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QN6: Percentage of students who never or rarely wore a bicycle helmet (among students who had ridden a bicycle)

		Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	39.2	( 29.9 - 49.3 )	1,353	42.3	(31.8 - 53.6)	670	36.2	( 27.8 - 45.5 )	677	
Age											
	11 or younger	26.7	( 20.5 - 34.0 )	368	29.9	( 22.6 - 38.3 )	184	23.7	(16.4 - 33.0)	182	
	12	40.0	(28.9 - 52.2)	431	42.7	( 30.4 - 56.1 )	210	37.3	( 26.3 - 49.8 )	220	
	13	46.9	( 36.9 - 57.1 )	473	50.8	( 38.1 - 63.3 )	228	43.1	( 33.0 - 53.9 )	245	
	14 or older	-	-	77	-	-	46	-	-	30	
Grade	3										
	6th	28.2	(21.9 - 35.5)	452	31.8	(24.3 - 40.4)	231	24.6	(17.3 - 33.7)	218	
	7th	41.4	(27.3 - 57.1)	419	45.9	( 30.1 - 62.6 )	204	36.8	(24.3 - 51.4)	214	
	8th	48.5	( 40.1 - 57.0 )	465	49.5	( 38.4 - 60.7 )	227	47.5	( 39.4 - 55.8 )	238	
Race/	Ethnicity										
	Black*	65.6	(56.9 - 73.3)	260	68.0	(55.4 - 78.5)	135	62.9	(51.7 - 72.8)	125	
	Hispanic/Latino	54.0	(42.0 - 65.6)	155	-	-	73	-	-	81	
	White*	25.0	(18.3 - 33.1)	498	28.8	( 20.4 - 39.0 )	255	21.0	(16.4 - 26.4)	242	
	All other races*	36.4	( 29.0 - 44.4 )	268	41.2	( 32.1 - 51.0 )	120	32.4	(21.6 - 45.4)	147	
	Multiple races*	-	-	81	-	-	38	-	-	43	

Note: 259 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.
N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN7: Percentage of students who never or rarely wore a helmet when rollerblading or skateboarding (among students who used rollerblades or rode a skateboard)

			Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	54.5	( 45.1 - 63.6 )	684	55.3	( 46.9 - 63.4 )	307	54.0	( 42.3 - 65.3 )	375	
Age											
	11 or younger	38.4	(31.9 - 45.4)	179	-	-	81	-	-	97	
	12	57.5	(44.8 - 69.3)	218	-	-	98	55.6	(38.2 - 71.8)	120	
	13	62.3	(51.7 - 71.8)	248	58.9	(49.6 - 67.7)	106	64.9	(51.3 - 76.5)	142	
	14 or older	-	-	36	-	-	19	-	-	16	
Grad	e										
	6th	40.7	( 33.2 - 48.7 )	230	45.2	(35.4 - 55.3)	108	36.9	(30.2 - 44.2)	121	
	7th	59.6	(45.0 - 72.7)	209	-	<u>-</u>	96	58.3	(41.4 - 73.4)	113	
	8th	64.2	( 52.7 - 74.2 )	234	-	-	99	67.2	(53.9 - 78.3)	135	
Race/	Ethnicity										
	Black*	70.8	(54.2 - 83.3)	128	_	-	62	_	-	66	
	Hispanic/Latino	-	-	83	-	-	39	-	-	44	
	White*	46.8	( 36.3 - 57.5 )	260	47.9	(38.8 - 57.1)	113	45.9	(32.6 - 59.8)	147	
	All other races*	55.6	(45.8 - 65.1)	133	-	-	49	-	-	83	
	Multiple races*	-	-	40	-	-	23	-	-	17	

Note: 928 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.
N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN8: Percentage of students who never or rarely wore a seat belt (when riding in a car)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	3.0	(2.3 - 4.0)	1,603	3.1	(2.0 - 5.0)	800	3.0	(2.3 - 3.7)	797
Age										
	11 or younger	2.0	(1.7 - 2.4)	418	2.4	(1.6 - 3.6)	209	1.7	(0.7 - 4.0)	207
	12	3.1	(2.3 - 4.3)	511	1.7	(1.0 - 2.9)	252	4.7	(2.8 - 7.8)	258
	13	3.6	(2.1 - 5.9)	573	4.6	(2.5 - 8.4)	278	2.5	(1.6 - 3.8)	295
	14 or older	-	-	95	-	-	57	-	-	37
Grade										
	6th	2.2	(1.1 - 4.1)	518	1.8	(1.6 - 2.1)	265	2.6	(0.9 - 7.6)	250
	7th	2.8	(1.5 - 5.0)	513	2.0	(1.1 - 3.7)	254	3.5	(1.6 - 7.7)	258
	8th	3.9	(2.5 - 6.0)	552	5.4	(2.9 - 9.9)	272	2.4	(1.8 - 3.3)	280
Race/Eth	nnicity									
	Black*	3.9	(2.6 - 5.9)	312	3.9	(1.9 - 7.8)	160	3.8	(2.4 - 6.1)	152
	Hispanic/Latino	4.9	(2.5 - 9.2)	190	-	-	86	4.7	(1.8 - 11.4)	103
	White*	1.4	(0.6 - 3.3)	571	1.6	(0.7 - 3.6)	291	1.1	(0.4 - 3.3)	279
	All other races*	5.9	(4.1 - 8.2)	326	6.2	(4.7 - 8.3)	155	5.5	(3.0 - 9.9)	170
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	49	-	-	50

Note: 9 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN9: Percentage of students who rode with a driver who had been drinking alcohol (in a car)

		Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	13.7	(11.5 - 16.1)	1,580	11.9	( 9.5 - 14.8 )	793	15.5	(13.1 - 18.2)	781	
Age											
	11 or younger	9.7	(7.2 - 13.0)	410	9.3	(5.9 - 14.4)	207	10.3	(8.0 - 13.0)	201	
	12	11.0	(7.5 - 15.8)	506	10.0	(7.2 - 13.7)	250	11.8	(7.3 - 18.5)	255	
	13	17.5	( 15.4 - 19.9 )	562	15.1	(11.5 - 19.4)	274	20.1	(17.6 - 22.8)	288	
	14 or older	-	-	96	-	-	58	-	-	37	
Grade											
	6th	9.7	(7.8 - 11.9)	510	9.0	(6.5 - 12.2)	264	10.6	(8.5 - 13.1)	243	
	7th	12.6	(8.6 - 18.1)	505	11.4	(8.2 - 15.7)	251	13.7	(8.5 - 21.2)	253	
	8th	18.2	( 14.4 - 22.7 )	546	14.7	(10.2 - 20.7)	270	21.8	(16.8 - 27.7)	276	
Race/I	Ethnicity										
	Black*	11.3	(8.8 - 14.3)	305	7.6	(5.7 - 9.9)	156	15.3	(9.5 - 23.8)	149	
	Hispanic/Latino	18.9	(14.1 - 24.9)	188	-	-	85	16.2	(12.0 - 21.6)	102	
	White*	16.4	(13.2 - 20.2)	561	14.8	(11.1 - 19.6)	289	18.2	(13.9 - 23.4)	271	
	All other races*	10.2	(7.8 - 13.3)	325	9.6	( 6.4 - 14.2 )	155	10.5	(7.0 - 15.3)	169	
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	49	-	-	50	

Note: 32 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN10: Percentage of students who carried a weapon (such as a gun, knife, or club)

		Total			Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
Т	otal	22.2	( 20.2 - 24.4 )	1,592	30.0	( 27.6 - 32.5 )	798	14.0	(12.1 - 16.0)	789
Age										
1	1 or younger	17.2	(12.1 - 23.7)	412	24.9	(17.2 - 34.5)	209	9.1	(5.6 - 14.6)	201
1:	2	19.0	(16.8 - 21.5)	510	25.7	(20.4 - 31.8)	250	12.0	(9.0 - 15.9)	259
1:	3	27.3	(23.7 - 31.3)	570	36.0	( 29.5 - 43.0 )	277	18.5	(16.8 - 20.4)	293
1	4 or older	-	-	94	-	-	58	-	-	36
Grade										
6	th	17.7	(13.3 - 23.2)	512	23.9	(18.2 - 30.8)	264	11.1	(7.1 - 17.1)	245
7:	th	20.2	(16.1 - 25.1)	511	28.4	(22.4 - 35.2)	253	11.4	(6.7 - 18.7)	257
81	th	28.0	( 24.7 - 31.7 )	550	36.4	(31.3 - 41.9)	272	19.4	(15.8 - 23.5)	278
Race/Ethni	icity									
В	Black*	18.2	(14.0 - 23.4)	307	24.3	( 19.9 - 29.3 )	158	11.5	(6.7 - 19.0)	149
Н	Iispanic/Latino	27.8	(21.0 - 35.9)	190	-	-	86	16.3	(11.7 - 22.4)	103
V	Vhite*	25.6	(21.0 - 30.9)	571	35.1	( 29.8 - 40.8 )	291	15.6	(12.0 - 19.9)	279
A	all other races*	16.0	(10.9 - 22.7)	324	19.4	(11.6 - 30.8)	156	12.5	(7.5 - 20.1)	168
N	Multiple races*	-	-	98	-	-	49	-	-	49

Note: 20 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN11: Percentage of students who were in a physical fight

		Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	40.1	( 35.0 - 45.3 )	1,584	52.4	(45.8 - 58.8)	791	27.0	( 22.8 - 31.7 )	789	
Age											
	11 or younger	36.5	(29.6 - 43.9)	412	48.6	(38.5 - 58.8)	208	23.9	(20.5 - 27.8)	202	
	12	39.7	( 34.0 - 45.6 )	509	52.5	( 45.0 - 60.0 )	250	26.4	(20.7 - 33.0)	258	
	13	40.6	( 34.5 - 46.9 )	565	53.6	(45.0 - 62.0)	273	27.5	( 22.8 - 32.9 )	292	
	14 or older	-	-	93	-	-	56	-	-	37	
Grade											
	6th	37.6	( 32.2 - 43.4 )	509	48.5	(40.5 - 56.5)	262	26.1	(22.2 - 30.4)	245	
	7th	39.3	( 32.6 - 46.3 )	511	52.5	(43.0 - 61.7)	254	25.0	(19.9 - 31.0)	256	
	8th	42.4	( 39.2 - 45.6 )	545	55.5	(49.7 - 61.2)	266	29.1	( 25.0 - 33.5 )	279	
Race/E	Ethnicity										
	Black*	57.0	(51.2 - 62.6)	306	70.6	(60.4 - 79.1)	158	41.8	( 36.2 - 47.6 )	148	
	Hispanic/Latino	40.6	( 34.3 - 47.2 )	191	-	-	86	29.9	( 24.4 - 36.0 )	104	
	White*	32.6	( 30.0 - 35.3 )	566	45.0	( 42.5 - 47.5 )	288	19.5	(16.9 - 22.3)	277	
	All other races*	35.6	( 30.9 - 40.7 )	324	46.7	( 39.0 - 54.5 )	155	24.9	(18.9 - 32.0)	169	
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	49	-	-	50	

Note: 28 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN12: Percentage of students who were injured in a physical fight (injuries had to be treated by a doctor or nurse)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
7	Γotal	4.3	(3.5 - 5.4)	1,578	6.0	(5.1 - 7.0)	787	2.6	(1.3 - 5.2)	786
Age										
1	I1 or younger	4.9	(2.8 - 8.5)	408	5.7	(3.5 - 9.0)	206	4.1	(1.6 - 10.2)	200
1	12	3.4	(2.0 - 5.8)	508	4.9	(3.2 - 7.3)	248	2.0	(0.9 - 4.2)	259
1	13	3.9	(2.8 - 5.6)	564	6.6	(4.7 - 9.3)	273	1.2	(0.5 - 2.8)	291
1	14 or older	-	-	93	-	-	56	-	-	36
Grade										
6	5th	4.0	(2.6 - 6.3)	508	4.2	(2.2 - 8.0)	261	3.8	(1.9 - 7.4)	245
7	7th	4.4	(2.1 - 8.9)	510	7.0	(3.6 - 13.1)	253	1.6	(0.6 - 4.0)	256
8	Bth	4.5	( 3.4 - 6.0 )	540	6.5	(4.0 - 10.6)	264	2.5	(1.3 - 4.9)	276
Race/Ethr	nicity									
I	Black*	4.6	(3.5 - 5.9)	303	6.2	(4.4 - 8.7)	157	2.7	(1.3 - 5.4)	146
I	Hispanic/Latino	3.6	(2.1 - 6.1)	191	-	-	86	1.8	(0.5 - 6.5)	104
7	White*	4.6	(3.1 - 6.9)	564	5.6	(4.3 - 7.3)	286	3.6	(1.3 - 9.7)	277
I	All other races*	4.8	(3.6 - 6.4)	324	8.0	(6.3 - 10.2)	154	1.8	(0.7 - 4.7)	169
l	Multiple races*	-	-	98	-	-	48	-	-	50

Note: 34 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN13: Percentage of students who were bullied on school property

		Total			Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
·	Гotal	39.1	( 36.5 - 41.9 )	1,585	35.0	(31.1 - 39.2)	789	43.7	(40.2 - 47.2)	790
Age										
]	11 or younger	38.2	( 32.9 - 43.8 )	413	34.8	( 27.9 - 42.3 )	208	42.2	( 35.1 - 49.7 )	203
]	12	39.4	( 35.2 - 43.8 )	510	38.0	(31.7 - 44.8)	250	40.9	( 33.6 - 48.6 )	259
1	13	39.5	( 33.8 - 45.6 )	562	31.7	( 26.8 - 37.0 )	270	47.3	(41.0 - 53.6)	292
1	14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	57	-	-	36
Grade										
(	6th	38.5	(35.2 - 41.8)	514	36.0	( 30.5 - 41.9 )	264	41.7	(35.8 - 47.8)	247
-	7th	37.6	( 32.9 - 42.5 )	510	32.9	(28.1 - 38.1)	251	42.5	(35.0 - 50.4)	258
8	8th	41.4	( 37.2 - 45.7 )	542	36.2	( 33.0 - 39.4 )	265	46.6	(41.7 - 51.6)	277
Race/Ethr	nicity									
]	Black*	36.1	( 33.4 - 38.9 )	308	30.9	(27.3 - 34.8)	157	41.7	( 38.6 - 44.8 )	151
]	Hispanic/Latino	39.7	( 35.6 - 43.9 )	189	-	-	85	43.7	(37.3 - 50.4)	103
7	White*	43.2	(35.7 - 51.0)	564	36.9	(28.8 - 45.8)	286	50.1	( 39.1 - 61.0 )	277
	All other races*	34.0	(29.6 - 38.8)	323	33.5	( 22.3 - 47.0 )	155	34.2	( 28.4 - 40.5 )	167
I	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	48	-	-	51

Note: 27 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN14: Percentage of students who were electronically bullied (including through e-mail, chat rooms, instant messaging, web sites, or texting)

			Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N		
	Total	18.0	( 16.7 - 19.3 )	1,602	10.7	( 9.4 - 12.1 )	799	25.7	( 23.2 - 28.4 )	797		
Age												
	11 or younger	13.7	(10.5 - 17.7)	419	7.2	(4.0 - 12.7)	210	20.5	(16.6 - 25.1)	207		
	12	18.1	(14.8 - 21.8)	513	11.8	(10.1 - 13.8)	253	24.6	(18.5 - 31.9)	259		
	13	20.5	(16.6 - 25.1)	569	11.7	(10.0 - 13.6)	275	29.4	(23.1 - 36.6)	294		
	14 or older	-	-	95	-	-	57	-	-	37		
Grade												
	6th	13.3	(10.9 - 16.2)	520	7.3	(4.2 - 12.5)	266	19.9	(17.1 - 23.1)	251		
	7th	19.5	(15.1 - 24.9)	513	12.0	(9.0 - 15.9)	254	27.6	(20.9 - 35.4)	258		
	8th	20.7	(17.6 - 24.2)	549	12.2	(9.2 - 16.0)	270	29.4	( 25.1 - 34.2 )	279		
Race/	Ethnicity											
	Black*	15.5	(12.8 - 18.6)	308	9.2	(5.4 - 15.5)	159	22.4	(16.0 - 30.5)	149		
	Hispanic/Latino	22.2	(19.5 - 25.2)	191	-	-	86	30.4	(25.6 - 35.5)	104		
	White*	20.0	(17.4 - 23.0)	572	11.1	(9.1 - 13.5)	292	29.7	( 25.4 - 34.4 )	279		
	All other races*	15.5	(12.9 - 18.4)	327	9.8	( 6.2 - 15.2 )	155	20.6	(15.3 - 27.1)	171		
	Multiple races*	22.6	(14.1 - 34.3)	100	-	-	49	-	-	51		

Note: 10 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN15: Percentage of students who seriously thought about killing themselves

		Total			Male		Female			
	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
Total	15.7	( 13.5 - 18.1 )	1,580	12.6	( 10.5 - 15.1 )	793	19.0	( 15.7 - 22.9 )	781	
Age										
11 or younger	11.5	(7.8 - 16.7)	406	10.2	(5.4 - 18.3)	205	13.0	( 10.4 - 16.3 )	199	
12	16.1	(12.8 - 20.1)	508	13.0	(9.0 - 18.4)	251	19.4	(13.1 - 27.7)	256	
13	18.0	(12.2 - 25.8)	566	14.7	(9.9 - 21.2)	277	21.4	( 14.3 - 30.7 )	289	
14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	56	-	-	37	
Grade										
6th	12.2	(8.3 - 17.5)	505	10.2	(5.8 - 17.3)	260	14.5	(10.9 - 19.1)	242	
7th	16.3	(13.0 - 20.3)	510	14.6	(11.3 - 18.7)	254	18.1	(12.4 - 25.7)	255	
8th	18.3	(13.0 - 25.1)	545	12.6	(9.3 - 16.8)	270	24.2	(17.6 - 32.2)	275	
Race/Ethnicity										
Black*	17.1	(13.5 - 21.4)	310	15.3	(10.6 - 21.5)	159	19.0	(15.0 - 23.7)	151	
Hispanic/Latino	17.7	(13.6 - 22.6)	190	-	-	86	21.5	(14.0 - 31.4)	103	
White*	13.4	(9.4 - 18.8)	558	10.4	(7.8 - 13.8)	287	16.8	(10.0 - 26.7)	270	
All other races*	16.3	( 13.7 - 19.4 )	324	12.7	(9.3 - 17.1)	155	20.0	(15.7 - 25.1)	168	
Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	49	-	-	50	

Note: 32 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN19: Percentage of students who smoked a whole cigarette before age 11 years (for the first time)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	1.0	(0.5 - 1.8)	1,578	1.1	(0.4 - 3.2)	786	0.8	(0.5 - 1.2)	787
Age										
	11 or younger	0.9	(0.4 - 1.8)	408	1.2	(0.3 - 5.3)	204	0.5	(0.1 - 3.1)	202
	12	0.8	(0.2 - 2.7)	510	1.0	(0.2 - 4.6)	251	0.6	(0.1 - 3.8)	258
	13	1.1	(0.5 - 2.2)	563	1.2	(0.4 - 3.6)	272	1.0	(0.3 - 2.7)	291
	14 or older	-	-	91	-	-	55	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	0.8	(0.3 - 2.1)	509	1.2	(0.2 - 6.5)	262	0.4	(0.1 - 2.5)	245
	7th	1.0	(0.3 - 3.1)	505	1.0	(0.2 - 5.0)	248	1.0	(0.3 - 4.0)	256
	8th	0.9	(0.3 - 2.4)	544	0.8	(0.2 - 3.5)	267	0.9	(0.3 - 2.5)	277
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	1.4	(0.3 - 6.4)	306	2.1	(0.5 - 8.7)	156	0.6	(0.1 - 4.3)	150
	Hispanic/Latino	1.2	(0.3 - 4.7)	188	-	-	85	1.0	(0.1 - 7.0)	102
	White*	0.8	(0.3 - 1.8)	564	0.8	(0.2 - 3.3)	287	0.7	(0.2 - 2.2)	276
	All other races*	0.8	(0.2 - 3.0)	322	0.6	(0.1 - 5.8)	153	1.0	(0.2 - 3.7)	169
	Multiple races*	1.0	(0.1 - 6.9)	100	-	-	49	-	-	51

