

Table 7.110A (REVISED) No Illicit Drug or Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic, Socioeconomic, and Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic/Geographic Characteristic	NO PAST MONTH USE					
	Illicit Drugs or Alcohol ¹		Illicit Drugs ¹		Alcohol	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
TOTAL	20,147	20,313	22,826 ^b	22,580	21,201	21,221
RACE²						
American Indian or Alaska Native	231	247	276	278	250	269
Asian or Pacific Islander	1,022	1,008	1,073	1,056	1,052	1,033
Asian Only	922	906	968	950	948	923
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	*	*	*	*	*	*
Black or African American	3,344	3,336	3,621	3,593	3,591 ^a	3,510
White	15,121	15,271	17,386 ^b	17,172	15,861	15,932
Two or More Races	430	450	469	482	447	478
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Hispanic or Latino	3,787	3,851	4,287	4,302	3,957	4,023
Not Hispanic or Latino	16,361	16,462	18,539 ^b	18,278	17,244	17,198
Black or African American	3,215	3,229	3,486	3,474	3,460	3,392
White	11,710	11,746	13,514	13,234	12,296	12,259
GENDER						
Male	10,257	10,415	11,595	11,502	10,834	10,881
Female	9,891	9,898	11,231 ^a	11,078	10,367	10,340
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)³						
Less Than 100%	3,753	3,618	4,159	3,875	4,017	3,815
100-199%	4,295	4,534	4,750	4,994	4,553	4,751
200% or More	12,099	12,161	13,917	13,711	12,630	12,655
REGION						
Northeast	3,505	3,475	4,048 ^b	3,915	3,651	3,642
Midwest	4,436	4,468	5,078 ^a	5,008	4,670	4,663
South	7,384 ^a	7,526	8,278	8,331	7,791	7,835
West	4,822	4,844	5,422	5,326	5,089	5,081

*Low precision; no estimate reported

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² These racial categories do not distinguish among ethnic origin (i.e., Hispanic or Latino origin), so they include respondents who are either Hispanic or not Hispanic.

³ Estimates are based on a definition of Poverty Level that incorporates information on family income, size, and composition and is calculated as a percentage of the U.S. Census Bureau's poverty thresholds.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.110B (REVISED) No Illicit Drug or Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic, Socioeconomic, and Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic/Geographic Characteristic	NO PAST MONTH USE					
	Illicit Drugs or Alcohol ¹		Illicit Drugs ¹		Alcohol	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
TOTAL	79.8 ^b	81.6	90.4	90.7	84.0 ^b	85.3
RACE²						
American Indian or Alaska Native	72.6	76.7	86.8	86.0	78.5	83.3
Asian or Pacific Islander	89.2	91.8	93.7	96.1	91.8	94.0
Asian Only	89.4	92.6	93.8 ^a	97.1	91.9	94.3
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	*	*	*	*	*	*
Black or African American	83.6	85.1	90.5	91.7	89.8	89.5
White	78.5 ^b	80.4	90.3	90.4	82.3 ^b	83.9
Two or More Races	83.9	81.6	91.5	87.3	87.3	86.6
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Hispanic or Latino	81.1	81.5	91.9	91.1	84.8	85.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	79.5 ^b	81.6	90.1	90.6	83.8 ^b	85.3
Black or African American	83.5	85.5	90.5	91.9	89.9	89.8
White	77.8 ^b	80.0	89.8	90.1	81.7 ^b	83.5
GENDER						
Male	79.6 ^b	82.0	89.9	90.5	84.0 ^a	85.6
Female	80.1	81.2	90.9	90.9	83.9	84.9
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)³						
Less Than 100%	81.3 ^a	84.1	90.1	90.1	87.0	88.7
100-199%	81.1	82.5	89.6	90.8	85.9	86.4
200% or More	79.0 ^a	80.6	90.8	90.8	82.4 ^a	83.8
REGION						
Northeast	78.6	79.4	90.8	89.5	81.9	83.3
Midwest	79.0 ^a	81.1	90.4	90.9	83.2	84.6
South	80.9 ^b	83.2	90.7 ^a	92.1	85.3	86.6
West	79.9	81.3	89.8	89.4	84.3	85.3

