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130 During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use ecstasy (also called MDMA)?
131 During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use heroin or other opiates or narcotics?
132 During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use LSD or other hallucinogens or psychedelics?
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139 During your life, how many times have you used any form of cocaine, including powder, crack, or freebase?
140 During your life, how many times have you used ecstasy (also called MDMA)?
141 During your life, how many times have you used heroin (also called smack, junk, or China White)?
142 During your life, how many times have you used methamphetamines (also called speed, crystal, crank, or ice)?
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153 How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) when they have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?
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176 How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to smoke marijuana?
177 How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to draw graffiti, or write things or draw pictures on buildings or other property (without the owner's permission)?
178 How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to pick a fight with someone?
179 How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to steal something worth more than $\$ 5$ ?
180 In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have smoked cigarettes?
181 In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have tried beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) when their parents didn't know about it?
182 In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have used marijuana?
183 In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have used LSD, cocaine, amphetamines, or other illegal drugs?
184 In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have been arrested?
185 In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have been suspended from school?
186 In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have carried a handgun?
187 In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have dropped out of school?

188 In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have sold illegal drugs?
189 In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have stolen or tried to steal a motor vehicle such as a car or motorcycle?
190 What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?
191 What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you smoked marijuana?
192 What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you carried a handgun?
193 What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you smoked cigarettes?
194 How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to smoke one or more packs of cigarettes a day?
195 How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?
196 How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to try marijuana once or twice?
197 How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to use marijuana once a month or more?

198 How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think
it is for kids your age to drink alcohol?

199 How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think
it is for kids your age to smoke cigarettes?

200 How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think
it is for kids your age to use marijuana?

201 If a kid drank some beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka,
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202 If a kid smoked marijuana in your neighborhood would he or she be
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## 1 INTRODUCTION

This is a report of key findings from the Oregon Student Wellness Survey, a survey of 6 th, 8 th and 11th grade youth, conducted in the spring of 2010. The Oregon Student Wellness Survey is an anonymous and voluntary survey sponsored by the Oregon Department of Human Services (DHS) in collaboration with the Oregon Department of Education. DHS contracted with International Survey Associates to recruit schools, administer the survey and report survey results. The survey was available free of charge to all Oregon schools that chose to participate including public, charter and private. Schools that agreed to participate in the Oregon Student Wellness Survey were given the option of administering the survey either online over the Internet or by paper and pencil with the schools determining which method would be best for their particular circumstances.

The Oregon Student Wellness Survey was designed to assess a wide range of topics that included school climate, positive youth development, mental health, substance use, problem gambling, fighting and other problem behaviors. In addition the survey collected information about risk and protective factors associated with these behaviors.

Student Wellness Survey results are used by schools, state and local agencies, organizations and communities to assess and monitor the health and well being of Oregon youth and the environments in which they live. Student Wellness Survey data can serve as a valuable tool for program planning, implementation, and evaluation. The data are essential information for communications with legislators and the public, and communities and local agencies will find the data improves their ability to procure funding by providing the baseline data needed for grant writing. In these ways, schools, communities and policy makers will find themselves poised to make effective decisions about health related policies, services, programs and educational activities.

The Oregon Student Wellness Survey was designed as a split survey. The 6th grade version of the survey consisted of a subset of the questions found on the 8th and 11th grade versions. In order to provide results that spanned all grade levels in a single report, the data for questions that did not appear on the 6th grade version appear in this report as missing.

This report is divided into topic specific sections. Each section provides a brief overview of the topic, followed by summary data tables that include results for all three grades and compares local data to that of the state. The state data for this report has been weighted based on enrollment numbers. The county data in this report has also been weighted.

Your questions, concerns and comments are invited. For more information about the theory behind the content of the Oregon Student Wellness Survey or how to use survey results for prevention planning, contact:

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### 1.1 Participants by Gender

Table 1: Particpants by Gender

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Female | 467 | 8,778 | 461 | 9,756 | 283 | 7,784 |
| Male | 464 | 8,614 | 463 | 9,611 | 352 | 7,841 |
| NA* | 4 | 102 | 5 | 98 | 1 | 51 |
| TOTAL | 935 | 17,494 | 929 | 19,465 | 636 | 15,676 |
| * NA - No Answer |  |  |  |  |  |  |

### 1.2 Race and Ethnicity

Schools throughout Oregon vary considerably in the racial and ethnic composition of their students. The Student Wellness Survey asks one question about race and another about Hispanic or Latino ethnicity.

The table below shows the percentage of students that self-identified as...

Table 2: Race and Ethnicity

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| American Indian or Alaska <br> Native | 9.1 | 6.6 | 5.0 | 4.6 | 2.7 | 3.1 |
| Asian | 1.0 | 4.8 | 1.9 | 4.6 | 2.5 | 7.3 |
| Black or African American | 1.6 | 4.5 | 2.6 | 4.8 | 1.5 | 4.7 |
| Native or Other Pacific Is- <br> lander | 3.6 | 4.4 | 2.7 | 3.9 | 1.5 | 3.1 |
| White | 84.6 | 79.7 | 87.9 | 82.1 | 91.7 | 81.8 |
| Percentages exclude missing answers. |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Percentages exclude missing answers.

The table below shows the student reponses to the question "Are you Hispnaic or Latino?"

Table 3: Hispanic/Latino?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Yes | 14.2 | 23.3 | 13.0 | 21.1 | 12.5 | 17.6 |
| No | 85.8 | 76.7 | 87.0 | 78.9 | 87.5 | 82.4 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Percentages exclude missing answers. |  |  |  |  |  |  |

### 1.3 Language Used at Home

Students were asked what language they used most often at home.

Table 4: Language Used at Home

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| English | 94.4 | 85.4 | 94.6 | 87.9 | 93.3 | 87.5 |
| Spanish | 5.1 | 11.6 | 4.2 | 9.0 | 4.1 | 7.5 |
| Another language | 0.5 | 3.0 | 1.2 | 3.1 | 2.5 | 5.0 |
| Percentages exclude missing answers. |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## 2 SCHOOL CLIMATE

School climate is an important issue to parents, administrators and the community. The environment within a school directly impacts students' academic, social, emotional and mental states. Respectful, supportive relationships among students, teachers and parents are fundamental. When students have opportunities to collaborate and share a sense of purpose and ideals, students, faculty and staff look forward to walking through the schoolhouse door. When students are attached to school and to prosocial teachers and peers, they are more likely to behave in prosocial ways themselves, and to avoid engaging in high-risk behaviors.

There is strong evidence that the learning environment influences student attachment to school. Classroom and school interventions that make the learning environment safer, more caring, better managed and highly participatory and that enhance students' social competence have been shown to increase student attachment to school. A comprehensive assessment of school climate involves input from students, faculty and staff on a wide range of topics. The data collected with the Oregon Student Wellness Survey deals exclusively with the student perception aspect of school climate. It provides an assessment of whether students feel they belong, are valued and physically and emotionally safe at school.

### 2.1 Supportive Atmosphere

In supportive atmospheres students feel more comfortable approaching and interacting with teachers and peers, thereby strengthening their relationships.

The table below reports the percentage of students that agree with the following statements

Table 5: Supportive Atmosphere

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |  |
| My teacher(s) notices <br> when I am doing a good <br> job and lets me know <br> about it. | 73.6 | 79.1 | 71.1 | 70.7 | 70.2 | 67.8 |  |
| The school lets my par- <br> ents know when l have <br> done something well. | 54.4 | 50.9 | 43.0 | 39.1 | 41.8 | 32.6 |  |
| I can talk to teachers <br> openly and freely about <br> my concerns. | 68.3 | 68.8 | 50.6 | 51.8 | 62.3 | 57.6 |  |
| In my school, teachers <br> treat students with re- <br> spect. | 0.0 | 0.0 | 73.0 | 75.2 | 78.6 | 75.8 |  |
| Most students at my <br> school help each other <br> when they are hurt or up- <br> set. | 0.0 | 0.0 | 61.4 | 68.9 | 65.2 | 67.1 |  |
| Students are picked on by <br> other students for working <br> hard at our school. | 0.0 | 0.0 | 34.3 | 35.9 | 29.9 | 28.1 |  |
| Percetagerlude missing answrs |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^1]Supportive Atmosphere
Linn County


Figure 1: Supportive Atmosphere

### 2.2 Attachment to School

Students who feel their courses are interesting, assignments are important, and what they are learning in school will be valuable to them later in life, are better prepared to make successful transitions after graduation. Young people who do not feel a part of society, are not bound by rules, don't believe in trying to be successful or responsible are at high risk of academic failure and developing mental, emotional or behavioral disorders.

The table below reports the percentage of students that reported " often" or "almost always." for the first three questions, "very interesting" or "quite interesting" for the fouth question and "very important" or "quite important" for the fifth question.

Table 6: Attachment to School

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Enjoyed being in school <br> over the past year | 55.7 | 59.5 | 47.2 | 47.7 | 39.8 | 39.8 |
| Hated being in school over <br> the past year | 23.9 | 21.2 | 33.0 | 29.4 | 34.8 | 33.9 |
| Feel that assigned school <br> work is meaningful and <br> important | 59.2 | 62.8 | 45.6 | 41.4 | 28.9 | 28.4 |
| Feel most courses are in- <br> teresting | 57.9 | 57.8 | 35.7 | 38.1 | 36.4 | 38.1 |
| Think the things you are <br> learning in school are go- <br> ing to be important for <br> your later life. | 82.2 | 85.2 | 72.2 | 70.3 | 58.0 | 57.1 |

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Grade 6


Grade 8
Grade 11


Figure 2: Attachment to School

### 2.3 Opportunities for Participation

When young people are given many opportunities to participate meaningfully in school activities that are important to them, they are less likely to engage in problem behaviors. When opportunities are available for positive participation outside of class, children are less likely to engage in substance use, and other problem behaviors.

The table below shows the percentage of students that agree with the following statements about their school.

Table 7: Opportunities for Participation

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| I have lots of chances to <br> be part of class discussions <br> or activities. | 81.8 | 85.9 | 83.0 | 84.0 | 87.3 | 86.4 |
| Teachers ask me to work <br> on special classroom <br> projects. | 53.1 | 54.2 | 42.4 | 43.5 | 37.8 | 40.0 |
| In my school, students <br> have lots of chances to <br> help decide things like <br> class activities and rules. | 69.0 | 67.1 | 56.6 | 54.5 | 56.5 | 52.3 |
| There are lots of chances <br> for students in my school <br> to get involved in sports, <br> clubs, and other school ac- <br> tivities outside of class. | 88.0 | 87.1 | 84.2 | 84.9 | 88.6 | 90.5 |
| Percentages exclude missing answers. |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Percentages exclude missing answers.

Grade 6
Grade 8
Grade 11


Figure 3: Opportunities for Participation

### 2.4 Safe Environment

Students who are harassed, feel unsafe or otherwise victimized are more likely to cut classes, skip school, feel depressed or are involved in problem behaviors. Comprehensive discipline, positive behavior support and anti-bullying programs in schools have been shown to reduce the incidence of harassment.

Table 8: Safe Environment

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| I feel safe at my school. | 81.3 | 85.6 | 79.6 | 81.5 | 82.8 | 84.8 |
| Did not go to school one <br> or more times in the past | 8.4 | 9.3 | 10.0 | 8.3 | 4.8 | 5.3 |
| 30 days because you felt <br> unsafe at school or on your <br> way to or from school |  |  |  |  |  |  |

This table shows the percentage of students that have been harassed during the past 30 days. Students were asked to indicate whether they were harassed at school or on the way to or from school for any of the following reasons.

Table 9: Harassment

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Your race or ethnic origin | 4.8 | 7.5 | 13.4 | 14.4 | 11.1 | 11.4 |
| Unwanted sexual com- <br> ments or attention | 14.0 | 10.6 | 27.3 | 21.7 | 20.4 | 18.0 |
| Someone thought you <br> were gay, lesbian, bisexual <br> or transgender | 22.5 | 20.4 | 18.5 | 14.6 | 9.9 | 8.0 |
| Your weight, clothes, acne <br> or other physical charac- <br> teristic | 21.7 | 19.9 | 28.5 | 27.2 | 21.2 | 16.9 |
| Your group of friends | 16.4 | 13.6 | 22.4 | 22.5 | 19.0 | 15.1 |
| Harassment for other rea- <br> sons. | 32.7 | 30.2 | 35.5 | 31.5 | 27.4 | 21.4 |
| Any harassment in the <br> past 30 days | 46.4 | 45.4 | 54.7 | 52.5 | 45.7 | 40.4 |
| Peras |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^2]Harassment - Grade 6 Linn County


Figure 4: Harassment - Grade 6

Harassment - Grade 8
Linn County


Figure 5: Harassment - Grade 8

Harassment - Grade 11 Linn County


Figure 6: Harassment - Grade 11

This table shows the prevalence of other serious problem behaviors reported to have occured in the past 12 months at school.

Table 10: Serious Problem Behaviors

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Have been drunk or high <br> at school | 0.0 | 0.0 | 8.2 | 10.1 | 19.5 | 17.1 |
| Were in a physical fight on <br> school property | 21.0 | 21.6 | 21.8 | 21.4 | 12.6 | 10.1 |
| Took a handgun to school | 0.0 | 0.0 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 1.9 | 1.6 |
| Percentages exclude missing answers. |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Serious Problem Behaviors
Linn County


Figure 7: Serious Problem Behaviors

## 3 POSITIVE YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

High levels of positive youth development are strongly associated with increased healthy behaviors and decreased risk behaviors among youth. In 2006, DHS Public Health Division and the Oregon Commission on Children and Families established a statewide benchmark to measure Positive Youth Development (PYD) among Oregon 8th and 11th graders.

### 3.1 PYD Benchmark

The benchmark consists of 6 questions. Each measures a different component of PYD: physical health, emotional/mental health, competence, confidence, support and service. Students that answer at least 5 of the 6 questions in a positive manner (i.e., excellent/very good/good or very much/pretty much true) are considered to have met the state benchmark.

Table 11: PYD Benchmark

|  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State |
| Strong positive youth development | 63.6 | 60.3 | 66.7 | 66.0 |
| Weak positive youth development | 36.4 | 39.7 | 33.3 | 34.0 |

Percentages exclude missing answers.
This item was not asked on the 6th grade survey.

### 3.2 General Health

Two questions are asked as an assessment of student health. The following table reports the percentage of students that responded to the questions with "good", " very good", or "excellent."

Table 12: General Health

|  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State |
| Physical health is... | 90.1 | 90.0 | 88.1 | 87.9 |
| Emotional and mental health is... | 86.6 | 85.7 | 86.4 | 85.6 |
| Percnta |  |  |  |  |

Percentages exclude missing answers.
These items were not asked on the 6th grade survey.

### 3.3 Competence, Confidence, Support and Service

The following table reports the percentage of students that indicated the statement is "pretty much true" or "very much true."

Table 13: Competence, Confidence, Support and Service

|  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State |
| I can work out my problems. | 86.2 | 84.4 | 89.5 | 89.6 |
| I can do most things if I try. | 89.1 | 89.3 | 91.7 | 92.3 |
| There is at least one teacher or <br> other adult in my school that re- <br> ally cares about me. | 71.5 | 65.3 | 71.8 | 69.2 |
| I volunteer to help others in my <br> community. | 50.2 | 43.9 | 49.1 | 52.0 |

[^3]These items were not asked on the 6th grade survey.

Positive Youth Development - Grade 8 Linn County


Figure 8: Positive Youth Development - Grade 8

Positive Youth Development - Grade 11 Linn County


Figure 9: Positive Youth Development - Grade 11

## 4 MENTAL AND EMOTIONAL HEALTH

Good mental and emotional health makes it easier for youth to establish constructive interpersonal relationships, succeed in school and make a successful transition into the workforce. Depression and psychological distress can interfere with the development of positive teacher and peer relationships. Youth with depression or high levels of psychological distress may find it difficult to focus on academics. They are more likely to smoke, drink alcohol or use other drugs and they are at increased risk of suicide.

The Oregon Student Wellness Survey asks questions about emotional and mental health, depression, suicide thoughts and suicide attempts. The survey also asks a series of five questions known as the Mental Health Inventory (MHI-5). When responses for all five are considered together, the result is an estimate of the level of psychological distress that youth are experiencing. MHI-5 scores range from five to 30 . Scores of 21 or higher are an indication that youth may be experiencing a mental health concern that requires further assessment.

### 4.1 Psychological Distress

This table shows the percentage of students with high levels of psychological distress during the past 30 days based on an MHI-5 score of 21 or higher.

Table 14: Psychological Distress

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below MHI-5 cutoff | 94.4 | 95.2 | 93.2 | 93.3 | 93.8 | 93.9 |
| At or above MHI-5 cutoff | 5.6 | 4.8 | 6.8 | 6.7 | 6.2 | 6.1 |

Percentages exclude missing answers.
This item was not asked on the 6th grade survey.

The following table contains data on each of the five Mental Health Inventory questions. This series of questions asks about how the student was feeling during the past 30 days. The table reports the percentage of students that indicated "a good bit of the time," "most of the time", or "all of the time."

Table 15: MHI-5 Questions

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Been a happy person? | 81.5 | 83.0 | 81.9 | 79.1 | 82.9 | 81.1 |
| Felt calm and peaceful? | 67.9 | 68.3 | 67.7 | 64.3 | 68.3 | 65.6 |
| Been a very nervous per- <br> son? | 23.2 | 19.8 | 20.1 | 18.2 | 18.4 | 19.6 |
| Felt downhearted and <br> blue? | 22.0 | 17.2 | 20.3 | 19.4 | 17.9 | 19.1 |
| Felt so down in the dumps <br> that nothing could cheer <br> you up? | 16.8 | 13.0 | 14.5 | 13.6 | 11.2 | 11.5 |

exclude missing answers.
These items were not asked on the 6th grade survey.

### 4.2 Depression and Suicide Ideation

Suicide is the second leading cause of death among Oregon youth aged 10-24. Depression is the most common underlying cause of suicide. The following table reports the percentage of 8th and 11th grade students that had signs of depression, thoughts about suicide, or actually attempted suicide during the last 12 months.

Table 16: Depression and Suicide Ideation

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Did you ever feel so sad or <br> hopeless almost every day <br> for two weeks or more in a <br> row that you stopped do- <br> ing some usual activities? | 20.1 | 17.7 | 22.0 | 22.1 | 24.0 | 23.4 |
| Did you ever seriously con- <br> sider attempting suicide? | 0.0 | 0.0 | 17.4 | 13.9 | 13.4 | 12.6 |
| Actually attempted sui- <br> cide? | 0.0 | 0.0 | 8.9 | 9.0 | 7.2 | 6.6 |

Percentages exclude missing answers.
Only the first item was asked on the 6th grade survey.

Psychological Distress, Depression and Suicide Linn County


Figure 10: Psychological Distress, Depression and Suicide

## 5 PROBLEM GAMBLING

Students today are increasingly being exposed to gambling opportunities - on the Internet, in the community, at home and even at church - so it's no surprise that problems associated with gambling are being seen in youth. It's generally not perceived nor treated as risky, yet research shows that youth who gamble are much more likely to engage in other risky behaviors such as drinking, smoking and using drugs and some of them will go on to develop serious gambling problems.

The adolescent brain is developmentally inclined towards risk, minimal consideration of consequences, preference for stimulation and novelty, all of which gambling offers in abundance.

The Oregon Student Wellness Survey asks a series of questions that address and measure various gambling activities. Students were asked questions regarding the types of gambling they participated in, their feelings about being involved in gambling and the degree to which parents and teachers have communicated to the students the risks involved in engaging in this particular activity.

Gambling can be addictive, yet most youth and parents treat it as harmless entertainment. The following tables and charts contain data on gambling questions. These percentages are provided by grade level and statewide data are included for comparison purposes. For more information on youth gambling in Oregon, including more data and educational resources, go to www.problemgamblingprevention. org

### 5.1 Types of Gambling

Gambling involves betting anything of value (money, a watch, soda, etc.) on a game or event. The following table shows the percentage of students that participated in these types of gambling in the last 30 days.

