOL							
			14 or Younger		15-17		18-20		21 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
<b>21 OR OLDER</b>	0.8152		0.7504		0.9335		0.6413		0.1641	
21 to 25	0.8462		0.5043		0.9092		0.1192		0.0079	
26 or Older	0.8301		0.7288		0.9318		0.8114		0.3404	
26 to 49	0.7165		0.4403		0.5654		0.7223		0.5899	
26 to 34	0.7369		0.4993		0.6126		1.0000		0.7938	
35 to 49	0.8580		0.6638		0.6550		0.6920		0.3145	
50 or Older	0.7572		0.3103		0.7810		0.9896		0.3631	

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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<sup>1</sup> Estimates in the Total column represent persons aged 21 or older, regardless of whether they ever used alcohol.

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**Table 7.47C Illicit Drug Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Age First Used Marijuana and Demographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		AGE FIRST USED MARIJUANA						Never Used Marijuana	
			14 or Younger		15-17		18 or Older			
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	164	169	102	102	105	96	75	86	42	42
AGE										
18-25	68	70	47	49	43	44	23	23	9	13
26-34	87	88	54	57	59	53	35	36	21	24
35-49	104	97	65	72	63	44	42	39	31	31
50 or Older	66	82	*	*	39	49	50	63	16	14
GENDER										
Male	126	128	75	84	80	81	64	49	35	31
Female	106	110	67	53	64	58	43	70	23	29
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE										
Not Hispanic or Latino	155	161	95	95	99	93	71	84	39	36
White	138	131	86	79	84	79	63	61	31	32
Black or African American	65	73	34	48	39	43	33	31	7	13
Other or Two or More Races	43	55	24	21	28	8	4	*	23	18
Hispanic or Latino	53	50	33	32	39	27	25	19	14	21
EDUCATION										
< High School	84	84	54	55	50	45	29	40	21	17
High School Graduate	94	104	49	67	66	52	36	52	27	32
Some College	94	80	57	44	52	53	50	36	19	21
College Graduate	69	66	29	22	39	48	38	40	14	11

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.

**Table 7.47D Illicit Drug Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Age First Used Marijuana and Demographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		AGE FIRST USED MARIJUANA						Never Used Marijuana	
			14 or Younger		15-17		18 or Older			
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.08	0.08	0.57	0.59	0.29	0.27	0.19	0.20	0.03	0.03
AGE										
18-25	0.21	0.21	0.82	0.90	0.51	0.50	0.53	0.55	0.06	0.09
26-34	0.25	0.25	1.47	1.66	0.81	0.78	0.48	0.48	0.12	0.14
35-49	0.16	0.15	0.82	0.92	0.38	0.28	0.32	0.29	0.11	0.11
50 or Older	0.08	0.10	*	*	1.06	1.33	0.32	0.35	0.03	0.02
GENDER										
Male	0.12	0.12	0.71	0.80	0.42	0.43	0.30	0.22	0.07	0.06
Female	0.10	0.10	0.95	0.81	0.39	0.36	0.23	0.34	0.03	0.04
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE										
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.08	0.08	0.61	0.63	0.30	0.29	0.19	0.21	0.04	0.03
White	0.09	0.09	0.64	0.64	0.30	0.30	0.20	0.19	0.04	0.04
Black or African American	0.26	0.29	2.03	2.51	0.91	1.16	0.68	0.63	0.05	0.09
Other or Two or More Races	0.34	0.41	3.24	2.98	2.22	0.63	0.22	*	0.25	0.19
Hispanic or Latino	0.20	0.18	1.74	1.60	1.26	0.85	0.86	0.58	0.07	0.11
EDUCATION										
< High School	0.23	0.24	1.42	1.48	1.10	0.99	0.79	1.15	0.08	0.07
High School Graduate	0.14	0.15	0.89	1.11	0.56	0.45	0.35	0.47	0.07	0.08
Some College	0.17	0.14	1.11	0.95	0.49	0.51	0.43	0.30	0.07	0.08
College Graduate	0.12	0.11	0.96	0.79	0.44	0.57	0.25	0.25	0.05	0.04