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.111A (REVISED) Illicit Drug Use, Marijuana Use, and Binge Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic, Socioeconomic, and Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic/Geographic Characteristic	PAST MONTH USE					
	Illicit Drug Use ¹		Marijuana Use		Binge Alcohol Use ²	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
TOTAL	2,415	2,312	1,693	1,668	2,457 ^p	2,208
RACE³						
American Indian or Alaska Native	42	45	28	36	53	35
Asian or Pacific Islander	73	43	48	20	55	28
Asian Only	64 ^a	28	44 ^a	10	53	19
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	*	*	4	*	2	*
Black or African American	379	327	234	238	174	165
White	1,878	1,827	1,350	1,320	2,142 ^p	1,931
Two or More Races	43 ^a	70	34	55	33	49
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Hispanic or Latino	380	422	267	289	436	420
Not Hispanic or Latino	2,035	1,890	1,426	1,379	2,022 ^p	1,788
Black or African American	364	305	222	219	164	153
White	1,537	1,453	1,110	1,065	1,744 ^a	1,548
GENDER						
Male	1,296	1,205	973	929	1,372 ^p	1,140
Female	1,119	1,107	721	739	1,086	1,068
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)⁴						
Less Than 100%	459	424	301	308	383 ^a	293
100-199%	549	505	370	355	451	460
200% or More	1,407	1,383	1,022	1,005	1,624 ^a	1,455
REGION						
Northeast	410	459	328	367	462	444
Midwest	537	501	388	362	603 ^a	519
South	851 ^a	719	565 ^a	476	825	726
West	617	633	412	462	567	519

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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NOTE: Estimates shown on this table correspond to Healthy People 2010 Objective Numbers 26-10b and 26-11d (<http://www.healthypeople.gov/>).

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^b Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically, based on data from original questions not including methamphetamine items added in 2005 and 2006.

² 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.

³ These racial categories do not distinguish among ethnic origin (i.e., Hispanic or Latino origin), so they include respondents who are either Hispanic or not Hispanic.

⁴ Estimates are based on a definition of Poverty Level that incorporates information on family income, size, and composition and is calculated as a percentage of the U.S. Census Bureau's poverty thresholds.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.111B (REVISED) Illicit Drug Use, Marijuana Use, and Binge Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic, Socioeconomic, and Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic/Geographic Characteristic	PAST MONTH USE					
	Illicit Drug Use ¹		Marijuana Use		Binge Alcohol Use ²	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
TOTAL	9.6	9.3	6.7	6.7	9.7 ^a	8.9
RACE³						
American Indian or Alaska Native	13.2	14.0	8.6	11.1	16.6	10.8
Asian or Pacific Islander	6.3	3.9	4.2	1.8	4.8	2.5
Asian Only	6.2 ^a	2.9	4.3 ^a	1.0	5.1	2.0
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	*	*	3.8	*	1.9	*
Black or African American	9.5	8.3	5.8	6.1	4.4	4.2
White	9.7	9.6	7.0	6.9	11.1 ^a	10.2
Two or More Races	8.5	12.7	6.5	9.9	6.5	8.9
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Hispanic or Latino	8.1	8.9	5.7	6.1	9.3	8.9
Not Hispanic or Latino	9.9	9.4	6.9	6.8	9.8 ^a	8.9
Black or African American	9.5	8.1	5.8	5.8	4.3	4.0
White	10.2	9.9	7.4	7.3	11.6 ^a	10.5
GENDER						
Male	10.1	9.5	7.5	7.3	10.6 ^b	9.0
Female	9.1	9.1	5.8	6.1	8.8	8.8
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)⁴						
Less Than 100%	9.9	9.9	6.5	7.2	8.3	6.8
100-199%	10.4	9.2	7.0	6.5	8.5	8.4
200% or More	9.2	9.2	6.7	6.7	10.6 ^a	9.6
REGION						
Northeast	9.2	10.5	7.4	8.4	10.4	10.2
Midwest	9.6	9.1	6.9	6.6	10.7 ^a	9.4
South	9.3 ^a	7.9	6.2	5.3	9.0	8.0
West	10.2	10.6	6.8	7.8	9.4	8.7