Table 17: Types of Gambling

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Playing lottery tickets. | 8.3 | 6.2 | 10.2 | 8.8 | 10.1 | 10.1 |
| Playing Powerball or Megabucks. | 1.5 | 2.1 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 1.4 | 2.6 |
| Playing dice or coin flips. | 13.3 | 12.4 | 13.1 | 14.8 | 9.0 | 8.3 |
| Playing cards (poker, etc.). | 11.9 | 13.2 | 16.5 | 18.8 | 18.4 | 17.2 |
| Betting on a sports team. | 14.4 | 14.0 | 16.3 | 18.2 | 13.7 | 14.5 |
| Betting on a horse/dog race. | 1.9 | 1.9 | 3.0 | 1.6 | 0.5 | 1.4 |
| Betting on games of personal skill (bowling, video games, dares, etc.). | 17.1 | 19.7 | 24.2 | 25.4 | 19.7 | 18.3 |
| Gambling on the Internet for free or with money. | 2.5 | 2.7 | 6.1 | 4.7 | 5.3 | 4.7 |
| Gambling at a casino. | 0.9 | 0.7 | 1.3 | 0.8 | 1.4 | 1.1 |
| Playing Bingo for money. | 6.1 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 6.0 | 3.5 | 3.8 |
| None. | 58.4 | 57.6 | 52.1 | 50.9 | 59.9 | 58.2 |
| Other. | 8.4 | 8.8 | 10.2 | 12.0 | 7.5 | 8.0 |

Percentages exclude missing answers.

### 5.2 Risk of Problem Gambling

Most youth don't have large sums of money to spend on gambling, so this measure must be looked at within that context. The fact that youth are spending any money on a potentially addictive behavior is of concern, and some youth spend significant amounts on it. Even those who spend a small amount of money are still "spending" time and attention on gambling at the expense of other activities and responsibilities. By the time they get into college, where problem gambling rates are among the highest and the average college student gets 25 credit card solicitations a year, some youth have developed seemingly innocent gambling habits that will cost them dearly.

The following table shows the amount of money 8th and 11th grade students bet in any form (lottery, card games, bingo, Internet, sports, with friends) in the past three months.

Table 18: Gambling Amounts

|  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State |
| 0 | 68.9 | 63.5 | 70.7 | 68.1 |
| $\$ 1-\$ 10$ | 20.2 | 22.9 | 16.7 | 18.7 |
| $\$ 11-\$ 50$ | 5.0 | 8.1 | 7.7 | 7.9 |
| Over $\$ 50$ | 5.9 | 5.6 | 4.9 | 5.4 |

Percentages exclude missing answers.
This item was not asked on the 6th grade survey.
The next table shows the percentage of 8th and 11th grade students that reported the following signs of problem gambling in the last 12 months. The last two questions (lied about/bet more) are based on a valid and reliable problem gambling screening instrument which has been used for many years; saying yes to either of these is highly correlated to a potential gambling problem and indicates a need for further assessment by a trained counselor.

Table 19: Signs of Problem Gambling

|  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State |
| Felt bad about the amount you bet, <br> or about what happens when you <br> bet money | 3.3 | 4.2 | 2.0 | 2.9 |
| Felt that you would like to stop <br> betting money but didn't think you <br> could | 2.6 | 2.7 | 1.2 | 1.8 |
| Lied to anyone about bet- <br> ting/gambling | 5.1 | 5.9 | 3.8 | 3.5 |
| Bet/gambled more than you <br> wanted to | 4.4 | 6.4 | 4.9 | 5.5 |

Percentages exclude missing answers.
These items were not asked on the 6th grade survey.

### 5.3 Communication about the Risks of Gambling

Table 20: Communication About the Risks of Gambling

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Parents have talked to you <br> about the risks of bet- <br> ting/gambling | 57.9 | 58.3 | 50.2 | 46.5 | 38.0 | 36.4 |
| Teachers have talked to <br> you about the risks of bet- <br> ting/gambling | 34.9 | 32.3 | 31.0 | 30.7 | 26.4 | 23.2 |

[^4]These items were not asked on the 6th grade survey.

Gambling - Grade 6 Linn County


Figure 11: Gambling - Grade 6

Gambling - Grade 8 Linn County


Figure 12: Gambling - Grade 8

Gambling - Grade 11


Figure 13: Gambling - Grade 11

Amount of Money Bet Linn County


Figure 14: Amount of Money Bet

Signs of Problem Gambling Linn County
Grade 8
Grade 11


Figure 15: Signs of Problem Gambling

## 6 SUBSTANCE USE

Smoking is the number one preventable cause of disease and death in this country. Most adult smokers start smoking before the age of 18. Of the 20 adolescents in Oregon who begin smoking each day, one-third will die prematurely from tobaccorelated diseases.

Alcohol is the country's most widely used legal drug and, despite the fact that it is illegal to purchase alcohol under 21 years of age, its use is widespread in teens. The brain goes through dynamic change during adolescence, and alcohol can seriously damage long- and short-term growth processes. The American Medical Association warns that damage from alcohol at this time can be irreversible.

Marijuana is the country's most widely used illicit drug. Nationally, nearly half of all high school seniors report some use of marijuana in their lifetime. Recent studies by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration show weekly or more frequent use of marijuana doubles a teen's risk of depression and anxiety and can cause other mental illness.

During the elementary school years, most children express anti-drug, anti-crime and pro-social attitudes and have difficulty imagining why people use drugs. However, in middle school, as more youth are exposed to others who use cigarettes, alcohol or other drugs, their attitudes often shift toward greater acceptance of these behaviors.

### 6.1 Abstinence from Substance Use

The following table shows the percent of students that indicated in their lifetime, they "never have" ...

Table 21: Abstinence from Substance Use

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Smoked a whole cigarette | 93.4 | 95.8 | 81.5 | 84.6 | 64.3 | 72.1 |
| Used tobacco products <br> other than cigarettes, such <br> as snuff, chewing tobacco, <br> and smoking tobacco from <br> a pipe | 95.7 | 97.4 | 87.6 | 90.6 | 72.0 | 77.8 |
| Had more than a sip or <br> two of alcohol | 83.8 | 85.0 | 64.4 | 62.6 | 35.0 | 39.0 |
| Tried marijuana | 95.7 | 96.7 | 83.5 | 80.3 | 57.3 | 58.3 |

### 6.2 Substance Use in the Past 30 Days

The table below provides the percentage of students that used one or more times in the past 30 days.

Table 22: Substance Use in the Past 30 Days

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Smoked cigarettes | 4.8 | 2.7 | 11.2 | 8.2 | 21.4 | 14.3 |
| Used other tobacco prod- <br> ucts | 3.7 | 1.6 | 7.6 | 5.0 | 16.5 | 12.4 |
| Had at least one drink of <br> alcohol | 9.1 | 8.1 | 21.5 | 22.5 | 40.5 | 36.3 |
| Had 5 or more drinks of <br> alcohol in a row, that is, <br> within a couple of hours | 4.3 | 2.0 | 9.3 | 8.9 | 26.2 | 21.0 |
| Used marijuana | 3.9 | 2.2 | 10.4 | 12.2 | 25.9 | 23.7 |
| Sniffed glue, breathed the <br> contents of aerosol spray <br> cans, or any paints or <br> sprays to get high | 8.6 | 6.5 | 7.6 | 5.9 | 2.6 | 2.3 |
| Used prescription drugs <br> (without a doctor's or- <br> ders) to get high | 0.0 | 0.0 | 4.4 | 3.9 | 9.4 | 6.6 |
| Used illicit drugs other <br> than marijauna (includes <br> any use of cocaine, <br> ecstasy, heroin, hallu- <br> cinogens or metham- <br> phetamines) | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.4 | 3.3 | 4.5 | 5.1 |
| Percentages exclude missing answers. |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use - Grade 6 Linn County


Figure 16: Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use - Grade 6

Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use - Grade 8 Linn County


Figure 17: Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use - Grade 8

Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use - Grade 11


Figure 18: Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use - Grade 11

### 6.3 Average Age of First Use

Onset of drug use prior to the age of 15 is associated with a much greater risk of developing dependency. The earlier the onset of any substance use, the greater the involvement in other drug use and the greater the frequency of use. Later age of onset of substance use has been shown to predict lower drug involvement and a greater probability of discontinuation of use.

Among students that have ever used, the table below shows the average age (in years) when they first...

Table 23: Average Age of First Use

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Smoked a whole cigarette | 11.4 | 10.2 | 11.4 | 11.6 | 13.8 | 13.7 |
| Used tobacco products <br> other than cigarettes, such <br> as snuff, chewing tobacco, <br> and smoking tobacco from <br> a pipe | 12.1 | 10.4 | 11.4 | 11.8 | 14.3 | 14.3 |
| Had more than a sip or <br> two of alcohol | 10.4 | 9.8 | 11.3 | 11.6 | 13.6 | 13.9 |
| First began drinking alco- <br> holic beverages regularly, <br> that is, at least once or <br> twice a month? | 11.0 | 10.2 | 11.6 | 12.0 | 14.2 | 14.4 |
| Tried marijuana |  |  |  |  |  |  |

[^5]Age of First Use - Grade 6 Linn County


ATOD - Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use
Figure 19: Age of First Use - Grade 6

Age of First Use - Grade 8 Linn County


ATOD - Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use
Figure 20: Age of First Use - Grade 8

Age of First Use - Grade 11 Linn County


ATOD - Alcohol, Tobacco and Other Drug Use
Figure 21: Age of First Use - Grade 11

### 6.4 Factors Associated with Initiation of Substance Use

This section reports on a variety of factors associated with initiation of substance use. Easy availability, attitudes about use, perceptions about the risk of harm from use and communication about substance use all influence whether young people choose to use tobacco, alcohol or other drugs.

### 6.5 Availability

Adolescents that report easy availability of cigarettes, alcohol, marijuana, and other illegal drugs are more likely to use these substances. Research has shown that legal restrictions on alcohol and tobacco use, such as raising the legal drinking age, restricting smoking in public, and increased taxation have been followed by decreases in consumption.

The table below shows the percentage of students that said it would be "easy" or "very easy" for the student to get..

Table 24: Availability

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Cigarettes | 18.7 | 16.6 | 37.6 | 38.4 | 71.5 | 66.3 |
| Beer, wine, or liquor | 18.2 | 18.1 | 39.9 | 47.1 | 72.2 | 72.3 |
| Marijuana | 5.9 | 7.3 | 25.9 | 35.9 | 64.6 | 66.4 |
| A drug like cocaine, LSD, <br> or amphetamines | 3.2 | 3.0 | 9.2 | 10.1 | 20.5 | 23.6 |

[^6]
### 6.6 Parental Attitude toward Substance Use

In families where parents are heavy users of alcohol, use illegal drugs or are tolerant of children's use, adolescents are more likely to engage in substance use. The risk is further increased if parents involve children in their own using behavior such as asking the child to light the parent's cigarette or get the parent a beer from the refrigerator

The Student Wellness Survey asks students about how their parents would feel if the student used alcohol, cigarettes or marijuana. The table below reports the percentage of students that said their parents feel it would be "wrong" or "very wrong" for youth to...

Table 25: Parental Attitude toward Substance Use

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Smoke cigarettes | 97.7 | 98.7 | 94.6 | 96.6 | 89.5 | 92.4 |
| Drink beer, wine or liquor <br> regularly | 95.5 | 96.7 | 90.1 | 90.3 | 76.2 | 79.4 |
| Smoke marijuana | 98.7 | 98.7 | 94.5 | 94.1 | 89.1 | 88.2 |

Percentages exclude missing answers.

### 6.7 Student Attitude toward Substance Use

Youth who express positive attitudes toward substance use are more likely to engage in a variety of problem behaviors including substance use.

The following table shows the percentage of students that think it is "wrong" or "very wrong" for someone their age to..

Table 26: Student Attitude toward Substance Use

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |  |
| Smoke one or more packs <br> of cigarettes a day | 97.2 | 98.0 | 89.6 | 93.2 | 85.3 | 88.5 |  |
| Have one or two drinks <br> of an alchoholic beverage <br> nearly every day | 94.9 | 95.3 | 81.5 | 84.7 | 77.4 | 79.7 |  |
| Try marijuana once or <br> twice | 95.9 | 95.9 | 81.5 | 76.6 | 58.2 | 56.4 |  |
| Use marijuana once <br> month or more | 94.5 | 95.9 | 83.6 | 80.2 | 62.4 | 62.3 |  |
| Percentages exclude missing answers. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Percentages exclude missing answers.

### 6.8 Perceived Risk of Harm

Students who do not perceive cigarette, alcohol or marijuana use to be risky are far more likely to engage in use.

The following table reports the percentage of students that think there is " moderate risk" or "great risk" of harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they...

Table 27: Perceived Risk of Harm

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Smoke one or more packs <br> of cigarettes a day | 84.6 | 86.8 | 83.6 | 85.8 | 85.3 | 85.1 |
| Take one or two drinks <br> of an acoholic beverage <br> (beer, wine, liquor) nearly <br> every day | 67.7 | 70.7 | 62.0 | 64.4 | 63.7 | 64.9 |
| Have five or more drinks of <br> an alcoholic beverage once <br> or twice a week | 75.2 | 78.3 | 72.2 | 75.8 | 73.1 | 76.2 |
| Try marijuana once or <br> twice | 70.2 | 74.3 | 64.0 | 53.9 | 37.2 | 35.0 |
| Smoke marijuana once or <br> twice a week | 82.0 | 85.1 | 77.6 | 74.2 | 59.8 | 60.1 |
| Perctas exclu msig an |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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### 6.9 Communication about Substance Use

The table below shows the percentage of students that recall communication about substance use during the past 12 months.

Table 28: Communication about Substance Use

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Talked with at least one <br> of your parents about the <br> dangers of tobacco, alco- <br> hol, or drug use | 59.2 | 66.2 | 60.3 | 64.9 | 62.2 | 64.8 |
| Had a special class about <br> drugs or alcohol in school | 58.3 | 51.6 | 45.7 | 57.2 | 42.9 | 45.5 |
| Recall hearing, reading, <br> or watching an advertise- <br> ment about prevention of <br> substance abuse | 44.6 | 47.7 | 61.8 | 67.1 | 72.7 | 76.8 |
| Percentages exclude missing answers. |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Percentages exclude missing answers.

## 7 DRUG FREE COMMUNITIES CORE MEASURES

The Drug-Free Communities (DFC) Support Program, administered by the Center for Substance Abuse Prevention, requests specific data which are typically referred to as the Core Measures. Grantees are required to report on three drug categories: tobacco, alcohol and marijuana. A number of Oregon DFCs focus on other substances, so this report also includes 30-day use data for binge drinking, prescription drugs, methamphetamines, and any illicit drugs other than marijuana.

Data in the tables that follow are provided by grade level. For each drug, and at each grade level, the percentage of students who responded positively to the question and the number of students who responded to the question are reported. For Average Age of Onset, the average age of first use in years and the number of students using is reported. The possible responses to this question range from 10 or under to 17 or older. The table shows the average age of onset of use by those students who answered the question with a response other than "never used."

### 7.1 30 Day Use

Table 29: 30 Day Use

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | N | Pct | N | Pct | N | Pct |
| Had at least one drink of <br> alcohol | 920 | 9.1 | 891 | 21.5 | 625 | 40.5 |
| Had 5 or more drinks of <br> alcohol in a row, that is, <br> within a couple of hours | 921 | 4.3 | 895 | 9.3 | 626 | 26.2 |
| Smoked cigarettes | 919 | 4.8 | 895 | 11.2 | 621 | 21.4 |
| Used marijuana | 916 | 3.9 | 891 | 10.4 | 625 | 25.9 |
| Used prescription drugs <br> (without a doctor's or- <br> ders) to get high | 0 | 0.0 | 888 | 4.4 | 626 | 9.4 |
| Used methamphetamines <br> (also called speed, crystal, <br> crank or ice) | 0 | 0.0 | 879 | 1.4 | 626 | 1.1 |
| Used illicit drugs other <br> than marijauna (includes <br> any use of cocaine, <br> ecstasy, heroin, hallu- <br> cinogens or metham- <br> phetamines) | 0 | 0.0 | 894 | 3.4 | 627 | 4.5 |

### 7.2 Perception of Moderate or Great Risk

Table 30: Perception of Moderate or Great Risk

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | N | Pct | N | Pct | N | Pct |
| Take one or two drinks <br> of an acoholic beverage <br> (beer, wine, liquor) nearly <br> every day | 876 | 67.7 | 830 | 61.9 | 598 | 63.7 |
| Smoke one or more packs <br> of cigarettes a day | 856 | 84.6 | 837 | 83.6 | 597 | 85.3 |
| Smoke marijuana once or <br> twice a week | 855 | 82.0 | 836 | 77.6 | 597 | 59.8 |
| Percentages exclude missing answers. |  |  |  |  |  |  |

### 7.3 Parents Feel It Would Be Wrong or Very Wrong

Table 31: Parents Feel It Would Be Wrong or Very Wrong

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | N | Pct | N | Pct | N | Pct |
| Drink beer, wine or liquor <br> regularly | 882 | 95.6 | 841 | 90.1 | 596 | 76.2 |
| Smoke cigarettes | 881 | 97.7 | 841 | 94.6 | 600 | 89.5 |
| Smoke marijuana | 872 | 98.6 | 839 | 94.5 | 597 | 89.1 |
| Percentages exclude missing answers. |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Percentages exclude missing answers.

### 7.4 Average Age (in years) of Onset

Table 32: Average Age (in years) of Onset

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | N | Age | N | Age | N | Age |
| Had more than a sip or <br> two of alcohol | 911 | 10.4 | 897 | 11.3 | 626 | 13.6 |
| Smoked a whole cigarette | 906 | 11.4 | 891 | 11.4 | 625 | 13.8 |
| Tried marijuana | 911 | 12.4 | 895 | 12.0 | 627 | 14.2 |
| Percentages exclude missing answers. |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## 8 RISK AND PROTECTIVE FACTORS

Risk and protective factor-focused prevention is based on a simple premise: to prevent a problem from happening, identify the factors that increase the risk of that problem developing and then find ways to reduce the risks. The Social Development Research Group at the University of Washington defined a set of risk factors for drug abuse. They include characteristics of school, community, and family environments as well as characteristics of students and their peer groups that are associated with increased likelihood of drug use, delinquency, and violent behaviors among youth.

The research team also found that some children exposed to multiple risk factors manage to avoid behavior problems later, even though they were exposed to the same risks as children who exhibited behavior problems. Protective factors exert a positive influence or buffer against the negative influence of risk, thus reducing the likelihood that adolescents will engage in problem behaviors. Protective factors include social bonding to family, school, community and peers, and healthy beliefs and clear standards for behavior (Hawkins, Catalano \& Miller, 1992; Hawkins, Arthur \& Catalano, 1995; Brewer, Hawkins, Catalano \& Neckerman, 1995).

The premise of the risk and protective factor approach is to promote positive youth development and prevent problem behaviors by addressing the factors associated with the problem. By measuring risk and protective factors in a population, specific risk factors that are elevated and widespread can be identified and targeted by preventive interventions that also promote related protective factors.

The Oregon Student Wellness Survey collects data on an essential set of risk and protective factors. The tables that follow give the percentage of students whose factor scores exceed a national norm for each factor. The bars of the graphs indicate the percentage of students whose calculated factor scores exceed the national norm for the particular factor. The percentage figures for the state as a whole are indicated on the graph by the red line for each factor. The lime green dashed line indicates the percentage based on the seven state national normed database. In the tables and charts that follow, if, for example, the percentage for a risk factor was 45.3 that would mean that 45.3 percent of the students had a factor score that was above the cutoff for that particular factor. Ideally, risk factors would have low percentages and protective factors would have high percentages.