Note: 34 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN20: Percentage of students who currently smoked cigarettes (on at least 1 day during the 30 days before the survey)

			Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N		
	Total	0.7	(0.4 - 1.4)	1,572	0.9	(0.4 - 1.9)	786	0.5	( 0.3 - 0.8 )	780		
Age												
	11 or younger	0.3	(0.0 - 1.9)	409	0.5	(0.1 - 3.6)	205	0.0	-	202		
	12	0.4	(0.1 - 1.6)	509	0.4	(0.1 - 3.0)	252	0.4	(0.1 - 2.5)	256		
	13	1.2	(0.7 - 2.0)	556	1.7	(0.9 - 3.2)	270	0.6	(0.2 - 2.7)	286		
	14 or older	-	-	92	-	-	55	-	-	36		
Grade												
	6th	0.1	(0.0 - 1.2)	508	0.3	(0.0 - 2.4)	261	0.0	-	245		
	7th	0.9	(0.3 - 2.9)	506	1.3	(0.3 - 5.2)	251	0.4	(0.1 - 2.5)	254		
	8th	0.9	(0.4 - 2.2)	537	0.8	(0.6 - 1.2)	265	1.0	(0.2 - 4.4)	272		
Race/	Ethnicity											
	Black*	1.0	(0.5 - 1.7)	301	1.8	(1.1 - 3.1)	155	0.0	-	146		
	Hispanic/Latino	1.2	(0.3 - 4.7)	185	-	-	84	1.1	(0.2 - 7.1)	100		
	White*	0.5	(0.3 - 1.0)	563	0.7	(0.2 - 2.8)	287	0.3	(0.1 - 2.3)	275		
	All other races*	0.8	(0.3 - 2.0)	324	0.7	(0.1 - 3.7)	155	0.4	(0.1 - 2.6)	168		
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	49	-	-	50		

Note: 40 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QNFRCIG: Percentage of students who currently frequently smoked cigarettes (on 20 or more days during the 30 days before the survey)

		Total			Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	0.0	-	1,572	0.1	(0.0 - 0.6)	786	0.0	-	780
Age										
	11 or younger	0.0	-	409	0.0	-	205	0.0	-	202
	12	0.0	-	509	0.0	-	252	0.0	-	256
	13	0.0	-	556	0.0	-	270	0.0	-	286
	14 or older	-	-	92	-	-	55	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	0.1	(0.0 - 1.2)	508	0.3	(0.0 - 2.4)	261	0.0	-	245
	7th	0.0	-	506	0.0	-	251	0.0	-	254
	8th	0.0	-	537	0.0	-	265	0.0	-	272
Race/Eth	nnicity									
	Black*	0.0	-	301	0.0	-	155	0.0	-	146
	Hispanic/Latino	0.6	(0.1 - 4.5)	185	-	-	84	0.0	-	100
	White*	0.0	-	563	0.0	-	287	0.0	-	275
	All other races*	0.0	-	324	0.0	-	155	0.0	-	168
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	49	-	-	50

Note: 40 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QNDAYCIG: Percentage of students who currently smoked cigarettes daily (on all 30 days during the 30 days before the survey)

			Total		Male			Female		
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	0.0	-	1,572	0.0	-	786	0.0	-	780
Age										
	11 or younger	0.0	-	409	0.0	-	205	0.0	-	202
	12	0.0	-	509	0.0	-	252	0.0	-	256
	13	0.0	-	556	0.0	-	270	0.0	-	286
	14 or older	-	-	92	-	-	55	-	-	36
Grad	e									
	6th	0.0	-	508	0.0	-	261	0.0	-	245
	7th	0.0	-	506	0.0	-	251	0.0	-	254
	8th	0.0	-	537	0.0	-	265	0.0	-	272
Race/	Ethnicity									
	Black*	0.0	-	301	0.0	_	155	0.0	-	146
	Hispanic/Latino	0.0	-	185	-	-	84	0.0	-	100
	White*	0.0	-	563	0.0	-	287	0.0	-	275
	All other races*	0.0	-	324	0.0	-	155	0.0	-	168
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	49	-	-	50

Note: 40 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN22: Percentage of students who usually obtained their own cigarettes by buying them in a store or gas station (during the 30 days before the survey, among the students who currently smoked cigarettes)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	-	-	7	-	-	4	-	-	3
Age										
	11 or younger	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	0
	12	-	-	1	-	-	0	-	-	1
	13	-	-	4	-	-	3	-	-	1
	14 or older	-	-	1	-	-	0	-	-	1
Grade										
	6th	-	-	0	-	-	0	-	-	0
	7th	-	-	3	-	-	2	-	-	1
	8th	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	2
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	-	-	2	-	-	2	-	-	0
	Hispanic/Latino	-	-	1	-	-	0	-	-	1
	White*	-	-	3	-	-	2	-	-	1
	All other races*	-	-	1	-	-	0	-	-	1
	Multiple races*	-	-	0	-	-	0	-	-	0

Note: 1,605 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN23: Percentage of students who currently used smokeless tobacco (chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip on at least 1 day during the 30 days before the survey)

	Total		Male			Female			
	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
Total	0.6	(0.3 - 1.5)	1,593	0.8	(0.4 - 1.6)	793	0.4	(0.1 - 1.3)	794
11 or younger	0.4	(0.1 - 2.0)	411	0.5	(0.1 - 3.6)	205	0.3	(0.0 - 2.9)	204
12	0.0	-	513	0.0	-	252	0.0	-	260
13	1.2	(0.5 - 2.6)	569	1.6	(0.8 - 3.1)	275	0.7	(0.2 - 2.9)	294
14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	57	-	-	36
6th	0.3	(0.1 - 1.4)	511	0.3	(0.0 - 2.4)	261	0.3	(0.0 - 2.4)	248
7th	0.3	(0.1 - 1.2)	513	0.6	(0.2 - 2.3)	254	0.0	-	258
8th	1.0	(0.4 - 2.4)	548	1.0	(0.3 - 3.1)	269	1.0	(0.3 - 3.4)	279
thnicity									
Black*	0.9	(0.2 - 3.5)	306	1.2	(0.3 - 4.5)	157	0.6	(0.1 - 3.6)	149
Hispanic/Latino	2.8	(1.3 - 6.3)	190	-	-	85	3.3	(1.4 - 7.5)	104
White*	0.2	(0.0 - 1.4)	569	0.3	(0.0 - 2.6)	289	0.0	-	279
All other races*	0.7	(0.2 - 3.0)	325	1.0	(0.2 - 5.6)	155	0.0	-	169
Multiple races*	0.0	-	100	-	-	49	-	-	51
	11 or younger 12 13 14 or older  6th 7th 8th  thnicity  Black* Hispanic/Latino White* All other races*	Total 0.6  11 or younger 0.4 12 0.0 13 1.2 14 or older -  6th 0.3 7th 0.3 8th 1.0  thnicity  Black* 0.9 Hispanic/Latino 2.8 White* 0.2 All other races* 0.7	Percentage 95% confidence interval  Total 0.6 (0.3 - 1.5)  11 or younger 0.4 (0.1 - 2.0) 12 0.0 - 13 1.2 (0.5 - 2.6) 14 or older  6th 0.3 (0.1 - 1.4) 7th 0.3 (0.1 - 1.2) 8th 1.0 (0.4 - 2.4)  *thnicity  Black* 0.9 (0.2 - 3.5) Hispanic/Latino 2.8 (1.3 - 6.3) White* 0.2 (0.0 - 1.4) All other races* 0.7 (0.2 - 3.0)	Percentage         95% confidence interval         N           Total         0.6         (0.3 - 1.5)         1,593           11 or younger         0.4         (0.1 - 2.0)         411           12         0.0         -         513           13         1.2         (0.5 - 2.6)         569           14 or older         -         -         94           6th         0.3         (0.1 - 1.4)         511           7th         0.3         (0.1 - 1.2)         513           8th         1.0         (0.4 - 2.4)         548           thnicity           Black*         0.9         (0.2 - 3.5)         306           Hispanic/Latino         2.8         (1.3 - 6.3)         190           White*         0.2         (0.0 - 1.4)         569           All other races*         0.7         (0.2 - 3.0)         325	Percentage         95% confidence interval         N         Percentage           Total         0.6         (0.3 - 1.5)         1,593         0.8           11 or younger         0.4         (0.1 - 2.0)         411         0.5           12         0.0         -         513         0.0           13         1.2         (0.5 - 2.6)         569         1.6           14 or older         -         -         94         -           6th         0.3         (0.1 - 1.4)         511         0.3           7th         0.3         (0.1 - 1.2)         513         0.6           8th         1.0         (0.4 - 2.4)         548         1.0           thnicity           Black*         0.9         (0.2 - 3.5)         306         1.2           Hispanic/Latino         2.8         (1.3 - 6.3)         190         -           White*         0.2         (0.0 - 1.4)         569         0.3           All other races*         0.7         (0.2 - 3.0)         325         1.0	Percentage         95% confidence interval         N         Percentage confidence confidence interval           Total         0.6         (0.3 - 1.5)         1,593         0.8         (0.4 - 1.6)           11 or younger         0.4         (0.1 - 2.0)         411         0.5         (0.1 - 3.6)           12         0.0         -         513         0.0         -           13         1.2         (0.5 - 2.6)         569         1.6         (0.8 - 3.1)           14 or older         -         -         94         -         -           6th         0.3         (0.1 - 1.4)         511         0.3         (0.0 - 2.4)           7th         0.3         (0.1 - 1.2)         513         0.6         (0.2 - 2.3)           8th         1.0         (0.4 - 2.4)         548         1.0         (0.3 - 3.1)           thnicity           Black*         0.9         (0.2 - 3.5)         306         1.2         (0.3 - 4.5)           Hispanic/Latino         2.8         (1.3 - 6.3)         190         -         -           White*         0.2         (0.0 - 1.4)         569         0.3         (0.0 - 2.6)           All other races*         0.7	Percentage	Percentage         95% confidence interval         N         Percentage confidence interval         N         Percentage confidence interval         N         Percentage confidence interval           Total         0.6         (0.3 - 1.5)         1,593         0.8         (0.4 - 1.6)         793         0.4           11 or younger         0.4         (0.1 - 2.0)         411         0.5         (0.1 - 3.6)         205         0.3           12         0.0         -         513         0.0         -         252         0.0           13         1.2         (0.5 - 2.6)         569         1.6         (0.8 - 3.1)         275         0.7           14 or older         -         -         94         -         -         57         -           6th         0.3         (0.1 - 1.4)         511         0.3         (0.0 - 2.4)         261         0.3           7th         0.3         (0.1 - 1.2)         513         0.6         (0.2 - 2.3)         254         0.0           8th         1.0         (0.4 - 2.4)         548         1.0         (0.3 - 3.1)         269         1.0           thrickty           Black*         0.9         (0.2 - 3.5)         306 <td>  Percentage</td>	Percentage

Note: 19 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN24: Percentage of students who currently smoked cigars (cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars on at least 1 day during the 30 days before the survey)

			Total			Male		Female		
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	2.0	(1.5 - 2.7)	1,578	2.7	(1.9 - 3.9)	783	1.2	(0.6 - 2.3)	789
Age										
	11 or younger	2.1	(0.8 - 5.4)	406	3.5	(1.5 - 8.3)	204	0.5	(0.1 - 4.8)	200
	12	1.4	(0.7 - 2.8)	511	1.6	(0.7 - 3.9)	250	1.2	(0.5 - 2.8)	260
	13	2.3	(1.6 - 3.2)	563	3.5	(1.7 - 6.9)	270	1.1	(0.5 - 2.4)	293
	14 or older	-	-	92	-	-	55	-	-	36
Grad	e									
	6th	1.7	(0.7 - 4.3)	506	2.9	(1.3 - 6.4)	260	0.4	(0.0 - 3.9)	244
	7th	1.7	(0.7 - 4.0)	511	2.5	(1.0 - 6.3)	252	0.8	(0.3 - 2.5)	258
	8th	2.1	(1.3 - 3.5)	541	2.0	(0.8 - 5.2)	263	2.2	(1.0 - 5.1)	278
Race/	Ethnicity									
	Black*	3.5	(1.9 - 6.5)	303	5.6	(2.5 - 11.9)	156	1.2	(0.2 - 8.0)	147
	Hispanic/Latino	0.6	(0.1 - 4.4)	186	-	-	82	0.0	-	103
	White*	1.4	(0.8 - 2.4)	567	1.7	(0.7 - 4.1)	287	1.1	(0.6 - 2.0)	279
	All other races*	2.1	(0.8 - 5.1)	321	2.8	(1.0 - 7.6)	153	1.0	(0.2 - 4.3)	167
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	48	-	-	51

Note: 34 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN25: Percentage of students who ever used electronic vapor products (e-cigarettes, e-cigars, e-pipes, vape pipes, vaping pens, e-hookahs, and hookah pens such as blu, NJOY, or Starbuzz)

		Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	9.7	(8.3 - 11.3)	1,556	10.2	(7.5 - 13.8)	773	9.1	(7.5 - 11.1)	777	
Age											
	11 or younger	7.4	(5.8 - 9.4)	400	7.8	(5.4 - 11.1)	200	7.0	(3.9 - 12.3)	198	
	12	7.5	(6.1 - 9.2)	498	7.8	(5.4 - 11.1)	245	7.2	(5.0 - 10.3)	252	
	13	13.2	( 10.6 - 16.4 )	557	15.1	(9.4 - 23.4)	267	11.3	(8.6 - 14.8)	290	
	14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	57	-	-	37	
Grade											
	6th	6.6	(4.7 - 9.1)	498	6.5	(4.3 - 9.9)	253	6.6	(3.5 - 12.3)	242	
	7th	10.6	(8.2 - 13.6)	497	12.1	(8.1 - 17.8)	247	9.0	(6.7 - 12.0)	249	
	8th	11.8	(9.2 - 15.0)	542	11.6	(7.8 - 17.0)	264	11.9	(9.3 - 15.1)	278	
Race/I	Ethnicity										
	Black*	16.9	(11.4 - 24.3)	305	16.7	( 10.0 - 26.6 )	159	17.1	(8.1 - 32.7)	146	
	Hispanic/Latino	13.8	(9.5 - 19.7)	183	-	-	80	12.6	(6.0 - 24.8)	102	
	White*	6.6	(4.1 - 10.4)	554	7.4	(4.4 - 12.3)	280	5.8	(3.3 - 10.0)	273	
	All other races*	8.0	(5.2 - 12.1)	315	8.7	(5.2 - 14.2)	151	7.2	(4.4 - 11.7)	164	
	Multiple races*	9.4	(5.7 - 15.0)	100	-	-	49	-	-	51	

Note: 56 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN26: Percentage of students who currently used electronic vapor products (e-cigarettes, e-cigars, e-pipes, vape pipes, vaping pens, e-hookahs, and hookah pens such as blu, NJOY, or Starbuzz on at least 1 day during the 30 days before the survey)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	3.9	(2.9 - 5.3)	1,555	4.7	(3.5 - 6.2)	770	3.2	(1.9 - 5.3)	779
Age										
	11 or younger	2.9	(1.9 - 4.5)	401	3.2	(2.4 - 4.1)	199	2.8	(1.1 - 6.8)	200
	12	2.7	(1.6 - 4.3)	497	2.8	(1.3 - 5.8)	244	2.6	(1.2 - 5.3)	252
	13	5.7	(3.6 - 8.9)	556	8.2	(4.6 - 14.0)	266	3.2	(1.9 - 5.4)	290
	14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	57	-	-	37
Grade										
	6th	2.2	(1.2 - 4.2)	499	2.3	(1.3 - 4.0)	252	2.3	(0.9 - 5.6)	244
	7th	3.7	(2.1 - 6.2)	496	4.3	(2.6 - 7.0)	246	3.0	(1.3 - 7.1)	249
	8th	5.7	(3.5 - 9.1)	541	6.9	(3.8 - 12.3)	263	4.4	(2.7 - 7.0)	278
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	8.3	(4.3 - 15.5)	304	9.1	(6.1 - 13.2)	159	7.5	(2.5 - 20.4)	145
	Hispanic/Latino	5.7	(3.7 - 8.9)	184	-	-	80	3.7	(1.7 - 7.7)	103
	White*	2.2	(1.3 - 3.8)	553	2.9	(1.6 - 5.4)	278	1.4	(0.5 - 4.3)	274
	All other races*	2.1	(1.0 - 4.1)	313	3.1	(2.0 - 5.0)	149	1.0	(0.3 - 3.7)	164
	Multiple races*	5.5	(2.6 - 11.5)	100	-	-	49	-	-	51

Note: 57 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QNTOB4: Percentage of students who currently used tobacco (current cigarette, smokeless tobacco, cigar, or electronic vapor product use on at least 1 day during the 30 days before the survey)

		Total		Male			Female			
	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
Total	5.6	(4.2 - 7.5)	1,529	6.9	(5.4 - 8.9)	756	4.2	(2.7 - 6.5)	767	
Age										
11 or younger	4.6	(3.2 - 6.5)	396	5.8	(3.8 - 8.8)	197	3.4	(1.7 - 6.7)	197	
12	3.4	(1.9 - 5.8)	490	3.8	(1.9 - 7.5)	239	2.9	(1.5 - 5.8)	250	
13	8.3	(5.9 - 11.7)	546	11.8	(7.6 - 17.8)	263	4.9	(3.4 - 7.1)	283	
14 or older	-	-	91	-	-	53	-	-	37	
Grade										
6th	3.7	(2.5 - 5.4)	491	4.6	(3.1 - 6.8)	249	2.8	(1.4 - 5.5)	240	
7th	4.7	(2.9 - 7.6)	486	6.3	(3.9 - 9.9)	239	3.1	(1.3 - 7.2)	246	
8th	8.2	(5.2 - 12.6)	533	9.4	(5.1 - 16.6)	260	6.9	(4.5 - 10.4)	273	
Race/Ethnicity										
Black*	10.9	(5.8 - 19.7)	293	12.6	(8.0 - 19.1)	153	9.0	(3.1 - 23.3)	140	
Hispanic/Latino	6.7	(4.3 - 10.2)	180	-	-	78	5.2	(2.4 - 10.7)	101	
White*	3.3	(2.6 - 4.2)	550	4.7	(3.5 - 6.3)	278	1.8	(1.0 - 3.5)	271	
All other races*	4.6	(2.4 - 8.5)	310	6.8	(4.2 - 10.8)	147	2.1	(0.6 - 6.4)	162	
Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	48	-	-	51	

Note: 83 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QNTOB3: Percentage of students who currently used cigarettes, cigars, or smokeless tobacco (on at least 1 day during the 30 days before the survey)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	2.7	(2.0 - 3.5)	1,559	3.5	(2.8 - 4.4)	775	1.7	(0.9 - 3.2)	778
Age										
	11 or younger	2.2	(0.8 - 6.1)	405	3.6	(1.5 - 8.4)	203	0.9	(0.1 - 7.5)	200
	12	1.6	(0.8 - 3.4)	505	2.1	(0.8 - 5.2)	248	1.2	(0.5 - 2.8)	256
	13	3.7	(2.7 - 5.0)	553	5.4	(3.5 - 8.1)	267	2.0	(1.1 - 3.6)	286
	14 or older	-	-	90	-	-	53	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	1.9	(0.7 - 5.0)	503	2.9	(1.3 - 6.5)	258	0.7	(0.1 - 6.2)	243
	7th	2.1	(1.0 - 4.6)	502	3.4	(1.5 - 7.5)	248	0.8	(0.3 - 2.5)	253
	8th	3.5	(2.2 - 5.6)	534	3.5	(1.9 - 6.3)	261	3.6	(1.9 - 6.5)	273
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	4.2	(3.0 - 5.9)	295	6.4	(3.6 - 11.0)	152	1.9	(0.5 - 7.3)	143
	Hispanic/Latino	3.0	(1.3 - 6.7)	183	-	-	81	3.4	(1.4 - 7.9)	101
	White*	1.8	(1.2 - 2.6)	563	2.4	(1.3 - 4.6)	286	1.1	(0.6 - 2.0)	276
	All other races*	3.0	(1.5 - 5.9)	320	4.2	(2.2 - 8.0)	153	1.3	(0.3 - 6.3)	166
	Multiple races*	-	-	98	-	-	48	-	-	50