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

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**Table 7.47P Illicit Drug Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Age First Used Marijuana and Demographic Characteristics: P Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		AGE FIRST USED MARIJUANA						Never Used Marijuana	
			14 or Younger		15-17		18 or Older			
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
TOTAL	0.6009		0.8912		0.8820		0.4089		0.3964	
AGE										
18-25	0.3248		0.5398		0.6009		0.5147		0.4037	
26-34	0.3361		0.7391		0.6339		0.2929		0.6459	
35-49	0.3663		0.9943		0.1820		0.7482		0.6311	
50 or Older	0.6114		*		0.2704		0.7569		1.0000	
GENDER										
Male	0.2535		0.5942		0.4671		0.0394		0.7620	
Female	0.5987		0.6173		0.4722		0.3693		0.3302	
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE										
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.8647		0.6214		0.8911		0.5891		0.4703	
White	0.5005		0.8367		0.8566		0.2179		0.3703	
Black or African American	0.3347		0.5355		0.2897		0.5835		0.2928	
Other or Two or More Races	0.9387		0.9069		0.0320		*		0.5762	
Hispanic or Latino	0.2516		0.3234		0.3854		0.2582		0.6473	
EDUCATION										
< High School	0.8882		0.7680		0.9948		0.8567		0.8580	
High School Graduate	0.4598		0.2053		0.4351		0.9436		0.2769	
Some College	0.1286		0.3208		0.8530		0.3394		0.6312	
College Graduate	0.7518		0.8044		0.4440		0.5478		0.5033	

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.

**Table 7.48C Alcohol Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Age First Used Alcohol and Demographic Characteristics:  
Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005**

Demographic Characteristic	Total		AGE FIRST USED ALCOHOL					
			14 or Younger		15-17		18 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
<b>TOTAL</b>	296	260	159	161	199	158	142	125
<b>AGE</b>								
18-25	73	79	55	55	48	49	24	27
26-34	111	122	79	71	85	81	46	63
35-49	167	154	110	103	95	89	77	73
50 or Older	185	146	71	92	128	87	102	78
<b>GENDER</b>								
Male	230	209	136	122	150	133	122	103
Female	151	146	83	98	92	79	70	73
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>								
Not Hispanic or Latino	271	235	145	148	178	146	138	112
White	255	214	139	137	168	132	117	83
Black or African American	93	105	38	55	55	55	66	70
Other or Two or More Races	51	55	29	17	28	39	29	32
Hispanic or Latino	102	109	72	65	72	65	35	56
<b>EDUCATION</b>								
< High School	131	131	83	88	66	72	63	58
High School Graduate	149	127	88	72	91	87	70	55
Some College	151	142	86	79	86	75	79	82
College Graduate	150	128	64	81	117	80	64	52

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.

**Table 7.48D Alcohol Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Age First Used Alcohol and Demographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005**

Demographic Characteristic	Total <sup>1</sup>		AGE FIRST USED ALCOHOL					
			14 or Younger		15-17		18 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
<b>TOTAL</b>	0.14	0.12	0.41	0.40	0.27	0.22	0.18	0.15
<b>AGE</b>								
18-25	0.23	0.24	0.58	0.64	0.37	0.37	0.31	0.34
26-34	0.32	0.35	0.91	0.89	0.65	0.66	0.42	0.52
35-49	0.26	0.24	0.73	0.70	0.38	0.36	0.38	0.35
50 or Older	0.22	0.17	0.89	1.03	0.59	0.38	0.26	0.19
<b>GENDER</b>								
Male	0.22	0.20	0.55	0.50	0.37	0.34	0.37	0.30
Female	0.13	0.13	0.56	0.65	0.28	0.24	0.15	0.15
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>								
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.14	0.12	0.41	0.42	0.28	0.22	0.20	0.16
White	0.17	0.14	0.45	0.45	0.31	0.24	0.22	0.15
Black or African American	0.37	0.41	1.26	1.61	0.83	0.87	0.64	0.65
Other or Two or More Races	0.42	0.42	1.91	1.43	0.99	1.41	0.56	0.57
Hispanic or Latino	0.38	0.39	1.72	1.43	0.96	0.83	0.37	0.53
<b>EDUCATION</b>								
< High School	0.35	0.36	1.41	1.38	0.67	0.74	0.51	0.51
High School Graduate	0.22	0.19	0.78	0.65	0.39	0.39	0.28	0.21
Some College	0.28	0.25	0.76	0.71	0.44	0.38	0.40	0.40
College Graduate	0.27	0.22	0.58	0.72	0.60	0.39	0.30	0.22

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

<sup>1</sup> Estimates in the Total column represent persons aged 18 or older, regardless of whether they ever used alcohol.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.