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² 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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Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.112A Illicit Drug Use, Marijuana Use, and Binge Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	PAST MONTH USE					
	Illicit Drug Use ¹		Marijuana Use		Binge Alcohol Use ²	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
TOTAL	17,448	17,773	12,762	13,546	55,331	55,907
RACE³						
American Indian or Alaska Native	181	155	111	116	585	578
Asian or Pacific Islander	458	424	260	258	1,562	1,501
Asian Only	384	362	235	210	1,299	1,271
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	75	62	25	48	263	*
Black or African American	2,479	2,726	1,948	2,278	5,559	6,015
White	14,029	14,080	10,178	10,540	46,914	47,127
Two or More Races	300	388	265	353	710	685
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Hispanic or Latino	1,879	1,763	1,280	1,195	7,576 ^a	8,554
Not Hispanic or Latino	15,569	16,010	11,483	12,351	47,755	47,354
Black or African American	2,414	2,663	1,896	2,224	5,425	5,880
White	12,304	12,482	8,998	9,471	39,916	39,142
GENDER						
Male	11,217	10,785	8,646	8,643	36,762	37,161
Female	6,231 ^a	6,988	4,116 ^b	4,903	18,569	18,747
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)⁴						
Less Than 100%	2,868	2,914	2,015	2,138	6,510	6,320
100-199%	3,420	3,704	2,571	2,849	8,981	9,582
200% or More	10,960	10,944	7,990	8,380	39,331	39,558
EDUCATION						
< High School	3,393 ^a	2,837	2,481	2,125	8,414	8,172
High School Graduate	5,860	6,007	4,336	4,646	17,732	18,408
Some College/College Graduate	8,195	8,930	5,945 ^a	6,775	29,185	29,328

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Estimates shown on this table correspond to Healthy People 2010 Objective Numbers 26-10c and 26-11c (<http://www.healthypeople.gov/>).^a Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.^b Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.¹ Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically, based on data from original questions not including methamphetamine items added in 2005 and 2006.² 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.³ These racial categories do not distinguish among ethnic origin (i.e., Hispanic or Latino origin), so they include respondents who are either Hispanic or not Hispanic.⁴ Estimates are based on a definition of Poverty Level that incorporates information on family income, size, and composition and is calculated as a percentage of the U.S. Census Bureau's poverty thresholds.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.112B Illicit Drug Use, Marijuana Use, and Binge Alcohol Use in the Past Month among Persons Aged 18 or Older, by Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics: Percentages, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	PAST MONTH USE					
	Illicit Drug Use ¹		Marijuana Use		Binge Alcohol Use ²	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
TOTAL	7.8	7.9	5.7	6.0	24.9	24.9
RACE³						
American Indian or Alaska Native	8.8	7.5	5.4	5.6	28.6	27.8
Asian or Pacific Islander	4.4	4.0	2.5	2.4	14.9	14.0
Asian Only	4.0	3.7	2.4	2.1	13.4	12.9
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	8.8	7.1	2.9	5.5	31.1	*
Black or African American	9.5	10.3	7.5	8.6	21.4	22.7
White	7.7	7.7	5.6	5.8	25.9	25.8
Two or More Races	11.0	13.8	9.7	12.6	25.9	24.5
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Hispanic or Latino	6.4	5.8	4.3	3.9	25.6	28.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	8.1	8.2	5.9	6.3	24.7	24.3
Black or African American	9.5	10.3	7.5	8.6	21.4	22.8
White	8.0	8.1	5.8	6.1	25.9	25.3
GENDER						
Male	10.4	9.9	8.1	8.0	34.2	34.2
Female	5.4 ^a	6.0	3.6 ^b	4.2	16.1	16.1
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)⁴						
Less Than 100%	11.2	11.5	7.9	8.5	25.5	25.0
100-199%	8.6	8.9	6.4	6.9	22.5	23.1
200% or More	7.0	7.0	5.1	5.3	25.2	25.2
EDUCATION						
< High School	9.3 ^a	8.1	6.8	6.1	23.2	23.3
High School Graduate	8.6	8.6	6.4	6.6	26.0	26.2
Some College/College Graduate	6.9	7.5	5.0 ^a	5.7	24.7	24.5

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NOTE: Estimates shown on this table correspond to Healthy People 2010 Objective Numbers 26-10c and 26-11c (<http://www.healthypeople.gov/>).