### 8.1 Community Factors

Table 33: Community Factors

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Transitions and mobility <br> (risk) | 54.2 | 51.6 | 47.0 | 42.1 | 43.8 | 41.9 |
| Laws and norms favorable <br> to drug use (risk) | 33.6 | 34.1 | 25.4 | 28.3 | 34.9 | 32.7 |
| Perceived availability of <br> drugs (risk) | 23.5 | 24.0 | 28.4 | 32.8 | 36.2 | 37.2 |

### 8.2 Family Factors

Table 34: Family Factors

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Poor family management <br> (risk) | 39.0 | 40.9 | 35.2 | 44.0 | 34.4 | 37.5 |
| Parental attitudes toward <br> substance use (risk) | 13.5 | 13.2 | 29.4 | 33.3 | 53.8 | 52.8 |
| Parental attitudes toward <br> antisocial behavior (risk) | 38.6 | 44.3 | 54.2 | 60.2 | 60.8 | 59.3 |

### 8.3 School Factors

Table 35: School Factors

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Academic failure (risk) | 44.4 | 42.4 | 48.6 | 45.2 | 44.6 | 42.5 |
| Low commitment to <br> school (risk) | 41.5 | 38.8 | 39.2 | 38.2 | 43.5 | 42.2 |
| School opportunities for <br> prosocialinvolvement <br> (protective) <br> School rewards for proso- <br> cial involvment (protec- <br> tive) | 52.7 | 63.9 | 69.2 | 66.4 | 69.1 | 68.7 |

### 8.4 Peer / Individual Factors

Table 36: Peer / Individual Factors

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Perceived risks of sub- <br> stance use (risk) | 36.4 | 32.6 | 42.7 | 49.8 | 50.9 | 51.1 |
| Friends' use of drugs (risk) | 21.5 | 20.8 | 27.4 | 35.1 | 31.9 | 31.7 |
| Friends' delinquent behav- <br> ior (risk) | 38.3 | 38.1 | 48.4 | 54.4 | 53.3 | 53.9 |
| Peer rewards for antisocial <br> behavior (risk) | 27.1 | 28.4 | 33.3 | 43.0 | 37.5 | 35.2 |
| Attitudes toward antiso- <br> cial behavior (risk) | 51.2 | 51.0 | 34.5 | 39.2 | 43.9 | 41.1 |
| Early initiation of drug use <br> (risk) | 18.8 | 17.8 | 26.3 | 26.0 | 28.1 | 25.3 |

Risk Factors - Grade 6
Linn County


Figure 22: Risk Factors - Grade 6

Risk Factors - Grade 8
Linn County


Figure 23: Risk Factors - Grade 8

Risk Factors - Grade 11
Linn County


Figure 24: Risk Factors - Grade 11

Protective Factors - Grade 6 Linn County


Figure 25: Protective Factors - Grade 6

Protective Factors - Grade 8 Linn County


Figure 26: Protective Factors - Grade 8

Protective Factors - Grade 11 Linn County
School


Figure 27: Protective Factors - Grade 11

## A FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION TABLES

This section contains frequency distribution tables for all of the questions found on the 2010 Oregon Student Wellness Survey. Two versions of the survey were used, one for 6 th grade and another for 8 th and 11th grades. The 6th grade survey consisted of a subset of the questions found on the 8 th $/ 11$ th grade version. In order to provide results that spanned all grade levels in a single report, the data for questions that did not appear on the 6th grade version were coded as missing.

## A. 1 Frequency Distribution Tables

## A.1.1 Demographics

Table 37: How old are you?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 10 or younger | 0.1 | 0.1 |  |  |  |  |
| 11 years old | 42.7 | 33.4 |  |  |  |  |
| 12 years old | 53.9 | 63.6 | 0.3 | 0.2 |  |  |
| 13 years old | 3.2 | 2.8 | 41.6 | 32.0 |  |  |
| 14 years old | 0.1 | 0.0 | 53.8 | 64.7 |  |  |
| 15 years old |  |  | 3.9 | 3.0 | 0.8 | 0.2 |
| 16 years old |  |  | 0.4 | 0.1 | 35.3 | 33.4 |
| 17 years old |  |  |  |  | 61.3 | 63.3 |
| 18 years old |  |  |  |  | 2.5 | 2.9 |
| 19 years old or older |  |  |  |  | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| N of Valid | 933 | 17,450 | 928 | 19,417 | 635 | 15,668 |
| N of Miss | 2 | 44 | 2 | 48 | 1 | 9 |

Table 38: What is your sex?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Female | 50.2 | 50.5 | 49.9 | 50.4 | 44.6 | 49.8 |
| Male | 49.8 | 49.5 | 50.1 | 49.6 | 55.4 | 50.2 |
| N of Valid | 931 | 17,392 | 924 | 19,367 | 635 | 15,625 |
| N of Miss | 4 | 102 | 5 | 98 | 1 | 51 |

Table 39: In what grade are you?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 5th |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6th | 100.0 | 100.0 |  |  |  |  |
| 7th |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8th |  |  | 100.0 | 100.0 |  |  |
| 9th |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10th |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11th |  |  |  |  | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| 12th | 035 | 17,495 | 929 | 19,465 | 636 | 15,676 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| N of Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |

A.1.2 Transitions and Mobility

Table 43: Have you changed homes in the past year?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Yes | 30.6 | 29.7 | 31.1 | 26.3 | 19.6 | 20.8 |
| No | 69.4 | 70.3 | 68.9 | 73.7 | 80.4 | 79.2 |
| N of Valid | 863 | 16,038 | 829 | 18,081 | 597 | 14,790 |
| N of Miss | 72 | 1,458 | 99 | 1,383 | 38 | 886 |

Table 44: Have you changed schools (including changing from elementary to middle or middle to high school) in the past year?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Yes | 66.5 | 59.0 | 19.8 | 18.5 | 12.7 | 12.5 |
| No | 33.5 | 41.0 | 80.2 | 81.5 | 87.3 | 87.5 |
| N of Valid | 856 | 15,988 | 829 | 18,049 | 598 | 14,784 |
| N of Miss | 79 | 1,506 | 99 | 1,416 | 38 | 892 |

Table 45: How many times have you changed homes since kindergarten?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never | 35.3 | 36.3 | 28.4 | 29.7 | 28.0 | 27.5 |
| 1 or 2 times | 33.7 | 33.7 | 28.7 | 33.5 | 29.1 | 33.6 |
| 3 or 4 times | 18.0 | 16.8 | 23.6 | 18.7 | 21.8 | 19.1 |
| 5 or 6 times | 5.8 | 6.4 | 8.3 | 8.8 | 10.1 | 9.5 |
| 7 or more times | 7.2 | 6.9 | 11.0 | 9.3 | 11.1 | 10.3 |
| N of Valid | 846 | 15,910 | 834 | 17,994 | 597 | 14,735 |
| N of Miss | 89 | 1,584 | 94 | 1,471 | 39 | 940 |

Table 46: How many times have you changed schools (including changing from elementary to middle or middle to high school) since kindergarten?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never | 32.1 | 30.0 | 20.9 | 20.5 | 23.5 | 21.3 |
| 1 or 2 times | 39.1 | 42.7 | 39.4 | 43.0 | 27.2 | 31.5 |
| 3 or 4 times | 19.2 | 17.7 | 25.9 | 23.2 | 29.1 | 28.9 |
| 5 or 6 times | 5.0 | 5.6 | 7.2 | 7.7 | 11.7 | 11.2 |
| 7 or more times | 4.5 | 4.0 | 6.6 | 5.6 | 8.5 | 7.0 |
| N of Valid | 837 | 15,610 | 815 | 17,581 | 591 | 14,474 |
| N of Miss | 98 | 1,886 | 114 | 1,885 | 45 | 1,201 |

## A. 2 School Climate

## A.2.1 Academic Performance

Table 47: Are your school grades better than the grades of most students in your class?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 6.3 | 5.1 | 9.5 | 6.6 | 4.3 | 5.2 |
| no | 32.1 | 32.4 | 32.3 | 32.8 | 30.4 | 31.1 |
| yes | 48.6 | 49.2 | 44.7 | 46.6 | 50.9 | 47.8 |
| YES! | 13.1 | 13.3 | 13.4 | 14.1 | 14.4 | 15.9 |
| N of Valid | 910 | 17,048 | 901 | 19,185 | 632 | 15,536 |
| N of Miss | 25 | 447 | 28 | 280 | 4 | 139 |

Table 48: Putting them all together, what were your grades like last year?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Mostly F's | 2.4 | 2.0 | 6.5 | 3.6 | 1.4 | 2.2 |
| Mostly D's | 5.0 | 3.6 | 7.0 | 6.1 | 5.9 | 4.8 |
| Mostly C's | 17.9 | 15.1 | 21.0 | 19.1 | 26.0 | 22.2 |
| Mostly B's | 38.6 | 37.2 | 30.3 | 31.9 | 34.1 | 36.8 |
| Mostly A's | 36.1 | 42.0 | 35.3 | 39.4 | 32.6 | 33.9 |
| N of Valid | 901 | 16,849 | 902 | 19,053 | 628 | 15,490 |
| N of Miss | 33 | 647 | 27 | 411 | 8 | 186 |

## A.2.2 School Commitment

Table 49: During the LAST FOUR WEEKS how many whole days have you missed because you skipped or "cut"?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| None | 90.9 | 90.5 | 86.0 | 82.8 | 78.7 | 71.5 |
| 1 | 4.0 | 4.6 | 4.7 | 6.8 | 8.6 | 10.0 |
| 2 | 1.9 | 1.6 | 3.4 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 6.1 |
| 3 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 2.0 | 2.5 | 3.1 | 4.3 |
| 4 to 5 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 1.8 | 2.0 | 2.6 | 4.1 |
| 6 to 10 | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 2.2 |
| 11 or more | 0.3 | 0.5 | 1.8 | 1.1 | 1.8 | 1.8 |
| N of Valid | 891 | 16,446 | 849 | 18,397 | 605 | 14,936 |
| N of Miss | 44 | 1,049 | 80 | 1,068 | 31 | 742 |

Table 50: How important do you think the things you are learning in school are going to be for your later life?

|  | Grade 6 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | County | State |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | County | State |  | Grade 11 |  | County | State |
| Very important | 64.5 | 61.6 |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 51: How interesting are most of your courses to you?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very interesting and <br> stimulating | 23.6 | 22.2 | 12.8 | 11.6 | 10.4 | 10.7 |
| Quite interesting | 34.3 | 35.6 | 23.0 | 26.6 | 26.0 | 27.4 |
| Fairly interesting | 19.5 | 24.2 | 32.5 | 32.7 | 35.1 | 35.1 |
| Slightly boring | 11.2 | 10.6 | 15.7 | 16.6 | 16.4 | 17.0 |
| Very boring | 11.3 | 7.5 | 16.0 | 12.6 | 12.1 | 9.9 |
| N of Valid | 865 | 16,028 | 843 | 18,255 | 604 | 14,906 |
| N of Miss | 70 | 1,467 | 86 | 1,209 | 32 | 770 |

Table 52: How often do you feel that the school work you are assigned is meaningful and important?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never | 10.9 | 6.2 | 10.2 | 8.4 | 11.3 | 9.2 |
| Seldom | 7.8 | 7.0 | 13.2 | 14.8 | 23.8 | 23.6 |
| Sometimes | 22.1 | 23.9 | 31.0 | 35.4 | 36.1 | 38.8 |
| Often | 27.3 | 32.3 | 29.4 | 27.5 | 19.7 | 21.1 |
| Almost always | 31.9 | 30.5 | 16.1 | 14.0 | 9.2 | 7.2 |
| N of Valid | 769 | 14,582 | 800 | 17,123 | 568 | 14,073 |
| N of Miss | 166 | 2,914 | 128 | 2,342 | 68 | 1,603 |

Table 53: Now, thinking back over the past year in school, how often did you enjoy being in school?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never | 11.5 | 7.2 | 12.6 | 8.6 | 10.9 | 8.2 |
| Seldom | 8.9 | 8.9 | 12.1 | 12.9 | 18.4 | 17.3 |
| Sometimes | 23.8 | 24.4 | 27.9 | 30.9 | 30.8 | 34.7 |
| Often | 29.2 | 31.6 | 29.8 | 30.9 | 27.5 | 29.7 |
| Almost always | 26.7 | 27.9 | 17.5 | 16.8 | 12.3 | 10.1 |
| N of Valid | 878 | 16,221 | 848 | 18,175 | 603 | 14,868 |
| N of Miss | 56 | 1,273 | 81 | 1,290 | 31 | 809 |

Table 54: Now, thinking back over the past year in school, how often did you hate being in school?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never | 23.8 | 22.6 | 15.9 | 11.9 | 8.5 | 7.1 |
| Seldom | 27.5 | 29.9 | 23.3 | 28.4 | 22.6 | 24.6 |
| Sometimes | 24.8 | 26.3 | 27.8 | 30.2 | 34.1 | 34.3 |
| Often | 10.9 | 11.9 | 19.3 | 18.2 | 22.3 | 22.8 |
| Almost always | 13.0 | 9.3 | 13.8 | 11.2 | 12.6 | 11.1 |
| N of Valid | 864 | 16,092 | 850 | 18,158 | 602 | 14,854 |
| N of Miss | 69 | 1,403 | 80 | 1,307 | 34 | 822 |

Table 55: Now, thinking back over the past year in school, how often did you try to do your best work in school?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never | 5.0 | 2.6 | 5.1 | 3.0 | 4.5 | 2.6 |
| Seldom | 3.3 | 2.6 | 7.7 | 5.6 | 7.6 | 6.9 |
| Sometimes | 9.8 | 9.3 | 16.3 | 17.3 | 22.7 | 24.0 |
| Often | 19.7 | 24.1 | 26.4 | 31.0 | 31.0 | 33.7 |
| Almost always | 62.1 | 61.4 | 44.6 | 43.1 | 34.3 | 32.8 |
| N of Valid | 874 | 16,180 | 846 | 18,196 | 604 | 14,841 |
| N of Miss | 60 | 1,314 | 83 | 1,270 | 33 | 834 |

## A.2.3 Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement in School

Table 56: I have lots of chances to be part of class discussions or activities.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 7.0 | 4.7 | 7.9 | 4.8 | 3.5 | 3.6 |
| no | 11.1 | 9.4 | 9.0 | 11.3 | 9.2 | 10.1 |
| yes | 43.4 | 48.1 | 50.9 | 54.8 | 60.8 | 61.1 |
| YES! | 38.5 | 37.8 | 32.1 | 29.2 | 26.5 | 25.3 |
| N of Valid | 866 | 16,065 | 843 | 18,098 | 599 | 14,824 |
| N of Miss | 68 | 1,431 | 86 | 1,368 | 38 | 852 |

Table 57: In my school, students have lots of chances to help decide things like class activities and rules.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 8.7 | 8.1 | 13.1 | 11.5 | 9.6 | 11.0 |
| no | 22.3 | 24.8 | 30.2 | 34.0 | 33.9 | 36.7 |
| yes | 44.0 | 45.9 | 39.3 | 41.3 | 43.0 | 42.3 |
| YES! | 25.0 | 21.2 | 17.3 | 13.2 | 13.5 | 10.0 |
| N of Valid | 837 | 15,871 | 837 | 18,008 | 593 | 14,762 |
| N of Miss | 96 | 1,624 | 91 | 1,457 | 43 | 914 |

Table 58: Teachers ask me to work on special classroom projects.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 14.0 | 11.8 | 14.6 | 12.7 | 13.3 | 11.0 |
| no | 33.0 | 34.0 | 42.9 | 43.8 | 48.8 | 49.0 |
| yes | 36.2 | 37.4 | 30.3 | 33.5 | 31.8 | 33.2 |
| YES! | 16.8 | 16.8 | 12.2 | 10.0 | 6.1 | 6.8 |
| N of Valid | 843 | 15,687 | 833 | 17,749 | 592 | 14,592 |
| N of Miss | 91 | 1,808 | 96 | 1,716 | 43 | 1,083 |

Table 59: There are lots of chances for students in my school to get involved in sports, clubs, and other school activities outside of class.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 4.8 | 3.9 | 5.9 | 4.6 | 3.7 | 3.0 |
| no | 7.2 | 9.0 | 9.8 | 10.5 | 7.7 | 6.5 |
| yes | 39.8 | 39.2 | 40.2 | 47.4 | 43.5 | 47.1 |
| YES! | 48.2 | 47.9 | 44.1 | 37.6 | 45.2 | 43.4 |
| N of Valid | 859 | 15,977 | 824 | 17,994 | 598 | 14,767 |
| N of Miss | 76 | 1,518 | 104 | 1,470 | 38 | 910 |

## A.2.4 Rewards for Prosocial Involvement in School

Table 60: My teacher(s) notices when I am doing a good job and lets me know about it.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 9.6 | 6.3 | 9.1 | 7.2 | 6.5 | 6.6 |
| no | 16.7 | 14.6 | 19.8 | 22.1 | 23.2 | 25.7 |
| yes | 39.2 | 44.4 | 46.0 | 48.2 | 51.8 | 50.7 |
| YES! | 34.4 | 34.7 | 25.1 | 22.5 | 18.4 | 17.1 |
| N of Valid | 854 | 15,933 | 828 | 17,965 | 598 | 14,739 |
| N of Miss | 82 | 1,561 | 100 | 1,499 | 38 | 936 |

## A.2.5 Supportive Atmosphere in School

Table 63: In my school, teachers treat students with respect.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! |  |  | 14.0 | 9.7 | 6.9 | 7.5 |
| no |  |  | 12.9 | 15.1 | 14.5 | 16.8 |
| yes |  |  | 48.0 | 52.8 | 63.8 | 60.6 |
| YES! |  |  | 25.0 | 22.4 | 14.8 | 15.2 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 820 | 17,787 | 594 | 14,644 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 108 | 1,678 | 41 | 1,032 |

Table 64: I can talk to teachers openly and freely about my concerns.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 16.0 | 13.8 | 22.7 | 20.3 | 13.7 | 14.6 |
| no | 15.7 | 17.4 | 26.7 | 27.9 | 24.0 | 27.8 |
| yes | 37.4 | 38.9 | 31.7 | 37.6 | 47.8 | 44.8 |
| YES! | 31.0 | 30.0 | 18.9 | 14.2 | 14.5 | 12.8 |
| N of Valid | 862 | 16,211 | 840 | 18,156 | 605 | 14,847 |
| N of Miss | 73 | 1,284 | 89 | 1,309 | 31 | 829 |

Table 65: There are lots of chances for students in my school to talk with a teacher.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 4.4 | 3.3 | 5.8 | 3.9 | 3.5 | 3.0 |
| no | 6.5 | 7.2 | 9.4 | 10.1 | 9.1 | 9.5 |
| yes | 41.1 | 39.1 | 44.2 | 49.3 | 53.0 | 54.3 |
| YES! | 48.1 | 50.4 | 40.7 | 36.6 | 34.3 | 33.2 |
| N of Valid | 847 | 15,805 | 831 | 17,896 | 594 | 14,724 |
| N of Miss | 89 | 1,689 | 98 | 1,569 | 43 | 952 |

Table 66: Most students at my school help each other when they are hurt or upset.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! |  |  | 16.0 | 10.9 | 9.5 | 9.0 |
| no |  |  | 22.6 | 20.2 | 25.3 | 23.9 |
| yes |  |  | 45.0 | 52.4 | 55.8 | 55.8 |
| YES! |  |  | 16.4 | 16.4 | 9.3 | 11.3 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 831 | 18,015 | 600 | 14,796 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 98 | 1,451 | 36 | 881 |

Table 67: Students are picked on by other students for working hard at our school.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! |  |  | 24.4 | 22.0 | 17.9 | 21.8 |
| no |  |  | 41.2 | 42.1 | 52.2 | 50.1 |
| yes |  |  | 23.7 | 26.8 | 23.1 | 22.7 |
| YES! |  |  | 10.7 | 9.1 | 6.8 | 5.4 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 828 | 17,964 | 603 | 14,782 |
| N of Miss | 17,495 | 101 | 1,501 | 34 | 894 |  |

A.2.6 Safe School Environment

Table 68: I feel safe at my school.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 8.4 | 5.0 | 6.9 | 6.0 | 4.9 | 4.6 |
| no | 10.4 | 9.4 | 13.4 | 12.5 | 12.4 | 10.6 |
| yes | 37.1 | 40.7 | 49.2 | 53.4 | 57.6 | 59.3 |
| YES! | 44.1 | 44.8 | 30.5 | 28.0 | 25.1 | 25.6 |
| N of Valid | 823 | 15,484 | 821 | 17,557 | 589 | 14,507 |
| N of Miss | 113 | 2,012 | 107 | 1,908 | 47 | 1,168 |

Table 69: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you not go to school because you felt you would be unsafe at school or on your way to or from school?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 days | 91.7 | 90.7 | 90.0 | 91.7 | 95.1 | 94.7 |
| 1 day | 5.3 | 5.5 | 5.5 | 4.5 | 2.5 | 2.7 |
| 2 or 3 days | 1.8 | 2.3 | 2.6 | 2.1 | 0.8 | 1.2 |
| 4 or 5 days | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.4 |
| 6 or more days | 0.8 | 1.0 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 1.2 | 0.9 |
| $\mathbf{N}$ of Valid | 872 | 16,431 | 854 | 18,464 | 608 | 15,058 |
| $\mathbf{N}$ of Miss | 62 | 1,064 | 74 | 1,002 | 28 | 618 |