**Table 7.48P Alcohol Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Age First Used Alcohol and Demographic Characteristics: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004**

Demographic Characteristic	Total <sup>1</sup>		AGE FIRST USED ALCOHOL					
			14 or Younger		15-17		18 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
<b>TOTAL</b>	0.2172		0.7059		0.2969		0.4442	
<b>AGE</b>								
18-25	0.8817		0.5728		0.6333		0.3333	
26-34	0.8538		0.3443		0.4628		0.8773	
35-49	0.2244		0.4263		0.4981		0.5801	
50 or Older	0.5012		0.2443		0.2111		0.2914	
<b>GENDER</b>								
Male	0.1180		0.2477		0.6315		0.2284	
Female	0.9854		0.3358		0.1901		0.7263	
<b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>								
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.0791		0.9033		0.1298		0.1952	
White	0.0540		0.5678		0.1263		0.2216	
Black or African American	0.9465		0.1810		0.6180		0.5075	
Other or Two or More Races	0.9446		0.9559		0.5916		1.0000	
Hispanic or Latino	0.3456		0.4022		0.3889		0.1950	
<b>EDUCATION</b>								
< High School	0.9494		0.6079		0.6880		0.7387	
High School Graduate	0.3196		0.9169		0.6019		0.2943	
Some College	0.4850		0.5131		0.2804		0.6557	
College Graduate	0.4919		0.6293		0.4408		0.5068	

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

<sup>1</sup> Estimates in the Total column represent persons aged 18 or older, regardless of whether they ever used alcohol.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.

**Table 7.49C Alcohol Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 21 or Older, by Age First Used Alcohol and Age Group: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2004 and 2005**

Age Group	Total		AGE FIRST USED ALCOHOL							
			14 or Younger		15-17		18-20		21 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
<b>21 OR OLDER</b>	293	258	155	156	196	155	121	107	67	62
21 to 25	61	66	41	42	37	38	18	24	8	5
26 or Older	287	246	153	153	191	151	119	105	66	62
26 to 49	205	196	139	124	126	122	72	88	46	39
26 to 34	114	127	79	71	85	81	41	60	22	19
35 to 49	166	156	110	103	95	89	63	64	40	34
50 or Older	185	148	71	92	128	87	86	61	48	48

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.



**Table 7.49D Alcohol Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 21 or Older, by Age First Used Alcohol and Age Group: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2004 and 2005**

Age Group	Total <sup>1</sup>		AGE FIRST USED ALCOHOL							
			14 or Younger		15-17		18-20		21 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
<b>21 OR OLDER</b>	0.14	0.12	0.43	0.43	0.29	0.23	0.26	0.22	0.22	0.20
21 to 25	0.28	0.31	0.77	0.84	0.51	0.50	0.41	0.56	0.46	0.26
26 or Older	0.15	0.13	0.49	0.48	0.32	0.25	0.28	0.23	0.23	0.21
26 to 49	0.21	0.19	0.59	0.53	0.34	0.32	0.37	0.43	0.40	0.31
26 to 34	0.32	0.35	0.91	0.89	0.65	0.66	0.61	0.82	0.52	0.40
35 to 49	0.26	0.24	0.73	0.70	0.38	0.36	0.48	0.49	0.56	0.45
50 or Older	0.22	0.17	0.89	1.03	0.59	0.38	0.37	0.25	0.29	0.29

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

<sup>1</sup> Estimates in the Total column represent persons aged 21 or older, regardless of whether they ever used alcohol.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.

**Table 7.49P Alcohol Dependence in the Past Year among Persons Aged 21 or Older, by Age First Used Alcohol and Age Group: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2004**

Age Group	Total <sup>1</sup>		AGE FIRST USED ALCOHOL							
			14 or Younger		15-17		18-20		21 or Older	
	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005	2004	2005
<b>21 OR OLDER</b>	0.1773		0.5788		0.3041		0.5425		0.5240	
21 to 25	0.9672		0.8506		0.6012		0.1286		0.0594	
26 or Older	0.1815		0.5972		0.3380		0.3861		0.6558	
26 to 49	0.2731		0.2339		0.9353		0.9319		0.5963	
26 to 34	0.8538		0.3443		0.4628		0.7168		0.7202	
35 to 49	0.2244		0.4263		0.4981		0.6733		0.6983	
50 or Older	0.5012		0.2443		0.2111		0.2360		0.8591	

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Dependence is based on the definition found in the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders* (DSM-IV).

<sup>1</sup> Estimates in the Total column represent persons aged 21 or older, regardless of whether they ever used alcohol.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2004 and 2005.