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Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.113A (REVISED) Inhalant Use in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic, Socioeconomic, and Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic/Geographic Characteristic	Inhalant Use (2007)	Inhalant Use (2008)
TOTAL	995	986
RACE¹		
American Indian or Alaska Native	14	19
Asian or Pacific Islander	23	41
Asian Only	21	36
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	1	5
Black or African American	97	88
White	841	817
Two or More Races	20	22
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE		
Hispanic or Latino	189	235
Not Hispanic or Latino	806	751
Black or African American	94	84
White	665	600
GENDER		
Male	501	470
Female	494	516
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)²		
Less Than 100%	191	168
100-199%	180 ^a	253
200% or More	624	566
REGION		
Northeast	150	151
Midwest	226	208
South	350	308
West	268	319

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Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.113B (REVISED) Inhalant Use in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic, Socioeconomic, and Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic/Geographic Characteristic	Inhalant Use (2007)	Inhalant Use (2008)
TOTAL	3.9	4.0
RACE¹		
American Indian or Alaska Native	4.5	5.7
Asian or Pacific Islander	2.0	3.7
Asian Only	2.1	3.7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	1.2	4.3
Black or African American	2.4	2.2
White	4.4	4.3
Two or More Races	3.8	4.0
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE		
Hispanic or Latino	4.0	5.0
Not Hispanic or Latino	3.9	3.7
Black or African American	2.4	2.2
White	4.4	4.1
GENDER		
Male	3.9	3.7
Female	4.0	4.2
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)²		
Less Than 100%	4.1	3.9
100-199%	3.4 ^a	4.6
200% or More	4.1	3.7
REGION		
Northeast	3.4	3.5
Midwest	4.0	3.8
South	3.8	3.4
West	4.4	5.4

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

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¹ These racial categories do not distinguish among ethnic origin (i.e., Hispanic or Latino origin), so they include respondents who are either Hispanic or not Hispanic.

² Estimates are based on a definition of Poverty Level that incorporates information on family income, size, and composition and is calculated as a percentage of the U.S. Census Bureau's poverty thresholds.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.114A (REVISED) Perceptions of Great Risk of Smoking Marijuana Once a Month, Using Cocaine Once a Month, or Having Five or More Drinks of an Alcoholic Beverage Once or Twice a Week among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic, Socioeconomic, and Geographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic/Geographic Characteristic	PERCEPTIONS OF GREAT RISK					
	Smoke Marijuana Once a Month		Use Cocaine Once a Month		Have Five or More Drinks Once or Twice a Week	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
TOTAL	8,549 ^a	8,206	12,234	12,061	9,797	9,879
RACE¹						
American Indian or Alaska Native	109	85	154	145	127	125
Asian or Pacific Islander	431	429	486	483	534	570
Asian Only	380	384	424	417	478	506
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	*	45	*	*	*	64
Black or African American	1,363	1,279	2,136	2,136	1,965	1,984
White	6,478	6,256	9,200	9,041	6,961	6,983
Two or More Races	169	157	259	256	210	218
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Hispanic or Latino	1,587	1,602	2,068 ^a	2,217	1,863 ^a	2,015
Not Hispanic or Latino	6,962 ^b	6,604	10,166 ^a	9,843	7,933	7,865
Black or African American	1,317	1,224	2,067	2,049	1,897	1,923
White	5,053	4,797	7,331	7,038	5,299	5,145
GENDER						
Male	4,094	3,925	6,226	6,117	4,597	4,589
Female	4,456	4,281	6,007	5,943	5,200	5,290
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)²						
Less Than 100%	1,625	1,507	2,231	2,156	1,915	1,853
100-199%	1,801	1,834	2,613	2,662	2,187	2,294
200% or More	5,123	4,865	7,389	7,243	5,695	5,732
REGION						
Northeast	1,391	1,293	2,051	2,024	1,696	1,585
Midwest	1,973	1,896	2,724	2,654	2,028	2,054
South	3,276	3,308	4,654	4,615	3,765	3,822
West	1,908 ^b	1,708	2,805	2,768	2,308	2,417

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: This table was revised in May 2012 due to updates (for details, see the introduction to these 2008 detailed tables).

