

2022-2023 Maryland YRBS/YTS High School Health Disparities by Race/Ethnicity

 Maryland <small>DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH</small>	RACE & ETHNICITY					
	MD Statewide	Asian	Black	Hispanic/Latino	American Indian Alaska Native	White
2022-2023 MD YRBS/YTS Indicators						
Injury and Violence						
Who were in a physical fight on school property	9.9%	4.1%	13.2%	9.4%	17.8%	7.6%
Who were electronically bullied	12.4%	9.9%	10.2%	10.1%	19.0%	15.4%
Did not go to school because they felt unsafe at school or on their way to/from school (past 30 days)	9.8%	5.9%	11.3%	12.5%	18.1%	7.2%
Mental Health						
Actually attempted suicide (one or more times in the past year)	9.4%	6.5%	11.2%	10.0%	12.1%	7.1%
Mental health was most of the time/always not good (past 30 days)	28.1%	21.7%	26.2%	26.0%	26.3%	31.2%
Tobacco, Alcohol, and Other Drug Use						
Students who currently used electronic vapor products frequently	3.9%	1.2%	2.2%	2.8%	6.1%	6.3%
Ever used an electronic vapor product to smoke marijuana	13.9%	3.1%	12.6%	12.7%	17.1%	17.0%
Currently drank alcohol (past 30 days)	17.8%	9.0%	12.0%	14.8%	25.5%	26.1%
Students who currently used marijuana	14.4%	3.5%	17.0%	12.2%	15.5%	14.6%
Weight Management and Other Dietary Behaviors						
Did not participate in at least 60 minutes of physical activity on at least 1 day	19.6%	17.0%	24.8%	24.1%	22.8%	12.8%
Did not eat vegetables (past week)	9.5%	2.2%	12.9%	10.2%	16.1%	7.4%
Were overweight	15.4%	11.0%	17.2%	19.8%	12.2%	12.8%
Had obesity	15.7%	6.4%	19.8%	20.0%	14.6%	11.6%
Other						
Family was often/sometimes worried that their food would run out before they got money to buy more (past year)	19.1%	9.7%	23.7%	26.0%	29.7%	12.8%
Ever lived with someone who was depressed, mentally ill, or suicidal	23.2%	11.9%	19.2%	20.6%	26.9%	28.9%
Ever been separated from a parent or guardian because they went to jail, prison, or a detention center	11.3%	2.1%	14.6%	10.6%	19.2%	9.6%
Ever treated badly or unfairly in school because of their race or ethnicity	39.6%	61.7%	45.8%	48.3%	49.3%	22.5%