Table 70: During the past 12 months, how many times were you in a physical fight on school property?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times | 65.5 | 65.1 | 64.2 | 62.2 | 73.2 | 77.2 |
| 1 time | 17.2 | 14.1 | 16.1 | 15.2 | 13.9 | 10.3 |
| 2 or 3 times | 10.0 | 10.4 | 10.7 | 12.4 | 7.2 | 7.1 |
| 4 or 5 times | 2.7 | 3.8 | 2.8 | 4.0 | 1.8 | 1.9 |
| 6 or 7 times | 1.0 | 1.7 | 1.2 | 1.6 | 1.3 | 0.9 |
| 8 or 9 times | 1.0 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 1.1 | 0.2 | 0.4 |
| 10 or 11 times | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.3 | 0.2 |
| 12 or more times | 1.9 | 3.3 | 3.6 | 3.0 | 2.0 | 1.9 |
| $N$ of Valid | 882 | 16,163 | 833 | 18,067 | 596 | 14,812 |
| $N$ of Miss | 53 | 1,332 | 96 | 1,398 | 39 | 863 |

Table 71: How many times in the past year (12 months) have you been drunk or high at school?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never |  |  | 91.8 | 89.9 | 80.5 | 82.9 |
| 1 or 2 times |  |  | 3.5 | 5.3 | 7.0 | 6.8 |
| 3 to 5 times |  |  | 1.8 | 1.7 | 4.4 | 3.1 |
| 6 to 9 times |  |  | 0.6 | 0.9 | 2.5 | 1.7 |
| 10 to 19 times |  |  | 0.4 | 0.6 | 1.5 | 1.3 |
| 20 to 29 times |  |  | 0.4 | 0.4 | 1.2 | 1.1 |
| 30 to 39 times |  |  |  | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| $40+$ times |  |  | 1.6 | 1.1 | 2.3 | 2.6 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 829 | 17,952 | 596 | 14,737 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 100 | 1,513 | 40 | 940 |

Table 72: How many times in the past year (12 months) have you been suspended from school?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never |  |  | 87.9 | 85.0 | 88.7 | 89.5 |
| 1 or 2 times |  |  | 7.9 | 10.4 | 8.2 | 7.7 |
| 3 to 5 times |  |  | 1.2 | 2.5 | 1.9 | 1.2 |
| 6 to 9 times |  |  | 1.0 | 0.9 | 0.3 | 0.6 |
| 10 to 19 times |  |  | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.3 |
| 20 to 29 times |  |  | 0.5 | 0.2 |  | 0.1 |
| 30 to 39 times |  |  | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| $40+$ times |  |  | 0.8 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.4 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 824 | 17,955 | 594 | 14,735 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 104 | 1,510 | 41 | 942 |

Table 73: How many times in the past year (12 months) have you taken a handgun to school?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never |  |  | 98.4 | 98.6 | 98.1 | 98.4 |
| 1 or 2 times |  |  | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.4 |
| 3 to 5 times |  |  | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.2 |
| 6 to 9 times |  |  | 0.2 | 0.1 |  | 0.2 |
| 10 to 19 times |  |  |  | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| 20 to 29 times |  |  |  | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| 30 to 39 times |  |  | 0.1 | 0.0 |  | 0.0 |
| $40+$ times |  |  | 0.9 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 0.6 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 822 | 17,936 | 594 | 14,725 |
| N of Miss |  |  | 17,495 | 107 | 1,529 | 41 |

## A.2.7 Harassment and Bullying

During the past 30 days have you ever been harassed at school (or on the way to or from school) in relations to any of the following issues?

Table 74: Harassment about your race or ethnic origin.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 77.8 | 74.4 | 62.2 | 55.6 | 59.4 | 57.8 |
| no | 17.4 | 18.0 | 24.4 | 29.9 | 29.5 | 30.7 |
| yes | 2.7 | 5.2 | 7.5 | 10.2 | 7.2 | 8.2 |
| YES! | 2.1 | 2.3 | 5.9 | 4.3 | 3.9 | 3.3 |
| N of Valid | 852 | 16,110 | 850 | 18,390 | 611 | 15,036 |
| N of Miss | 82 | 1,386 | 78 | 1,075 | 25 | 641 |

Table 75: Unwanted sexual comments or attention.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 74.0 | 74.8 | 45.0 | 48.0 | 46.1 | 48.5 |
| no | 12.0 | 14.6 | 27.7 | 30.3 | 33.4 | 33.5 |
| yes | 6.3 | 6.3 | 16.5 | 15.4 | 16.6 | 13.6 |
| YES! | 7.7 | 4.3 | 10.8 | 6.3 | 3.8 | 4.4 |
| N of Valid | 858 | 16,075 | 853 | 18,246 | 607 | 14,968 |
| N of Miss | 77 | 1,420 | 76 | 1,220 | 28 | 709 |

Table 76: Harassment because someone thought you were gay, lesbian, bisexual or transgender.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 62.6 | 62.4 | 60.0 | 59.5 | 60.7 | 62.9 |
| no | 14.9 | 17.2 | 21.6 | 25.9 | 29.4 | 29.1 |
| yes | 13.6 | 13.5 | 11.0 | 9.6 | 6.2 | 5.3 |
| YES! | 8.9 | 6.9 | 7.5 | 5.0 | 3.6 | 2.7 |
| N of Valid | 854 | 16,056 | 849 | 18,285 | 608 | 14,973 |
| N of Miss | 79 | 1,439 | 80 | 1,180 | 28 | 703 |

Table 77: Harassment about your weight, clothes, acne, or other physical characteristics.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 62.6 | 60.9 | 46.8 | 45.2 | 47.3 | 51.3 |
| no | 15.7 | 19.2 | 24.6 | 27.5 | 31.5 | 31.8 |
| yes | 12.7 | 13.3 | 17.5 | 19.1 | 14.1 | 12.5 |
| YES! | 9.0 | 6.7 | 11.1 | 8.1 | 7.1 | 4.4 |
| N of Valid | 845 | 15,904 | 848 | 18,259 | 609 | 14,961 |
| N of Miss | 90 | 1,591 | 81 | 1,205 | 27 | 715 |

Table 78: Harassment about your group of friends.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 68.7 | 70.1 | 48.3 | 47.1 | 47.3 | 51.4 |
| no | 14.9 | 16.3 | 29.3 | 30.4 | 33.7 | 33.5 |
| yes | 8.5 | 8.6 | 14.6 | 16.3 | 13.8 | 11.4 |
| YES! | 7.8 | 5.0 | 7.8 | 6.2 | 5.3 | 3.7 |
| N of Valid | 854 | 16,009 | 849 | 18,318 | 609 | 14,989 |
| N of Miss | 81 | 1,486 | 79 | 1,146 | 28 | 687 |

Table 79: Harassment for other reasons.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 56.6 | 56.2 | 42.6 | 42.6 | 43.3 | 47.8 |
| no | 10.7 | 13.6 | 21.9 | 26.0 | 29.3 | 30.8 |
| yes | 14.4 | 16.3 | 20.8 | 19.4 | 17.2 | 14.2 |
| YES! | 18.3 | 13.9 | 14.7 | 12.1 | 10.2 | 7.2 |
| N of Valid | 862 | 16,021 | 845 | 18,197 | 610 | 14,951 |
| N of Miss | 74 | 1,474 | 84 | 1,269 | 27 | 725 |

## A. 3 Social, Emotional and Mental Health

## A.3.1 Positive Youth Development

Table 80: Positive Youth Development

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Strong positive <br> youth development |  |  | 63.6 | 60.3 | 66.7 | 66.0 |
| Weak positive youth <br> development |  |  | 36.4 | 39.7 | 33.3 | 34.0 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 777 | 17,088 | 582 | 14,358 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 152 | 2,377 | 54 | 1,319 |

Table 81: Would you say that in general your physical health is...

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Excellent |  |  | 43.6 | 37.5 | 33.4 | 30.3 |
| Very good |  |  | 27.5 | 30.3 | 30.5 | 32.5 |
| Good |  |  | 19.0 | 22.2 | 24.2 | 25.2 |
| Fair |  |  | 6.7 | 7.2 | 8.6 | 9.4 |
| Poor |  |  | 3.2 | 2.8 | 3.4 | 2.7 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 819 | 17,852 | 596 | 14,685 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 110 | 1,613 | 40 | 990 |

Table 82: Would you say that in general your emotional and mental health is...

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Excellent |  |  | 46.0 | 35.7 | 32.5 | 32.4 |
| Very good |  |  | 25.9 | 31.3 | 32.5 | 32.3 |
| Good |  |  | 14.8 | 18.8 | 21.4 | 20.8 |
| Fair |  |  | 7.4 | 9.3 | 8.7 | 10.0 |
| Poor |  |  | 6.0 | 5.0 | 4.9 | 4.4 |
| N of Valid | 935 | 17,495 | 113 | 1,622 | 40 | 981 |
| N of Miss |  |  | 816 | 17,842 | 597 | 14,695 |

Table 83: I can do most things if I try.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very much true |  |  | 57.3 | 50.4 | 54.6 | 54.4 |
| Pretty much true |  |  | 31.8 | 38.9 | 37.1 | 37.9 |
| A little true |  |  | 8.2 | 9.0 | 7.0 | 6.7 |
| Not at all true |  |  | 2.7 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 1.0 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 820 | 17,927 | 599 | 14,721 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 109 | 1,539 | 37 | 955 |

Table 84: I can work out my problems.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very much true |  |  | 47.7 | 41.5 | 47.6 | 46.0 |
| Pretty much true |  |  | 38.4 | 43.0 | 41.9 | 43.6 |
| A little true |  |  | 10.5 | 12.8 | 9.2 | 9.0 |
| Not at all true |  |  | 3.3 | 2.8 | 1.3 | 1.4 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 817 | 17,850 | 599 | 14,685 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 111 | 1,615 | 38 | 990 |

Table 85: I volunteer to help others in my community.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very much true |  |  | 22.5 | 19.4 | 25.0 | 26.3 |
| Pretty much true |  |  | 27.8 | 24.5 | 24.1 | 25.7 |
| A little true |  |  | 31.5 | 37.3 | 33.4 | 33.8 |
| Not at all true |  |  | 18.2 | 18.8 | 17.5 | 14.3 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 806 | 17,592 | 589 | 14,573 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 122 | 1,873 | 46 | 1,103 |

Table 86: There is at least one teacher or other adult in my school that really cares about me.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very much true |  |  | 47.5 | 39.0 | 44.7 | 40.3 |
| Pretty much true |  |  | 24.0 | 26.3 | 27.2 | 28.9 |
| A little true |  |  | 16.0 | 22.1 | 17.4 | 21.5 |
| Not at all true |  |  | 12.5 | 12.6 | 10.8 | 9.3 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 807 | 17,756 | 593 | 14,664 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 121 | 1,708 | 44 | 1,011 |

## A.3.2 Mental Health Inventory

Table 87: Mental Health Inventory 5

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below MHI-5 cutoff | 94.4 | 95.2 | 93.2 | 93.3 | 93.8 | 93.9 |
| At or above MHI-5 <br> cutoff | 5.6 | 4.8 | 6.8 | 6.7 | 6.2 | 6.1 |
| N of Valid | 835 | 15,593 | 847 | 18,236 | 608 | 15,095 |
| N of Miss | 100 | 1,902 | 82 | 1,229 | 28 | 580 |

Table 88: During the past 30 days, how much of the time have you been a happy person?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| All of the time | 25.8 | 22.3 | 23.0 | 18.9 | 22.0 | 18.6 |
| Most of the time | 40.9 | 45.6 | 43.2 | 42.8 | 42.6 | 43.3 |
| A good bit of the <br> time | 14.8 | 15.1 | 15.7 | 17.4 | 18.3 | 19.2 |
| Some of the time | 10.7 | 9.9 | 9.6 | 12.1 | 9.8 | 11.8 |
| A little of the time | 5.2 | 5.0 | 6.3 | 7.0 | 6.1 | 5.8 |
| None of the time | 2.6 | 2.0 | 2.1 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 1.3 |
| N of Valid | 899 | 16,593 | 884 | 18,993 | 624 | 15,414 |
| N of Miss | 36 | 901 | 45 | 472 | 13 | 262 |

Table 89: During the past 30 days, how much of the time have you felt calm and peaceful?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| All of the time | 19.9 | 18.0 | 17.7 | 14.2 | 18.1 | 13.9 |
| Most of the time | 30.0 | 30.8 | 30.2 | 29.0 | 31.2 | 30.5 |
| A good bit of the <br> time | 18.0 | 19.5 | 19.8 | 21.1 | 19.1 | 21.2 |
| Some of the time | 12.6 | 14.8 | 14.7 | 17.1 | 16.3 | 18.3 |
| A little of the time | 12.1 | 10.1 | 10.3 | 12.4 | 11.8 | 12.2 |
| None of the time | 7.5 | 6.8 | 7.3 | 6.2 | 3.6 | 3.8 |
| N of Valid | 884 | 16,359 | 877 | 18,814 | 619 | 15,320 |
| N of Miss | 51 | 1,136 | 53 | 650 | 17 | 356 |

Table 90: During the past 30 days, how much of the time have you been a very nervous person?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| All of the time | 7.9 | 4.4 | 3.9 | 3.7 | 4.4 | 3.5 |
| Most of the time | 7.0 | 7.1 | 8.2 | 5.8 | 5.0 | 6.0 |
| A good bit of the <br> time | 8.2 | 8.3 | 8.0 | 8.7 | 9.0 | 10.1 |
| Some of the time | 17.1 | 16.8 | 15.1 | 17.2 | 21.3 | 20.9 |
| A little of the time | 37.3 | 39.5 | 39.3 | 41.7 | 40.3 | 40.9 |
| None of the time | 22.5 | 23.9 | 25.5 | 22.9 | 20.0 | 18.6 |
| N of Valid | 885 | 16,388 | 877 | 18,884 | 620 | 15,373 |
| N of Miss | 50 | 1,107 | 52 | 581 | 15 | 304 |

Table 91: During the past 30 days, how much of the time have you felt downhearted and blue?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| All of the time | 6.8 | 3.9 | 4.6 | 4.0 | 4.1 | 3.1 |
| Most of the time | 7.3 | 6.1 | 7.2 | 6.9 | 5.2 | 6.0 |
| A good bit of the <br> time | 7.9 | 7.1 | 8.5 | 8.5 | 8.6 | 10.0 |
| Some of the time | 12.2 | 12.5 | 12.2 | 14.4 | 14.8 | 17.3 |
| A little of the time | 26.5 | 31.7 | 29.2 | 34.2 | 37.8 | 38.7 |
| None of the time | 39.2 | 38.6 | 38.3 | 32.0 | 29.5 | 24.9 |
| N of Valid | 859 | 16,040 | 885 | 18,631 | 616 | 15,252 |
| N of Miss | 76 | 1,455 | 45 | 833 | 21 | 424 |

Table 92: During the past 30 days, how much of the time have you felt so down in the dumps that nothing could cheer you up?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| All of the time | 8.3 | 3.9 | 4.6 | 3.6 | 3.2 | 2.9 |
| Most of the time | 3.8 | 4.4 | 5.1 | 4.8 | 2.4 | 3.6 |
| A good bit of the <br> time | 4.7 | 4.7 | 4.8 | 5.2 | 5.6 | 5.0 |
| Some of the time | 6.7 | 6.5 | 7.4 | 7.5 | 7.1 | 8.0 |
| A little of the time | 16.5 | 17.8 | 14.9 | 19.2 | 22.4 | 22.1 |
| None of the time | 60.0 | 62.7 | 63.2 | 59.7 | 59.3 | 58.4 |
| N of Valid | 892 | 16,492 | 891 | 18,954 | 624 | 15,385 |
| N of Miss | 44 | 1,003 | 37 | 511 | 12 | 291 |

## A.3.3 Depression and Suicidality

Table 93: During the past 12 months did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Yes | 20.1 | 17.7 | 22.0 | 22.1 | 24.0 | 23.4 |
| No | 79.9 | 82.3 | 78.0 | 77.9 | 76.0 | 76.6 |
| N of Valid | 891 | 16,549 | 891 | 19,073 | 622 | 15,420 |
| N of Miss | 44 | 946 | 38 | 391 | 14 | 257 |

Table 94: During the past 12 months did you ever seriously consider attempting suicide?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Yes |  |  | 17.4 | 13.9 | 13.4 | 12.6 |
| No |  |  | 82.6 | 86.1 | 86.6 | 87.4 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 569 | 15,388 | 551 | 12,415 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 360 | 4,077 | 85 | 3,261 |

Table 95: During the past 12 months how many times did you actually attempt suicide?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times |  |  | 91.1 | 91.0 | 92.8 | 93.4 |
| 1 time |  |  | 4.5 | 4.4 | 3.4 | 3.6 |
| 2 or 3 times |  |  | 2.5 | 2.6 | 2.1 | 1.8 |
| 4 or 5 times |  |  | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.4 |
| 6 or more times |  |  | 1.1 | 1.3 | 1.1 | 0.8 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 851 | 18,470 | 609 | 15,075 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 78 | 994 | 26 | 601 |

## A.3.4 Problem Gambling

Table 96: Please mark ALL the different types of gambling that you have bet on, if any, during the last 30 days:

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Playing lottery tickets. | 8.3 | 6.2 | 10.2 | 8.8 | 10.1 | 10.1 |
| Playing Powerball or Megabucks. | 1.5 | 2.1 | 2.9 | 2.7 | 1.4 | 2.6 |
| Playing dice or coin flips. | 13.3 | 12.4 | 13.1 | 14.8 | 9.0 | 8.3 |
| Playing cards (poker, etc.). | 11.9 | 13.2 | 16.5 | 18.8 | 18.4 | 17.2 |
| Betting on a sports team. | 14.4 | 14.0 | 16.3 | 18.2 | 13.7 | 14.5 |
| Betting on a horse/dog race. | 1.9 | 1.9 | 3.0 | 1.6 | 0.5 | 1.4 |
| Betting on games of personal skill (bowling, video games, dares, etc.). | 17.1 | 19.7 | 24.2 | 25.4 | 19.7 | 18.3 |
| Gambling on the Internet for free or with money. | 2.5 | 2.7 | 6.1 | 4.7 | 5.3 | 4.7 |
| Gambling at a casino. | 0.9 | 0.7 | 1.3 | 0.8 | 1.4 | 1.1 |
| Playing Bingo for money. | 6.1 | 6.5 | 6.5 | 6.0 | 3.5 | 3.8 |
| None. | 58.4 | 57.6 | 52.1 | 50.9 | 59.9 | 58.2 |
| Other. | 8.4 | 8.8 | 10.2 | 12.0 | 7.5 | 8.0 |
| N of Valid | 934 | 17,495 | 929 | 19,465 | 636 | 15,676 |
| N of Miss | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Table 97: During the last 12 months, have you ever felt bad about the amount you bet, or about what happens when you bet money?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |  |
| Yes |  |  | 3.3 | 4.2 | 2.0 | 2.9 |  |
| No |  |  | 29.5 | 32.9 | 31.5 | 33.8 |  |
| I don't <br> money. | bet for |  |  | 67.1 | 62.9 | 66.6 | 63.3 |
| N of Valid |  | 0 | 0 | 836 | 18,353 | 607 | 14,934 |
| N of Miss |  | 935 | 17,495 | 92 | 1,112 | 28 | 742 |

Table 98: During the last 12 months, have you ever felt that you would like to stop betting money but didn't think you could?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |  |
| Yes |  |  | 2.6 | 2.7 | 1.2 | 1.8 |  |
| No |  |  | 28.3 | 33.1 | 30.5 | 33.5 |  |
| I don't <br> money. | bet for |  |  | 69.0 | 64.1 | 68.4 | 64.7 |
| N of Valid |  | 0 | 0 | 836 | 18,317 | 604 | 14,931 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 93 | 1,148 | 31 | 745 |  |

Table 99: In total, how much money have you bet in any form (lottery, card games, bingo, internet, sports, with friends) in the past three months?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 |  |  | 69.0 | 63.5 | 70.7 | 68.1 |
| $\$ 1-\$ 10$ |  |  | 20.2 | 22.9 | 16.7 | 18.7 |
| $\$ 11-\$ 50$ |  |  | 5.0 | 8.1 | 7.7 | 7.9 |
| $\$ 51-\$ 100$ |  | 2.1 | 2.6 | 2.5 | 2.2 |  |
| $\$ 101-\$ 200$ |  |  | 0.7 | 1.1 | 1.0 | 1.0 |
| $\$ 201-\$ 500$ |  |  | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.6 |
| Over $\$ 500$ |  |  | 2.5 | 1.3 | 1.0 | 1.6 |
| N of Valid |  | 852 | 18,489 | 610 | 15,008 |  |
| N of Miss |  | 17,495 | 76 | 977 | 26 | 669 |