NOTE: Response categories for the Perception of Risk questions include "No risk," "Slight risk," "Moderate risk," and "Great risk." The estimates in this table correspond to persons reporting "Great risk." Respondents with unknown Perception of Risk data were excluded.

NOTE: Estimates shown on this table correspond to Healthy People 2010 Objective Numbers 26-17b, 26-17c, and 26-17a (<http://www.healthypeople.gov/>).

^a Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ These racial categories do not distinguish among ethnic origin (i.e., Hispanic or Latino origin), so they include respondents who are either Hispanic or not Hispanic.

² Estimates are based on a definition of Poverty Level that incorporates information on family income, size, and composition and is calculated as a percentage of the U.S. Census Bureau's poverty thresholds.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.114B (REVISED) Perceptions of Great Risk of Smoking Marijuana Once a Month, Using Cocaine Once a Month, or Having Five or More Drinks of an Alcoholic Beverage Once or Twice a Week among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic, Socioeconomic, and Geographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic/Geographic Characteristic	PERCEPTIONS OF GREAT RISK					
	Smoke Marijuana Once a Month		Use Cocaine Once a Month		Have Five or More Drinks Once or Twice a Week	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
TOTAL	34.4	33.4	49.6	49.4	39.3	40.0
RACE¹						
American Indian or Alaska Native	35.4 ^a	27.2	50.4	46.0	41.3	39.4
Asian or Pacific Islander	38.3	39.8	43.6	44.8	47.6	52.1
Asian Only	37.5	40.1	42.5	43.5	47.3	51.9
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	*	37.5	*	*	*	53.7
Black or African American	34.7	33.0	54.9	55.6	50.1	51.1
White	34.1	33.3	48.7	48.5	36.5	37.0
Two or More Races	33.3	28.8	51.6	47.2	41.3	40.0
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Hispanic or Latino	34.8	34.4	45.7	47.8	40.7	43.0
Not Hispanic or Latino	34.3	33.2	50.4	49.7	39.0	39.3
Black or African American	34.8	32.8	55.2	55.3	50.2	51.3
White	34.0	33.1	49.6	48.8	35.5	35.3
GENDER						
Male	32.3	31.3	49.6	49.1	36.2	36.4
Female	36.6	35.6	49.5	49.6	42.5	43.8
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)²						
Less Than 100%	36.0	35.6	49.8	51.4	42.2	43.8
100-199%	34.5	33.8	50.6	49.5	41.9	42.1
200% or More	33.9	32.6	49.1	48.7	37.5	38.2
REGION						
Northeast	31.7	30.0	47.0	47.3	38.4	36.5
Midwest	35.6	34.9	49.4	49.2	36.5	37.6
South	36.4	36.9	52.1	51.8	41.7	42.7
West	32.2 ^a	29.1	47.7	47.3	38.8	40.8

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: This table was revised in May 2012 due to updates (for details, see the introduction to these 2008 detailed tables).

NOTE: Response categories for the Perception of Risk questions include "No risk," "Slight risk," "Moderate risk," and "Great risk." The estimates in this table correspond to persons reporting "Great risk." Respondents with unknown Perception of Risk data were excluded.

NOTE: Estimates shown on this table correspond to Healthy People 2010 Objective Numbers 26-17b 26-17c, and 26-17a (<http://www.healthypeople.gov/>).

^a Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ These racial categories do not distinguish among ethnic origin (i.e., Hispanic or Latino origin), so they include respondents who are either Hispanic or not Hispanic.

