

Choking Game

Oregon Healthy Teens 2009 - 8th Grade State Summary Report

**54. The "Choking Game" is an activity that some youth participate in to get a high by cutting off blood an oxygen to the brain using a variety of methods. Which of the following is true for you?
(Please mark all that apply.)**

	Total		Female		Male	
	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
Total	5,164	100.0	2,690	100.0	2,474	100.0
I have never heard of the Choking Game	3,691	71.5	1,885	70.1	1,806	73.0
I've heard of someone participating in the Choking Game	1,255	23.6	705	25.2	550	21.8
I have helped someone else participate in the Choking Game	92	1.7	37	1.2	55	2.3
I have participated in the Choking Game myself	301	6.0	159	6.5	142	5.6

Unweighted counts and weighted percentages exclude missing and/or refused answers.

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55. How many times in your life have you participated in the Choking Game yourself?

	Total		Female		Male	
	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
Total	5,146	100.0	2,678	100.0	2,468	100.0
None – I have never participated myself	4,758	92.6	2,476	92.5	2,282	92.7
1 time	190	3.4	101	3.5	89	3.3
2 or more times	198	4.0	101	3.9	97	4.0

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