

Oregon 2014 BRFSS
Injury Prevention

In the past 12 months, how many times have you fallen?

(Weighted Column Percents)

		Age Groups			
		Total	45-54	55-64	65+
None		69.3	73.1	67.0	68.3
One fall		14.0	9.9	15.5	16.0
Two or more falls		11.8	11.1	11.6	12.5
Three or more falls		4.8	5.8	5.9	3.1
Male	None	71.9	75.4	71.3	69.6
	One fall	11.4	7.4	11.7	14.6
	Two or more falls	11.3	10.8	10.9	12.0
	Three or more falls	5.4	6.4	6.1	3.8
Female	None	66.9	70.8	63.1	67.2
	One fall	16.4	12.4	18.9	17.2
	Two or more falls	12.3	11.5	12.3	13.0
	Three or more falls	4.3	5.3	5.7	2.6

Denominator is: All survey respondents 45 years or older.

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(Unweighted Frequencies)

		Age Groups			
		Total	45-54	55-64	65+
Total		3,740	706	1,093	1,941
None		2,520	504	718	1,298
One fall		569	71	176	322
Two or more falls		453	76	131	246
Three or more falls		158	41	58	59
Don't know/Not sure/Refused		40	14	10	16
Male	Total	1,503	321	461	721
	None	1,052	235	321	496
	One fall	187	24	58	105
	Two or more falls	175	34	52	89
	Three or more falls	69	21	25	23
	Don't know/Not sure/Refused	20	7	5	8
Female	Total	2,237	385	632	1,220
	None	1,468	269	397	802
	One fall	382	47	118	217
	Two or more falls	278	42	79	157
	Three or more falls	89	20	33	36
	Don't know/Not sure/Refused	20	7	5	8

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How many of these falls caused an injury?

(Weighted Column Percents)

		Age Groups			
		Total	45-54	55-64	65+
None		58.7	53.5	58.8	61.9
One fall		27.5	24.9	27.9	28.9
Two falls		7.6	11.2	7.1	5.6
Three or more falls		6.3	10.4	6.2	3.6
Male	None	67.6	59.5	72.1	69.4
	One fall	21.6	22.0	17.2	25.0
	Two falls	6.9	11.6	7.4	3.2
	Three or more falls	3.9	6.9	3.4	2.4
Female	None	51.8	48.6	49.1	56.1
	One fall	32.1	27.2	35.8	31.9
	Two falls	8.1	10.9	6.9	7.5
	Three or more falls	8.0	13.4	8.2	4.5

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How many of these falls caused an injury?

(Unweighted Frequencies)

		Age Groups			
		Total	45-54	55-64	65+
Total		1,166	187	356	623
None		690	102	212	376
One fall		325	44	98	183
Two falls		79	19	23	37
Three or more falls		68	20	21	27
Don't know/Not sure/Refused		4	2	2	
Male	Total	426	79	131	216
	None	299	48	97	154
	One fall	90	17	23	50
	Two falls	19	7	7	5
	Three or more falls	16	5	4	7
	Don't know/Not sure/Refused	2	2		
Female	Total	740	108	225	407
	None	391	54	115	222
	One fall	235	27	75	133
	Two falls	60	12	16	32
	Three or more falls	52	15	17	20
	Don't know/Not sure/Refused	2		2	

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How often do you use seat belts when you drive or ride in a car?

(Weighted Column Percents)

		Age Groups						
		Total	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Always		92.2	86.3	90.5	90.9	94.2	95.5	93.7
Nearly always		5.0	10.1	4.7	7.3	3.7	3.2	3.0
Sometimes		1.2	2.6	2.0	.6	1.1	.7	.7
Seldom		.4	.6	.5	.3	.1	.3	.4
Never		.9	.5	1.1	.9	.4	.2	2.0
Never drive or ride in a car		.3		1.1		.4	.1	.1
Male	Always	89.4	85.5	88.5	85.8	92.2	92.4	90.7
	Nearly always	6.7	12.0	5.6	11.1	4.3	5.2	4.2
	Sometimes	1.4	2.3	1.2	.8	1.7	1.4	1.1
	Seldom	.5	.2	1.0	.5	.1	.4	.6
	Never	1.5		2.0	1.8	.9	.4	3.4
	Never drive or ride in a car	.5		1.7		.7	.2	.0
Female	Always	95.0	87.2	92.4	96.0	96.3	98.4	96.2
	Nearly always	3.2	7.8	3.9	3.5	3.1	1.3	2.1
	Sometimes	1.1	3.1	2.9	.4	.6	.1	.4
	Seldom	.2	1.0			.1	.2	.2
	Never	.3	1.0	.2			.1	.9
	Never drive or ride in a car	.1		.6				.2

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(Unweighted Frequencies)