² Estimates are based on a definition of Poverty Level that incorporates information on family income, size, and composition and is calculated as a percentage of the U.S. Census Bureau's poverty thresholds.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.115A Received Illicit Drug or Alcohol Treatment at a Specialty Facility in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 or Older Who Needed Treatment for the Respective Substance in the Past Year, by Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	SUBSTANCE FOR WHICH TREATMENT WAS RECEIVED AT A SPECIALTY FACILITY					
	Illicit Drugs		Alcohol		Either Illicit Drugs or Alcohol ¹	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
TOTAL	1,343	1,209	1,567	1,560	2,412	2,287
RACE²						
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	21	*	30
Asian or Pacific Islander	*	*	1	*	*	*
Asian Only	*	*	0	*	*	*
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	*	*	*	*	*	*
Black or African American	249	163	283	277	501	374
White	1,024	987	1,200	1,205	1,773	1,798
Two or More Races	*	*	*	20	*	43
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Hispanic or Latino	91	130	130	103	177	182
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,253	1,079	1,437	1,457	2,235	2,105
Black or African American	245	162	279	273	494	369
White	943	867	1,093	1,115	1,626	1,633
GENDER						
Male	917	712	1,142	1,079	1,703	1,490
Female	427	497	425	481	709	797
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)³						
Less Than 100%	387	384	448	342	670	580
100-199%	272	333	300	332	497	543
200% or More	682	490	817	883	1,240	1,159
AGE GROUP						
12-17	111	111	82	77	150	143
18 or Older	1,232	1,098	1,485	1,483	2,262	2,143

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Respondents were classified as needing treatment for an illicit drug or alcohol problem if they met at least one of three criteria during the past year: (1) dependent on illicit drugs or alcohol; (2) abuse of illicit drugs or alcohol; or (3) received treatment for illicit drug or alcohol use at a specialty facility (i.e., drug and alcohol rehabilitation facility [inpatient or outpatient], hospital [inpatient], or mental health center). Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically, based on data from original questions not including methamphetamine items added in 2005 and 2006.

NOTE: Estimates shown on this table correspond to Healthy People 2010 Objective Numbers 26-18 and 26-21 (<http://www.healthypeople.gov/>).

^a Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Estimates include persons who received treatment specifically for illicit drugs or alcohol, as well as persons who received treatment but did not specify for what substance(s).

² These racial categories do not distinguish among ethnic origin (i.e., Hispanic or Latino origin), so they include respondents who are either Hispanic or not Hispanic.

³ Estimates are based on a definition of Poverty Level that incorporates information on family income, size, and composition and is calculated as a percentage of the U.S. Census Bureau's poverty thresholds.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.115B Received Illicit Drug or Alcohol Treatment at a Specialty Facility in the Past Year among Persons Aged 12 or Older Who Needed Treatment for the Respective Substance in the Past Year, by Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics: Percentages, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	SUBSTANCE FOR WHICH TREATMENT WAS RECEIVED AT A SPECIALTY FACILITY					
	Illicit Drugs		Alcohol		Either Illicit Drugs or Alcohol ¹	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
TOTAL	17.8	16.0	8.1	8.2	10.4	9.9
RACE²						
American Indian or Alaska Native	*	*	*	9.1	*	10.4
Asian or Pacific Islander	*	*	0.2	*	*	*
Asian Only	*	*	0.1	*	*	*
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	*	*	*	*	*	*
Black or African American	20.8	13.8	13.8	12.8	18.1	13.0
White	17.3	16.4	7.4	7.6	9.3	9.5
Two or More Races	*	*	*	8.1	*	12.7
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Hispanic or Latino	9.6	12.0	5.3	3.6	6.0	5.4
Not Hispanic or Latino	19.0	16.6	8.5	9.1	11.0	10.7
Black or African American	20.9	14.1	13.7	12.9	18.2	13.2
White	18.7	17.2	7.9	8.5	9.9	10.3
GENDER						
Male	18.4	16.2	8.7	8.9	10.9	10.3
Female	16.8	15.7	6.9	7.1	9.3	9.3
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)³						
Less Than 100%	22.6	23.2	16.6	13.6	18.5	16.8
100-199%	17.9	19.1	8.9	10.0	11.9	12.6
200% or More	16.1	12.0	6.3	6.8	8.2	7.7
AGE GROUP						
12-17	9.9	9.3	5.9	6.2	7.6	7.4
18 or Older	19.2	17.2	8.3	8.4	10.7	10.2

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Respondents were classified as needing treatment for an illicit drug or alcohol problem if they met at least one of three criteria during the past year: (1) dependent on illicit drugs or alcohol; (2) abuse of illicit drugs or alcohol; or (3) received treatment for illicit drug or alcohol use at a specialty facility (i.e., drug and alcohol rehabilitation facility [inpatient or outpatient], hospital [inpatient], or mental health center). Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically, based on data from original questions not including methamphetamine items added in 2005 and 2006.

