

## Population characteristics among adults by race and ethnicity, Oregon 2010-2011



Use this table to estimate the overall burden of disease within each race and ethnicity

	White, NL		African American, NL		Asian or Pacific Islander, NL		American Indian or Alaska Native, NL		Latino	
	Unadjusted (%)	Number of adults	Unadjusted (%)	Number of adults	Unadjusted (%)	Number of adults	Unadjusted (%)	Number of adults	Unadjusted (%)	Number of adults
Aged 18 to 34 years	27.0	670,500	41.0	22,900	38.1	49,800	35.9	14,000	49.6	137,300
Annual household income less than \$20,000	19.3	479,400	48.8	27,300	22.1	29,000	35.3	13,700	34.1	94,600
Annual household income greater than \$50,000	42.9	1,066,800	24.4	13,600	42.6	55,700	24.7	9,600	16.8	46,600
Low socio-economic status <sup>1</sup>	20.8	517,500	46.3	25,900	29.4	38,500	42.8	16,700	56.1	155,400
Employed or self-employed	52.7	1,310,800	53.0	29,700	64.6	84,600	50.9	19,800	57.5	159,400
Have health insurance	82.3	2,047,400	68.2	38,100	74.0	96,900	79.8	31,100	66.4	183,900
College graduate	27.6	686,900	19.6	11,000	40.6	53,200	11.7	4,500	9.2	25,500
High school, GED, or college graduate	91.3	2,271,300	85.3	47,700	86.3	113,000	83.1	32,400	57.6	159,700
Married	54.9	1,365,300	33.9	19,000	59.8	78,400	44.3	17,300	52.3	144,800
Home owner	67.6	1,682,700	36.0	20,100	66.0	86,400	51.1	19,900	44.6	123,500
One or more children under the age of 18 in the household	31.3	779,400	41.7	23,300	46.1	60,400	45.7	17,800	62.4	172,800
Speaks language other than English at home	2.9	71,300	10.5	5,900	45.1	59,100	8.4	3,300	47.0	130,100

NL = non-Latino

<sup>1</sup> Low socio-economic status includes having less than a high school education or being at 100% or less of the federal poverty level.

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Use this table to compare burden of disease among race and ethnicity groups

	Age-adjusted (%)				
	White, NL	African American, NL	Asian or Pacific Islander, NL	American Indian or Alaska Native, NL	Latino
Annual household income less than \$20,000	19.5	47.2	21.6	35.6	33.9
Annual household income greater than \$50,000	43.4	26.0	43.1	24.2	17.4
Low socio-economic status <sup>1</sup>	21.5	44.6	27.2	43.0	55.1
Employed or self-employed	56.4	50.1	63.8	49.8	53.5
Have health insurance	80.6	70.2	74.8	80.3	68.4
College graduate	27.6	21.4	41.0	12.3	9.9
High school, GED, or college graduate	91.2	86.3	87.5	83.4	58.3
Married	53.9	34.0	60.6	44.3	50.0
Home owner	64.7	42.5	68.4	52.7	53.2
One or more children under the age of 18 in the household	35.9	40.4	43.5	44.4	53.8
Speaks language other than English at home	3.0	9.5	45.6	8.2	45.1

NL = non-Latino

<sup>1</sup> Low socio-economic status includes having less than a high school education or being at 100% or less of the federal poverty level.

Source: Oregon Behavioral Risk Factors Surveillance System Race Oversample Dataset 2010-2011; age-adjusted to the 2000 standard population.

Note: For an explanation of using unadjusted versus age-adjusted estimates, please see <http://public.health.oregon.gov/DiseasesConditions/ChronicDisease/DataReports/Pages/TechnicalNotes.aspx>.

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