		Age Groups						
		Total	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Total		4,928	259	442	493	706	1,089	1,939
Always		4,607	221	398	457	662	1,041	1,828
Nearly always		196	28	23	27	29	30	59
Sometimes		45	6	7	5	7	8	12
Seldom		22	2	4	1	2	5	8
Never		37	1	4	2	2	3	25
Don't know/Not sure		3		1	1			1
Never drive or ride in a car		10		5		1	1	3
Refused		8	1			3	1	3
Male	Total	2,089	141	227	221	321	459	720
	Always	1,893	120	201	194	296	423	659
	Nearly always	116	16	12	20	15	23	30
	Sometimes	25	3	2	3	4	7	6
	Seldom	14	1	4	1	1	2	5
	Never	25		3	2	2	2	16
	Don't know/Not sure	2		1	1			
	Never drive or ride in a car	7		4		1	1	1
	Refused	7	1			2	1	3
Female	Total	2,839	118	215	272	385	630	1,219
	Always	2,714	101	197	263	366	618	1,169
	Nearly always	80	12	11	7	14	7	29
	Sometimes	20	3	5	2	3	1	6
	Seldom	8	1			1	3	3
	Never	12	1	1			1	9
	Don't know/Not sure	1						1
	Never drive or ride in a car	3		1				2
	Refused	1				1		

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Risk Factor: Always use seatbelts when driving or riding in a car?

(Weighted Column Percents)

		Age Groups						
		Total	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Always or Almost Always Wear Seat Belt		97.5	96.3	96.3	98.2	98.3	98.7	96.9
Sometimes, Seldom, or Never Wear Seat Belt		2.5	3.7	3.7	1.8	1.7	1.3	3.1
Male	Always or Almost Always Wear Seat Belt	96.6	97.5	95.8	96.9	97.2	97.8	94.9
	Sometimes, Seldom, or Never Wear Seat Belt	3.4	2.5	4.2	3.1	2.8	2.2	5.1
Female	Always or Almost Always Wear Seat Belt	98.4	95.0	96.9	99.6	99.4	99.6	98.5
	Sometimes, Seldom, or Never Wear Seat Belt	1.6	5.0	3.1	.4	.6	.4	1.5

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Risk Factor: Always use seatbelts when driving or riding in a car?

(Unweighted Frequencies)

		Age Groups						
		Total	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Total		5,202	283	468	525	742	1,159	2,025
Always or Almost Always Wear Seat Belt		4,813	249	426	484	692	1,072	1,890
Sometimes, Seldom, or Never Wear Seat Belt		104	9	15	8	11	16	45
Don't know/Not Sure/Refused/Missing		285	25	27	33	39	71	90
Male	Total	2,211	151	240	237	339	487	757
	Always or Almost Always Wear Seat Belt	2,016	136	217	214	312	447	690
	Sometimes, Seldom, or Never Wear Seat Belt	64	4	9	6	7	11	27
	Don't know/Not Sure/Refused/Missing	131	11	14	17	20	29	40
Female	Total	2,991	132	228	288	403	672	1,268
	Always or Almost Always Wear Seat Belt	2,797	113	209	270	380	625	1,200
	Sometimes, Seldom, or Never Wear Seat Belt	40	5	6	2	4	5	18
	Don't know/Not Sure/Refused/Missing	154	14	13	16	19	42	50

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Risk Factor: Always or nearly always use seatbelts when driving or riding in a car?

(Weighted Column Percents)

		Age Groups						
		Total	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Always Wear Seat Belt		94.4	90.0	96.7	91.0	94.9	96.2	94.5
Don't Always Wear Seat Belt		5.6	10.0	3.3	9.0	5.1	3.8	5.5
Male	Always Wear Seat Belt	91.6	90.9	96.1	83.0	93.7	93.7	91.3
	Don't Always Wear Seat Belt	8.4	9.1	3.9	17.0	6.3	6.3	8.7
Female	Always Wear Seat Belt	96.7	88.7	97.0	97.1	95.9	98.3	97.0
	Don't Always Wear Seat Belt	3.3	11.3	3.0	2.9	4.1	1.7	3.0

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Risk Factor: Always or nearly always use seatbelts when driving or riding in a car?

(Unweighted Frequencies)

		Age Groups						
		Total	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+
Total		5,202	283	468	525	742	1,159	2,025
Always Wear Seat Belt		2,708	33	82	163	335	648	1,447
Don't Always Wear Seat Belt		138	4	3	12	21	23	75
Don't know/Not Sure/Refused/Missing		2,356	246	383	350	386	488	503
Male	Total	2,211	151	240	237	339	487	757
	Always Wear Seat Belt	956	20	28	56	133	238	481
	Don't Always Wear Seat Belt	81	2	2	10	9	16	42
	Don't know/Not Sure/Refused/Missing	1,174	129	210	171	197	233	234
Female	Total	2,991	132	228	288	403	672	1,268
	Always Wear Seat Belt	1,752	13	54	107	202	410	966
	Don't Always Wear Seat Belt	57	2	1	2	12	7	33
	Don't know/Not Sure/Refused/Missing	1,182	117	173	179	189	255	269

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