NOTE: Estimates shown on this table correspond to Healthy People 2010 Objective Numbers 26-18 and 26-21 (<http://www.healthypeople.gov/>).

^a Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ Estimates include persons who received treatment specifically for illicit drugs or alcohol, as well as persons who received treatment but did not specify for what substance(s).

² These racial categories do not distinguish among ethnic origin (i.e., Hispanic or Latino origin), so they include respondents who are either Hispanic or not Hispanic.

³ Estimates are based on a definition of Poverty Level that incorporates information on family income, size, and composition and is calculated as a percentage of the U.S. Census Bureau's poverty thresholds.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.116A Past Year Initiates of Cigarette Use among Persons Aged 12 to 25 at Risk for Initiation of Cigarette Use, by Age Group and Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	Aged 12-17 (2007)	Aged 12-17 (2008)	Aged 18-25 (2007)	Aged 18-25 (2008)
TOTAL	1,197	1,268	989	1,062
RACE¹				
American Indian or Alaska Native	12	19	8	*
Asian or Pacific Islander	24	33	68	46
Asian Only	20	31	68	43
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	*	2	*	*
Black or African American	128	146	133	125
White	1,015	1,042	761	860
Two or More Races	18	27	18	14
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Hispanic or Latino	213	243	173	217
Not Hispanic or Latino	984	1,025	816	845
Black or African American	121	138	127	122
White	819	819	601	657
GENDER				
Male	592	592	497	584
Female	606	676	492	478
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)²				
Less Than 100%	193	175	230	212
100-199%	233	261	180	218
200% or More	771	832	510	528

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Past Year Initiates of Cigarette Use are defined as persons who used cigarettes for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview. At Risk for Initiation of Cigarette Use is defined as persons who did not use cigarettes in their lifetime or used cigarettes for the first time in the past year.

NOTE: Estimates shown on this table correspond to Healthy People 2010 Objective Numbers 27-3a and 27-3b (<http://www.healthypeople.gov/>).

^a Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ These racial categories do not distinguish among ethnic origin (i.e., Hispanic or Latino origin), so they include respondents who are either Hispanic or not Hispanic.

² Estimates are based on a definition of Poverty Level that incorporates information on family income, size, and composition and is calculated as a percentage of the U.S. Census Bureau's poverty thresholds.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.116B Past Year Initiates of Cigarette Use among Persons Aged 12 to 25 at Risk for Initiation of Cigarette Use, by Age Group and Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics: Percentages, 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	Aged 12-17 (2007)	Aged 12-17 (2008)	Aged 18-25 (2007)	Aged 18-25 (2008)
TOTAL	5.9	6.2	7.9	8.3
RACE¹				
American Indian or Alaska Native	4.9	7.8	7.2	*
Asian or Pacific Islander	2.4	3.3	8.2	4.9
Asian Only	2.2	3.4	8.9	4.8
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	*	2.4	*	*
Black or African American	3.7	4.4	5.5	4.7
White	6.6	6.7	8.5	9.6
Two or More Races	4.6	6.1	9.9	8.0
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE				
Hispanic or Latino	5.4	6.2	6.9	9.1
Not Hispanic or Latino	5.9	6.2	8.1	8.1
Black or African American	3.7	4.3	5.5	4.7
White	6.9	6.9	9.0	9.7
GENDER				
Male	5.7	5.7	8.7	9.7
Female	6.0	6.7	7.2	7.0
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)²				
Less Than 100%	5.3	5.2	7.7	7.4
100-199%	5.6	6.0	6.8	7.5
200% or More	6.1	6.5	8.1	8.2

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Past Year Initiates of Cigarette Use are defined as persons who used cigarettes for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview. At Risk for Initiation of Cigarette Use is defined as persons who did not use cigarettes in their lifetime or used cigarettes for the first time in the past year.

NOTE: Estimates shown on this table correspond to Healthy People 2010 Objective Numbers 27-3a and 27-3b (<http://www.healthypeople.gov/>).