Note: 53 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QNTOB2: Percentage of students who currently smoked cigarettes or cigars (on at least 1 day during the 30 days before the survey)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	2.3	(1.7 - 3.2)	1,556	3.2	(2.3 - 4.3)	773	1.4	(0.7 - 2.6)	777
Age										
	11 or younger	2.1	(0.8 - 5.5)	404	3.6	(1.5 - 8.4)	203	0.5	(0.1 - 4.8)	199
	12	1.6	(0.8 - 3.4)	505	2.1	(0.8 - 5.2)	248	1.2	(0.5 - 2.8)	256
	13	2.8	(2.2 - 3.6)	551	4.4	(2.8 - 6.8)	265	1.3	(0.6 - 2.7)	286
	14 or older	-	-	90	-	-	53	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	1.7	(0.7 - 4.4)	502	2.9	(1.3 - 6.5)	258	0.4	(0.0 - 4.0)	242
	7th	2.1	(1.0 - 4.6)	502	3.4	(1.5 - 7.5)	248	0.8	(0.3 - 2.5)	253
	8th	2.6	(1.7 - 4.2)	532	2.5	(1.4 - 4.4)	259	2.8	(1.2 - 6.3)	273
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	4.0	(2.5 - 6.1)	295	6.4	(3.6 - 11.0)	152	1.3	(0.2 - 8.3)	143
	Hispanic/Latino	1.2	(0.3 - 4.8)	182	-	-	81	1.1	(0.2 - 7.1)	100
	White*	1.6	(1.0 - 2.4)	562	2.1	(1.0 - 4.5)	285	1.1	(0.6 - 2.0)	276
	All other races*	2.7	(1.1 - 6.4)	319	3.6	(1.2 - 10.0)	152	1.3	(0.3 - 6.3)	166
	Multiple races*	-	-	98	-	-	48	-	-	50

Note: 56 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QNNOTOB4: Percentage of students who did not currently use tobacco (current cigarette, smokeless tobacco, cigar, or electronic vapor product use on at least 1 day during the 30 days before the survey)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	95.3	( 93.9 - 96.3 )	1,513	94.1	( 92.4 - 95.4 )	748	96.4	( 95.0 - 97.5 )	760
Age										
	11 or younger	96.1	(95.2 - 96.8)	393	94.7	(91.2 - 96.8)	196	97.5	(92.0 - 99.2)	195
	12	97.1	(94.4 - 98.5)	487	96.7	(92.8 - 98.5)	238	97.5	(94.9 - 98.8)	248
	13	93.0	(90.5 - 94.8)	538	90.3	(86.4 - 93.2)	257	95.5	(93.0 - 97.2)	281
	14 or older	-	-	89	-	-	53	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	97.1	(96.1 - 97.8)	487	96.2	(94.6 - 97.4)	247	98.0	(93.4 - 99.4)	238
	7th	95.5	(92.6 - 97.4)	484	93.7	(90.1 - 96.1)	239	97.4	(93.6 - 99.0)	244
	8th	93.4	(89.9 - 95.7)	524	92.8	(87.1 - 96.1)	254	93.9	( 90.0 - 96.3 )	270
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	89.9	(82.6 - 94.4)	290	88.5	(83.4 - 92.2)	151	91.6	( 78.4 - 97.0 )	139
	Hispanic/Latino	95.4	(92.7 - 97.1)	176	-	-	76	-	-	99
	White*	97.5	(96.3 - 98.3)	546	96.5	(95.2 - 97.4)	275	98.5	( 95.7 - 99.5 )	270
	All other races*	96.1	(91.8 - 98.2)	307	93.8	(88.4 - 96.8)	146	98.3	(93.9 - 99.6)	161
	Multiple races*	-	-	98	-	-	48	-	-	50

Note: 99 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QNNOTOB3: Percentage of students who did not currently use cigarettes, cigars, or smokeless tobacco (on at least 1 day during the 30 days before the survey)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	97.7	( 97.1 - 98.2 )	1,552	96.9	( 95.6 - 97.8 )	772	98.7	( 98.0 - 99.1 )	774
Age										
	11 or younger	98.2	(95.5 - 99.3)	403	96.4	(91.6 - 98.5)	203	100.0	( )	198
	12	98.6	( 96.7 - 99.4 )	504	98.4	(94.8 - 99.5)	247	98.8	( 97.2 - 99.5 )	256
	13	96.9	(95.5 - 97.8)	549	95.4	(92.7 - 97.1)	265	98.4	(96.5 - 99.3)	284
	14 or older	-	-	90	-	-	53	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	98.7	(96.9 - 99.5)	500	97.5	(94.3 - 98.9)	257	100.0	()	241
	7th	97.9	(95.4 - 99.0)	502	96.6	(92.5 - 98.5)	248	99.2	( 97.5 - 99.7 )	253
	8th	97.1	( 95.5 - 98.1 )	530	97.3	( 94.7 - 98.6 )	259	96.9	(94.1 - 98.4)	271
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	95.8	(94.1 - 97.0)	295	93.6	(89.0 - 96.4)	152	98.1	(92.7 - 99.5)	143
	Hispanic/Latino	97.5	( 93.8 - 99.0 )	182	-	-	81	97.5	(92.7 - 99.2)	100
	White*	98.8	( 97.7 - 99.3 )	560	98.3	(95.9 - 99.3)	284	99.3	( 97.7 - 99.8 )	275
	All other races*	97.5	(94.1 - 99.0)	318	96.4	(90.0 - 98.8)	152	99.0	( 93.3 - 99.9 )	165
	Multiple races*	-	-	98	-	-	48	-	-	50

Note: 60 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QNNOTOB2: Percentage of students who did not currently smoke cigarettes or cigars (on at least 1 day during the 30 days before the survey)

			Total			Male			Female		
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	97.8	( 97.0 - 98.4 )	1,553	96.8	( 95.7 - 97.7 )	773	98.9	( 98.2 - 99.4 )	774	
Age											
	11 or younger	98.2	(95.5 - 99.3)	403	96.4	(91.6 - 98.5)	203	100.0	()	198	
	12	98.4	(96.6 - 99.2)	505	97.9	(94.8 - 99.2)	248	98.8	(97.2 - 99.5)	256	
	13	97.4	(96.3 - 98.1)	549	95.6	(93.2 - 97.2)	265	99.1	(97.2 - 99.7)	284	
	14 or older	-	-	90	-	-	53	-	-	36	
Grade											
	6th	98.5	(96.4 - 99.4)	501	97.1	(93.5 - 98.7)	258	100.0	()	241	
	7th	97.9	(95.4 - 99.0)	502	96.6	(92.5 - 98.5)	248	99.2	(97.5 - 99.7)	253	
	8th	97.6	(96.0 - 98.5)	530	97.5	( 95.6 - 98.6 )	259	97.7	(94.3 - 99.1)	271	
Race/	Ethnicity										
	Black*	96.0	(93.9 - 97.5)	295	93.6	(89.0 - 96.4)	152	98.7	(91.7 - 99.8)	143	
	Hispanic/Latino	98.8	(95.2 - 99.7)	182	-	-	81	98.9	(92.9 - 99.8)	100	
	White*	98.6	( 97.4 - 99.2 )	561	97.9	( 95.5 - 99.0 )	285	99.3	( 97.7 - 99.8 )	275	
	All other races*	97.5	(94.1 - 99.0)	318	96.4	(90.0 - 98.8)	152	99.0	(93.3 - 99.9)	165	
	Multiple races*	-	-	98	-	-	48	-	-	50	

Note: 59 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN27: Percentage of students who ever drank alcohol (other than a few sips)

			Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	10.6	(8.3 - 13.4)	1,490	11.5	(8.5 - 15.4)	738	9.7	(7.4 - 12.4)	747	
Age											
	11 or younger	6.6	(3.8 - 11.2)	382	7.8	(3.7 - 15.5)	187	5.5	(3.3 - 9.1)	193	
	12	8.3	(7.1 - 9.6)	478	7.4	(3.6 - 14.8)	236	9.2	(5.8 - 14.3)	241	
	13	14.1	(11.1 - 17.8)	539	16.2	(10.3 - 24.4)	258	12.1	(8.7 - 16.5)	281	
	14 or older	-	-	85	-	-	53	-	-	32	
Grad	e										
	6th	7.0	(4.0 - 11.9)	481	7.0	(3.3 - 14.3)	241	7.0	(4.4 - 11.0)	237	
	7th	10.9	(9.0 - 13.0)	476	11.4	(9.4 - 13.8)	236	10.3	(7.4 - 14.2)	239	
	8th	13.6	(9.8 - 18.5)	516	15.2	(9.8 - 22.7)	253	12.0	(7.9 - 17.8)	263	
Race/	Ethnicity										
	Black*	14.2	(11.9 - 16.9)	282	12.7	(8.5 - 18.5)	145	16.0	(10.7 - 23.2)	137	
	Hispanic/Latino	19.6	(15.9 - 23.9)	175	-	<u>-</u>	74	13.8	(11.8 - 16.0)	100	
	White*	9.8	( 6.9 - 13.9 )	545	11.5	(8.4 - 15.6)	276	8.1	(4.3 - 14.5)	268	
	All other races*	5.2	(2.3 - 11.1)	305	5.8	( 2.5 - 12.9 )	150	4.6	(1.8 - 11.3)	155	
	Multiple races*	-	-	93	-	-	43	-	-	50	

Note: 122 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.
N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN28: Percentage of students who drank alcohol for the first time before age 11 years (other than a few sips)

			Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	6.2	(4.6 - 8.3)	1,475	7.3	(5.4 - 9.8)	741	5.0	(3.7 - 6.8)	728	
Age											
	11 or younger	5.9	(3.2 - 10.7)	371	7.2	(3.6 - 13.8)	188	4.6	(2.6 - 7.9)	181	
	12	4.9	(3.2 - 7.5)	476	5.4	(2.6 - 11.0)	236	4.5	(2.6 - 7.7)	239	
	13	6.6	(4.8 - 9.1)	532	7.7	(4.4 - 13.4)	257	5.5	(4.3 - 7.0)	275	
	14 or older	-	-	90	-	-	56	-	-	33	
Grade											
	6th	5.8	(3.1 - 10.7)	471	6.9	(3.4 - 13.5)	243	4.6	(2.6 - 8.2)	225	
	7th	6.0	(4.7 - 7.6)	470	6.8	(5.0 - 9.2)	236	5.1	(3.5 - 7.3)	233	
	8th	6.2	(4.4 - 8.6)	516	7.0	(4.7 - 10.3)	254	5.4	(3.9 - 7.4)	262	
Race/	Ethnicity										
	Black*	9.0	(5.5 - 14.4)	276	10.2	(5.3 - 18.6)	147	7.7	(4.8 - 12.0)	129	
	Hispanic/Latino	10.3	(6.3 - 16.3)	174	-	-	77	-	-	96	
	White*	5.3	(4.2 - 6.9)	542	6.4	(5.3 - 7.7)	276	4.2	(2.7 - 6.4)	265	
	All other races*	3.4	(1.3 - 8.3)	300	3.1	(1.1 - 8.5)	148	3.2	(1.2 - 8.0)	151	
	Multiple races*	-	-	94	-	-	44	-	-	50	

Note: 137 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.
N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN29: Percentage of students who ever used marijuana (during their life)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	2.6	(1.8 - 3.7)	1,503	2.8	(1.7 - 4.4)	742	2.2	(1.1 - 4.4)	755
Age										
	11 or younger	1.3	(0.4 - 3.6)	389	1.0	(0.5 - 1.8)	191	1.6	(0.3 - 7.8)	196
	12	1.3	(0.7 - 2.1)	480	1.4	(0.5 - 3.9)	232	1.2	(0.4 - 3.0)	247
	13	3.7	(2.3 - 6.1)	535	4.4	(2.0 - 9.8)	258	3.0	(1.7 - 5.4)	277
	14 or older	-	-	93	-	-	57	-	-	35
Grade										
	6th	1.3	(0.7 - 2.5)	482	0.8	(0.2 - 3.6)	240	1.8	(0.6 - 5.1)	240
	7th	1.4	(0.9 - 2.0)	481	2.1	(1.0 - 4.3)	234	0.7	(0.2 - 2.6)	246
	8th	5.0	(3.3 - 7.5)	521	5.6	(3.1 - 9.8)	260	4.4	(2.3 - 8.0)	261
Race/E	Ethnicity									
	Black*	6.0	(3.3 - 10.7)	287	5.1	(2.7 - 9.2)	145	7.0	(2.4 - 18.4)	142
	Hispanic/Latino	4.1	(1.8 - 9.1)	178	-	-	78	-	-	99
	White*	0.8	(0.2 - 3.6)	543	1.3	(0.2 - 6.7)	275	0.3	(0.0 - 3.0)	267
	All other races*	1.5	(0.7 - 3.1)	305	2.6	(1.1 - 6.2)	146	0.4	(0.1 - 2.8)	158
	Multiple races*	-	-	95	-	-	46	-	-	49

Note: 109 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.
N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN30: Percentage of students who tried marijuana before age 11 years (for the first time)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	2.3	(2.0 - 2.7)	1,534	2.5	(1.6 - 3.7)	761	2.2	(1.8 - 2.6)	767
Age										
	11 or younger	2.5	(1.7 - 3.9)	398	2.3	(1.4 - 3.8)	198	2.8	(1.5 - 5.3)	198
	12	2.5	(1.7 - 3.8)	492	2.6	(1.5 - 4.3)	240	2.5	(1.4 - 4.5)	251
	13	1.9	(0.8 - 4.1)	544	2.7	(0.9 - 7.4)	262	1.1	(0.5 - 2.2)	282
	14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	57	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	2.5	(1.7 - 3.7)	493	2.6	(1.6 - 4.3)	249	2.3	(1.2 - 4.3)	242
	7th	2.5	(1.7 - 3.8)	491	2.5	(1.2 - 5.1)	240	2.5	(1.4 - 4.5)	250
	8th	2.0	(1.0 - 4.2)	530	2.3	(0.8 - 6.7)	263	1.7	(1.0 - 3.0)	267
Race/I	Ethnicity									
	Black*	3.6	(2.7 - 4.7)	294	2.7	(0.8 - 8.4)	149	4.5	(2.1 - 9.2)	145
	Hispanic/Latino	4.6	(2.8 - 7.6)	184	-	-	83	3.4	(2.1 - 5.3)	100
	White*	1.0	(0.6 - 1.9)	549	1.1	(0.3 - 3.9)	277	1.0	(0.4 - 2.5)	271
	All other races*	3.2	(1.6 - 6.1)	314	4.4	(2.1 - 8.9)	151	2.0	(0.7 - 5.3)	162
	Multiple races*	-	-	95	-	-	46	-	-	49

Note: 78 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN31: Percentage of students who ever used any form of cocaine (such as powder, crack, or freebase during their life)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	2.4	(1.6 - 3.7)	1,577	2.3	(1.3 - 3.9)	781	2.6	(1.5 - 4.5)	791
Age										
	11 or younger	2.3	(1.3 - 3.8)	402	1.1	(0.8 - 1.4)	198	3.5	(1.8 - 6.7)	202
	12	2.9	(1.5 - 5.5)	509	3.5	(1.6 - 7.5)	249	2.2	(0.7 - 7.0)	259
	13	2.2	(1.0 - 4.5)	568	2.0	(0.9 - 4.3)	274	2.4	(0.9 - 6.2)	294
	14 or older	-	-	92	-	-	56	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	2.7	(1.8 - 4.2)	503	2.6	(1.9 - 3.5)	255	2.9	(1.5 - 5.5)	246
	7th	2.5	(1.3 - 4.5)	510	2.3	(0.8 - 6.3)	252	2.7	(1.1 - 6.6)	257
	8th	2.2	(1.4 - 3.5)	545	2.1	(0.9 - 5.0)	266	2.4	(1.6 - 3.4)	279
Race/Et	hnicity									
	Black*	4.0	(2.1 - 7.7)	303	2.7	(0.9 - 7.6)	153	5.5	(2.1 - 13.5)	150
	Hispanic/Latino	4.3	(1.7 - 10.2)	186	-	-	82	2.7	(1.0 - 7.0)	103
	White*	1.2	(0.5 - 2.8)	565	0.7	(0.2 - 2.7)	287	1.8	(0.9 - 3.6)	277
	All other races*	2.8	(1.3 - 6.1)	321	3.7	(1.5 - 8.7)	153	2.0	(0.5 - 7.2)	168
	Multiple races*	0.0	-	100	-	-	49	-	-	51

Note: 35 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN32: Percentage of students who ever used inhalants (sniffed glue, breathed the contents of spray cans, or inhaled any paints or sprays to get high during their life)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	5.0	(3.6 - 7.1)	1,581	4.4	(2.6 - 7.5)	784	5.7	(3.9 - 8.2)	792
Age										
	11 or younger	3.9	(2.3 - 6.6)	405	2.6	(1.3 - 5.0)	201	5.3	(2.5 - 11.0)	202
	12	6.0	(3.0 - 11.7)	510	6.1	( 2.5 - 14.3 )	249	5.9	( 2.6 - 12.9 )	260
	13	5.1	(3.5 - 7.5)	567	4.0	(2.3 - 6.8)	273	6.2	(3.8 - 10.0)	294
	14 or older	-	-	93	-	-	57	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	4.4	(2.5 - 7.6)	502	3.9	(1.9 - 7.8)	255	5.0	(2.7 - 9.0)	245
	7th	6.2	(3.1 - 12.0)	513	5.3	(2.4 - 11.6)	253	7.1	(3.2 - 14.8)	259
	8th	4.2	(3.1 - 5.7)	546	3.8	(1.9 - 7.5)	267	4.6	(2.9 - 7.1)	279
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	6.0	(4.1 - 8.7)	305	5.8	(4.0 - 8.3)	155	6.3	(2.9 - 13.1)	150
	Hispanic/Latino	5.8	(3.2 - 10.3)	188	-	-	84	3.7	(1.5 - 9.2)	103
	White*	4.1	(2.5 - 6.8)	566	2.3	(1.1 - 5.0)	288	6.0	(3.4 - 10.4)	277
	All other races*	4.9	(2.9 - 8.3)	322	3.6	(1.2 - 9.9)	152	6.2	(3.4 - 11.0)	170
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	49	-	-	50

Note: 31 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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QN33: Percentage of students who ever took steroids without a doctor's prescription (pills or shots during their life)