Table 100: Have you ever lied to anyone about betting/gambling?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 73.3 | 71.2 | 75.9 | 69.8 | 71.9 | 72.5 |
| no | 15.0 | 18.6 | 19.0 | 24.3 | 24.3 | 24.0 |
| yes | 5.8 | 6.4 | 3.7 | 4.4 | 2.5 | 2.4 |
| YES! | 5.8 | 3.7 | 1.4 | 1.6 | 1.3 | 1.1 |
| N of Valid | 840 | 15,751 | 848 | 18,426 | 609 | 14,976 |
| N of Miss | 95 | 1,744 | 81 | 1,038 | 26 | 701 |

Table 101: Have you ever bet/gambled more than you wanted to?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 72.1 | 72.6 | 76.0 | 69.5 | 71.1 | 71.1 |
| no | 15.6 | 17.2 | 19.6 | 24.2 | 24.0 | 23.4 |
| yes | 6.4 | 6.6 | 3.3 | 4.8 | 4.6 | 4.4 |
| YES! | 5.9 | 3.6 | 1.1 | 1.6 | 0.3 | 1.1 |
| N of Valid | 831 | 15,613 | 841 | 18,315 | 608 | 14,924 |
| N of Miss | 104 | 1,883 | 88 | 1,151 | 28 | 752 |

Table 102: Have your parents ever talked to you about the risks of betting/gambling?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 21.2 | 19.3 | 25.7 | 25.7 | 34.0 | 35.1 |
| no | 20.9 | 22.4 | 24.1 | 27.8 | 28.1 | 28.5 |
| yes | 29.0 | 29.6 | 29.3 | 29.2 | 25.7 | 25.4 |
| YES! | 28.9 | 28.7 | 20.9 | 17.3 | 12.2 | 11.1 |
| N of Valid | 844 | 15,820 | 847 | 18,345 | 606 | 14,935 |
| N of Miss | 90 | 1,675 | 82 | 1,120 | 29 | 741 |

Table 103: Have your teachers ever talked to you about the risks of betting/gambling?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 35.5 | 31.8 | 34.5 | 32.5 | 36.5 | 40.1 |
| no | 29.6 | 35.9 | 34.5 | 36.8 | 37.0 | 36.7 |
| yes | 20.8 | 19.6 | 21.8 | 21.4 | 20.8 | 18.2 |
| YES! | 14.1 | 12.7 | 9.3 | 9.3 | 5.6 | 4.9 |
| N of Valid | 845 | 15,769 | 841 | 18,277 | 605 | 14,904 |
| N of Miss | 90 | 1,725 | 87 | 1,188 | 31 | 771 |

## A. 4 Substance Use

## A.4.1 Tobacco Use

Table 104: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 days | 95.3 | 97.3 | 88.9 | 91.8 | 78.6 | 85.7 |
| 1 or 2 days | 1.3 | 1.5 | 3.4 | 3.6 | 5.5 | 4.8 |
| 3 to 5 days | 0.7 | 0.4 | 1.6 | 1.2 | 3.7 | 2.1 |
| 6 to 9 days | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1.5 | 0.8 | 2.3 | 1.1 |
| 10 to 19 days | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 2.4 | 1.4 |
| 20 to 29 days | 0.1 | 0.1 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 1.6 | 1.3 |
| All 30 days | 2.2 | 0.4 | 2.5 | 1.3 | 6.0 | 3.6 |
| N of Valid | 918 | 17,198 | 894 | 19,003 | 621 | 15,416 |
| N of Miss | 17 | 298 | 35 | 462 | 15 | 260 |

Table 105: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use other tobacco products?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 days | 96.2 | 98.4 | 92.3 | 95.0 | 83.4 | 87.6 |
| 1 or 2 days | 0.9 | 0.8 | 3.5 | 2.2 | 5.4 | 5.0 |
| 3 to 5 days | 0.7 | 0.2 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 2.2 | 2.1 |
| 6 to 9 days | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 2.2 | 1.2 |
| 10 to 19 days | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 1.3 | 1.1 |
| 20 to 29 days |  | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 0.8 |
| All 30 days | 2.1 | 0.3 | 1.9 | 0.7 | 4.5 | 2.3 |
| N of Valid | 920 | 17,166 | 892 | 18,990 | 625 | 15,375 |
| N of Miss | 16 | 328 | 38 | 476 | 11 | 301 |

Table 106: Used cigarettes or other tobacco products in the past 30 days

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No use | 94.7 | 96.8 | 87.4 | 90.2 | 73.0 | 80.0 |
| Use | 5.3 | 3.2 | 12.6 | 9.8 | 27.0 | 20.0 |
| N of Valid | 922 | 17,256 | 900 | 19,096 | 627 | 15,467 |
| N of Miss | 13 | 240 | 29 | 369 | 8 | 209 |

Table 107: How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |  |
| Never have | 93.4 | 95.8 | 81.5 | 84.6 | 64.3 | 72.1 |  |
| 8 or younger | 0.9 | 0.8 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 1.3 |  |
| 9 | 0.9 | 0.6 | 1.9 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 0.6 |  |
| 10 | 0.9 | 0.9 | 1.8 | 1.5 | 2.1 | 1.2 |  |
| 11 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 1.9 | 2.0 | 1.6 | 1.5 |  |
| 12 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 3.8 | 3.3 | 3.4 | 2.4 |  |
| 13 |  | 0.1 | 5.8 | 4.6 | 3.4 | 3.7 |  |
| 14 |  |  | 1.0 | 1.4 | 5.3 | 4.3 |  |
| 15 |  |  |  | 0.1 | 0.0 | 8.6 | 6.0 |
| 16 | 906 | 17,027 | 891 | 19,056 | 625 | 15,372 |  |
| 17 or older | 30 | 468 | 38 | 408 | 12 | 304 |  |
| N of Valid |  |  |  | 0.0 | 7.8 | 5.5 |  |
| N of Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 108: Average age the first time a whole cigarette was smoked

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Age in years | 11.4 | 10.2 | 11.4 | 11.6 | 13.8 | 13.7 |

Table 109: How old were you when you first used tobacco products other than cigarettes such as snuff, chewing tobacco, and smoking tobacco from a pipe?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never have | 95.7 | 97.4 | 87.6 | 90.6 | 72.0 | 77.8 |
| 8 or younger | 0.5 | 0.5 | 1.4 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 0.9 |
| 9 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.4 |
| 10 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 1.7 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 0.6 |
| 11 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| 12 | 0.3 | 0.4 | 3.2 | 2.0 | 2.4 | 1.5 |
| 13 |  | 0.1 | 3.6 | 2.9 | 2.2 | 1.8 |
| 14 |  |  | 0.3 | 1.3 | 2.9 | 3.1 |
| 15 |  | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 7.2 | 5.2 |
| 16 | 917 | 17,059 | 898 | 19,084 | 625 | 15,413 |
| 17 or older | 18 | 437 | 32 | 380 | 11 | 261 |
| N of Valid |  |  |  | 0.0 | 8.5 | 6.2 |
| N of Miss |  |  | 0.2 | 0.1 | 1.9 | 1.9 |

Table 110: Average age the first time tobacco products other than cigarettes were used

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Age in years | 12.1 | 10.4 | 11.4 | 11.8 | 14.3 | 14.3 |

## A.4.2 Alcohol Use

Table 111: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have at least one drink of alcohol?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 days | 91.0 | 91.9 | 78.5 | 77.5 | 59.7 | 63.7 |
| 1 or 2 days | 5.7 | 6.1 | 14.3 | 15.2 | 23.4 | 22.1 |
| 3 to 5 days | 0.5 | 0.9 | 3.0 | 3.5 | 7.9 | 7.5 |
| 6 to 9 days | 0.3 | 0.4 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 3.9 | 3.8 |
| 10 to 19 days | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 2.9 | 1.9 |
| 20 to 29 days | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| All 30 days | 2.2 | 0.4 | 1.1 | 0.5 | 1.8 | 0.6 |
| N of Valid | 919 | 17,206 | 891 | 19,031 | 623 | 15,422 |
| N of Miss | 15 | 287 | 38 | 433 | 11 | 254 |

Table 112: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 days | 95.8 | 98.0 | 90.7 | 91.1 | 73.8 | 79.0 |
| 1 or 2 days | 1.5 | 1.3 | 5.0 | 5.3 | 15.2 | 11.9 |
| 3 to 5 days | 0.3 | 0.2 | 1.9 | 1.7 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| 6 to 9 days | 0.2 | 0.1 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 3.8 | 2.4 |
| 10 to 19 days | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 1.4 | 1.2 |
| 20 to 29 days | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.4 |
| All 30 days | 2.0 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.4 |
| N of Valid | 920 | 17,205 | 895 | 19,024 | 626 | 15,424 |
| N of Miss | 14 | 290 | 33 | 440 | 10 | 252 |

Table 113: How old were you when you had your first drink of alcohol other than a few sips?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never have | 83.8 | 85.0 | 64.4 | 62.6 | 35.0 | 39.0 |
| 8 or younger | 3.7 | 4.3 | 4.2 | 4.3 | 5.8 | 3.4 |
| 9 | 2.0 | 1.9 | 2.7 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 1.1 |
| 10 | 3.2 | 3.2 | 3.8 | 3.7 | 3.0 | 1.8 |
| 11 | 3.7 | 3.4 | 5.4 | 4.0 | 1.9 | 2.1 |
| 12 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 7.7 | 7.7 | 5.3 | 4.7 |
| 13 | 0.3 | 0.1 | 9.7 | 11.6 | 6.5 | 6.6 |
| 14 |  | 0.0 | 2.0 | 4.2 | 8.8 | 9.9 |
| 15 | 1.8 | 0.1 |  | 0.2 | 16.0 | 14.2 |
| 16 |  |  |  |  | 13.7 | 14.0 |
| 17 or older | 911 | 17,027 | 897 | 19,062 | 626 | 15,401 |
| N of Valid | 24 | 468 | 32 | 404 | 11 | 276 |
| N of Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 114: Average age of first alcohol use (more than a sip or two)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Age in years | 10.4 | 9.8 | 11.3 | 11.6 | 13.6 | 13.9 |

Table 115: How old were you when you first began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never have | 90.5 | 92.7 | 78.2 | 78.2 | 59.6 | 61.1 |
| 8 or younger | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 1.8 | 1.9 | 1.4 |
| 9 | 1.2 | 0.7 | 1.2 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.3 |
| 10 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 2.4 | 1.6 | 1.3 | 0.8 |
| 11 | 2.5 | 1.9 | 3.2 | 2.1 | 1.1 | 0.9 |
| 12 | 1.1 | 1.3 | 5.0 | 4.6 | 1.6 | 2.3 |
| 13 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 6.4 | 7.8 | 4.5 | 3.6 |
| 14 |  |  | 1.7 | 2.9 | 6.0 | 6.2 |
| 15 | 1.7 | 0.1 |  | 0.1 | 8.2 | 9.2 |
| 16 |  |  |  | 0.0 | 13.8 | 11.2 |
| 17 or older | 918 | 17,117 | 893 | 19,078 | 621 | 15,387 |
| N of Valid | 17 | 380 | 36 | 388 | 14 | 289 |
| N of Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 116: Average age when first began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly (at least once or twice a month)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Age in years | 11.0 | 10.2 | 11.6 | 12.0 | 14.2 | 14.4 |

Table 117: During the past 30 days, what type of alcohol did you usually drink? Select only one response.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| I did not drink alcohol during the past 30 days. | 91.0 | 91.5 | 79.0 | 78.1 | 63.5 | 64.3 |
| I do not have a usual type. | 1.2 | 1.5 | 1.6 | 2.3 | 2.2 | 3.6 |
| Beer. | 1.6 | 1.8 | 4.0 | 3.8 | 10.4 | 10.1 |
| Flavored beverages (such as Smirnoff, Bacardi Silver, and Hard Lemonade). | 0.9 | 1.3 | 4.5 | 4.4 | 7.2 | 5.3 |
| Wine coolers (such as Bartles and Jaymes or Seagrams Wine). | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| Wine. | 0.3 | 1.5 | 2.2 | 2.1 | 1.7 | 2.3 |
| Liquor (such as vodka, rum, scotch, bourbon, or whiskey). | 1.8 | 1.1 | 7.0 | 7.1 | 13.0 | 12.7 |
| Some other type. | 3.0 | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 1.4 | 1.2 |
| $N$ of Valid | 887 | 16,752 | 867 | 18,436 | 584 | 14,837 |
| N of Miss | 47 | 742 | 63 | 1,028 | 50 | 839 |

Table 118: During the past 30 days, how did you usually get the alcohol you drank? Select only one response.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| I did not drink alcohol during the past 30 days. | 92.0 | 92.6 | 78.8 | 78.2 | 60.5 | 63.9 |
| I bought it in a store such as a convenience store, supermarket, discount store, or gas station. | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.8 |
| I bought it at a restaurant, bar or club. | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 1.0 | 0.3 |
| I bought it at a public event such as a concert or sporting event. |  | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 |  | 0.2 |
| I gave someone else money to buy it for me. |  | 0.2 | 1.1 | 1.5 | 7.3 | 6.3 |
| I got it from friends 21 or older. | 0.7 | 0.9 | 3.0 | 3.0 | 11.2 | 10.3 |
| I got it from friends under 21. | 0.2 | 0.6 | 1.6 | 3.1 | 4.9 | 5.1 |
| I took it from a store or family member. | 1.3 | 1.4 | 4.8 | 4.5 | 3.6 | 3.1 |
| I got it some other way. | 5.5 | 4.0 | 9.8 | 9.2 | 11.2 | 10.1 |
| N of Valid | 890 | 16,744 | 887 | 18,888 | 618 | 15,232 |
| N of Miss | 45 | 752 | 42 | 576 | 17 | 443 |

## A.4.3 Alcohol-related Risk Behaviors and Consequences

Table 119: During the past 30 days, how many times did you ride in a vehicle driven by a parent or other adult who had been drinking alcohol?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times | 87.2 | 85.6 | 88.5 | 83.3 | 85.6 | 84.7 |
| 1 time | 6.1 | 7.2 | 4.7 | 8.6 | 6.7 | 7.4 |
| 2 or 3 times | 3.2 | 3.5 | 3.3 | 4.6 | 5.0 | 4.8 |
| 4 or 5 times | 0.7 | 1.0 | 0.8 | 1.2 | 1.0 | 1.3 |
| 6 or more times | 2.9 | 2.7 | 2.7 | 2.2 | 1.7 | 1.8 |
| N of Valid | 876 | 16,098 | 829 | 17,981 | 598 | 14,786 |
| N of Miss | 58 | 1,396 | 100 | 1,485 | 37 | 890 |

Table 120: During the past 30 days, how many times did you ride in a vehicle driven by a teenager who had been drinking alcohol?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times | 95.8 | 95.8 | 94.5 | 94.7 | 89.6 | 89.7 |
| 1 time | 1.6 | 2.0 | 2.2 | 2.7 | 5.9 | 5.5 |
| 2 or 3 times | 1.1 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 1.3 | 2.8 | 2.8 |
| 4 or 5 times | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.9 |
| 6 or more times | 0.8 | 0.8 | 1.9 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 1.1 |
| N of Valid | 875 | 16,022 | 823 | 17,947 | 598 | 14,787 |
| $\mathbf{N}$ of Miss | 61 | 1,472 | 107 | 1,518 | 37 | 888 |

Table 121: During the past 30 days, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times |  |  | 96.5 | 97.4 | 92.6 | 93.3 |
| 1 time |  |  | 1.3 | 1.2 | 3.7 | 3.6 |
| 2 or 3 times |  |  | 0.5 | 0.6 | 2.0 | 1.6 |
| 4 or 5 times |  |  | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.5 |
| 6 or more times |  |  | 1.6 | 0.6 | 1.3 | 1.0 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 827 | 17,994 | 598 | 14,800 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 102 | 1,471 | 38 | 875 |

Table 122: In the last 12 months, which of the following have you experienced? Please mark all that apply.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |  |
| I did not drink al- <br> cohol in the last 12 <br> months. | 86.3 | 87.8 | 73.5 | 72.7 | 51.4 | 55.7 |  |
| Missed school or <br> class because of <br> drinking alcohol. | 0.7 | 0.9 | 1.6 | 2.4 | 3.3 | 3.6 |  |
| Gotten sick to your <br> stomach because of <br> drinking alcohol. | 2.0 | 2.2 | 6.8 | 7.3 | 14.0 | 14.8 |  |
| Not been able to re- <br> member what hap- <br> pened while you were <br> drinking alcohol. | 1.8 | 1.5 | 6.6 | 7.0 | 17.2 | 14.0 |  |
| Later regretted <br> somethingyou <br> did while drinking <br> alcohol. | 1.5 | 1.7 | 6.6 | 5.3 | 11.3 | 9.5 |  |
| Worried that you <br> drank alcohol too <br> much or too often. | 2.7 | 1.5 | 4.4 | 3.7 | 3.8 | 4.7 |  |
| N of Valid |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 929 | 19,465 | 636 | 15,676 |  |

## A.4.4 Marijuana Use

Table 123: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use marijuana?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 days | 96.2 | 97.8 | 89.6 | 87.8 | 74.1 | 76.3 |
| 1 or 2 days | 0.8 | 1.0 | 4.0 | 4.9 | 9.1 | 8.4 |
| 3 to 5 days | 0.2 | 0.3 | 1.7 | 2.0 | 4.0 | 3.8 |
| 6 to 9 days | 0.3 | 0.2 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 4.0 | 2.7 |
| 10 to 19 days | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 3.4 | 2.7 |
| 20 to 29 days |  | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.9 | 1.8 | 2.4 |
| All 30 days | 2.3 | 0.5 | 1.8 | 1.5 | 3.7 | 3.8 |
| N of Valid | 915 | 17,108 | 891 | 18,936 | 625 | 15,339 |
| N of Miss | 19 | 387 | 38 | 529 | 11 | 337 |

Table 124: During the past 30 days, how many times did you use marijuana?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times | 97.8 | 97.6 | 89.7 | 87.6 | 73.6 | 75.7 |
| 1 or 2 times | 0.9 | 1.2 | 4.0 | 4.9 | 9.1 | 8.7 |
| 3 to 9 times | 0.6 | 0.5 | 3.0 | 3.3 | 5.4 | 5.8 |
| 10 to 19 times | 0.4 | 0.2 | 1.4 | 1.7 | 4.6 | 3.1 |
| 20 to 39 times |  | 0.1 | 0.7 | 1.1 | 2.9 | 2.6 |
| 40 or more times | 0.3 | 0.3 | 1.2 | 1.5 | 4.5 | 4.1 |
| N of Valid | 904 | 17,109 | 902 | 19,169 | 629 | 15,486 |
| N of Miss | 30 | 386 | 28 | 296 | 7 | 190 |

## A.4.5 Other Drug Use

Table 125: How old were you when you tried marijuana for the first time?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never have | 95.7 | 96.7 | 83.5 | 80.3 | 57.3 | 58.3 |
| 8 or younger | 0.2 | 0.6 | 1.5 | 1.3 | 1.9 | 1.3 |
| 9 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0.6 | 0.5 |
| 10 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 1.6 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 0.8 |
| 11 | 0.4 | 0.9 | 1.0 | 1.7 | 0.3 | 1.3 |
| 12 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 3.9 | 4.1 | 3.7 | 3.1 |
| 13 |  | 0.1 | 6.5 | 7.6 | 3.8 | 4.8 |
| 14 | 0.1 | 0.0 | 1.7 | 2.9 | 5.6 | 7.3 |
| 15 | 1.8 | 0.1 |  | 0.1 | 13.4 | 11.1 |
| 16 |  |  |  | 0.0 | 10.0 | 9.4 |
| 17 or older | 911 | 17,033 | 895 | 19,109 | 627 | 15.440 |
| $N$ of Valid | 23 | 462 | 33 | 357 | 10 | 236 |
| $N$ of Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 126: Average age of first marijuana use

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Age in years | 12.4 | 10.5 | 12.0 | 12.1 | 14.2 | 14.2 |

