

Table 8.29C Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 or Older: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2002-2005

Substance	2002	2003	2004	2005
ILLICIT DRUGS¹	90	99	100	139
Marijuana and Hashish	70	70	81	121
Cocaine	61	56	65	50
Crack	44	36	29	30
Heroin	20	20	28	20
Hallucinogens	54	46	55	51
LSD	30	20	25	29
PCP	15	14	20	13
Ecstasy	68	44	47	46
Inhalants	43	44	43	47
Nonmedical Use of Psychotherapeutics ²	108	110	120	111
Pain Relievers	107	109	100	102
OxyContin [®]	--	--	54	63
Tranquilizers	80	64	74	88
Stimulants	49	57	70	48
Methamphetamine	31	35	35	21
Sedatives	33	38	43	40
ILLICIT DRUGS OTHER THAN MARIJUANA¹	97	103	100	112
CIGARETTES	75	72	72	86
Daily Cigarette Use ³	64	58	55	58
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	52	50	53	58
CIGARS	103	99	112	113
ALCOHOL	101	104	127	108

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NOTE: 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.

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Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2002, 2003, 2004, and 2005.

Table 8.29D Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 or Older: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2002-2005

Substance	2002	2003	2004	2005
ILLICIT DRUGS¹	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.06
Marijuana and Hashish	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.05
Cocaine	0.03	0.02	0.03	0.02
Crack	0.02	0.02	0.01	0.01
Heroin	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Hallucinogens	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
LSD	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
PCP	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Ecstasy	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02
Inhalants	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
Nonmedical Use of Psychotherapeutics ²	0.05	0.05	0.05	0.05
Pain Relievers	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.04
OxyContin [®]	--	--	0.02	0.03
Tranquilizers	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.04
Stimulants	0.02	0.02	0.03	0.02
Methamphetamine	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
Sedatives	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.02
ILLICIT DRUGS OTHER THAN MARIJUANA¹	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.05
CIGARETTES	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.04
Daily Cigarette Use ³	0.03	0.02	0.02	0.02
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	0.02	0.02	0.02	0.02
CIGARS	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.05
ALCOHOL	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.04

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Table 8.29P Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 or Older: *P* Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2005 Versus 2002, 2003, and 2004

Substance	2002	2003	2004	2005
ILLCIT DRUGS¹	0.3366	0.2014	0.5864	
Marijuana and Hashish	0.2654	0.4992	0.7259	
Cocaine	0.0153	0.0731	0.0965	
Crack	0.0274	0.3353	0.7607	
Heroin	0.6475	0.6366	0.7541	
Hallucinogens	0.0016	0.5050	0.9074	
LSD	0.0112	0.2685	0.8851	
PCP	0.0130	0.1160	0.2030	
Ecstasy	0.0000	0.5088	0.9868	
Inhalants	0.9801	0.8210	0.8755	
Nonmedical Use of Psychotherapeutics ²	0.4718	0.4585	0.0383	
Pain Relievers	0.1704	0.0351	0.0754	
OxyContin [®]	--	--	0.2544	
Tranquilizers	0.6113	0.0844	0.4239	
Stimulants	0.0197	0.2647	0.0708	
Methamphetamine	0.0023	0.0805	0.0018	
Sedatives	0.5626	0.3816	0.9388	
ILLCIT DRUGS OTHER THAN MARIJUANA¹	0.4610	0.2273	0.6228	
CIGARETTES	0.0168	0.0252	0.2270	
Daily Cigarette Use ³	0.3295	0.1357	0.0669	
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	0.0572	0.0170	0.1164	
CIGARS	0.0116	0.0003	0.1096	
ALCOHOL	0.1910	0.5231	0.3083	

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