		Total		Male			Female		
	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
Total	1.0	(0.7 - 1.6)	1,582	1.1	(0.7 - 1.8)	783	1.0	(0.6 - 1.6)	794
Age									
11 or younger	0.4	(0.1 - 1.6)	405	0.5	(0.1 - 3.2)	200	0.3	(0.0 - 2.4)	203
12	1.4	(0.7 - 2.9)	510	1.6	(0.8 - 3.3)	248	1.2	(0.3 - 4.6)	261
13	1.2	(0.7 - 2.0)	568	1.0	(0.3 - 3.1)	274	1.4	(1.2 - 1.8)	294
14 or older	-	-	93	-	-	57	-	-	36
Grade									
6th	0.7	(0.2 - 2.1)	504	1.1	(0.3 - 3.7)	255	0.3	(0.0 - 2.0)	247
7th	2.1	(1.2 - 3.4)	511	1.8	(0.8 - 4.4)	251	2.3	(1.1 - 4.8)	259
8th	0.4	(0.1 - 1.7)	547	0.4	(0.0 - 2.9)	268	0.4	(0.1 - 3.1)	279
Race/Ethnicity									
Black*	1.7	(0.7 - 3.9)	304	1.9	(0.5 - 6.9)	154	1.5	(0.4 - 5.1)	150
Hispanic/Latino	1.8	(0.6 - 5.0)	188	-	-	84	1.1	(0.2 - 5.3)	103
White*	0.3	(0.1 - 1.1)	567	0.0	-	288	0.7	(0.2 - 2.4)	278
All other races*	1.7	(0.9 - 3.2)	324	1.8	(0.5 - 7.1)	154	1.5	(1.0 - 2.3)	170
Multiple races*	0.0	-	100	-	-	49	-	-	51

Note: 30 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN34: Percentage of students who ever took prescription drugs without a doctor's prescription (such as Oxycontin, Percocet, Vicodin, codeine, Adderall, Ritalin, or Xanax, during their life)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	3.2	( 2.6 - 4.1 )	1,581	3.5	(2.8 - 4.4)	783	3.0	(1.9 - 4.6)	792
Age										
	11 or younger	3.8	(2.6 - 5.5)	405	4.6	(2.6 - 8.0)	200	3.0	(1.7 - 5.4)	203
	12	2.5	(1.6 - 3.9)	510	2.4	(1.4 - 3.9)	248	2.7	(1.3 - 5.4)	261
	13	3.7	( 2.9 - 4.7 )	566	4.2	( 2.9 - 6.0 )	274	3.2	(2.3 - 4.5)	292
	14 or older	-	-	93	-	-	57	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	3.2	(2.3 - 4.6)	504	4.0	(2.6 - 6.1)	254	2.5	(1.4 - 4.4)	247
	7th	3.0	(2.2 - 4.1)	512	2.6	(1.4 - 5.0)	252	3.4	(2.3 - 4.9)	259
	8th	3.1	(2.0 - 5.0)	545	3.2	(2.1 - 4.8)	268	3.1	(1.7 - 5.5)	277
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	5.4	(3.6 - 7.9)	304	4.2	(3.0 - 6.0)	155	6.6	(3.4 - 12.5)	149
	Hispanic/Latino	2.0	(1.0 - 4.0)	189	-	-	84	1.8	(0.4 - 7.0)	104
	White*	2.5	(2.0 - 3.1)	566	2.5	(2.0 - 3.2)	288	2.4	(1.4 - 4.1)	277
	All other races*	2.9	(1.6 - 5.4)	323	4.4	( 1.9 - 10.0 )	153	1.5	(1.0 - 2.2)	170
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	49	-	-	50

Note: 31 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN35: Percentage of students who ever had sexual intercourse

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
Total	l	3.5	(2.4 - 4.9)	1,503	4.6	(3.6 - 5.8)	734	2.4	(1.2 - 4.6)	764
Age										
11 or	younger	1.2	(0.6 - 2.4)	380	1.8	(1.1 - 2.9)	188	0.6	(0.1 - 4.4)	191
12		2.9	(2.0 - 4.3)	485	3.7	(2.8 - 4.8)	231	2.2	(0.6 - 7.6)	253
13		4.4	(2.7 - 7.2)	544	6.0	(2.9 - 12.0)	258	2.9	(1.4 - 6.0)	286
14 or	older	-	-	88	-	-	53	-	-	34
Grade										
6th		1.2	(0.6 - 2.4)	475	1.4	(0.5 - 3.8)	238	0.9	(0.6 - 1.3)	236
7th		3.8	(2.5 - 5.6)	482	5.1	(3.5 - 7.2)	232	2.6	(0.8 - 8.0)	249
8th		5.0	(3.3 - 7.3)	526	6.3	(3.9 - 9.9)	255	3.7	(1.7 - 7.5)	271
Race/Ethnicity	y									
Black	K*	7.9	(6.3 - 9.9)	281	10.6	(7.5 - 14.7)	142	5.0	(3.7 - 6.7)	139
Hispa	anic/Latino	6.3	(4.0 - 9.8)	180	-	-	78	3.1	(2.1 - 4.4)	101
Whit	e*	2.1	(1.0 - 4.4)	552	2.1	(1.3 - 3.3)	276	2.0	(0.5 - 7.9)	275
All o	ther races*	1.5	(0.9 - 2.6)	312	2.3	(1.6 - 3.4)	146	0.8	(0.2 - 3.5)	165
Mult	iple races*	-	-	92	-	-	46	-	-	46

Note: 109 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN36: Percentage of students who had sexual intercourse before age 11 years (for the first time)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	1.5	(1.0 - 2.2)	1,496	2.2	(1.5 - 3.2)	730	0.8	(0.5 - 1.5)	761
Age										
	11 or younger	1.0	(0.5 - 2.1)	381	1.4	(0.9 - 2.2)	188	0.6	(0.1 - 4.4)	192
	12	1.3	(0.6 - 2.9)	481	2.2	(1.0 - 4.9)	229	0.4	(0.1 - 3.0)	251
	13	1.2	(0.6 - 2.5)	540	1.6	(0.5 - 5.1)	256	0.8	(0.7 - 1.0)	284
	14 or older	-	-	88	-	-	53	-	-	34
Grade										
	6th	0.8	(0.3 - 2.0)	476	1.1	(0.3 - 4.1)	238	0.5	(0.1 - 3.6)	237
	7th	1.5	(0.8 - 3.0)	479	2.1	(1.0 - 4.4)	231	0.9	(0.2 - 3.1)	247
	8th	1.9	(1.2 - 3.1)	521	2.7	(1.6 - 4.5)	252	1.1	(0.5 - 2.6)	269
Race/Et	hnicity									
	Black*	4.6	(3.2 - 6.5)	281	6.7	(5.1 - 8.8)	142	2.3	(0.5 - 9.5)	139
	Hispanic/Latino	2.4	(1.1 - 5.4)	178	-	-	77	0.9	(0.1 - 7.0)	100
	White*	0.3	(0.1 - 1.5)	549	0.0	-	274	0.7	(0.2 - 2.9)	274
	All other races*	0.9	(0.5 - 1.5)	309	1.9	(1.2 - 2.9)	144	0.0	-	164
	Multiple races*	-	-	92	-	-	46	-	-	46

Note: 116 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN37: Percentage of students who had sexual intercourse with three or more persons (during their life)

		Total			Male			Female			
	Percenta	nge 95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N		
Total	0.9	(0.6 - 1.4)	1,499	1.4	(1.2 - 1.7)	732	0.5	(0.1 - 1.8)	762		
Age											
11 or your	ger 0.3	(0.0 - 2.1)	381	0.5	(0.1 - 4.0)	189	0.0	-	191		
12	0.7	(0.3 - 1.9)	483	1.4	(0.5 - 3.7)	231	0.0	-	251		
13	0.7	(0.3 - 1.4)	541	0.8	(0.2 - 3.2)	255	0.6	(0.2 - 2.2)	286		
14 or olde	-	-	88	-	-	53	-	-	34		
Grade											
6th	0.2	(0.0 - 1.3)	475	0.3	(0.0 - 2.6)	238	0.0	-	236		
7th	1.1	(0.7 - 1.9)	482	2.3	(1.4 - 3.7)	234	0.0	-	247		
8th	1.3	(0.7 - 2.6)	522	1.2	(0.6 - 2.5)	251	1.4	(0.5 - 4.3)	271		
Race/Ethnicity											
Black*	1.7	(1.1 - 2.4)	280	2.6	(1.4 - 4.9)	141	0.6	(0.1 - 4.5)	139		
Hispanic/I	atino 0.6	(0.1 - 4.5)	179	-	-	77	0.0	-	101		
White*	0.7	(0.2 - 2.7)	550	0.7	(0.2 - 3.0)	274	0.7	(0.1 - 3.4)	275		
All other r	aces* 1.0	(0.4 - 2.6)	310	1.6	(0.5 - 5.2)	146	0.4	(0.1 - 2.7)	163		
Multiple ra	aces* -	-	92	-	-	46	-	-	46		

Note: 113 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN38: Percentage of students who used a condom (during last sexual intercourse among students who ever had sexual intercourse)

		Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	-	-	50	-	-	33	-	-	17	
Age											
	11 or younger	-	_	4	_	-	3	_	_	1	
	12	-	-	13	-	-	8	-	-	5	
	13	-	-	22	-	-	15	-	-	7	
	14 or older	-	-	11	-	-	7	-	-	4	
Grad	e										
	6th	-	_	5	_	-	3	_	_	2	
	7th	-	-	17	-	-	11	-	-	6	
	8th	-	-	25	-	-	16	-	-	9	
Race/	Ethnicity										
	Black*	-	_	22	_	-	15	_	-	7	
	Hispanic/Latino	-	-	11	-	-	8	-	-	3	
	White*	-	-	9	-	-	4	-	-	5	
	All other races*	-	-	5	-	-	4	-	-	1	
	Multiple races*	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	

Note: 1,562 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN39: Percentage of students who described themselves as slightly or very overweight

		Total			Male		Female			
	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
Total	23.7	( 22.7 - 24.7 )	1,567	22.7	( 19.5 - 26.3 )	774	24.8	( 20.6 - 29.6 )	788	
Age										
11 or younger	24.5	(18.7 - 31.4)	396	22.4	(16.8 - 29.2)	194	26.6	(18.5 - 36.7)	201	
12	24.3	( 22.0 - 26.9 )	505	24.7	(18.9 - 31.6)	247	24.1	(17.8 - 31.7)	257	
13	24.0	( 20.0 - 28.6 )	566	22.8	(18.1 - 28.2)	272	25.3	(17.1 - 35.7)	294	
14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	57	-	-	36	
Grade										
6th	22.5	(17.8 - 28.0)	491	21.3	(15.5 - 28.6)	246	23.8	(18.4 - 30.0)	244	
7th	26.8	(24.2 - 29.5)	511	25.8	(20.8 - 31.4)	253	27.9	(20.8 - 36.4)	257	
8th	22.2	(18.8 - 26.0)	544	20.8	(15.8 - 27.0)	266	23.6	(17.3 - 31.3)	278	
Race/Ethnicity										
Black*	24.9	(21.6 - 28.6)	302	21.1	(14.1 - 30.2)	154	29.1	(19.1 - 41.7)	148	
Hispanic/Latino	26.0	( 19.4 - 34.0 )	182	-	-	80	27.9	(20.0 - 37.5)	101	
White*	22.4	(20.1 - 24.8)	564	22.2	(18.2 - 26.7)	286	22.6	(16.9 - 29.5)	278	
All other races*	26.4	(22.2 - 31.1)	321	30.4	( 26.2 - 34.9 )	151	22.7	(16.3 - 30.7)	169	
Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	48	-	-	51	

Note: 45 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN40: Percentage of students who were trying to lose weight

		Total			Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
,	Total	36.8	( 33.9 - 39.8 )	1,553	31.9	( 29.5 - 34.4 )	769	42.0	( 36.4 - 47.8 )	779
Age										
	11 or younger	32.9	( 26.4 - 40.1 )	392	31.7	( 27.5 - 36.3 )	193	34.2	(23.0 - 47.5)	198
	12	36.4	( 33.3 - 39.5 )	503	33.3	(31.0 - 35.6)	249	39.7	( 33.6 - 46.1 )	253
	13	40.6	( 36.7 - 44.7 )	562	31.3	( 26.4 - 36.7 )	270	49.8	(41.8 - 57.9)	292
	14 or older	-	-	90	-	-	53	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	32.6	(27.7 - 38.0)	491	31.5	(27.9 - 35.4)	249	34.0	(25.8 - 43.1)	241
,	7th	38.2	(34.8 - 41.8)	505	35.2	(29.8 - 41.1)	251	41.5	(34.8 - 48.6)	253
	8th	38.9	( 34.6 - 43.3 )	536	27.5	( 26.3 - 28.8 )	260	50.1	(43.3 - 56.9)	276
Race/Ethi	nicity									
:	Black*	42.1	( 35.4 - 49.1 )	300	36.6	( 29.4 - 44.5 )	153	48.1	(37.0 - 59.3)	147
	Hispanic/Latino	48.3	(40.2 - 56.5)	182	-	-	79	52.3	( 39.4 - 64.9 )	102
,	White*	31.3	( 27.5 - 35.3 )	559	26.8	(23.3 - 30.6)	283	36.0	( 26.9 - 46.2 )	276
	All other races*	37.8	( 32.5 - 43.5 )	317	35.2	( 28.4 - 42.6 )	151	40.6	( 34.4 - 47.0 )	165
	Multiple races*	-	-	98	-	-	49	-	-	49

Note: 59 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN41: Percentage of students who did not eat breakfast (during the 7 days before the survey)

		Total				Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	5.9	(3.7 - 9.3)	1,590	4.7	(2.9 - 7.4)	791	7.1	(4.2 - 11.7)	792	
Age											
	11 or younger	5.0	(2.1 - 11.3)	406	2.7	(0.7 - 9.9)	200	7.3	(3.6 - 14.3)	204	
	12	5.0	( 2.4 - 10.1 )	512	2.9	(1.1 - 7.4)	254	7.1	( 3.4 - 14.4 )	257	
	13	6.7	(4.5 - 9.8)	570	7.0	(4.7 - 10.4)	276	6.4	(3.6 - 11.1)	294	
	14 or older	-	-	95	-	-	57	-	-	37	
Grade											
	6th	4.7	(2.0 - 10.7)	506	2.4	(0.8 - 6.7)	257	6.8	(3.2 - 14.1)	246	
	7th	5.9	(3.3 - 10.5)	513	4.4	(1.8 - 10.7)	255	7.5	(4.1 - 13.4)	257	
	8th	6.7	(5.2 - 8.6)	550	6.5	(5.5 - 7.6)	270	6.8	(4.1 - 11.2)	280	
Race/E	thnicity										
	Black*	7.7	(3.9 - 14.8)	308	4.9	(2.3 - 10.2)	158	10.8	(4.8 - 22.8)	150	
	Hispanic/Latino	8.7	(6.6 - 11.4)	186	-	-	83	9.0	(5.7 - 14.0)	102	
	White*	4.3	(2.7 - 6.8)	566	3.5	(1.8 - 6.6)	287	5.1	(2.6 - 9.9)	278	
	All other races*	3.9	(2.2 - 6.8)	326	4.2	(2.0 - 8.6)	155	3.7	(2.3 - 5.8)	170	
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	49	-	-	50	

Note: 22 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QNBK7DAY: Percentage of students who ate breakfast on all 7 days (during the 7 days before the survey)

		Total				Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
Т	otal	58.4	( 52.3 - 64.4 )	1,590	63.6	( 57.8 - 69.0 )	791	53.3	(45.3 - 61.2)	792	
Age											
1	1 or younger	68.6	(60.1 - 76.0)	406	77.8	( 67.5 - 85.6 )	200	59.9	(48.5 - 70.3)	204	
1	2	58.0	(52.1 - 63.8)	512	59.8	(54.6 - 64.8)	254	56.3	(47.1 - 65.1)	257	
1	3	53.3	(45.9 - 60.5)	570	57.2	(51.8 - 62.4)	276	49.4	(39.1 - 59.7)	294	
1	4 or older	-	-	95	-	-	57	-	-	37	
Grade											
6	ith	68.6	(61.9 - 74.6)	506	76.5	( 66.2 - 84.3 )	257	61.0	(53.2 - 68.2)	246	
7	th	55.4	(48.5 - 62.1)	513	57.5	(53.0 - 61.9)	255	53.4	(41.7 - 64.6)	257	
8	th	51.7	( 44.8 - 58.5 )	550	57.2	(52.8 - 61.5)	270	46.1	( 36.6 - 55.8 )	280	
Race/Ethn	icity										
В	Black*	47.7	(43.5 - 51.9)	308	55.0	(49.4 - 60.4)	158	39.7	(31.9 - 48.0)	150	
H	Hispanic/Latino	48.5	(40.1 - 56.9)	186	-	-	83	43.6	(31.9 - 56.0)	102	
V	Vhite*	63.3	(58.3 - 68.1)	566	66.0	(60.0 - 71.5)	287	60.7	(53.5 - 67.4)	278	
Α	All other races*	66.0	(58.9 - 72.4)	326	72.2	( 64.4 - 78.8 )	155	59.8	(51.7 - 67.4)	170	
N	Aultiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	49	-	-	50	

Note: 22 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN42: Percentage of students who were physically active at least 60 minutes per day on 5 or more days (doing any kind of physical activity that increased their heart rate and made them breathe hard some of the time during the 7 days before the survey)

		Total				Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	59.6	( 56.4 - 62.7 )	1,563	65.7	(61.7 - 69.6)	773	52.9	(48.7 - 57.0)	783	
Age											
	11 or younger	64.1	(59.3 - 68.6)	394	68.1	(58.6 - 76.3)	193	59.8	(52.2 - 66.9)	199	
	12	59.5	(54.3 - 64.4)	505	63.9	( 60.9 - 66.9 )	247	54.8	(47.3 - 62.2)	257	
	13	58.2	(55.4 - 61.0)	563	67.7	(63.5 - 71.6)	272	48.7	(43.0 - 54.4)	291	
	14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	57	-	-	36	
Grade											
	6th	63.4	(58.0 - 68.4)	491	66.9	(57.6 - 75.0)	246	59.2	(51.1 - 66.8)	242	
	7th	60.4	(56.6 - 64.0)	507	65.2	(61.7 - 68.7)	251	55.1	(50.0 - 60.0)	255	
	8th	55.2	(52.9 - 57.6)	544	65.7	(61.5 - 69.7)	267	44.6	( 39.5 - 49.9 )	277	
Race/Ethi	nicity										
	Black*	54.2	(46.6 - 61.6)	301	62.2	(53.2 - 70.5)	154	45.4	( 36.4 - 54.7 )	147	
	Hispanic/Latino	55.3	(46.5 - 63.9)	185	-	-	83	47.2	(38.8 - 55.8)	101	
	White*	65.8	(63.7 - 67.9)	560	71.8	(65.8 - 77.1)	282	59.5	(53.3 - 65.3)	277	
	All other races*	56.6	(50.2 - 62.8)	322	61.7	( 47.4 - 74.2 )	152	51.6	( 43.4 - 59.7 )	169	
	Multiple races*	-	-	97	-	-	46	-	-	51	

Note: 49 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.

- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QNPA0DAY: Percentage of students who did not participate in at least 60 minutes of physical activity on at least 1 day (doing any kind of physical activity that increased their heart rate and made them breathe hard some of the time during the 7 days before the survey)

		Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	5.2	(3.6 - 7.3)	1,563	4.9	(3.5 - 7.0)	773	5.5	(3.3 - 8.9)	783	
Age											
	11 or younger	4.5	(1.8 - 10.6)	394	2.9	(1.3 - 6.5)	193	6.1	(2.3 - 15.2)	199	
	12	4.0	(2.5 - 6.2)	505	4.0	(2.0 - 7.9)	247	4.0	(2.1 - 7.6)	257	
	13	6.0	(4.7 - 7.6)	563	6.8	(5.5 - 8.3)	272	5.2	(3.1 - 8.6)	291	
	14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	57	-	-	36	
Grade											
	6th	4.4	(1.9 - 9.8)	491	3.2	(1.8 - 5.6)	246	5.7	(2.0 - 15.0)	242	
	7th	4.3	(3.1 - 5.9)	507	5.1	(2.8 - 8.9)	251	3.4	(1.6 - 7.3)	255	
	8th	6.9	(4.9 - 9.7)	544	6.4	(5.2 - 7.8)	267	7.5	(4.6 - 11.8)	277	
Race/E	thnicity										
	Black*	8.6	(5.7 - 12.8)	301	8.1	(4.9 - 13.0)	154	9.2	(4.8 - 17.1)	147	
	Hispanic/Latino	9.8	(6.7 - 14.3)	185	-	-	83	12.4	(7.5 - 19.7)	101	
	White*	3.0	(2.5 - 3.6)	560	2.7	(1.9 - 3.8)	282	3.3	(2.0 - 5.4)	277	
	All other races*	3.3	(1.8 - 5.9)	322	3.7	(2.1 - 6.6)	152	2.9	(1.3 - 6.2)	169	
	Multiple races*	-	-	97	-	-	46	-	-	51	

Note: 49 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QNPA7DAY: Percentage of students who were physically active at least 60 minutes per day on all 7 days (doing any kind of physical activity that increased their heart rate and made them breathe hard some of the time (during the 7 days before the survey)

		Total			Male			Female		
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	33.2	( 29.6 - 37.0 )	1,563	41.7	( 36.9 - 46.6 )	773	23.9	( 20.5 - 27.8 )	783
Age										
	11 or younger	36.1	(33.0 - 39.4)	394	40.1	( 34.8 - 45.6 )	193	31.5	(27.4 - 35.9)	199
	12	36.7	(30.5 - 43.3)	505	46.1	(39.3 - 53.1)	247	26.9	(19.9 - 35.4)	257
	13	28.7	(26.3 - 31.2)	563	41.2	( 37.1 - 45.5 )	272	16.2	(11.5 - 22.3)	291
	14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	57	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	36.7	( 32.8 - 40.8 )	491	41.4	( 34.9 - 48.2 )	246	31.1	(27.2 - 35.2)	242
	7th	35.8	( 30.2 - 41.9 )	507	44.7	(38.5 - 51.0)	251	26.3	(20.7 - 32.9)	255
	8th	26.9	(23.4 - 30.8)	544	39.1	( 32.9 - 45.6 )	267	14.6	(11.1 - 18.9)	277
Race/Et	hnicity									
	Black*	32.6	(24.6 - 41.8)	301	44.0	(31.7 - 57.0)	154	20.2	(14.3 - 27.7)	147
	Hispanic/Latino	27.3	( 22.5 - 32.7 )	185	-	-	83	13.2	(5.9 - 27.1)	101
	White*	36.3	(31.9 - 40.8)	560	44.1	( 38.8 - 49.6 )	282	27.9	(22.8 - 33.6)	277
	All other races*	31.9	( 27.5 - 36.7 )	322	40.3	(27.8 - 54.2)	152	23.6	(16.6 - 32.4)	169
	Multiple races*	-	-	97	-	-	46	-	-	51

Note: 49 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.

- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN43: Percentage of students who watched television 3 or more hours per day (on an average school day)

		Total		Male			Female			
	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
Total	21.7	( 17.3 - 26.9 )	1,552	21.5	(16.7 - 27.3)	768	22.0	( 17.6 - 27.2 )	777	
Age										
11 or younger	15.6	(11.5 - 20.7)	393	14.4	( 10.4 - 19.6 )	191	16.9	(11.7 - 23.8)	200	
12	22.8	(17.2 - 29.5)	497	21.9	(15.8 - 29.4)	244	23.7	(17.5 - 31.4)	252	
13	25.0	( 20.2 - 30.6 )	560	25.2	( 19.2 - 32.3 )	272	24.9	( 20.2 - 30.3 )	288	
14 or older	-	-	95	-	-	57	-	-	37	
Grade										
6th	16.4	(12.1 - 21.9)	488	15.0	(12.1 - 18.5)	244	18.1	(11.9 - 26.5)	241	
7th	24.9	(19.0 - 31.9)	499	23.3	(16.3 - 32.1)	248	26.7	( 20.2 - 34.3 )	250	
8th	23.2	(18.7 - 28.5)	544	25.8	( 19.8 - 32.9 )	267	20.7	( 16.2 - 26.0 )	277	
Race/Ethnicity										
Black*	36.8	( 32.5 - 41.2 )	296	37.1	( 32.4 - 42.1 )	152	36.4	( 29.2 - 44.3 )	144	
Hispanic/Latin	31.6	( 22.0 - 43.1 )	177	-	-	78	-	-	98	
White*	17.8	(14.8 - 21.3)	558	18.3	( 13.7 - 23.9 )	282	17.4	(14.5 - 20.8)	275	
All other races	* 12.8	(7.5 - 21.1)	322	10.6	( 6.5 - 16.7 )	152	14.6	(6.8 - 28.7)	169	
Multiple races	* _	-	97	-	-	47	-	-	50	

Note: 60 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.

- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN44: Percentage of students who played video or computer games or used a computer 3 or more hours per day (for something that was not school work on an average school day)

		Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	31.5	( 26.7 - 36.8 )	1,562	30.3	( 25.3 - 35.8 )	771	32.8	( 27.2 - 39.0 )	784	
Age											
	11 or younger	21.6	(15.2 - 29.7)	393	20.0	(13.5 - 28.7)	192	23.4	( 14.9 - 34.7 )	199	
	12	33.6	( 28.5 - 39.0 )	504	36.4	( 32.5 - 40.5 )	246	30.8	(23.0 - 39.8)	257	
	13	36.4	( 29.4 - 43.9 )	566	31.8	( 24.2 - 40.6 )	273	40.8	( 34.3 - 47.7 )	293	
	14 or older	-	-	92	-	-	56	-	-	35	
Grade											
	6th	23.3	(19.0 - 28.4)	489	24.5	( 19.8 - 29.9 )	245	22.4	(15.7 - 31.0)	241	
	7th	34.0	(27.5 - 41.2)	508	33.3	(27.6 - 39.5)	251	34.9	( 26.5 - 44.4 )	256	
	8th	36.6	( 29.6 - 44.2 )	544	32.6	( 23.7 - 43.0 )	266	40.6	( 35.5 - 45.9 )	278	
Race/E	thnicity										
	Black*	39.4	( 32.2 - 47.1 )	299	38.5	(31.2 - 46.4)	153	40.4	(28.4 - 53.7)	146	
	Hispanic/Latino	35.3	(23.8 - 48.7)	181	-	-	80	37.4	(20.5 - 58.2)	100	
	White*	31.9	( 26.7 - 37.5 )	561	32.6	( 26.5 - 39.4 )	284	31.2	( 26.0 - 37.0 )	276	
	All other races*	21.0	(16.9 - 25.8)	324	15.7	( 13.8 - 17.7 )	152	25.7	( 19.1 - 33.6 )	171	
	Multiple races*	-	-	97	-	-	46	-	-	51	

Note: 50 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN45: Percentage of students who attended physical education classes on 1 or more days (in an average week when they were in school)

		Total			Male			Female		
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	99.3	(98.8 - 99.6)	1,512	99.1	( 98.1 - 99.6 )	746	99.6	( 98.8 - 99.8 )	760
Age										
	11 or younger	99.6	( 98.1 - 99.9 )	375	99.1	(96.3 - 99.8)	185	100.0	( )	189
	12	99.6	( 98.6 - 99.9 )	493	99.5	( 98.1 - 99.9 )	242	99.7	( 97.5 - 100.0	250
	13	98.8	( 97.4 - 99.4 )	550	98.5	(96.5 - 99.4)	263	99.1	( 97.2 - 99.7 )	287
	14 or older	-	-	87	-	-	52	-	-	34
Grade										
	6th	99.5	(98.8 - 99.8)	469	99.0	( 97.8 - 99.6 )	236	100.0	()	231
	7th	99.4	(98.0 - 99.8)	494	99.1	(96.7 - 99.8)	243	99.7	( 97.4 - 100.0	250
	8th	99.1	( 97.6 - 99.7 )	531	99.2	(96.5 - 99.8)	259	99.0	( 97.1 - 99.7 )	272
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	99.7	( 97.7 - 99.9 )	291	99.3	( 95.6 - 99.9 )	150	100.0	()	141
	Hispanic/Latino	98.8	(94.7 - 99.8)	171	-	-	76	-	-	94
	White*	99.7	( 98.5 - 99.9 )	548	99.7	( 97.9 - 99.9 )	276	99.7	( 97.2 - 100.0	271
	All other races*	99.2	( 97.1 - 99.8 )	319	99.0	(94.4 - 99.8)	151	99.4	( 96.5 - 99.9 )	167
	Multiple races*	-	-	92	-	-	43	-	-	49

Note: 100 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QNDLYPE: Percentage of students who attended physical education classes on all 5 days (in an average week when they were in school)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	3.3	(2.1 - 5.0)	1,512	4.4	(3.0 - 6.3)	746	2.2	(1.1 - 4.2)	760
Age										
	11 or younger	2.6	(1.0 - 7.0)	375	3.3	(1.1 - 9.9)	185	1.9	(0.7 - 5.4)	189
	12	4.5	(2.3 - 8.5)	493	5.1	( 2.5 - 10.1 )	242	3.9	(1.9 - 7.8)	250
	13	2.6	(1.6 - 4.0)	550	4.6	(2.5 - 8.1)	263	0.6	(0.1 - 2.5)	287
	14 or older	-	-	87	-	-	52	-	-	34
Grade										
	6th	2.8	(0.9 - 8.8)	469	2.5	(0.6 - 9.1)	236	3.2	(1.0 - 10.4)	231
	7th	3.9	(2.4 - 6.4)	494	5.3	(3.3 - 8.4)	243	2.5	(1.3 - 4.7)	250
	8th	3.1	( 2.4 - 4.0 )	531	5.4	(3.4 - 8.7)	259	0.8	(0.2 - 3.5)	272
Race/E	Ethnicity									
	Black*	4.2	(1.6 - 10.8)	291	5.9	(2.2 - 15.1)	150	2.3	(0.6 - 8.0)	141
	Hispanic/Latino	6.0	(3.0 - 11.7)	171	-	-	76	-	-	94
	White*	3.1	(2.1 - 4.6)	548	4.4	(2.6 - 7.4)	276	1.9	(0.9 - 3.7)	271
	All other races*	2.0	(0.9 - 4.4)	319	2.8	(1.1 - 6.6)	151	1.3	(0.3 - 5.1)	167
	Multiple races*	-	-	92	-	-	43	-	-	49

Note: 100 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN46: Percentage of students who played on at least one sports team (run by their school or community groups during the past 12 months)

			Total			Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	66.3	(61.9 - 70.4)	1,546	69.7	( 64.1 - 74.8 )	764	62.6	( 58.8 - 66.2 )	775	
Age											
	11 or younger	71.2	( 67.7 - 74.4 )	383	74.0	( 68.4 - 78.9 )	189	68.1	(64.0 - 71.9)	192	
	12	62.0	(56.3 - 67.4)	504	65.5	(58.3 - 72.0)	247	58.4	(53.6 - 63.1)	256	
	13	66.8	(59.5 - 73.3)	560	69.9	(61.9 - 76.9)	268	63.7	(56.6 - 70.2)	292	
	14 or older	-	-	92	-	-	56	-	-	35	
Grad	e										
	6th	70.0	(67.0 - 72.8)	481	72.1	(65.7 - 77.8)	243	67.3	(62.6 - 71.7)	235	
	7th	63.0	(56.8 - 68.9)	505	66.3	(59.5 - 72.6)	248	59.5	(53.9 - 64.9)	256	
	8th	65.8	(58.0 - 72.9)	539	70.1	( 60.2 - 78.4 )	264	61.4	( 54.9 - 67.6 )	275	
Race/	Ethnicity										
	Black*	63.4	(59.8 - 67.0)	294	71.0	(67.9 - 73.9)	150	55.3	(45.8 - 64.4)	144	
	Hispanic/Latino	60.0	(52.2 - 67.3)	173	-	-	76	-	-	96	
	White*	74.4	(68.6 - 79.4)	557	76.9	( 68.3 - 83.7 )	283	71.7	( 67.3 - 75.7 )	273	
	All other races*	57.8	(52.4 - 63.1)	323	56.9	(48.5 - 64.9)	151	58.5	(53.0 - 63.9)	171	
	Multiple races*	-	-	98	-	-	48	-	-	50	

Note: 66 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN47: Percentage of students who had ever been told by a doctor or nurse that they had asthma

		Total			Male			Female		
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	18.3	( 17.0 - 19.8 )	1,539	18.7	(16.2 - 21.4)	760	18.0	( 16.5 - 19.7 )	774
Age										
	11 or younger	16.7	(12.7 - 21.6)	379	18.2	(12.5 - 25.7)	188	15.2	(11.0 - 20.6)	190
	12	17.6	(15.2 - 20.4)	505	18.5	(15.9 - 21.4)	246	16.8	(12.7 - 21.8)	258
	13	20.0	(17.5 - 22.8)	559	18.4	(15.2 - 22.1)	267	21.5	(17.6 - 26.0)	292
	14 or older	-	-	90	-	-	55	-	-	34
Grade										
	6th	16.0	(13.3 - 19.3)	476	16.8	(12.1 - 22.8)	242	15.3	(12.1 - 19.3)	233
	7th	18.9	(17.0 - 21.0)	505	20.6	(17.9 - 23.6)	247	17.2	(13.0 - 22.4)	257
	8th	20.0	(16.8 - 23.6)	537	18.7	(15.6 - 22.4)	262	21.2	(17.4 - 25.6)	275
Race/I	Ethnicity									
	Black*	24.2	(20.7 - 27.9)	288	25.9	(18.0 - 35.7)	146	22.3	(18.4 - 26.6)	142
	Hispanic/Latino	15.2	(9.8 - 22.8)	178	-	-	79	-	-	98
	White*	17.8	(14.3 - 21.8)	555	15.8	(11.3 - 21.7)	281	19.9	(16.5 - 23.8)	273
	All other races*	15.3	(10.9 - 21.1)	324	16.4	(8.0 - 30.8)	153	13.9	(9.9 - 19.3)	170
	Multiple races*	-	-	97	-	-	47	-	-	50

Note: 73 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN48: Percentage of students who had 8 or more hours of sleep (on an average school night)

			Total			Male			Female	
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	63.5	(58.7 - 68.0)	1,515	66.3	( 60.8 - 71.4 )	744	60.5	( 55.7 - 65.1 )	765
Age										
	11 or younger	77.3	( 68.1 - 84.4 )	373	80.7	(70.8 - 87.8)	183	73.7	(63.8 - 81.6)	189
	12	66.4	(62.0 - 70.5)	492	69.4	( 64.7 - 73.6 )	238	63.4	( 58.0 - 68.4 )	253
	13	53.5	(47.1 - 59.9)	551	55.3	(48.5 - 61.8)	263	51.9	( 42.8 - 60.9 )	288
	14 or older	-	-	92	-	-	56	-	-	35
Grade										
	6th	76.3	(69.0 - 82.3)	464	79.1	(70.2 - 85.9)	231	73.3	(64.5 - 80.5)	231
	7th	63.7	(58.2 - 68.9)	496	65.3	(60.7 - 69.7)	243	62.0	(54.2 - 69.2)	252
	8th	51.5	(47.2 - 55.8)	535	55.7	( 52.0 - 59.4 )	261	47.3	( 39.1 - 55.6 )	274
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	57.2	(52.7 - 61.7)	286	60.6	( 54.8 - 66.1 )	145	53.6	(45.4 - 61.7)	141
	Hispanic/Latino	61.3	( 57.8 - 64.6 )	175	-	-	79	-	-	95
	White*	67.0	( 63.1 - 70.6 )	546	68.2	(61.5 - 74.3)	274	65.5	( 60.7 - 70.0 )	271
	All other races*	64.7	(57.3 - 71.5)	318	68.9	( 60.8 - 76.0 )	148	61.1	(53.8 - 67.9)	169
	Multiple races*	-	-	93	-	-	44	-	-	49

Note: 97 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN49: Percentage of students who made mostly A's or B's in school (during the 12 months before the survey)

		Total		Male				Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
Total		91.1	( 87.9 - 93.5 )	1,456	89.4	(83.2 - 93.5)	712	92.7	( 90.4 - 94.5 )	737	
Age											
11 or you	inger	92.9	(87.1 - 96.2)	355	91.2	(84.4 - 95.2)	179	94.6	(87.9 - 97.6)	174	
12		91.3	(86.3 - 94.6)	477	90.1	(80.7 - 95.2)	229	92.5	(90.3 - 94.2)	247	
13		90.1	(87.9 - 91.9)	533	87.5	(81.9 - 91.5)	250	92.5	(88.6 - 95.2)	283	
14 or old	er	-	-	85	-	-	51	-	-	33	
Grade											
6th		94.4	(89.4 - 97.1)	445	93.1	(85.7 - 96.8)	225	95.7	(90.4 - 98.1)	217	
7th		89.6	(85.2 - 92.8)	474	88.5	(80.3 - 93.5)	229	90.8	(87.4 - 93.3)	244	
8th		89.6	(86.1 - 92.4)	517	87.1	(80.6 - 91.7)	250	92.1	(87.4 - 95.1)	267	
Race/Ethnicity											
Black*		88.9	(83.8 - 92.5)	263	88.5	(80.2 - 93.6)	129	89.3	(82.1 - 93.8)	134	
Hispanic	Latino	81.2	(75.4 - 85.9)	168	-	-	74	-	-	93	
White*		93.3	(89.6 - 95.8)	534	91.5	(85.1 - 95.3)	269	95.2	(92.1 - 97.1)	264	
All other	races*	94.5	(90.9 - 96.8)	308	96.0	(91.2 - 98.2)	146	93.1	(86.8 - 96.5)	161	
Multiple	races*	-	-	90	-	-	42	-	-	48	

Note: 156 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.
N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN50: Percentage of students who respond that their parents or guardians own the home or place where they live

			Total		Male			Female		
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	70.0	( 62.4 - 76.6 )	1,583	68.6	( 60.9 - 75.4 )	788	71.5	( 63.3 - 78.4 )	789
Age										
	11 or younger	71.1	(65.1 - 76.4)	408	70.5	( 66.9 - 73.9 )	205	71.3	(59.9 - 80.6)	201
	12	68.5	(61.2 - 74.9)	514	65.6	(57.5 - 72.9)	253	71.3	(61.9 - 79.2)	260
	13	71.9	(61.1 - 80.6)	564	68.7	(55.8 - 79.2)	272	75.1	(64.5 - 83.3)	292
	14 or older	-	-	92	-	-	55	-	-	36
Grad	e									
	6th	70.0	( 63.9 - 75.6 )	508	69.6	( 66.1 - 72.9 )	260	70.6	(58.9 - 80.1)	245
	7th	68.7	(60.5 - 75.9)	515	65.9	(56.3 - 74.3)	254	71.6	(62.0 - 79.6)	260
	8th	71.6	( 60.8 - 80.3 )	541	70.6	(56.0 - 81.9)	265	72.5	(63.2 - 80.2)	276
Race/	Ethnicity									
	Black*	54.5	(47.0 - 61.8)	303	53.1	(40.1 - 65.8)	154	56.0	(49.6 - 62.2)	149
	Hispanic/Latino	57.7	(49.1 - 65.9)	191	_	<u>-</u>	87	56.2	(47.8 - 64.2)	103
	White*	84.8	(79.8 - 88.7)	564	82.7	(76.0 - 87.8)	288	87.1	(82.3 - 90.7)	275
	All other races*	65.7	(56.8 - 73.7)	326	64.2	( 59.4 - 68.7 )	155	67.5	(52.4 - 79.6)	170
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	48	-	-	51

Note: 29 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN51: Percentage of students who lived away from their parents or guardians because they were kicked out, ran away, or were abandoned (during the 12 months before the survey)