Table 127: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you sniff glue, breathe the contents of aerosol spray cans, or any paints or sprays to get high?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 days | 91.4 | 93.5 | 92.3 | 94.1 | 97.4 | 97.7 |
| 1 or 2 days | 4.3 | 4.2 | 4.9 | 3.8 | 1.3 | 1.4 |
| 3 to 5 days | 1.3 | 0.9 | 1.1 | 0.9 | 0.6 | 0.3 |
| 6 to 9 days | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| 10 to 19 days | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| 20 to 29 days |  | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.0 |
| All 30 days | 2.3 | 0.6 | 0.7 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| N of Valid | 916 | 17,163 | 897 | 19,032 | 625 | 15,436 |
| N of Miss | 19 | 333 | 33 | 432 | 11 | 241 |

Table 128: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use prescription drugs (without a doctor's orders) to get high?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 days |  |  | 95.6 | 96.1 | 90.3 | 93.4 |
| 1 or 2 days |  |  | 1.8 | 2.1 | 4.6 | 3.3 |
| 3 to 5 days |  |  | 0.9 | 0.7 | 1.4 | 1.4 |
| 6 to 9 days |  |  | 0.6 | 0.4 | 1.6 | 0.8 |
| 10 to 19 days |  |  | 0.5 | 0.3 | 1.0 | 0.5 |
| 20 to 29 days |  |  | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 0.2 |
| All 30 days | 0 | 0 | 888 | 18,979 | 628 | 15,430 |
| N of Valid | 935 | 17,495 | 42 | 487 | 10 | 245 |
| N of Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 129: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use any form of cocaine, including powder, crack or freebase?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 days |  |  | 97.9 | 98.6 | 98.7 | 98.2 |
| 1 or 2 days |  |  | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 0.9 |
| 3 to 5 days |  |  | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.4 |
| 6 to 9 days |  | 0.1 | 0.1 |  | 0.2 |  |
| 10 to 19 days |  |  | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| 20 to 29 days |  |  | 0.1 | 0.1 |  | 0.1 |
| All 30 days |  |  | 0 | 887 | 18,991 | 624 |
| N of Valid |  |  | 17,495 | 43 | 474 | 12 |
| N of Miss |  |  |  |  |  | 228 |

Table 130: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use ecstasy (also called MDMA)?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 days |  |  | 98.2 | 98.3 | 97.8 | 97.5 |
| 1 or 2 days |  |  | 0.5 | 0.9 | 1.3 | 1.6 |
| 3 to 5 days |  |  | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.4 |
| 6 to 9 days |  | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 |  |
| 10 to 19 days |  | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.2 |  |
| 20 to 29 days |  |  | 0.1 | 0.1 |  | 0.1 |
| All 30 days |  |  | 0 | 880 | 18,945 | 625 |
| N of Valid | 935 | 17,495 | 49 | 520 | 12 | 276 |
| N of Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 131: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use heroin or other opiates or narcotics?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 days |  |  | 98.3 | 99.0 | 98.1 | 98.7 |
| 1 or 2 days |  |  | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.5 |
| 3 to 5 days |  |  | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.3 |
| 6 to 9 days |  |  | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| 10 to 19 days |  |  | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| 20 to 29 days |  |  | 0.2 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| All 30 days |  |  | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.1 |
| N of Valid | 935 | 17,495 | 43 | 586 | 11 | 285 |
| N of Miss |  |  | 885 | 18,878 | 626 | 15,391 |

Table 132: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use LSD or other hallucinogens or psychedelics?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 days |  |  | 98.1 | 98.4 | 97.9 | 97.3 |
| 1 or 2 days |  |  | 0.9 | 0.9 | 1.1 | 1.6 |
| 3 to 5 days |  |  | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.5 |
| 6 to 9 days |  |  | 0.5 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| 10 to 19 days |  |  | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| 20 to 29 days |  |  |  | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| All 30 days | 0 | 0 | 883 | 18,944 | 625 | 15,427 |
| N of Valid | 935 | 17,495 | 45 | 521 | 12 | 249 |
| N of Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 133: During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use methamphetamines (also called speed, crystal, crank or ice)?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 days |  |  | 98.6 | 98.9 | 99.0 | 98.8 |
| 1 or 2 days |  |  | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.5 |
| 3 to 5 days |  |  | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.2 |
| 6 to 9 days |  |  | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| 10 to 19 days |  |  |  | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| 20 to 29 days |  |  |  | 0.1 |  | 0.1 |
| All 30 days | 0 | 0 | 879 | 18,950 | 625 | 15,417 |
| N of Valid | 935 | 17,495 | 50 | 515 | 10 | 260 |
| N of Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 134: Used any drugs in past 30 days (includes any use of marijuana, inhalants, prescription drugs, cocaine, ecstasy, heroin, hallucinogens or methamphetamines)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No use | 90.2 | 92.4 | 83.2 | 83.3 | 71.2 | 73.9 |
| Use | 9.8 | 7.6 | 16.8 | 16.7 | 28.8 | 26.1 |
| N of Valid | 924 | 17,250 | 900 | 19,123 | 628 | 15,470 |
| N of Miss | 11 | 245 | 29 | 342 | 8 | 206 |

Table 135: Used illicit drugs in past 30 days (includes any use of marijuana, cocaine, ecstasy, heroin, hallucinogens or methamphetamines)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No use | 96.1 | 97.8 | 88.8 | 87.2 | 73.2 | 75.8 |
| Use | 3.9 | 2.2 | 11.2 | 12.8 | 26.8 | 24.2 |
| N of Valid | 916 | 17,108 | 899 | 19,121 | 628 | 15,470 |
| N of Miss | 19 | 387 | 29 | 344 | 8 | 206 |

Table 136: Used illicit drugs other than marijauna (includes any use of cocaine, ecstasy, heroin, hallucinogens or methamphetamines)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | :---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No use |  |  | 96.6 | 96.7 | 95.5 | 94.9 |
| Use |  |  | 3.4 | 3.3 | 4.5 | 5.1 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 894 | 19,078 | 627 | 15,463 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 35 | 387 | 8 | 213 |

## A.4.6 Lifetime Drug Use

Table 137: During your life, how many times have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of aerosol spray cans, or inhaled any paints or sprays to get high?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times | 86.6 | 86.5 | 86.0 | 85.0 | 88.0 | 89.2 |
| 1 or 2 times | 7.7 | 8.1 | 6.5 | 8.7 | 5.7 | 6.4 |
| 3 to 9 times | 2.6 | 2.6 | 3.7 | 3.2 | 3.0 | 2.1 |
| 10 to 19 times | 1.1 | 1.2 | 2.0 | 1.3 | 1.3 | 0.9 |
| 20 to 39 times | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 0.5 |
| 40 or more times | 1.5 | 1.0 | 1.6 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 0.9 |
| N of Valid | 917 | 17,159 | 899 | 19,095 | 627 | 15,456 |
| N of Miss | 19 | 336 | 30 | 371 | 9 | 219 |

Table 138: During your life, how many times have you taken steroid pills or shots without a doctor's prescription?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times | 98.4 | 98.0 | 95.4 | 96.8 | 95.1 | 96.7 |
| 1 or 2 times | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 3.3 | 1.4 |
| 3 to 9 times | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 0.5 | 0.7 |
| 10 to 19 times | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.9 | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.4 |
| 20 to 39 times |  | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.3 |
| 40 or more times | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.9 | 0.4 | 0.8 | 0.6 |
| N of Valid | 917 | 17,148 | 897 | 19,074 | 627 | 15,459 |
| $N$ of Miss | 18 | 346 | 32 | 390 | 9 | 217 |

Table 139: During your life, how many times have you used any form of cocaine, including powder, crack, or freebase?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times | 98.8 | 98.7 | 96.1 | 97.1 | 95.7 | 94.8 |
| 1 or 2 times | 0.8 | 0.7 | 1.8 | 1.5 | 2.4 | 2.5 |
| 3 to 9 times | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 1.1 |
| 10 to 19 times | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0.5 |
| 20 to 39 times | 0.1 | 0.0 | 0.2 | 0.1 |  | 0.3 |
| 40 or more times | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.8 |
| N of Valid | 911 | 17,108 | 896 | 19,064 | 625 | 15,439 |
| N of Miss | 23 | 387 | 32 | 402 | 10 | 237 |

Table 140: During your life, how many times have you used ecstasy (also called MDMA)?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times | 99.2 | 99.3 | 96.4 | 96.9 | 93.3 | 92.8 |
| 1 or 2 times | 0.2 | 0.2 | 1.6 | 1.6 | 4.2 | 3.7 |
| 3 to 9 times | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.7 | 0.6 | 1.0 | 1.9 |
| 10 to 19 times | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| 20 to 39 times |  | 0.0 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.4 |
| 40 or more times | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.7 |
| N of Valid | 897 | 16,827 | 890 | 18,926 | 623 | 15,366 |
| N of Miss | 38 | 667 | 39 | 541 | 12 | 310 |

Table 141: During your life, how many times have you used heroin (also called smack, junk, or China White)?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times | 99.2 | 99.0 | 97.6 | 98.4 | 98.1 | 98.0 |
| 1 or 2 times | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.9 | 0.7 | 1.3 | 0.9 |
| 3 to 9 times |  | 0.1 | 0.4 | 0.3 |  | 0.3 |
| 10 to 19 times | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| 20 to 39 times | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.1 |  | 0.2 |
| 40 or more times | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.4 |
| N of Valid | 911 | 17,016 | 891 | 19,031 | 622 | 15,417 |
| N of Miss | 24 | 480 | 38 | 435 | 14 | 259 |

Table 142: During your life, how many times have you used methamphetamines (also called speed, crystal, crank, or ice)?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times | 98.7 | 98.5 | 97.2 | 97.9 | 96.3 | 97.2 |
| 1 or 2 times | 0.4 | 0.7 | 1.1 | 1.1 | 1.4 | 1.3 |
| 3 to 9 times | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.7 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 0.5 |
| 10 to 19 times |  | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.2 |
| 20 to 39 times | 0.1 | 0.1 |  | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| 40 or more times | 0.3 | 0.4 | 0.7 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 0.6 |
| N of Valid | 900 | 16,985 | 890 | 19,033 | 624 | 15,436 |
| N of Miss | 35 | 511 | 38 | 432 | 12 | 240 |

Table 143: During your life, how many times have you used a needle to inject any illegal drug into your body?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times |  |  | 98.1 | 98.7 | 98.2 | 98.6 |
| 1 or 2 times |  |  | 0.7 | 0.6 | 0.8 | 0.5 |
| 3 to 9 times |  |  | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| 10 to 19 times |  |  | 0.3 | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.2 |
| 20 to 39 times |  |  | 0.2 | 0.1 |  | 0.1 |
| 40 or more times |  |  | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 891 | 19,023 | 627 | 15,438 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 39 | 442 | 9 | 237 |

Table 144: Lifetime drug use (includes any use of marijuana, inhalants, cocaine, ecstasy, heroin, or methamphetamines)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No use | 83.2 | 84.4 | 74.5 | 72.1 | 54.7 | 55.4 |
| Use | 16.8 | 15.6 | 25.5 | 27.9 | 45.3 | 44.6 |
| N of Valid | 926 | 17,349 | 910 | 19,310 | 631 | 15,588 |
| N of Miss | 9 | 146 | 19 | 155 | 5 | 88 |

Table 145: Lifetime illicit drug use (includes any use of marijuana, cocaine, ecstasy, heroin, or methamphetamines)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No use | 94.2 | 95.3 | 81.7 | 79.5 | 57.4 | 58.1 |
| Use | 5.8 | 4.7 | 18.3 | 20.5 | 42.6 | 41.9 |
| N of Valid | 925 | 17,328 | 909 | 19,303 | 631 | 15,583 |
| N of Miss | 9 | 166 | 20 | 162 | 5 | 93 |

Table 146: Lifetime use of illicit drugs other than marijuana (includes any use of cocaine, ecstasy, heroin, or methamphetamines)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No use | 97.6 | 97.5 | 94.1 | 94.9 | 90.3 | 90.3 |
| Use | 2.4 | 2.5 | 5.9 | 5.1 | 9.7 | 9.7 |
| N of Valid | 919 | 17,180 | 898 | 19,120 | 627 | 15,466 |
| N of Miss | 16 | 314 | 31 | 345 | 9 | 210 |

## A.4.7 Perceived Availability of Drugs

Table 147: If you wanted to get some cigarettes, how easy would it be for you to get some?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very hard | 66.9 | 67.6 | 43.7 | 41.0 | 15.8 | 17.1 |
| Sort of hard | 14.3 | 15.8 | 18.6 | 20.6 | 12.7 | 16.6 |
| Sort of easy | 9.5 | 8.8 | 14.4 | 18.0 | 22.9 | 22.0 |
| Very easy | 9.3 | 7.8 | 23.2 | 20.4 | 48.5 | 44.3 |
| N of Valid | 907 | 16,900 | 901 | 19,070 | 620 | 15,482 |
| N of Miss | 29 | 595 | 27 | 394 | 16 | 193 |

Table 148: If you wanted to get some beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin), how easy would it be for you to get some?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very hard | 64.8 | 62.2 | 40.4 | 29.4 | 10.1 | 11.3 |
| Sort of hard | 17.0 | 19.7 | 19.7 | 23.5 | 17.7 | 16.3 |
| Sort of easy | 9.7 | 10.9 | 18.7 | 25.0 | 31.6 | 30.3 |
| Very easy | 8.6 | 7.2 | 21.2 | 22.0 | 40.6 | 42.0 |
| N of Valid | 911 | 16,981 | 904 | 19,117 | 626 | 15,526 |
| N of Miss | 24 | 514 | 25 | 348 | 10 | 150 |

Table 149: If you wanted to get some marijuana, how easy would it be for you to get some?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very hard | 86.0 | 85.4 | 62.6 | 49.1 | 20.4 | 20.1 |
| Sort of hard | 8.2 | 7.3 | 11.5 | 15.0 | 15.1 | 13.5 |
| Sort of easy | 2.4 | 3.9 | 9.8 | 14.9 | 20.4 | 21.6 |
| Very easy | 3.4 | 3.4 | 16.1 | 21.0 | 44.2 | 44.7 |
| N of Valid | 905 | 16,830 | 896 | 19,021 | 624 | 15,491 |
| N of Miss | 30 | 664 | 34 | 443 | 12 | 185 |

Table 150: If you wanted to get a drug like cocaine, LSD, or amphetamines, how easy would it be for you to get some?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very hard | 92.3 | 91.9 | 79.1 | 76.1 | 53.5 | 50.2 |
| Sort of hard | 4.4 | 5.1 | 11.7 | 13.8 | 26.0 | 26.2 |
| Sort of easy | 1.9 | 1.7 | 4.6 | 6.2 | 12.4 | 13.9 |
| Very easy | 1.3 | 1.3 | 4.6 | 3.9 | 8.2 | 9.7 |
| N of Valid | 901 | 16,867 | 894 | 19,054 | 623 | 15,481 |
| N of Miss | 33 | 628 | 33 | 411 | 12 | 195 |

## A.4.8 Perceived Risk of Harm from Substance Use

Table 151: How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No risk | 9.6 | 7.1 | 7.4 | 5.6 | 5.9 | 5.9 |
| Slight risk | 5.8 | 6.1 | 9.0 | 8.6 | 8.9 | 9.0 |
| Moderate risk | 15.8 | 16.4 | 17.3 | 19.7 | 22.1 | 20.2 |
| Great risk | 68.8 | 70.4 | 66.3 | 66.1 | 63.1 | 64.9 |
| N of Valid | 856 | 15,885 | 837 | 17,887 | 597 | 14,713 |
| N of Miss | 79 | 1,610 | 92 | 1,578 | 39 | 964 |

Table 152: How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, or liquor) nearly every day?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No risk | 12.1 | 9.2 | 12.0 | 9.6 | 10.5 | 9.9 |
| Slight risk | 20.2 | 20.2 | 26.1 | 26.1 | 25.8 | 25.2 |
| Moderate risk | 32.6 | 31.8 | 29.8 | 34.6 | 34.9 | 35.0 |
| Great risk | 35.0 | 38.9 | 32.1 | 29.7 | 28.8 | 29.9 |
| N of Valid | 876 | 16,032 | 828 | 17,997 | 598 | 14,802 |
| N of Miss | 59 | 1,462 | 99 | 1,468 | 38 | 874 |

Table 153: How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) when they have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No risk | 9.2 | 7.6 | 9.8 | 6.6 | 6.6 | 6.0 |
| Slight risk | 15.6 | 14.1 | 18.0 | 17.6 | 20.3 | 17.8 |
| Moderate risk | 32.1 | 31.2 | 31.6 | 35.5 | 36.1 | 36.0 |
| Great risk | 43.1 | 47.2 | 40.6 | 40.4 | 37.0 | 40.2 |
| N of Valid | 868 | 15,965 | 835 | 17,932 | 595 | 14,776 |
| N of Miss | 67 | 1,531 | 93 | 1,533 | 41 | 900 |

Table 154: How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they try marijuana once or twice?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No risk | 11.2 | 9.1 | 18.7 | 19.6 | 32.2 | 34.0 |
| Slight risk | 18.7 | 16.5 | 17.3 | 26.5 | 30.7 | 31.0 |
| Moderate risk | 24.6 | 26.8 | 23.7 | 23.4 | 18.1 | 17.5 |
| Great risk | 45.5 | 47.5 | 40.3 | 30.5 | 19.1 | 17.6 |
| N of Valid | 852 | 15,820 | 834 | 17,838 | 597 | 14,706 |
| N of Miss | 83 | 1,676 | 94 | 1,627 | 39 | 970 |

Table 155: How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they smoke marijuana once or twice a week?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No risk | 9.7 | 7.7 | 11.6 | 11.2 | 17.3 | 17.7 |
| Slight risk | 8.3 | 7.2 | 10.8 | 14.6 | 22.9 | 22.2 |
| Moderate risk | 18.0 | 19.0 | 16.9 | 24.0 | 24.6 | 27.0 |
| Great risk | 64.0 | 66.1 | 60.8 | 50.2 | 35.2 | 33.1 |
| N of Valid | 855 | 15,866 | 836 | 17,925 | 597 | 14,768 |
| N of Miss | 80 | 1,629 | 93 | 1,540 | 39 | 908 |

## A.4.9 Communication about Substance Use

Table 156: During the past 12 months have you talked with at least one of your parents about the dangers of tobacco, alcohol, or drug use?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Yes | 59.2 | 66.2 | 60.3 | 64.9 | 62.2 | 64.8 |
| No | 32.1 | 26.0 | 33.4 | 28.9 | 31.9 | 30.2 |
| Don't know or can't <br> say | 8.7 | 7.8 | 6.3 | 6.2 | 5.9 | 5.0 |
| N of Valid | 909 | 17,040 | 905 | 19,157 | 630 | 15,532 |
| N of Miss | 25 | 456 | 24 | 308 | 6 | 144 |

Table 157: During the past 12 months have you had a special class about drugs or alcohol in school?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Yes | 58.3 | 51.6 | 45.7 | 57.2 | 42.9 | 45.5 |
| No | 33.8 | 39.4 | 45.5 | 34.6 | 49.8 | 47.0 |
| Don't know or can't <br> say | 7.9 | 9.0 | 8.8 | 8.2 | 7.4 | 7.6 |
| N of Valid | 912 | 17,053 | 895 | 19,138 | 625 | 15,522 |
| N of Miss | 23 | 442 | 35 | 327 | 11 | 154 |

Table 158: During the past 12 months do you recall hearing, reading, or watching an advertisement about prevention of substance abuse?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Yes | 44.6 | 47.7 | 61.8 | 67.1 | 72.7 | 76.8 |
| No | 28.3 | 25.0 | 21.1 | 17.4 | 14.9 | 13.5 |
| Don't know or can't <br> say | 27.2 | 27.3 | 17.1 | 15.4 | 12.4 | 9.7 |
| N of Valid | 906 | 16,954 | 906 | 19,161 | 629 | 15,556 |
| N of Miss | 29 | 541 | 22 | 304 | 7 | 120 |

Table 159: Would you be more or less likely to want to work for an employer that tests its employees for drug or alcohol use on a random basis?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| More likely |  |  | 41.0 | 34.1 | 34.6 | 30.8 |
| Less likely |  |  | 15.5 | 15.2 | 13.7 | 15.9 |
| Would make no dif- <br> ference |  |  | 32.7 | 36.5 | 45.9 | 48.0 |
| Don't know or can't <br> say |  |  | 10.8 | 14.3 | 5.7 | 5.3 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 878 | 18,928 | 627 | 15,470 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 52 | 537 | 9 | 206 |