^a Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ These racial categories do not distinguish among ethnic origin (i.e., Hispanic or Latino origin), so they include respondents who are either Hispanic or not Hispanic.

² Estimates are based on a definition of Poverty Level that incorporates information on family income, size, and composition and is calculated as a percentage of the U.S. Census Bureau's poverty thresholds.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.117B Mean Age at First Use among Past Year Initiates of Substance Use Aged 12 or Older Who Initiated Use Prior to the Age of 18, by Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics: 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	MEAN AGE					
	Alcohol		Marijuana		Cigarettes	
	2007	2008	2007	2008	2007	2008
TOTAL	14.9	14.9	15.3	15.2	15.0	15.1
RACE¹						
American Indian or Alaska Native	14.8 ^a	14.1	14.8	14.7	14.4	14.4
Asian or Pacific Islander	14.8	15.3	15.3	16.0	15.7	15.6
Asian Only	14.9	15.4	15.4 ^a	16.3	15.7	15.7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	14.4	14.2	*	*	*	*
Black or African American	15.0	14.9	15.2	15.0	15.0	15.1
White	14.9	14.9	15.3	15.2	15.0	15.1
Two or More Races	14.8	14.9	14.8	15.1	14.1	14.4
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Hispanic or Latino	14.9	14.7	15.3	15.0	15.0	15.0
Not Hispanic or Latino	14.9	15.0	15.3	15.2	15.0	15.2
Black or African American	14.9	14.9	15.1	15.0	15.0	15.2
White	14.9	15.0	15.3	15.3	15.0	15.2
GENDER						
Male	15.0	15.0	15.3	15.2	15.0 ^a	15.3
Female	14.9	14.8	15.3	15.1	15.0	15.0
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)²						
Less Than 100%	14.9	14.8	14.9	14.8	14.8	14.9
100-199%	14.8	14.8	15.1 ^a	14.7	14.8	14.9
200% or More	14.9	15.0	15.4	15.4	15.1	15.2

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Past Year Initiates are defined as persons who used substance(s) for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview.

NOTE: Estimates shown on this table correspond to Healthy People 2010 Objective Numbers 26-9a, 26-9b, and 27-4a (<http://www.healthypeople.gov/>).

^a Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ These racial categories do not distinguish among ethnic origin (i.e., Hispanic or Latino origin), so they include respondents who are either Hispanic or not Hispanic.

² Estimates are based on a definition of Poverty Level that incorporates information on family income, size, and composition and is calculated as a percentage of the U.S. Census Bureau's poverty thresholds.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.

Table 7.118B Mean Age at First Cigarette Use among Past Year Initiates of Cigarette Use Aged 18 to 25, by Demographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics: 2007 and 2008

Demographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	2007	2008
TOTAL	18.9	18.9
RACE¹		
American Indian or Alaska Native	18.3	18.3
Asian or Pacific Islander	18.9	19.6
Asian Only	18.9	19.7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander Only	*	*
Black or African American	19.3	19.0
White	18.8	18.9
Two or More Races	18.6	19.1
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE		
Hispanic or Latino	18.8	19.0
Not Hispanic or Latino	18.9	18.9
Black or African American	19.3	19.0
White	18.8	18.9
GENDER		
Male	18.8	18.9
Female	19.0	19.0
POVERTY LEVEL (% of Census Bureau Poverty Threshold)²		
Less Than 100%	18.9	19.1
100-199%	18.9	19.4
200% or More	18.9	18.8

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Past Year Initiates of Cigarette Use are defined as persons who used cigarettes for the first time in the 12 months prior to date of interview.

NOTE: Estimates shown on this table correspond to Healthy People 2010 Objective Number 27-4b (<http://www.healthypeople.gov/>).

^a Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.05 level.

^b Difference between estimate and 2008 estimate is statistically significant at the 0.01 level.

¹ These racial categories do not distinguish among ethnic origin (i.e., Hispanic or Latino origin), so they include respondents who are either Hispanic or not Hispanic.

² Estimates are based on a definition of Poverty Level that incorporates information on family income, size, and composition and is calculated as a percentage of the U.S. Census Bureau's poverty thresholds.

Source: SAMHSA, Office of Applied Studies, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2007 and 2008.