		Total		Male			Female			
	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
Total	2.1	(1.6 - 2.7)	1,600	2.3	(1.6 - 3.4)	799	1.9	(1.3 - 2.7)	796	
Age										
11 or younger	2.0	(1.4 - 2.9)	418	2.8	(1.6 - 5.1)	210	1.2	(0.6 - 2.3)	206	
12	1.2	(0.4 - 3.9)	512	1.4	(0.4 - 4.2)	252	1.0	(0.3 - 3.9)	259	
13	2.4	(1.3 - 4.5)	572	2.1	(0.7 - 6.4)	277	2.8	(1.6 - 4.8)	295	
14 or older	-	-	93	-	-	57	-	-	36	
Grade										
6th	1.8	(1.3 - 2.4)	519	2.5	(1.6 - 4.0)	266	1.0	(0.5 - 1.9)	250	
7th	0.7	(0.2 - 2.7)	512	0.7	(0.1 - 3.2)	253	0.7	(0.1 - 3.4)	258	
8th	3.5	(2.6 - 4.6)	550	3.1	(1.5 - 6.1)	271	3.8	(2.8 - 5.2)	279	
Race/Ethnicity										
Black*	3.4	(1.8 - 6.4)	311	4.1	(1.5 - 11.1)	159	2.6	(1.7 - 4.0)	152	
Hispanic/Latino	3.3	(1.4 - 7.5)	191	-	-	87	3.8	(2.5 - 5.6)	103	
White*	1.5	(0.8 - 2.7)	569	1.6	(0.9 - 2.8)	291	1.4	(0.4 - 4.2)	277	
All other races*	2.2	(0.9 - 5.2)	326	2.3	(0.7 - 7.1)	156	2.0	(0.6 - 6.2)	170	
Multiple races*	1.7	( 0.3 - 10.4 )	100	-	-	49	-	-	51	

Note: 12 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN52: Percentage of students who usually slept in a friend's, relative's, or stranger's home at night (during the 12 months before the survey)

		Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	0.8	(0.6 - 1.0)	1,602	1.0	(0.8 - 1.4)	801	0.5	(0.1 - 1.4)	796	
Age											
	11 or younger	0.4	(0.1 - 1.3)	419	0.7	(0.2 - 2.5)	210	0.0	-	207	
	12	0.4	(0.1 - 1.3)	514	0.4	(0.1 - 2.4)	254	0.4	(0.1 - 2.6)	259	
	13	1.0	(0.7 - 1.7)	570	1.5	(0.7 - 3.2)	277	0.6	(0.2 - 2.2)	293	
	14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	56	-	-	37	
Grade											
	6th	0.3	(0.1 - 1.0)	519	0.6	(0.2 - 1.9)	266	0.0	-	251	
	7th	0.2	(0.0 - 1.3)	514	0.4	(0.1 - 2.5)	255	0.0	-	258	
	8th	1.6	(1.1 - 2.4)	549	2.2	(1.4 - 3.4)	271	1.0	(0.4 - 2.8)	278	
Race/E	thnicity										
	Black*	0.6	(0.1 - 3.8)	312	0.6	(0.1 - 3.7)	160	0.6	(0.1 - 3.9)	152	
	Hispanic/Latino	0.0	-	191	-	-	87	0.0	-	103	
	White*	0.8	(0.6 - 1.1)	572	1.3	(0.8 - 2.0)	292	0.3	(0.0 - 2.9)	279	
	All other races*	1.5	(0.8 - 2.9)	327	2.1	(1.0 - 4.4)	157	1.0	(0.1 - 6.7)	169	
	Multiple races*	0.0	-	100	-	-	49	-	-	51	

Note: 10 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN53: Percentage of students who have ever ridden in a car driven by someone who was texting while they were driving the car

		Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	45.7	(40.6 - 50.8)	1,598	41.2	( 36.1 - 46.5 )	802	50.7	( 44.1 - 57.3 )	790	
Age											
	11 or younger	37.7	( 32.3 - 43.4 )	413	35.2	( 30.9 - 39.8 )	210	40.8	( 30.2 - 52.3 )	201	
	12	41.8	( 35.9 - 48.0 )	514	38.6	( 33.3 - 44.1 )	254	45.1	( 34.8 - 55.9 )	259	
	13	54.5	(50.6 - 58.5)	570	46.9	(41.0 - 52.8)	277	62.3	( 57.7 - 66.7 )	293	
	14 or older	-	-	95	-	-	57	-	-	37	
Grade											
	6th	37.0	(32.5 - 41.8)	514	32.5	(28.1 - 37.3)	266	42.5	( 34.5 - 50.9 )	245	
	7th	45.0	(39.8 - 50.3)	514	43.8	(40.1 - 47.6)	256	46.1	(38.4 - 53.9)	257	
	8th	54.9	( 48.9 - 60.8 )	550	47.4	(41.1 - 53.8)	271	62.6	( 54.3 - 70.3 )	279	
Race/I	Ethnicity										
	Black*	54.4	(45.6 - 63.0)	310	52.5	(43.9 - 61.0)	160	56.6	(47.2 - 65.5)	150	
	Hispanic/Latino	43.9	(38.2 - 49.7)	192	-	-	87	52.7	(47.1 - 58.2)	104	
	White*	47.6	(41.4 - 53.9)	570	45.8	( 38.8 - 52.9 )	292	49.8	(43.2 - 56.5)	277	
	All other races*	34.5	( 30.8 - 38.4 )	327	24.4	(16.8 - 33.9)	156	44.5	( 39.1 - 50.1 )	170	
	Multiple races*	57.2	( 50.2 - 64.0 )	100	-	-	49	-	-	51	

Note: 14 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN54: Percentage of students who most of the time or always feel safe and secure in their neighborhood

			Total			Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	86.5	(83.5 - 89.0)	1,605	85.8	(82.5 - 88.6)	801	87.3	(83.8 - 90.1)	798	
Age											
	11 or younger	85.6	(78.2 - 90.8)	418	83.8	(76.5 - 89.1)	210	87.7	(77.8 - 93.6)	206	
	12	86.4	(83.7 - 88.8)	515	87.0	(83.5 - 89.8)	253	85.8	(81.8 - 89.1)	261	
	13	88.3	(85.7 - 90.5)	570	87.2	(85.4 - 88.8)	276	89.5	(84.6 - 93.0)	294	
	14 or older	-	-	96	-	-	58	-	-	37	
Grade	2										
	6th	85.5	(78.9 - 90.3)	519	84.2	(78.2 - 88.7)	266	87.1	(76.9 - 93.2)	250	
	7th	87.0	(83.2 - 90.0)	516	86.9	(84.2 - 89.2)	255	87.0	(81.4 - 91.2)	260	
	8th	87.5	(84.4 - 90.1)	550	86.8	(81.5 - 90.7)	271	88.3	(85.3 - 90.7)	279	
Race/	Ethnicity										
	Black*	83.3	(81.1 - 85.2)	311	83.0	(77.4 - 87.5)	160	83.6	(81.8 - 85.1)	151	
	Hispanic/Latino	83.9	(76.6 - 89.3)	191	-	-	86	82.3	(69.7 - 90.4)	104	
	White*	91.7	(88.0 - 94.3)	570	90.9	(87.3 - 93.6)	291	92.4	(86.7 - 95.8)	278	
	All other races*	82.5	(77.8 - 86.4)	329	81.4	(76.3 - 85.6)	157	83.5	(74.4 - 89.8)	171	
	Multiple races*	86.3	(78.7 - 91.5)	100	-	-	49	-	-	51	

Note: 7 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN55: Percentage of students who who felt sad or hopeless (almost every day for 2 or more weeks in a row so that they stopped doing some usual activities during the 12 months before the survey)

		Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	18.2	(16.0 - 20.5)	1,594	14.8	(12.0 - 18.3)	798	21.7	( 18.9 - 24.8 )	791	
Age											
	11 or younger	15.4	(11.3 - 20.6)	412	14.5	(8.8 - 22.8)	207	16.1	(10.8 - 23.4)	203	
	12	18.3	(16.2 - 20.5)	513	16.9	(11.9 - 23.4)	252	19.7	( 14.9 - 25.5 )	260	
	13	19.8	( 14.5 - 26.5 )	570	12.9	(11.0 - 15.1)	278	26.8	(17.5 - 38.8)	292	
	14 or older	-	-	93	-	-	57	-	-	36	
Grade											
	6th	14.3	(11.4 - 17.9)	513	13.8	(9.0 - 20.6)	263	14.7	(11.2 - 19.2)	247	
	7th	19.9	(16.3 - 24.0)	513	17.9	(12.5 - 25.1)	254	22.0	(18.5 - 25.9)	258	
	8th	19.9	( 16.1 - 24.4 )	549	12.2	( 10.2 - 14.4 )	272	28.0	( 20.4 - 37.1 )	277	
Race/E	thnicity										
	Black*	17.3	(13.3 - 22.3)	309	13.6	(10.6 - 17.2)	159	21.5	(16.0 - 28.1)	150	
	Hispanic/Latino	27.1	(21.3 - 33.9)	192	-	-	87	34.3	( 22.2 - 48.9 )	104	
	White*	15.4	(12.2 - 19.3)	569	13.0	( 10.2 - 16.4 )	291	18.2	(13.2 - 24.6)	277	
	All other races*	17.2	(13.2 - 22.0)	325	13.1	(9.3 - 18.1)	155	21.1	(15.8 - 27.7)	170	
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	49	-	-	50	

Note: 18 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN56: Percentage of students who tried or used tobacco products for the first time (during the 12 months before the survey)

			Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	2.1	(1.5 - 2.9)	1,581	2.1	(1.4 - 3.0)	790	2.0	(1.2 - 3.3)	786	
Age											
	11 or younger	0.7	(0.4 - 1.2)	411	0.8	(0.2 - 3.5)	206	0.5	(0.1 - 3.6)	203	
	12	1.4	(0.7 - 2.7)	512	1.0	(0.2 - 3.8)	252	1.8	(0.8 - 4.2)	259	
	13	3.2	(2.6 - 4.0)	563	4.0	(2.3 - 6.8)	273	2.4	(1.5 - 4.0)	290	
	14 or older	-	-	90	-	-	55	-	-	34	
Grad	e										
	6th	0.6	(0.2 - 1.8)	511	0.3	(0.0 - 2.4)	262	0.9	(0.3 - 3.1)	247	
	7th	2.4	(1.5 - 3.9)	510	3.1	(1.4 - 6.9)	252	1.6	(0.9 - 3.1)	257	
	8th	2.7	(1.5 - 4.7)	540	2.1	(0.8 - 5.4)	267	3.3	(1.6 - 6.6)	273	
Race/	Ethnicity										
	Black*	3.2	(2.3 - 4.5)	301	2.5	(1.1 - 5.5)	154	4.0	(1.7 - 9.1)	147	
	Hispanic/Latino	3.1	(1.6 - 6.0)	187	-	-	84	3.7	(2.3 - 6.1)	102	
	White*	1.3	(0.7 - 2.5)	569	1.9	(0.9 - 3.7)	290	0.7	(0.4 - 1.2)	278	
	All other races*	2.0	(0.8 - 4.9)	324	2.3	(0.7 - 7.5)	156	1.4	(0.3 - 6.5)	167	
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	48	-	-	51	

Note: 31 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN57: Percentage of students who completely quit using all tobacco products (during the 12 months before the survey, among students who used any tobacco products during the 12 months before the survey)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	-	-	56	-	-	28	-	-	27
Age										
	11 or younger	-	-	7	_	-	3	-	-	4
	12	-	-	11	-	-	3	-	-	8
	13	-	-	29	-	-	19	-	-	10
	14 or older	-	-	9	-	-	3	-	-	5
Grade										
	6th	-	-	7	-	-	2	-	-	5
	7th	-	-	22	-	-	13	-	-	9
	8th	-	-	23	-	-	11	-	-	12
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	-	-	16	-	-	8	-	-	8
	Hispanic/Latino	-	-	9	-	-	4	-	-	5
	White*	-	-	13	-	-	8	-	-	5
	All other races*	-	-	14	-	-	8	-	-	5
	Multiple races*	-	-	2	-	-	0	-	-	2

Note: 1,556 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN58: Percentage of students who used some flavored tobacco product (during the 30 days before the survey)

		Total				Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	1.3	(0.7 - 2.4)	1,569	1.5	(0.7 - 3.2)	783	1.0	(0.4 - 2.7)	782	
Age											
	11 or younger	0.6	(0.2 - 2.1)	404	0.8	(0.2 - 3.5)	204	0.3	(0.0 - 2.9)	198	
	12	0.5	(0.1 - 2.1)	503	0.4	(0.1 - 2.9)	247	0.7	(0.2 - 2.3)	255	
	13	2.2	(1.2 - 4.1)	565	3.2	(1.4 - 7.5)	272	1.2	(0.4 - 3.8)	293	
	14 or older	-	-	93	-	-	57	-	-	36	
Grade											
	6th	0.3	(0.1 - 1.4)	502	0.3	(0.0 - 2.4)	259	0.3	(0.0 - 2.4)	241	
	7th	1.2	(0.8 - 1.9)	504	1.8	(1.1 - 3.0)	248	0.7	(0.2 - 2.4)	255	
	8th	1.9	(0.8 - 4.4)	544	1.8	(0.5 - 6.8)	267	2.1	(0.7 - 5.8)	277	
Race/E	thnicity										
	Black*	2.2	(1.0 - 4.8)	298	3.0	(1.2 - 7.7)	154	1.3	(0.2 - 8.3)	144	
	Hispanic/Latino	1.6	(0.6 - 4.5)	186	-	-	84	1.9	(0.6 - 5.5)	101	
	White*	0.8	(0.5 - 1.2)	567	1.2	(0.5 - 2.6)	289	0.3	(0.1 - 2.2)	277	
	All other races*	1.4	(0.6 - 3.4)	324	1.5	(0.7 - 3.4)	153	1.3	(0.3 - 6.1)	171	
	Multiple races*	0.0	-	100	-	-	49	-	-	51	

Note: 43 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN59: Percentage of students who have smoked 100 or more cigarettes (5 or more packs, during their life)

		Total			Male		Female		
	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
Total	0.1	(0.0 - 0.4)	1,554	0.1	(0.0 - 0.6)	767	0.1	(0.0 - 0.7)	781
Age									
11 or younger	0.0	-	402	0.0	-	198	0.0	-	202
12	0.0	-	500	0.0	-	245	0.0	-	254
13	0.0	-	556	0.0	-	266	0.0	-	290
14 or older	-	-	90	-	-	54	-	-	35
Grade									
6th	0.1	(0.0 - 1.3)	501	0.3	(0.0 - 2.4)	255	0.0	-	244
7th	0.0	-	497	0.0	-	241	0.0	-	255
8th	0.1	(0.0 - 1.0)	535	0.0	-	262	0.3	(0.0 - 2.0)	273
Race/Ethnicity									
Black*	0.0	-	296	0.0	-	153	0.0	-	143
Hispanic/Latino	1.2	(0.3 - 4.7)	183	-	-	79	1.0	(0.1 - 6.8)	103
White*	0.0	-	561	0.0	-	284	0.0	-	276
All other races*	0.0	-	318	0.0	-	149	0.0	-	168
Multiple races*	-	-	97	-	-	48	-	-	49

Note: 58 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN60: Percentage of students who were asked to show proof of age (among students who bought or tried to buy cigarettes in a store during the 30 days before the

		Total				Male		Female		
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
Tota	ıl	-	-	16	-	-	10	-	-	5
Age										
11 o	r younger	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	1
12		-	-	4	-	-	3	-	-	1
13		-	-	7	-	-	5	-	-	2
14 o	or older	-	-	3	-	-	1	-	-	1
Grade										
6th		-	-	4	-	-	3	-	-	1
7th		-	-	4	-	-	3	-	-	1
8th		-	-	7	-	-	4	-	-	3
Race/Ethnicit	ty									
Blac	ck*	-	-	4	-	-	2	-	-	2
Hisp	panic/Latino	-	-	3	-	-	2	-	-	1
Whi	te*	-	-	3	-	-	2	-	-	1
	other races*	-	-	5	-	-	3	-	-	1
Mul	tiple races*	-	-	0	-	-	0	-	-	0

Note: 1,596 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN61: Percentage of students who had someone refuse to sell them cigarettes because of their age (among students who tried to buy cigarettes during the 30 days before the survey)

		Total			Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
Total		-	-	35	-	-	20	-	-	14
Age										
11 or you	inger	-	-	9	-	-	6	-	-	3
12		-	-	9	-	-	6	-	-	3
13		-	-	11	-	-	5	-	-	6
14 or old	er	-	-	6	-	-	3	-	-	2
Grade										
6th		-	-	11	-	-	8	-	-	3
7th		-	-	13	-	-	9	-	-	4
8th		-	-	9	-	-	3	-	-	6
Race/Ethnicity										
Black*		-	-	7	-	-	1	-	-	6
Hispanic	Latino	-	-	9	-	-	7	-	-	2
White*		-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	1
All other	races*	-	-	13	-	-	8	-	-	4
Multiple	races*	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	0

Note: 1,577 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN62: Percentage of students who usually smoked menthol cigarettes (among students who smoked cigarettes during the 30 days before the survey)

		Total			Male		Female			
	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
Total	-	-	12	-	-	5	-	-	7	
Age										
11 or younger	-	-	2	-	-	1	-	-	1	
12	-	-	1	-	-	0	-	-	1	
13	-	-	7	-	-	4	-	-	3	
14 or older	-	-	2	-	-	0	-	-	2	
Grade										
6th	-	-	1	-	-	0	-	-	1	
7th	-	-	3	-	-	2	-	-	1	
8th	-	-	7	-	-	2	-	-	5	
Race/Ethnicity										
Black*	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	0	
Hispanic/Latino	-	-	3	-	-	0	-	-	3	
White*	-	-	3	-	-	2	-	-	1	
All other races*	-	-	4	-	-	2	-	-	2	
Multiple races*	-	-	0	-	-	0	-	-	0	

Note: 1,600 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.

- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN63: Percentage of students who live with someone who now smokes cigarettes or cigars

		Total			Male		Female		
	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
Total	23.9	(21.9 - 26.0)	1,586	23.1	( 20.0 - 26.6 )	791	24.4	( 20.2 - 29.2 )	790
Age									
11 or younger	25.4	(23.3 - 27.6)	406	25.6	(20.7 - 31.3)	204	24.8	(18.1 - 32.8)	201
12	21.5	(17.3 - 26.4)	515	20.4	(15.8 - 25.9)	254	22.7	(13.9 - 34.7)	260
13	24.1	( 20.7 - 27.8 )	565	24.2	(18.1 - 31.7)	272	24.0	( 20.3 - 28.1 )	293
14 or older	-	-	93	-	-	57	-	-	36
Grade									
6th	24.1	(22.1 - 26.2)	507	24.8	(18.8 - 32.0)	260	23.2	(16.4 - 31.7)	245
7th	21.6	(17.8 - 26.0)	514	21.4	(19.6 - 23.2)	255	22.0	(14.4 - 31.9)	258
8th	25.0	( 22.5 - 27.6 )	545	21.8	(16.6 - 28.0)	267	28.2	(25.6 - 31.0)	278
Race/Ethnicity									
Black*	26.7	( 20.9 - 33.5 )	307	23.4	(15.2 - 34.4)	157	30.4	(23.5 - 38.2)	150
Hispanic/Latino	27.4	(23.0 - 32.2)	186	-	-	83	26.9	(19.0 - 36.7)	102
White*	21.7	(17.1 - 27.0)	567	21.1	(15.4 - 28.1)	289	22.3	(17.8 - 27.6)	278
All other races*	23.5	( 19.0 - 28.6 )	324	24.2	(18.3 - 31.2)	155	22.8	(17.4 - 29.3)	169
Multiple races*	30.7	( 22.5 - 40.4 )	100	-	-	49	-	-	51

Note: 26 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN64: Percentage of students who describe the rule about smoking inside the home where they live is that it is never allowed inside their home

		Total				Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
To	otal	90.8	(88.2 - 92.8)	1,567	90.8	(87.8 - 93.1)	781	90.7	(87.3 - 93.3)	781	
Age											
11	or younger	91.5	(85.0 - 95.3)	394	90.2	(83.1 - 94.5)	197	92.8	(85.9 - 96.5)	197	
12		91.0	(87.9 - 93.4)	510	90.4	(83.5 - 94.6)	252	91.7	(88.8 - 93.9)	257	
13		90.7	(86.4 - 93.8)	563	91.9	(84.2 - 96.0)	272	89.6	(85.0 - 92.9)	291	
14	or older	-	-	94	-	-	57	-	-	36	
Grade											
6th	1	90.3	(85.2 - 93.7)	495	88.4	(81.8 - 92.8)	253	92.3	(86.1 - 95.9)	241	
7th	1	90.3	(86.4 - 93.1)	506	91.0	(85.4 - 94.5)	252	89.5	(83.0 - 93.7)	253	
8th	ı	92.3	(90.2 - 94.1)	545	94.6	(89.1 - 97.4)	267	90.0	(87.3 - 92.3)	278	
Race/Ethnic	eity										
Bla	ack*	88.1	(85.0 - 90.6)	306	91.0	(88.3 - 93.2)	158	84.7	(79.1 - 89.1)	148	
His	spanic/Latino	90.0	(85.2 - 93.3)	182	-	-	81	92.1	(83.7 - 96.3)	100	
Wl	hite*	91.1	(87.3 - 93.8)	564	90.3	(86.5 - 93.1)	287	91.9	(84.8 - 95.8)	277	
All	l other races*	91.6	( 86.4 - 94.9 )	321	92.4	(83.5 - 96.7)	154	90.8	(86.7 - 93.7)	166	
Mι	ultiple races*	-	-	98	-	-	47	-	-	51	

Note: 45 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN65: Percentage of students who were in the same room with someone who was smoking cigarettes (on at least one day during the 7 days before the survey)

			Total			Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	11.6	(9.6 - 13.9)	1,577	10.6	(7.7 - 14.4)	782	12.6	( 10.4 - 15.1 )	790	
Age											
	11 or younger	9.1	(7.1 - 11.6)	404	8.8	(6.2 - 12.5)	202	9.4	(5.9 - 14.7)	201	
	12	12.2	(8.9 - 16.6)	507	10.6	(5.5 - 19.4)	247	14.0	(9.5 - 20.1)	259	
	13	12.4	(9.3 - 16.5)	566	11.4	(6.8 - 18.6)	272	13.4	(11.2 - 16.0)	294	
	14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	57	-	-	36	
Grade											
	6th	9.4	(7.4 - 11.9)	502	8.3	(4.6 - 14.5)	256	10.6	(8.2 - 13.6)	245	
	7th	12.2	(9.4 - 15.7)	508	11.9	(8.7 - 15.9)	250	12.6	(8.1 - 18.9)	257	
	8th	11.8	(7.7 - 17.6)	546	9.9	(5.2 - 18.0)	267	13.7	(9.6 - 19.1)	279	
Race/I	Ethnicity										
	Black*	12.1	(7.4 - 19.1)	306	11.8	(6.6 - 20.3)	157	12.4	(7.5 - 19.7)	149	
	Hispanic/Latino	15.6	(11.9 - 20.4)	186	-	-	81	13.7	(8.8 - 20.6)	104	
	White*	11.4	(9.2 - 14.0)	561	9.8	( 6.4 - 14.5 )	285	13.1	(9.0 - 18.6)	276	
	All other races*	8.9	(5.9 - 13.1)	324	5.6	(3.7 - 8.6)	154	11.7	(6.5 - 20.2)	169	
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	48	-	-	51	

Note: 35 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN66: Percentage of students who currently drank alcohol (at least one drink of alcohol on at least 1 day during the 30 days before the survey)

		Total				Male		Female		
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	4.5	(3.8 - 5.3)	1,583	4.9	(3.6 - 6.8)	784	3.9	(2.7 - 5.8)	792
Age										
	11 or younger	1.2	(0.4 - 3.2)	407	1.9	(0.6 - 5.8)	202	0.5	(0.1 - 3.8)	203
	12	4.6	(3.3 - 6.6)	512	5.2	( 2.5 - 10.5 )	251	3.9	(2.1 - 7.2)	260
	13	6.2	(4.8 - 7.9)	563	6.6	( 3.9 - 10.9 )	270	5.9	(4.0 - 8.4)	293
	14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	57	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	1.0	(0.3 - 3.1)	509	1.6	(0.4 - 6.7)	258	0.4	(0.1 - 3.2)	248
	7th	6.7	(4.4 - 9.9)	510	7.0	(4.1 - 11.7)	252	6.0	(3.4 - 10.4)	257
	8th	5.5	(3.5 - 8.5)	543	5.6	( 3.0 - 10.0 )	265	5.4	(3.0 - 9.8)	278
Race/I	Ethnicity									
	Black*	5.3	(4.4 - 6.4)	305	5.9	(2.8 - 12.3)	157	4.6	(1.8 - 11.3)	148
	Hispanic/Latino	7.2	(4.3 - 11.7)	189	-	-	84	6.4	(4.5 - 9.1)	104
	White*	4.9	(3.3 - 7.3)	564	4.6	(2.7 - 8.0)	284	5.2	(3.1 - 8.6)	279
	All other races*	2.4	(1.2 - 5.1)	324	3.7	(1.7 - 7.9)	154	0.8	(0.2 - 3.5)	169
	Multiple races*	-	-	99	-	-	48	-	-	51

Note: 29 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN67: Percentage of students who who currently used marijuana (one or more times during the 30 days before the survey)

			Total			Male			Female		
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	2.7	(1.9 - 3.9)	1,583	3.0	(1.9 - 4.7)	784	2.3	(1.3 - 3.9)	793	
Age											
	11 or younger	1.0	(0.4 - 2.6)	406	0.9	(0.2 - 3.5)	200	1.0	(0.2 - 4.6)	204	
	12	1.8	(0.9 - 3.7)	512	2.6	(1.0 - 6.6)	251	1.0	(0.4 - 2.2)	260	
	13	4.1	(2.5 - 6.8)	564	4.5	(2.3 - 8.8)	271	3.7	(2.5 - 5.6)	293	
	14 or older	-	-	95	-	-	58	-	-	36	
Grad	e										
	6th	1.1	(0.6 - 2.0)	507	1.4	(0.6 - 3.4)	256	0.8	(0.2 - 3.8)	249	
	7th	2.6	(1.4 - 4.7)	511	3.8	(1.9 - 7.5)	253	1.4	(0.6 - 3.4)	257	
	8th	4.2	(2.3 - 7.4)	544	3.8	(1.7 - 8.0)	266	4.6	(2.4 - 8.5)	278	
Race/	Ethnicity										
	Black*	4.9	(3.8 - 6.5)	307	4.2	(2.1 - 8.6)	158	5.7	(3.1 - 10.4)	149	
	Hispanic/Latino	3.7	(1.2 - 11.0)	188	-	-	83	2.0	(0.3 - 12.8)	104	
	White*	1.1	(0.6 - 2.2)	565	1.6	(0.8 - 3.3)	285	0.6	(0.2 - 2.6)	279	
	All other races*	1.4	(0.6 - 3.5)	322	1.2	(0.3 - 5.5)	152	1.2	(0.3 - 4.5)	169	
	Multiple races*	3.8	(1.8 - 7.9)	100	-	-	49	-	-	51	

Note: 29 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.

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## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN68: Percentage of students who have ever used heroin (also called "smack", "junk", or "China White")

		Total				Male		Female		
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	0.8	(0.5 - 1.5)	1,583	0.7	(0.3 - 1.3)	784	1.0	(0.6 - 1.8)	794
Age										
	11 or younger	1.2	(0.6 - 2.4)	405	1.2	(0.3 - 5.0)	200	1.2	(0.6 - 2.2)	203
	12	0.6	(0.1 - 3.2)	510	0.4	(0.1 - 2.9)	248	0.8	(0.1 - 7.0)	261
	13	0.9	(0.6 - 1.3)	568	0.6	(0.2 - 2.3)	274	1.2	(0.6 - 2.4)	294
	14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	58	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	1.0	(0.5 - 1.9)	504	0.9	(0.2 - 3.8)	255	1.0	(0.5 - 1.8)	247
	7th	0.7	(0.2 - 2.1)	511	0.7	(0.2 - 2.3)	251	0.8	(0.2 - 3.5)	259
	8th	0.8	(0.4 - 1.6)	548	0.4	(0.1 - 2.8)	269	1.2	(0.5 - 3.0)	279
Race/E	Ethnicity									
	Black*	0.9	(0.3 - 2.6)	306	0.0	-	156	1.9	(0.6 - 5.3)	150
	Hispanic/Latino	1.0	(0.3 - 4.0)	188	-	-	83	1.9	(0.5 - 7.0)	104
	White*	0.5	(0.2 - 1.5)	566	0.7	(0.2 - 2.6)	288	0.4	(0.1 - 2.1)	277
	All other races*	1.4	(0.4 - 4.7)	322	1.4	(0.3 - 6.1)	152	1.4	(0.4 - 4.5)	170
	Multiple races*	0.0	-	100	-	-	49	-	-	51

Note: 29 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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## **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN69: Percentage of students who currently took a prescription drug without a doctor's prescription (such as OxyContin, Percocet, Vicodin, codeine, Adderall, Ritalin, or Xanax, one or more times during the 30 days before the survey)

		Total				Male		Female		
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	6.0	(5.0 - 7.1)	1,584	6.8	(5.4 - 8.4)	783	5.0	(3.7 - 6.8)	794
Age										
	11 or younger	5.8	(4.1 - 8.3)	406	7.5	(5.7 - 9.8)	200	4.2	(1.7 - 9.6)	204
	12	5.3	(2.9 - 9.4)	511	7.5	(4.0 - 13.9)	250	3.1	(1.7 - 5.7)	260
	13	6.2	(5.4 - 7.1)	566	5.4	(3.9 - 7.3)	272	7.0	(6.4 - 7.7)	294
	14 or older	-	-	94	-	-	57	-	-	36
Grade										
	6th	6.6	(5.4 - 8.1)	506	9.3	(7.1 - 12.3)	256	3.4	(1.4 - 8.1)	247
	7th	4.8	(2.7 - 8.3)	512	4.6	(2.5 - 8.2)	252	5.0	(2.5 - 9.6)	259
	8th	6.3	(5.2 - 7.6)	545	6.5	(4.6 - 9.3)	266	6.1	(4.8 - 7.6)	279
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	5.4	(3.9 - 7.6)	306	4.3	(3.1 - 6.0)	156	6.6	(3.8 - 11.4)	150
	Hispanic/Latino	8.6	(4.8 - 15.0)	189	-	-	84	7.8	(3.7 - 15.9)	104
	White*	5.0	(4.0 - 6.3)	566	5.9	(4.5 - 7.6)	287	4.1	(2.6 - 6.5)	278
	All other races*	7.0	(5.6 - 8.6)	322	10.8	( 6.9 - 16.5 )	152	2.9	(0.9 - 9.3)	169
	Multiple races*	6.7	(3.0 - 14.2)	100	-	-	49	-	-	51

Note: 28 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

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# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN70: Percentage of students who were offered, sold, or given an illegal drug on school property (during the 12 months before the survey)

		Total		Male			Female			
	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
Total	3.2	(2.2 - 4.5)	1,583	2.8	(1.6 - 4.8)	784	3.5	(2.7 - 4.7)	793	
Age										
11 or younger	2.3	(1.2 - 4.5)	405	1.0	(0.2 - 4.1)	200	3.7	(2.0 - 6.6)	203	
12	2.9	(1.7 - 4.8)	512	2.8	(1.1 - 6.8)	251	3.0	(1.8 - 5.0)	260	
13	3.7	(2.3 - 5.9)	566	4.3	(2.7 - 6.8)	272	3.1	(1.4 - 6.6)	294	
14 or older	-	-	93	-	-	57	-	-	36	
Grade										
6th	2.8	(1.6 - 4.9)	506	1.3	(0.4 - 4.2)	256	4.4	(2.7 - 7.0)	247	
7th	3.3	(2.3 - 4.6)	512	3.6	(1.9 - 6.6)	253	3.0	(1.2 - 7.3)	258	
8th	3.3	(1.6 - 6.8)	545	3.3	(1.9 - 5.5)	266	3.3	(1.2 - 8.9)	279	
Race/Ethnicity										
Black*	3.7	(2.8 - 4.8)	305	3.0	(1.8 - 5.1)	156	4.4	(2.1 - 8.9)	149	
Hispanic/Latino	5.5	(2.7 - 11.1)	187	-	-	83	4.1	(0.9 - 17.0)	103	
White*	2.6	(1.5 - 4.5)	568	1.7	(0.6 - 4.8)	288	3.6	(2.2 - 6.0)	279	
All other races*	2.3	(0.9 - 5.4)	322	2.1	(0.7 - 6.8)	152	2.4	(0.9 - 6.5)	170	
Multiple races*	1.0	(0.1 - 6.9)	100	-	-	49	-	-	51	

Note: 29 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN71: Percentage of students who spend more than 20 minutes actually exercising or playing sports during an average physical education (PE) class

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	92.4	(89.4 - 94.5)	1,557	91.8	( 87.0 - 94.9 )	772	93.0	(88.0 - 96.1)	779
Age										
	11 or younger	94.9	(92.0 - 96.7)	387	95.6	(92.8 - 97.4)	192	94.0	(90.1 - 96.5)	194
	12	92.4	(87.2 - 95.6)	503	92.4	(86.7 - 95.7)	247	92.5	(81.7 - 97.1)	255
	13	91.4	(88.8 - 93.4)	565	89.1	(83.0 - 93.2)	272	93.6	(90.3 - 95.9)	293
	14 or older	-	-	95	-	-	57	-	-	37
Grade										
	6th	95.1	(92.7 - 96.7)	484	95.6	(93.0 - 97.3)	245	94.5	(90.4 - 96.9)	237
	7th	89.9	(85.4 - 93.1)	506	90.0	(83.6 - 94.1)	250	89.7	(80.2 - 94.9)	255
	8th	92.2	(89.6 - 94.2)	546	89.5	(83.4 - 93.5)	268	95.0	(91.0 - 97.3)	278
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	92.3	(85.8 - 95.9)	298	93.6	(83.3 - 97.7)	152	90.8	(80.7 - 95.9)	146
	Hispanic/Latino	88.0	(85.2 - 90.3)	179	-	-	80	-	-	98
	White*	93.0	(89.8 - 95.3)	555	90.4	(84.5 - 94.1)	282	95.9	( 94.5 - 96.9 )	273
	All other races*	92.8	(87.5 - 95.9)	324	91.4	( 78.1 - 96.9 )	154	94.5	(91.7 - 96.4)	169
	Multiple races*	-	-	98	-	-	47	-	-	51

Note: 55 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN72: Percentage of students who have been taught about AIDS or HIV infection in school

			Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N		
	Total	72.2	( 62.7 - 80.1 )	1,543	72.6	( 60.9 - 81.8 )	763	71.7	( 63.9 - 78.3 )	775		
Age												
	11 or younger	47.4	(36.0 - 59.2)	379	51.4	( 40.6 - 62.1 )	187	43.1	(30.9 - 56.2)	191		
	12	75.6	(66.7 - 82.7)	503	75.4	(61.5 - 85.5)	245	75.7	(70.1 - 80.6)	257		
	13	85.6	(80.5 - 89.6)	562	85.1	(76.0 - 91.2)	271	86.2	(83.6 - 88.4)	291		
	14 or older	-	-	93	-	-	56	-	-	36		
Grade												
	6th	46.3	( 36.5 - 56.4 )	475	48.6	(39.1 - 58.1)	240	43.6	(32.8 - 55.1)	234		
	7th	82.8	(75.4 - 88.4)	506	83.8	(71.6 - 91.4)	248	81.8	(75.3 - 86.9)	257		
	8th	86.2	(80.6 - 90.4)	541	85.2	(75.8 - 91.4)	266	87.2	(84.0 - 89.8)	275		
Race/	Ethnicity											
	Black*	76.8	( 66.0 - 85.0 )	295	75.6	( 63.7 - 84.6 )	150	78.2	(67.0 - 86.3)	145		
	Hispanic/Latino	73.3	(66.0 - 79.5)	178	-	-	78	-	-	99		
	White*	74.7	( 64.8 - 82.6 )	555	74.8	(61.7 - 84.6)	281	74.5	( 66.8 - 80.9 )	273		
	All other races*	66.9	(53.0 - 78.3)	323	71.4	(55.7 - 83.3)	153	62.3	(48.8 - 74.2)	169		
	Multiple races*	-	-	97	-	-	47	-	-	50		

Note: 69 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN73: Percentage of students who have had asthma symptoms (during the 12 months before the survey)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
Tota	1	14.7	( 13.0 - 16.7 )	1,508	14.6	(11.8 - 17.9)	738	15.0	(13.0 - 17.2)	765
Age										
11 o	r younger	13.2	(9.4 - 18.2)	374	13.3	(7.8 - 21.8)	186	13.1	(9.7 - 17.4)	187
12		13.3	( 10.3 - 16.9 )	488	12.4	(9.1 - 16.6)	234	14.2	(11.1 - 17.9)	253
13		16.9	(12.9 - 22.0)	550	17.3	(12.6 - 23.2)	259	16.6	(11.3 - 23.8)	291
14 o	r older	-	-	90	-	-	55	-	-	34
Grade										
6th		12.4	(9.6 - 16.0)	467	11.8	(7.0 - 19.3)	237	13.1	(9.8 - 17.3)	229
7th		15.7	(14.2 - 17.4)	490	15.5	(12.2 - 19.4)	236	16.1	(13.1 - 19.5)	253
8th		15.8	(12.7 - 19.6)	531	15.6	(10.9 - 21.8)	256	16.1	(12.6 - 20.3)	275
Race/Ethnicit	y									
Blac	k*	17.7	(16.1 - 19.3)	283	19.4	(12.8 - 28.3)	144	15.8	(9.6 - 25.0)	139
Hisp	anic/Latino	16.3	(11.5 - 22.7)	176	-	-	77	-	-	98
Whit	te*	15.9	( 13.3 - 18.7 )	548	14.4	(11.4 - 18.0)	275	17.4	(13.3 - 22.4)	272
All	other races*	8.9	(6.7 - 11.6)	312	7.6	(3.6 - 15.4)	144	10.1	(8.1 - 12.4)	167
Mult	iple races*	-	-	94	-	-	45	-	-	49

Note: 104 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN74: Percentage of students who described their health as excellent or very good

		Total		Male			Female			
	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
Total	68.4	(65.0 - 71.6)	1,519	71.3	( 65.4 - 76.6 )	749	65.4	( 60.4 - 70.2 )	765	
Age										
11 or younger	73.2	( 69.1 - 76.9 )	371	73.0	( 66.7 - 78.5 )	183	73.2	(63.2 - 81.2)	187	
12	67.4	( 64.0 - 70.6 )	494	68.1	(58.6 - 76.3)	242	66.9	(61.3 - 72.1)	251	
13	66.9	(59.5 - 73.5)	555	73.1	(59.7 - 83.2)	263	60.9	(54.2 - 67.3)	292	
14 or older	-	-	93	-	-	57	-	-	35	
Grade										
6th	73.0	( 69.9 - 75.9 )	464	72.4	(65.7 - 78.1)	234	73.6	(65.6 - 80.2)	229	
7th	67.6	(62.5 - 72.3)	497	67.9	(57.3 - 76.9)	244	67.5	(60.2 - 74.1)	252	
8th	65.1	( 60.1 - 69.8 )	538	73.9	(65.7 - 80.7)	262	56.3	(52.3 - 60.2)	276	
Race/Ethnicity										
Black*	69.6	( 62.8 - 75.7 )	289	76.8	( 66.2 - 84.9 )	145	62.0	(51.5 - 71.5)	144	
Hispanic/Latino	61.0	(54.3 - 67.3)	174	-	-	77	-	-	96	
White*	71.8	(67.8 - 75.6)	550	72.8	( 69.0 - 76.2 )	277	70.8	( 64.0 - 76.8 )	272	
All other races*	66.7	(59.1 - 73.4)	315	67.9	(55.0 - 78.6)	149	65.3	( 59.9 - 70.3 )	165	
Multiple races*	-	-	94	-	-	45	-	-	49	