## A. 5 Antisocial Behavior

A.5.1 Antisocial Behavior

Table 160: During the past 12 months how many times were you in a physical fight on school property?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| 0 times | 79.0 | 78.4 | 78.2 | 78.6 | 87.4 | 89.9 |
| 1 time | 12.1 | 11.6 | 11.5 | 11.8 | 6.9 | 5.9 |
| 2 or 3 times | 5.5 | 6.0 | 5.1 | 5.9 | 3.1 | 2.3 |
| 4 or 5 times | 0.9 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 1.4 | 1.1 | 0.6 |
| 6 or 7 times | 0.5 | 0.6 | 0.3 | 0.6 | 0.2 | 0.3 |
| 8 or 9 times | 0.2 | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.4 |  | 0.1 |
| 10 or 11 times | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| 12 or more times | 1.6 | 1.0 | 2.2 | 1.2 | 1.1 | 0.8 |
| N of Valid | 877 | 16,496 | 859 | 18,491 | 612 | 15,068 |
| N of Miss | 57 | 999 | 72 | 974 | 24 | 607 |

Table 161: How many times in the past year (12 months) have you attacked someone with the idea of seriously hurting them?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never |  |  | 85.6 | 84.0 | 85.9 | 86.9 |
| 1 or 2 times |  |  | 10.8 | 11.8 | 10.7 | 9.7 |
| 3 to 5 times |  |  | 1.9 | 1.9 | 1.2 | 1.6 |
| 6 to 9 times |  |  | 0.1 | 0.8 | 1.2 | 0.7 |
| 10 to 19 times |  |  | 0.4 | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.4 |
| 20 to 29 times |  |  | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.2 |
| 30 to 39 times |  |  |  | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| 40+ times |  |  | 1.0 | 0.8 | 0.3 | 0.6 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 832 | 18,019 | 596 | 14,767 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 96 | 1,447 | 39 | 908 |

Table 162: How many times in the past year (12 months) have you been arrested?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never |  |  | 92.9 | 94.2 | 91.3 | 93.8 |
| 1 or 2 times |  |  | 4.8 | 4.0 | 6.7 | 4.4 |
| 3 to 5 times |  |  | 0.6 | 0.8 | 1.0 | 0.8 |
| 6 to 9 times |  |  | 0.4 | 0.3 | 0.2 | 0.3 |
| 10 to 19 times |  |  |  | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| 20 to 29 times |  |  | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| 30 to 39 times |  |  | 0.1 | 0.1 |  | 0.1 |
| $40+$ times |  |  | 1.0 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.5 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 831 | 17,995 | 598 | 14,753 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 100 | 1,471 | 38 | 922 |

Table 163: How many times in the past year (12 months) have you carried a handgun?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never |  |  | 93.5 | 94.3 | 94.8 | 93.8 |
| 1 or 2 times |  |  | 3.2 | 3.0 | 2.0 | 2.6 |
| 3 to 5 times |  |  | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 1.1 |
| 6 to 9 times |  |  | 0.6 | 0.5 | 0.5 | 0.6 |
| 10 to 19 times |  |  | 0.7 | 0.3 | 0.3 | 0.5 |
| 20 to 29 times |  |  | 0.5 | 0.2 | 0.5 | 0.4 |
| 30 to 39 times |  |  |  | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| $40+$ times |  |  | 0.7 | 0.8 | 0.8 | 0.8 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 825 | 17,957 | 598 | 14,736 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 105 | 1,507 | 39 | 940 |

Table 164: How many times in the past year (12 months) have you sold illegal drugs?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never |  |  | 95.5 | 94.8 | 88.9 | 90.8 |
| 1 or 2 times |  |  | 1.5 | 2.3 | 4.7 | 3.7 |
| 3 to 5 times |  |  | 0.9 | 0.9 | 1.8 | 1.7 |
| 6 to 9 times |  |  | 0.4 | 0.4 | 1.2 | 0.9 |
| 10 to 19 times |  |  |  | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.7 |
| 20 to 29 times |  |  | 0.7 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 0.7 |
| 30 to 39 times |  |  | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.5 | 0.3 |
| $40+$ times |  |  | 0.9 | 0.8 | 1.3 | 1.3 |
| N of Valid | 0 | 0 | 820 | 17,864 | 596 | 14,716 |
| N of Miss | 935 | 17,495 | 111 | 1,601 | 40 | 960 |

Table 165: How many times in the past year (12 months) have you stolen or tried to steal a motor vehicle such as a car or motorcycle?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Never |  |  | 97.6 | 97.7 | 97.0 | 97.4 |
| 1 or 2 times |  |  | 1.0 | 1.2 | 1.7 | 1.2 |
| 3 to 5 times |  |  |  | 0.2 | 0.2 | 0.4 |
| 6 to 9 times |  |  | 0.4 | 0.2 | 0.3 | 0.2 |
| 10 to 19 times |  | 0.2 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 |  |
| 20 to 29 times |  |  | 0.1 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 |
| 30 to 39 times |  |  | 0.1 | 0.1 |  | 0.1 |
| $40+$ times |  |  | 0 | 827 | 17,948 | 591 |
| N of Valid | 935 | 17,495 | 104 | 1,517 | 44 | 955 |
| N of Miss |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## A. 6 Parenting and Parental Attitudes

## A.6.1 Family Management

Table 166: If you carried a handgun without your parents' permission, would you be caught by your parents?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 14.2 | 9.5 | 11.6 | 11.2 | 11.0 | 14.8 |
| no | 5.1 | 6.7 | 10.4 | 15.8 | 22.3 | 23.8 |
| yes | 12.6 | 16.6 | 20.0 | 23.5 | 24.2 | 23.9 |
| YES! | 68.1 | 67.2 | 58.0 | 49.5 | 42.6 | 37.6 |
| N of Valid | 897 | 16,766 | 882 | 18,787 | 620 | 15,266 |
| N of Miss | 38 | 729 | 46 | 678 | 15 | 410 |

Table 167: If you drank some beer or wine or liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission, would you be caught by your parents?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 11.5 | 9.0 | 12.6 | 13.7 | 17.7 | 19.3 |
| no | 9.0 | 9.8 | 20.9 | 26.8 | 39.5 | 42.3 |
| yes | 13.1 | 18.5 | 19.7 | 22.7 | 19.4 | 19.4 |
| YES! | 66.4 | 62.7 | 46.8 | 36.8 | 23.4 | 19.0 |
| N of Valid | 902 | 16,857 | 879 | 18,920 | 623 | 15,326 |
| N of Miss | 32 | 637 | 50 | 545 | 12 | 350 |

Table 168: If you skipped school would you be caught by your parents?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 10.1 | 6.2 | 7.8 | 6.6 | 7.3 | 10.3 |
| no | 5.4 | 5.8 | 7.4 | 11.5 | 20.5 | 24.2 |
| yes | 15.4 | 19.4 | 24.0 | 30.3 | 36.2 | 35.1 |
| YES! | 69.0 | 68.6 | 60.8 | 51.6 | 36.0 | 30.5 |
| N of Valid | 901 | 16,872 | 883 | 18,853 | 619 | 15,316 |
| N of Miss | 34 | 622 | 46 | 612 | 16 | 361 |

Table 169: My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 6.4 | 4.1 | 4.4 | 4.3 | 5.0 | 4.9 |
| no | 5.4 | 6.3 | 11.5 | 10.9 | 13.0 | 13.6 |
| yes | 15.2 | 17.1 | 20.4 | 27.3 | 35.0 | 35.5 |
| YES! | 72.9 | 72.5 | 63.7 | 57.4 | 47.0 | 46.0 |
| N of Valid | 901 | 16,782 | 868 | 18,809 | 623 | 15,300 |
| N of Miss | 34 | 714 | 60 | 657 | 12 | 376 |

Table 170: My parents ask if I've gotten my homework done.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 5.7 | 3.6 | 5.3 | 4.9 | 6.9 | 7.6 |
| no | 3.1 | 4.4 | 6.4 | 9.3 | 17.0 | 16.2 |
| yes | 21.2 | 25.3 | 30.1 | 33.8 | 38.4 | 38.6 |
| YES! | 69.9 | 66.7 | 58.2 | 52.0 | 37.6 | 37.6 |
| N of Valid | 895 | 16,874 | 874 | 18,905 | 622 | 15,346 |
| N of Miss | 40 | 621 | 56 | 560 | 15 | 330 |

Table 171: The rules in my family are clear.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 5.5 | 2.9 | 3.9 | 3.6 | 2.8 | 3.8 |
| no | 4.1 | 4.7 | 9.4 | 9.6 | 9.7 | 10.8 |
| yes | 21.2 | 25.3 | 27.1 | 36.3 | 47.1 | 43.8 |
| YES! | 69.2 | 67.2 | 59.6 | 50.5 | 40.4 | 41.6 |
| N of Valid | 884 | 16,620 | 861 | 18,590 | 611 | 15,168 |
| N of Miss | 52 | 875 | 69 | 874 | 24 | 509 |

Table 172: When I am not at home, one of my parents knows where I am and whol am with.

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 5.7 | 3.7 | 5.1 | 4.4 | 2.9 | 4.7 |
| no | 3.8 | 4.7 | 9.1 | 10.1 | 13.6 | 13.6 |
| yes | 23.0 | 24.0 | 26.4 | 37.3 | 43.7 | 44.3 |
| YES! | 67.6 | 67.6 | 59.4 | 48.2 | 39.8 | 37.3 |
| N of Valid | 901 | 16,927 | 880 | 18,922 | 618 | 15,329 |
| N of Miss | 33 | 568 | 49 | 542 | 18 | 347 |

Table 173: Would your parents know if you did not come home on time?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 6.3 | 3.7 | 4.3 | 3.8 | 4.0 | 4.7 |
| no | 7.6 | 7.7 | 12.1 | 13.0 | 15.0 | 14.6 |
| yes | 24.5 | 26.4 | 31.0 | 36.1 | 41.0 | 41.8 |
| YES! | 61.7 | 62.2 | 52.6 | 47.1 | 40.0 | 38.9 |
| N of Valid | 895 | 16,872 | 881 | 18,878 | 622 | 15,344 |
| N of Miss | 40 | 622 | 47 | 587 | 14 | 332 |

## A.6.2 Parental Attitudes towards Substance Use

Table 174: How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to smoke cigarettes?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very wrong | 93.3 | 94.3 | 84.2 | 85.6 | 71.7 | 74.5 |
| Wrong | 4.4 | 4.4 | 10.5 | 11.0 | 17.8 | 17.9 |
| A little bit wrong | 1.8 | 0.7 | 3.0 | 2.2 | 6.3 | 5.0 |
| Not wrong at all | 0.5 | 0.6 | 2.4 | 1.2 | 4.2 | 2.6 |
| N of Valid | 881 | 16,274 | 841 | 18,133 | 600 | 14,840 |
| N of Miss | 54 | 1,221 | 88 | 1,332 | 36 | 837 |

Table 175: How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to drink beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very wrong | 87.8 | 88.8 | 74.8 | 71.4 | 49.8 | 52.1 |
| Wrong | 7.7 | 7.9 | 15.3 | 18.9 | 26.3 | 27.3 |
| A little bit wrong | 3.2 | 2.4 | 6.4 | 7.6 | 17.8 | 15.0 |
| Not wrong at all | 1.4 | 1.0 | 3.4 | 2.1 | 6.0 | 5.7 |
| N of Valid | 883 | 16,297 | 841 | 18,146 | 596 | 14,830 |
| N of Miss | 52 | 1,197 | 88 | 1,319 | 41 | 846 |

Table 176: How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to smoke marijuana?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very wrong | 97.0 | 96.4 | 87.8 | 84.8 | 73.5 | 72.8 |
| Wrong | 1.7 | 2.2 | 6.7 | 9.4 | 15.6 | 15.5 |
| A little bit wrong | 0.5 | 0.7 | 2.9 | 4.0 | 5.9 | 7.7 |
| Not wrong at all | 0.8 | 0.7 | 2.6 | 1.9 | 5.0 | 4.1 |
| N of Valid | 871 | 16,211 | 839 | 17,953 | 596 | 14,744 |
| N of Miss | 63 | 1,284 | 91 | 1,511 | 39 | 933 |

## A.6.3 Parental Attitudes towards Antisocial Behavior

Table 177: How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to draw graffiti, or write things or draw pictures on buildings or other property (without the owner's permission)?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very wrong | 87.0 | 84.9 | 82.4 | 76.1 | 71.7 | 73.0 |
| Wrong | 9.4 | 11.8 | 11.6 | 17.6 | 21.4 | 20.1 |
| A little bit wrong | 1.9 | 2.2 | 3.3 | 4.6 | 4.5 | 4.8 |
| Not wrong at all | 1.6 | 1.1 | 2.7 | 1.7 | 2.3 | 2.1 |
| N of Valid | 872 | 16,252 | 839 | 18,003 | 598 | 14,788 |
| N of Miss | 62 | 1,242 | 89 | 1,461 | 37 | 888 |

Table 178: How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to pick a fight with someone?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very wrong | 65.5 | 60.7 | 47.9 | 43.9 | 41.6 | 44.8 |
| Wrong | 22.0 | 27.9 | 29.9 | 33.3 | 36.0 | 34.7 |
| A little bit wrong | 10.0 | 9.1 | 16.1 | 18.6 | 18.4 | 16.8 |
| Not wrong at all | 2.5 | 2.3 | 6.0 | 4.2 | 4.0 | 3.6 |
| N of Valid | 878 | 16,224 | 843 | 18,052 | 598 | 14,808 |
| N of Miss | 57 | 1,271 | 87 | 1,412 | 38 | 868 |

Table 179: How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to steal something worth more than $\$ 5$ ?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very wrong | 87.3 | 83.6 | 82.8 | 76.4 | 78.2 | 77.9 |
| Wrong | 9.1 | 13.5 | 12.2 | 18.4 | 16.8 | 17.8 |
| A little bit wrong | 2.7 | 2.0 | 2.7 | 3.8 | 3.0 | 3.1 |
| Not wrong at all | 0.9 | 0.9 | 2.3 | 1.4 | 2.0 | 1.3 |
| N of Valid | 881 | 16,244 | 839 | 18,090 | 601 | 14,828 |
| N of Miss | 54 | 1,251 | 89 | 1,375 | 35 | 847 |

## A. 7 Influence of Friendships

## A.7.1 Friends' Drug Use

Table 180: In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have smoked cigarettes?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| None of my friends | 86.9 | 88.1 | 67.6 | 68.4 | 46.8 | 53.8 |
| 1 of my friends | 7.8 | 7.0 | 13.4 | 13.9 | 19.0 | 17.6 |
| 2 of my friends | 2.5 | 2.4 | 7.4 | 7.2 | 12.2 | 11.1 |
| 3 of my friends | 0.5 | 0.8 | 3.7 | 3.7 | 7.9 | 6.1 |
| 4 of my friends | 2.2 | 1.7 | 7.8 | 6.8 | 14.1 | 11.4 |
| N of Valid | 911 | 17,034 | 887 | 19,011 | 622 | 15,393 |
| N of Miss | 24 | 462 | 42 | 453 | 16 | 283 |

Table 181: In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have tried beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) when their parents didn't know about it?

|  | Grade 6 |  |
| :--- | ---: | :--- |
|  | County | State |
|  | County | State |
|  | County | State |
| None of my friends | 81.6 | 84.0 |
| 63.7 | 56.2 | 32.9 |
| 1 of my friends | 10.6 | 9.0 |

Table 182: In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have used marijuana?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| None of my friends | 92.9 | 92.0 | 75.3 | 63.8 | 44.5 | 42.3 |
| 1 of my friends | 3.5 | 4.3 | 8.9 | 12.6 | 16.0 | 15.4 |
| 2 of my friends | 2.0 | 1.4 | 4.8 | 6.9 | 11.7 | 12.5 |
| 3 of my friends | 0.4 | 0.8 | 1.9 | 5.1 | 7.7 | 8.4 |
| 4 of my friends | 1.1 | 1.5 | 9.0 | 11.5 | 20.2 | 21.4 |
| N of Valid | 902 | 16,946 | 888 | 18,964 | 625 | 15,388 |
| N of Miss | 32 | 549 | 40 | 501 | 11 | 288 |

Table 183: In the past year ( 12 months), how many of your best friends have used LSD, cocaine, amphetamines, or other illegal drugs?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| None of my friends | 97.0 | 96.4 | 92.1 | 90.1 | 88.9 | 84.1 |
| 1 of my friends | 1.7 | 2.1 | 4.0 | 5.3 | 6.1 | 8.0 |
| 2 of my friends | 0.9 | 0.6 | 1.5 | 2.0 | 2.6 | 3.5 |
| 3 of my friends | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.7 | 0.9 | 0.8 | 1.4 |
| 4 of my friends | 0.3 | 0.6 | 1.8 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 3.0 |
| N of Valid | 904 | 16,966 | 882 | 18,939 | 620 | 15,369 |
| N of Miss | 30 | 528 | 45 | 526 | 14 | 309 |

## A.7.2 Friends' Delinquent Behaviors

Table 184: In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have been arrested?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | Grade 11 |  |  |  |
|  | County | State | County | State |
| County | State |  |  |  |
| None of my friends | 91.7 | 92.1 | 79.4 | 81.0 |
| 1 of my friends | 6.0 | 5.0 | 11.6 | 11.0 |
| 2 of my friends | 1.1 | 1.5 | 4.4 | 4.2 |
| 3 of my friends | 0.4 | 0.4 | 1.4 | 1.6 |
| 4 of my friends | 0.8 | 1.0 | 3.2 | 2.2 |
| N of Valid | 914 | 17,249 | 907 | 19,206 |
| N of Miss | 22 | 246 | 22 | 260 |

Table 185: In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have been suspended from school?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| None of my friends | 66.6 | 66.3 | 59.9 | 53.0 | 61.0 | 64.9 |
| 1 of my friends | 21.2 | 20.4 | 21.2 | 22.3 | 18.3 | 18.0 |
| 2 of my friends | 5.7 | 6.8 | 10.2 | 11.1 | 10.3 | 8.2 |
| 3 of my friends | 3.2 | 2.8 | 3.7 | 5.2 | 4.5 | 3.4 |
| 4 of my friends | 3.4 | 3.8 | 5.1 | 8.5 | 5.9 | 5.6 |
| N of Valid | 915 | 17,217 | 902 | 19,180 | 629 | 15,559 |
| N of Miss | 20 | 278 | 27 | 284 | 6 | 118 |

Table 186: In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have carried a handgun?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| None of my friends | 95.1 | 95.4 | 93.0 | 91.9 | 90.8 | 89.6 |
| 1 of my friends | 2.2 | 2.7 | 3.6 | 4.6 | 4.9 | 5.4 |
| 2 of my friends | 1.9 | 0.9 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 1.3 | 2.1 |
| 3 of my friends | 0.1 | 0.3 | 0.8 | 0.7 | 1.0 | 0.8 |
| 4 of my friends | 0.8 | 0.8 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 2.1 | 2.0 |
| N of Valid | 910 | 17,173 | 899 | 19,114 | 630 | 15,547 |
| N of Miss | 25 | 323 | 30 | 350 | 6 | 129 |

Table 187: In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have dropped out of school?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| None of my friends | 91.5 | 91.6 | 89.6 | 87.9 | 75.7 | 76.0 |
| 1 of my friends | 6.0 | 6.0 | 5.5 | 7.6 | 15.7 | 14.8 |
| 2 of my friends | 1.3 | 1.3 | 1.6 | 2.3 | 4.6 | 5.0 |
| 3 of my friends | 0.3 | 0.3 | 1.3 | 0.9 | 2.1 | 2.0 |
| 4 of my friends | 0.8 | 0.7 | 2.0 | 1.4 | 1.9 | 2.3 |
| N of Valid | 910 | 17,181 | 896 | 19,060 | 626 | 15,493 |
| N of Miss | 25 | 315 | 33 | 405 | 10 | 182 |

Table 188: In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have sold illegal drugs?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| None of my friends | 95.8 | 95.1 | 84.0 | 77.5 | 69.3 | 66.6 |
| 1 of my friends | 2.4 | 3.0 | 8.4 | 10.7 | 13.6 | 14.0 |
| 2 of my friends | 0.8 | 0.8 | 2.6 | 4.8 | 5.1 | 7.2 |
| 3 of my friends | 0.2 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 2.3 | 5.0 | 4.0 |
| 4 of my friends | 0.8 | 0.7 | 4.0 | 4.6 | 7.0 | 8.1 |
| N of Valid | 903 | 17,110 | 894 | 18,979 | 626 | 15,482 |
| N of Miss | 32 | 385 | 35 | 486 | 10 | 196 |

Table 189: In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have stolen or tried to steal a motor vehicle such as a car or motorcycle?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| None of my friends | 97.7 | 96.7 | 94.6 | 92.6 | 92.2 | 92.4 |
| 1 of my friends | 1.3 | 2.2 | 3.2 | 4.5 | 4.9 | 4.4 |
| 2 of my friends | 0.4 | 0.5 | 0.7 | 1.4 | 1.8 | 1.6 |
| 3 of my friends | 0.1 | 0.2 |  | 0.4 | 0.6 | 0.6 |
| 4 of my friends | 0.4 | 0.4 | 1.6 | 1.0 | 0.5 | 0.9 |
| N of Valid | 909 | 17,225 | 903 | 19,198 | 628 | 15,557 |
| N of Miss | 25 | 269 | 26 | 266 | 8 | 119 |

## A.7.3 Rewards for Antisocial Involvement

Table 190: What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No or very little <br> chance | 82.8 | 79.9 | 67.1 | 58.9 | 48.1 | 49.0 |
| Little chance | 9.4 | 11.7 | 16.3 | 20.1 | 20.8 | 20.0 |
| Some chance | 4.2 | 4.8 | 9.1 | 12.3 | 15.5 | 16.6 |
| Pretty good chance | 2.2 | 2.0 | 3.7 | 5.6 | 10.1 | 9.8 |
| Very good chance | 1.4 | 1.6 | 3.8 | 3.1 | 5.6 | 4.7 |
| N of Valid | 905 | 17,141 | 901 | 19,153 | 626 | 15,512 |
| N of Miss | 30 | 354 | 28 | 312 | 10 | 165 |

Table 191: What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you smoked marijuana?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No or very little <br> chance | 88.1 | 85.8 | 71.6 | 59.6 | 51.6 | 50.6 |
| Little chance | 5.5 | 6.4 | 12.0 | 14.4 | 16.3 | 16.6 |
| Some chance | 1.9 | 2.9 | 5.8 | 11.0 | 14.7 | 14.8 |
| Pretty good chance | 2.0 | 1.9 | 5.2 | 7.6 | 8.8 | 10.1 |
| Very good chance | 2.5 | 3.0 | 5.4 | 7.4 | 8.6 | 7.9 |
| N of Valid | 904 | 17,069 | 901 | 19,109 | 626 | 15,500 |
| N of Miss | 31 | 425 | 28 | 356 | 11 | 176 |

Table 192: What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you carried a handgun?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No or very <br> chance | 87.6 | 84.7 | 82.1 | 78.9 | 83.0 | 83.2 |
| Little chance | 6.7 | 8.7 | 10.2 | 11.9 | 7.8 | 9.3 |
| Some chance | 2.4 | 3.3 | 3.7 | 4.8 | 3.7 | 3.9 |
| Pretty good chance | 0.8 | 1.6 | 1.8 | 2.2 | 1.7 | 1.5 |
| Very good chance | 2.4 | 1.8 | 2.3 | 2.1 | 3.8 | 2.2 |
| N of Valid | 906 | 17,102 | 904 | 19,141 | 630 | 15,520 |
| N of Miss | 29 | 393 | 26 | 325 | 7 | 156 |

Table 193: What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you smoked cigarettes?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| No or very <br> chance | 83.0 | 83.7 | 74.4 | 69.7 | 66.9 | 71.3 |
| Little chance | 10.0 | 8.7 | 11.8 | 15.5 | 14.7 | 15.2 |
| Some chance | 3.3 | 3.7 | 7.2 | 8.2 | 9.6 | 7.9 |
| Pretty good chance | 1.7 | 2.0 | 3.6 | 4.2 | 4.8 | 3.4 |
| Very good chance | 2.1 | 1.9 | 3.0 | 2.4 | 4.0 | 2.2 |
| N of Valid | 904 | 17,114 | 900 | 19,121 | 626 | 15,526 |
| N of Miss | 31 | 381 | 29 | 343 | 9 | 150 |

## A.7.4 Attitudes towards Student Substance Use

Table 194: How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to smoke one or more packs of cigarettes a day?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very wrong | 88.7 | 91.4 | 78.1 | 78.6 | 64.4 | 67.6 |
| Wrong | 8.5 | 6.6 | 11.4 | 14.6 | 20.9 | 20.9 |
| A little bit wrong | 2.0 | 1.2 | 5.4 | 4.4 | 9.4 | 7.7 |
| Not wrong at all | 0.9 | 0.8 | 5.0 | 2.4 | 5.3 | 3.9 |
| N of Valid | 917 | 17,200 | 901 | 19,150 | 627 | 15,490 |
| N of Miss | 18 | 295 | 28 | 314 | 8 | 186 |

Table 195: How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very wrong | 79.8 | 82.9 | 63.0 | 60.5 | 45.6 | 49.4 |
| Wrong | 15.0 | 12.3 | 18.4 | 24.1 | 31.8 | 30.3 |
| A little bit wrong | 3.8 | 3.4 | 11.7 | 10.9 | 15.1 | 14.2 |
| Not wrong at all | 1.3 | 1.3 | 6.8 | 4.4 | 7.5 | 6.2 |
| N of Valid | 917 | 17,250 | 906 | 19,231 | 629 | 15,573 |
| N of Miss | 17 | 245 | 23 | 233 | 6 | 103 |

Table 196: How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to try marijuana once or twice?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very wrong | 83.5 | 85.8 | 68.7 | 56.7 | 40.0 | 35.9 |
| Wrong | 12.3 | 10.1 | 12.7 | 19.9 | 18.2 | 20.5 |
| A little bit wrong | 2.6 | 2.6 | 8.0 | 12.4 | 21.0 | 19.2 |
| Not wrong at all | 1.5 | 1.5 | 10.5 | 11.0 | 20.7 | 24.4 |
| N of Valid | 917 | 17,137 | 902 | 19,196 | 632 | 15,552 |
| N of Miss | 17 | 358 | 27 | 269 | 4 | 124 |

Table 197: How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to use marijuana once a month or more?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very wrong | 85.6 | 85.7 | 71.4 | 61.3 | 45.3 | 40.8 |
| Wrong | 9.0 | 10.2 | 12.1 | 18.9 | 17.1 | 21.5 |
| A little bit wrong | 4.4 | 2.6 | 7.1 | 10.4 | 19.7 | 17.3 |
| Not wrong at all | 1.1 | 1.5 | 9.4 | 9.4 | 17.9 | 20.5 |
| N of Valid | 914 | 17,146 | 907 | 19,239 | 631 | 15,590 |
| N of Miss | 21 | 348 | 22 | 226 | 5 | 86 |

## A. 8 Community Laws and Norms

## A.8.1 Norms about Kids' Drug Use

Table 198: How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age to drink alcohol?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very wrong | 73.5 | 73.0 | 57.6 | 51.6 | 29.4 | 31.9 |
| Wrong | 17.9 | 19.6 | 24.8 | 31.3 | 39.3 | 40.9 |
| A little bit wrong | 6.1 | 5.4 | 12.9 | 13.4 | 25.5 | 22.2 |
| Not wrong at all | 2.5 | 2.0 | 4.7 | 3.7 | 5.8 | 5.0 |
| N of Valid | 892 | 16,478 | 838 | 18,378 | 605 | 14,961 |
| N of Miss | 43 | 1,016 | 91 | 1,087 | 31 | 714 |

Table 199: How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age to smoke cigarettes?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very wrong | 77.1 | 77.5 | 63.7 | 61.2 | 39.1 | 41.1 |
| Wrong | 13.7 | 16.2 | 22.3 | 26.5 | 35.3 | 37.3 |
| A little bit wrong | 5.5 | 4.3 | 9.8 | 8.9 | 17.7 | 16.5 |
| Not wrong at all | 3.6 | 2.0 | 4.2 | 3.4 | 7.8 | 5.1 |
| N of Valid | 888 | 16,449 | 835 | 18,339 | 603 | 14,946 |
| N of Miss | 48 | 1,046 | 93 | 1,126 | 33 | 732 |

Table 200: How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age to use marijuana?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Very wrong | 89.5 | 87.8 | 75.0 | 69.3 | 50.8 | 50.9 |
| Wrong | 7.1 | 8.2 | 15.3 | 17.8 | 27.6 | 29.1 |
| A little bit wrong | 1.5 | 2.2 | 5.0 | 8.5 | 14.4 | 14.0 |
| Not wrong at all | 1.9 | 1.8 | 4.7 | 4.3 | 7.1 | 6.0 |
| N of Valid | 883 | 16,417 | 835 | 18,346 | 604 | 14,941 |
| $N$ of Miss | 52 | 1,078 | 94 | 1,119 | 32 | 736 |

## A.8.2 Community Law Enforcement

Table 201: If a kid drank some beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) in your neighborhood would he or she be caught by the police?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 10.1 | 7.9 | 18.9 | 17.3 | 21.5 | 21.6 |
| no | 22.6 | 26.2 | 40.7 | 46.8 | 54.9 | 57.7 |
| yes | 34.8 | 37.1 | 24.2 | 24.6 | 17.1 | 15.3 |
| YES! | 32.5 | 28.9 | 16.2 | 11.3 | 6.5 | 5.3 |
| N of Valid | 840 | 15,540 | 801 | 17,592 | 586 | 14,552 |
| N of Miss | 95 | 1,954 | 128 | 1,873 | 49 | 1,124 |

Table 202: If a kid smoked marijuana in your neighborhood would he or she be caught by the police?

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| NO! | 9.6 | 7.2 | 19.9 | 17.8 | 22.9 | 23.8 |
| no | 15.4 | 18.3 | 31.3 | 38.8 | 48.6 | 51.9 |
| yes | 30.3 | 34.3 | 25.4 | 26.5 | 18.7 | 17.4 |
| YES! | 44.7 | 40.1 | 23.4 | 16.8 | 9.8 | 6.8 |
| N of Valid | 864 | 15,895 | 815 | 17,740 | 593 | 14,695 |
| N of Miss | 71 | 1,601 | 114 | 1,725 | 43 | 982 |

## A. 9 Risk and Protective Factors

## A.9.1 Risk and Protective Factors

Table 203: Transitions and mobility (risk)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 45.8 | 48.4 | 53.0 | 57.9 | 56.2 | 58.1 |
| Above Cutoff | 54.2 | 51.6 | 47.0 | 42.1 | 43.8 | 41.9 |
| N of Valid | 849 | 15,933 | 828 | 17,984 | 596 | 14,743 |
| N of Miss | 86 | 1,562 | 102 | 1,482 | 39 | 933 |

Table 204: Laws and norms favorable to drug use (risk)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 66.4 | 65.9 | 74.6 | 71.7 | 65.1 | 67.3 |
| Above Cutoff | 33.6 | 34.1 | 25.4 | 28.3 | 34.9 | 32.7 |
| N of Valid | 865 | 16,051 | 810 | 17,838 | 593 | 14,714 |
| N of Miss | 70 | 1,445 | 118 | 1,627 | 42 | 962 |

Table 205: Perceived availability of drugs (risk)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 76.5 | 76.0 | 71.6 | 67.2 | 63.8 | 62.8 |
| Above Cutoff | 23.5 | 24.0 | 28.4 | 32.8 | 36.2 | 37.2 |
| N of Valid | 907 | 16,913 | 904 | 19,087 | 625 | 15,511 |
| N of Miss | 28 | 581 | 25 | 378 | 10 | 165 |

Table 206: Poor family management (risk)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 61.0 | 59.1 | 64.8 | 56.0 | 65.6 | 62.5 |
| Above Cutoff | 39.0 | 40.9 | 35.2 | 44.0 | 34.4 | 37.5 |
| N of Valid | 912 | 17,057 | 890 | 19,085 | 628 | 15,442 |
| N of Miss | 22 | 438 | 38 | 380 | 8 | 234 |

Table 207: Parental attitudes toward substance use (risk)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 86.5 | 86.8 | 70.6 | 66.7 | 46.2 | 47.2 |
| Above Cutoff | 13.5 | 13.2 | 29.4 | 33.3 | 53.8 | 52.8 |
| N of Valid | 883 | 16,307 | 844 | 18,175 | 600 | 14,853 |
| N of Miss | 51 | 1,188 | 85 | 1,290 | 36 | 823 |

Table 208: Parental attitudes toward antisocial behavior (risk)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 61.4 | 55.7 | 45.8 | 39.8 | 39.2 | 40.7 |
| Above Cutoff | 38.6 | 44.3 | 54.2 | 60.2 | 60.8 | 59.3 |
| N of Valid | 881 | 16,290 | 843 | 18,128 | 599 | 14,844 |
| N of Miss | 53 | 1,205 | 85 | 1,336 | 36 | 831 |

Table 209: Academic failure (risk)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 55.6 | 57.6 | 51.4 | 54.8 | 55.4 | 57.5 |
| Above Cutoff | 44.4 | 42.4 | 48.6 | 45.2 | 44.6 | 42.5 |
| N of Valid | 890 | 16,533 | 879 | 18,859 | 626 | 15,387 |
| N of Miss | 45 | 962 | 50 | 606 | 10 | 288 |

Table 210: Low commitment to school (risk)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 58.5 | 61.2 | 60.8 | 61.8 | 56.5 | 57.8 |
| Above Cutoff | 41.5 | 38.8 | 39.2 | 38.2 | 43.5 | 42.2 |
| N of Valid | 878 | 16,282 | 849 | 18,274 | 605 | 14,899 |
| N of Miss | 56 | 1,213 | 79 | 1,191 | 31 | 777 |

Table 211: School opportunities for prosocial involvement (protective)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 37.3 | 36.1 | 30.8 | 33.6 | 30.9 | 31.3 |
| Above Cutoff | 62.7 | 63.9 | 69.2 | 66.4 | 69.1 | 68.7 |
| N of Valid | 855 | 15,951 | 837 | 18,017 | 598 | 14,793 |
| N of Miss | 79 | 1,543 | 92 | 1,448 | 38 | 883 |

Table 212: School rewards for prosocial involvment (protective)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 43.9 | 43.8 | 41.3 | 42.8 | 42.7 | 46.0 |
| Above Cutoff | 56.1 | 56.2 | 58.7 | 57.2 | 57.3 | 54.0 |
| N of Valid | 850 | 15,898 | 826 | 17,961 | 597 | 14,759 |
| N of Miss | 85 | 1,597 | 103 | 1,504 | 39 | 916 |

Table 213: Perceived risks of substance use (risk)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 63.6 | 67.4 | 57.3 | 50.2 | 49.1 | 48.9 |
| Above Cutoff | 36.4 | 32.6 | 42.7 | 49.8 | 50.9 | 51.1 |
| N of Valid | 863 | 15,937 | 838 | 17,955 | 597 | 14,776 |
| N of Miss | 72 | 1,559 | 90 | 1,510 | 38 | 900 |

Table 214: Friends' use of drugs (risk)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 78.5 | 79.2 | 72.6 | 64.9 | 68.1 | 68.3 |
| Above Cutoff | 21.5 | 20.8 | 27.4 | 35.1 | 31.9 | 31.7 |
| N of Valid | 910 | 17,009 | 886 | 18,984 | 623 | 15,392 |
| N of Miss | 25 | 487 | 43 | 481 | 13 | 284 |

Table 215: Friends' delinquent behavior (risk)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 61.7 | 61.9 | 51.6 | 45.6 | 46.7 | 46.1 |
| Above Cutoff | 38.3 | 38.1 | 48.4 | 54.4 | 53.3 | 53.9 |
| N of Valid | 916 | 17,266 | 905 | 19,230 | 630 | 15,594 |
| N of Miss | 19 | 229 | 25 | 235 | 5 | 83 |

Table 216: Peer rewards for antisocial behavior (risk)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 72.9 | 71.6 | 66.7 | 57.0 | 62.5 | 64.8 |
| Above Cutoff | 27.1 | 28.4 | 33.3 | 43.0 | 37.5 | 35.2 |
| N of Valid | 907 | 17,122 | 902 | 19,143 | 626 | 15,523 |
| N of Miss | 28 | 373 | 27 | 322 | 9 | 154 |

Table 217: Attitudes toward antisocial behavior (risk)

|  | Grade 6 |  | Grade 8 |  | Grade 11 |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
|  | County | State | County | State | County | State |
| Below Cutoff | 48.8 | 49.0 | 65.5 | 60.8 | 56.1 | 58.9 |
| Above Cutoff | 51.2 | 51.0 | 34.5 | 39.2 | 43.9 | 41.1 |
| N of Valid | 920 | 17,221 | 909 | 19,217 | 631 | 15,577 |
| N of Miss | 15 | 273 | 20 | 248 | 5 | 98 |

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50. During the past 30 days, how many times did you



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| How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways)... | Great |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Moderate risk |  |  |  |
|  | Slight risk |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| 86. if they take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day? |  |  |  |  |
| 87. when they have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week? |  |  |  |  |
| 88. if they smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day? |  |  |  |  |
| 89. if they try marijuana once or twice? |  |  |  |  |
| 90. if they smoke marijuana once or twice a week? |  |  |  |  |



6 or 7 times
8 or 9 times

1 time
2 or 3 times
04 or 5 times

78. If a kid drank some beer, wine, or hard
liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) in
your neighborhood, would he or she be caught
by the police?
79. If a kid smoked marijuana in your neighborhood
would he or she be caught by the police?

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[^10] 83. Gambling involves betting anything of value (money,
a watch, soda, etc.) on a game or event. Please mark ALL the different types of gambling that you have bet on, if any, during the last 30 days: OPlaying lottery tickets.
OPlaying Powerball or Megabucks
$\bigcirc$ Playing dice or coin flips.
Betting on a sports team.
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OPlaybing Bingo for money.
ONone.
OOther.
84. During the last 12 months, have you ever felt bad
about the amount you bet, or about what happens
about the amount you bet, or about what happens
ONes
O I don'
I don't bet for money


you could?
○Yes
$\bigcirc$ No
O I don't bet for money

> 86. In total, how much money have you bet in any form (lottery, card games, bingo, internet, sports, with lottery, card games, bingo, internet, sports, with ○\$101-\$200 $\begin{array}{ll}\bigcirc \$ 1-\$ 10 & \bigcirc \$ 201-\$ 500 \\ \bigcirc \$ 11-\$ 50 & \bigcirc \text { Over } \$ 500\end{array}$ ○\$51-\$100


$\bigcirc 10$ or 11 times
$\bigcirc 12$ or more times
127. Have you changed homes in the past year?


 OVery important
OFairly important
OSlightly important

OVery interesting
OQuite interesting OFairly interesting
OSlightly boring
OVery boring

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { 114. How often do you feel that the } \\
& \text { schoolwork you are assigned is } \\
& \text { meaningful and important? } \\
& \hline \text { Now thinking back over the past year in } \\
& \text { school, how often did you... } \\
& \text { 115. enjoy being in school? } \\
& \hline 116 . \text { hate being in school? } \\
& \hline \text { 117. try to do your best work in school? } \\
& \hline
\end{aligned}
$$


26. have done something well.
18. I have lots of chances to be part of class
discussions or activities.
119. In my school, students have lots of chances
to help decide things like class activities

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[^0]:    Linn County

[^1]:    Percentages exclude missing answers.

[^2]:    Percentages exclude missing answers.

[^3]:    Percentages exclude missing answers.

[^4]:    Percentages exclude missing answers.

[^5]:    Percentages exclude missing answers.

[^6]:    Percentages exclude missing answers.

[^7]:    Percentages exclude missing answers.

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[^9]:    81. During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad or
    hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a
    row that you stopped doing some usual activities? OYes
    ONo

    During the past 12 months, did you ever seriously
    consider attempting suicide?
    $\bigcirc$ Yes
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    | How wrong would most adults | Not wrong at all |
    | :---: | :---: |
    |  |  | | (over 21) in your neighborhood | A little bit wrong |
    | :--- | :---: |
    | think it is for kids your age to... | Wrong | | 0 | 0 | 0 |
    | :--- | :--- | :--- |
    | 0 | 0 | 0 |
    | 0 | 0 | 0 |

    91. drink alcohol?
    92. smoke cigarettes?
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