Note: 93 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN75: Percentage of students who used an indoor tanning device (such as a sunlamp, sunbed, or tanning booth [not including getting a spray-on tan] one or more times during the 12 months before the survey)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	2.0	(1.4 - 2.9)	1,520	2.2	(1.4 - 3.5)	742	1.9	(0.9 - 3.6)	773
Age										
	11 or younger	2.5	(1.4 - 4.6)	374	3.3	(1.4 - 7.7)	182	1.7	(0.5 - 5.4)	191
	12	2.2	(1.3 - 3.5)	498	1.9	(1.0 - 3.4)	240	2.4	(1.3 - 4.4)	257
	13	1.6	(0.9 - 2.6)	553	1.5	(0.9 - 2.4)	262	1.6	(0.8 - 3.5)	291
	14 or older	-	-	90	-	-	55	-	-	34
Grade										
	6th	2.6	(1.4 - 4.8)	467	3.3	(1.2 - 8.4)	232	1.9	(0.6 - 6.0)	234
	7th	2.3	(1.7 - 3.1)	498	2.0	(1.3 - 3.2)	242	2.7	(1.5 - 4.8)	255
	8th	1.3	(0.6 - 2.7)	534	1.6	(0.9 - 2.8)	259	1.1	(0.3 - 3.9)	275
Race/l	Ethnicity									
	Black*	1.4	(0.7 - 2.6)	284	1.3	(0.4 - 4.4)	141	1.4	(0.3 - 6.3)	143
	Hispanic/Latino	3.8	(1.7 - 8.1)	177	-	-	78	-	-	98
	White*	2.3	(1.3 - 4.3)	553	2.8	(1.4 - 5.7)	279	1.8	(0.7 - 5.0)	273
	All other races*	2.2	(1.3 - 3.5)	317	2.9	(1.6 - 5.1)	147	1.5	(0.7 - 3.1)	169
	Multiple races*	-	-	95	-	-	45	-	-	50

Note: 92 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN76: Percentage of students who were taught in any of their classes about the dangers of tobacco use (during the last school year)

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	91.7	( 88.4 - 94.1 )	1,517	91.0	(88.4 - 93.0)	740	92.3	( 87.5 - 95.4 )	771
Age										
	11 or younger	88.8	(81.8 - 93.3)	369	90.2	(83.1 - 94.5)	180	87.3	( 78.2 - 92.9 )	188
	12	93.4	(90.8 - 95.2)	496	92.8	(89.9 - 94.9)	238	93.9	(91.1 - 95.9)	257
	13	92.6	(89.3 - 95.0)	553	90.5	(86.9 - 93.2)	262	94.7	(88.7 - 97.6)	291
	14 or older	-	-	92	-	-	56	-	-	35
Grade										
	6th	88.1	(80.7 - 93.0)	462	88.4	(81.3 - 93.1)	229	87.7	(78.3 - 93.4)	231
	7th	93.6	(89.0 - 96.3)	498	92.6	(84.6 - 96.7)	242	94.5	(92.4 - 96.0)	255
	8th	93.4	(89.9 - 95.7)	537	92.3	(86.5 - 95.7)	261	94.5	( 87.4 - 97.7 )	276
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	90.6	(80.3 - 95.8)	283	90.7	(82.1 - 95.4)	139	90.4	(74.2 - 96.9)	144
	Hispanic/Latino	88.3	(77.5 - 94.3)	175	-	-	77	-	-	97
	White*	94.6	(91.9 - 96.4)	548	93.2	(90.0 - 95.4)	277	96.0	(91.9 - 98.1)	270
	All other races*	90.1	(87.5 - 92.2)	320	88.9	(84.1 - 92.4)	149	91.2	(85.5 - 94.8)	170
	Multiple races*	-	-	95	-	-	45	-	-	50

Note: 95 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN77: Percentage of students who say definitely yes or probably yes that young people who smoke have more friends

		Total			Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
,	Гotal	17.4	( 14.7 - 20.4 )	1,503	16.6	( 13.8 - 19.9 )	731	18.3	( 15.2 - 21.9 )	766
Age										
	11 or younger	15.4	(10.2 - 22.5)	367	15.6	(10.3 - 22.8)	179	15.4	(9.3 - 24.4)	186
	12	16.7	(11.4 - 23.9)	492	13.4	(8.7 - 20.2)	234	19.9	(12.9 - 29.5)	257
	13	18.7	(15.1 - 23.0)	549	18.7	( 14.4 - 23.9 )	260	18.8	(13.0 - 26.4)	289
	14 or older	-	-	90	-	-	55	-	-	34
Grade										
(	6th	14.4	(9.4 - 21.5)	456	12.9	(8.0 - 20.1)	226	16.1	(9.9 - 25.1)	228
,	7th	19.9	(15.1 - 25.6)	496	18.8	(14.9 - 23.5)	239	20.9	(13.6 - 30.7)	256
8	8th	17.8	(13.1 - 23.7)	531	18.0	(13.6 - 23.4)	258	17.5	(10.0 - 28.8)	273
Race/Ethr	nicity									
]	Black*	25.1	(20.7 - 30.1)	280	20.6	( 14.7 - 28.2 )	137	29.6	(23.4 - 36.7)	143
]	Hispanic/Latino	27.7	(22.1 - 34.1)	174	-	-	75	-	-	98
•	White*	12.8	( 10.9 - 15.0 )	549	13.7	(11.3 - 16.6)	277	11.8	(9.4 - 14.8)	271
	All other races*	14.0	(8.5 - 22.2)	317	13.7	(7.7 - 23.1)	149	14.4	(7.9 - 25.0)	167
]	Multiple races*	-	-	92	-	-	44	-	-	48

Note: 109 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.

- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN78: Percentage of students who say definitely yes or probably yes that smoking makes young people look cool or fit in

			Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	10.5	( 9.1 - 12.1 )	1,507	10.9	(8.9 - 13.2)	733	10.2	(7.9 - 13.1)	768	
Age											
	11 or younger	9.2	(5.7 - 14.6)	370	9.2	(6.3 - 13.2)	179	9.4	(4.5 - 18.6)	189	
	12	10.7	(7.7 - 14.7)	495	11.1	(7.2 - 16.9)	237	10.3	(7.1 - 14.7)	257	
	13	11.4	(9.0 - 14.2)	548	11.9	(7.7 - 17.8)	260	10.9	(9.7 - 12.4)	288	
	14 or older	-	-	89	-	-	54	-	-	34	
Grade											
	6th	8.9	(5.3 - 14.6)	462	8.1	(5.0 - 12.8)	228	9.8	(5.0 - 18.1)	232	
	7th	12.7	(10.1 - 15.7)	494	13.7	(10.1 - 18.4)	238	11.6	(8.7 - 15.4)	255	
	8th	9.6	(7.0 - 13.0)	531	10.3	( 6.3 - 16.3 )	259	8.8	(5.3 - 14.4)	272	
Race/	Ethnicity										
	Black*	15.3	(12.2 - 19.0)	280	10.9	(8.3 - 14.2)	137	19.6	(13.1 - 28.4)	143	
	Hispanic/Latino	12.7	(7.7 - 20.4)	172	-	<u>-</u>	74	-	-	97	
	White*	9.0	(7.1 - 11.5)	549	9.5	(6.1 - 14.5)	277	8.6	(5.9 - 12.2)	271	
	All other races*	7.1	(4.2 - 11.7)	319	9.7	(5.2 - 17.3)	148	4.7	(1.8 - 11.7)	170	
	Multiple races*	-	-	95	-	-	45	-	-	50	

Note: 105 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN79: Percentage of students who say definitely yes or probably yes that smokers have shorter lives than non-smokers

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
·	Гotal	93.9	(92.8 - 94.8)	1,504	94.2	( 92.2 - 95.8 )	734	93.6	(91.7 - 95.0)	765
Age										
]	11 or younger	94.9	(93.6 - 95.9)	369	96.0	(92.9 - 97.8)	181	93.7	(90.4 - 95.9)	187
]	12	93.0	(91.8 - 94.1)	493	92.7	(88.1 - 95.7)	235	93.5	(89.9 - 95.9)	257
1	13	94.3	(92.1 - 95.9)	547	94.9	(90.3 - 97.4)	259	93.6	(90.8 - 95.6)	288
1	14 or older	-	-	89	-	-	55	-	-	33
Grade										
(	6th	94.0	(92.0 - 95.6)	460	94.9	(90.5 - 97.4)	229	93.1	(90.8 - 94.8)	230
-	7th	93.2	(91.8 - 94.5)	491	92.5	(85.4 - 96.3)	237	94.2	(90.7 - 96.5)	253
8	8th	94.5	(92.3 - 96.1)	532	95.5	(92.7 - 97.3)	259	93.5	(90.9 - 95.4)	273
Race/Ethr	nicity									
]	Black*	94.1	(91.8 - 95.8)	280	94.8	(89.1 - 97.6)	138	93.4	(89.4 - 96.0)	142
]	Hispanic/Latino	88.4	(80.7 - 93.2)	175	-	-	76	-	-	98
7	White*	94.7	(91.9 - 96.5)	548	96.4	(92.3 - 98.3)	277	92.8	(89.9 - 95.0)	270
	All other races*	94.1	(91.3 - 96.0)	314	93.1	(83.3 - 97.3)	146	95.0	(89.4 - 97.7)	167
I	Multiple races*	-	-	95	-	-	45	-	-	50

Note: 108 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN80: Percentage of students who responded that their parents would feel it would be wrong or very wrong for them to drink beer, wine, or hard liquor at least once or twice a month

		Total			Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	89.8	( 87.4 - 91.8 )	1,496	88.5	(86.3 - 90.4)	731	91.1	(87.6 - 93.6)	760	
Age											
	11 or younger	90.8	(86.9 - 93.7)	362	91.7	(85.6 - 95.3)	178	90.0	(83.6 - 94.0)	183	
	12	91.0	(87.9 - 93.4)	491	88.7	(84.3 - 92.0)	235	93.3	(85.6 - 97.0)	255	
	13	89.7	(86.7 - 92.1)	550	88.0	(83.7 - 91.3)	261	91.3	(88.3 - 93.6)	289	
	14 or older	-	-	88	-	-	54	-	-	33	
Grade											
	6th	89.6	(86.3 - 92.2)	451	88.9	(85.5 - 91.6)	225	90.3	(83.1 - 94.6)	225	
	7th	91.2	(88.3 - 93.4)	489	89.1	(83.6 - 92.9)	235	93.2	(89.2 - 95.8)	253	
	8th	88.6	(84.7 - 91.6)	535	87.5	(80.8 - 92.1)	262	89.6	(85.2 - 92.8)	273	
Race/F	Ethnicity										
	Black*	89.6	(83.6 - 93.6)	276	90.2	(83.4 - 94.4)	138	88.9	(81.2 - 93.7)	138	
	Hispanic/Latino	86.1	(77.4 - 91.9)	172	-	-	74	-	-	97	
	White*	89.6	(86.4 - 92.0)	546	87.6	(84.0 - 90.5)	275	91.5	(86.9 - 94.6)	270	
	All other races*	93.9	(89.4 - 96.5)	316	92.3	(86.9 - 95.5)	147	95.4	(90.1 - 97.9)	168	
	Multiple races*	-	-	94	-	-	45	-	-	49	

Note: 116 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.
N = Number of students in this subgroup.
- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

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QN81: Percentage of students who think people are at moderate or great risk of harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they have one or two drinks of alcohol (beer, wine or liquor) nearly every day

		Total		Male			Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
	Total	76.0	(72.6 - 79.1)	1,485	72.6	( 68.2 - 76.7 )	727	79.3	( 76.2 - 82.0 )	753
Age										
	11 or younger	76.9	(71.0 - 81.9)	361	76.3	( 66.3 - 84.0 )	177	77.4	(72.5 - 81.6)	183
	12	75.0	(70.5 - 79.0)	489	70.0	(64.4 - 75.0)	233	79.8	(75.4 - 83.7)	255
	13	76.3	(72.4 - 79.9)	541	72.0	( 66.8 - 76.6 )	259	80.6	(74.5 - 85.6)	282
	14 or older	-	-	89	-	-	55	-	-	33
Grade										
	6th	75.7	(70.2 - 80.4)	450	74.2	( 66.9 - 80.3 )	224	77.0	(71.8 - 81.5)	225
	7th	74.7	(67.9 - 80.5)	484	70.1	(60.3 - 78.3)	234	79.3	(73.3 - 84.2)	249
	8th	77.3	(72.8 - 81.3)	531	73.6	( 69.9 - 77.1 )	261	81.1	(73.2 - 87.0)	270
Race/E	thnicity									
	Black*	74.2	( 68.8 - 78.9 )	273	72.2	(65.0 - 78.4)	135	76.2	(69.4 - 81.8)	138
	Hispanic/Latino	71.8	( 64.8 - 77.9 )	168	-	-	74	-	-	93
	White*	74.4	(70.4 - 78.1)	545	71.5	( 64.5 - 77.6 )	275	77.4	(73.9 - 80.6)	269
	All other races*	83.7	(78.3 - 87.9)	316	79.1	(73.2 - 84.0)	148	87.9	(82.8 - 91.7)	167
	Multiple races*	-	-	93	-	-	43	-	-	50

Note: 127 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.
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# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN82: Percentage of students who think people are at moderate or great risk of harming themselves (physically and in other ways) if they have five or more drinks of alcohol (beer, wine, or liquor) once or twice a week

		Total				Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	82.8	(80.4 - 85.0)	1,476	81.0	( 76.4 - 84.8 )	722	84.7	( 82.6 - 86.6 )	749	
Age											
	11 or younger	82.7	(77.6 - 86.9)	357	81.3	(74.8 - 86.5)	177	84.1	(76.5 - 89.6)	179	
	12	84.2	(80.2 - 87.5)	485	83.5	(76.3 - 88.8)	230	84.9	(79.2 - 89.3)	254	
	13	81.8	( 78.9 - 84.4 )	540	77.6	(72.7 - 81.9)	257	85.8	(83.5 - 87.8)	283	
	14 or older	-	-	89	-	-	55	-	-	33	
Grade											
	6th	82.7	(78.5 - 86.2)	444	81.6	(76.8 - 85.5)	222	83.7	(75.6 - 89.5)	221	
	7th	81.8	(76.9 - 85.9)	484	79.4	(70.2 - 86.4)	232	84.1	(80.7 - 87.1)	251	
	8th	83.7	(81.9 - 85.4)	529	81.7	(76.9 - 85.7)	260	85.7	(82.9 - 88.2)	269	
Race/E	thnicity										
	Black*	78.4	(72.7 - 83.2)	271	78.0	(70.7 - 84.0)	133	78.7	(72.5 - 83.9)	138	
	Hispanic/Latino	77.9	(70.2 - 84.1)	166	-	-	75	-	-	90	
	White*	83.8	(81.2 - 86.1)	543	81.2	(77.9 - 84.2)	273	86.3	(83.0 - 89.1)	269	
	All other races*	86.3	(80.4 - 90.7)	315	84.4	(74.0 - 91.1)	147	88.6	(81.1 - 93.3)	167	
	Multiple races*	-	-	92	-	-	42	-	-	50	

Note: 136 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN83: Percentage of students who have an adult outside of school they can talk to about things that are important to them

		Total				Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
To	otal	91.0	(89.7 - 92.1)	1,478	91.4	(89.2 - 93.2)	723	90.5	(89.0 - 91.9)	749	
Age											
11	1 or younger	92.8	(87.5 - 96.0)	354	92.7	(85.7 - 96.5)	175	92.9	(86.9 - 96.2)	178	
12	2	90.9	(86.1 - 94.2)	486	90.4	(83.3 - 94.6)	234	91.5	(87.1 - 94.5)	251	
13	3	90.2	(87.3 - 92.5)	543	92.4	(88.9 - 94.8)	255	88.2	(83.7 - 91.5)	288	
14	4 or older	-	-	89	-	-	56	-	-	32	
Grade											
6t	th	92.3	(88.9 - 94.7)	448	92.5	(88.1 - 95.3)	224	92.0	(87.7 - 94.9)	222	
7t	th	91.4	(88.2 - 93.7)	482	90.3	(87.4 - 92.5)	233	92.5	(88.3 - 95.2)	248	
8t	th	89.7	(87.3 - 91.7)	530	92.1	(88.0 - 94.9)	259	87.3	(81.5 - 91.5)	271	
Race/Ethni	icity										
В	lack*	88.9	(83.7 - 92.6)	272	88.0	(84.4 - 90.8)	134	89.8	(81.1 - 94.8)	138	
Н	lispanic/Latino	89.2	(86.1 - 91.6)	170	-	-	75	-	-	94	
W	Vhite*	93.8	(91.5 - 95.6)	536	94.6	(92.1 - 96.3)	271	93.0	(90.0 - 95.2)	264	
A	ll other races*	89.6	(85.8 - 92.4)	312	88.1	(80.9 - 92.9)	146	90.9	(86.6 - 93.8)	165	
M	Iultiple races*	-	-	93	-	-	44	-	-	49	

Note: 134 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN84: Percentage of students who would feel comfortable seeking help from one or more adults besides their parents if they had an important question affecting their life

			Total			Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	83.7	( 82.5 - 84.9 )	1,488	84.1	(81.9 - 86.1)	728	83.5	( 82.0 - 84.9 )	754	
Age											
	11 or younger	82.1	(76.8 - 86.4)	360	82.9	(76.9 - 87.6)	180	81.2	(73.8 - 86.9)	179	
	12	86.5	(83.7 - 88.9)	487	87.7	(82.6 - 91.5)	232	85.5	(82.4 - 88.2)	254	
	13	83.3	(81.2 - 85.2)	545	82.3	(77.6 - 86.1)	257	84.4	(83.0 - 85.6)	288	
	14 or older	-	-	90	-	-	56	-	-	33	
Grade											
	6th	83.7	(80.2 - 86.6)	452	85.0	(81.2 - 88.2)	227	82.1	(77.2 - 86.2)	223	
	7th	83.8	(81.1 - 86.1)	483	82.7	(78.5 - 86.1)	233	85.2	(82.9 - 87.2)	249	
	8th	84.0	(80.5 - 86.9)	533	85.0	(77.5 - 90.3)	260	82.9	(80.8 - 84.9)	273	
Race/I	Ethnicity										
	Black*	86.4	(81.6 - 90.1)	270	89.5	(80.6 - 94.6)	134	83.2	(75.1 - 89.0)	136	
	Hispanic/Latino	81.5	(73.9 - 87.3)	172	-	-	75	-	-	96	
	White*	86.0	(83.0 - 88.6)	545	83.8	(80.8 - 86.4)	275	88.4	(83.7 - 91.8)	269	
	All other races*	79.2	(73.3 - 84.1)	311	78.8	(72.4 - 84.0)	146	79.5	(70.2 - 86.5)	164	
	Multiple races*	-	-	95	-	-	45	-	-	50	

Note: 124 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.
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# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN85: Percentage of students who talked to a teacher or other adult in their school about a personal problem they had (during the 12 months before the survey)

			Total			Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	31.2	( 29.5 - 33.1 )	1,473	28.7	(25.3 - 32.4)	717	33.9	(31.4 - 36.5)	750	
Age											
	11 or younger	31.6	( 27.3 - 36.1 )	356	33.1	( 27.3 - 39.5 )	177	30.2	(27.1 - 33.4)	178	
	12	31.5	(27.9 - 35.4)	485	29.1	( 23.3 - 35.6 )	231	33.9	(28.5 - 39.8)	253	
	13	31.5	(29.4 - 33.6)	537	26.1	(23.1 - 29.2)	251	36.5	( 33.8 - 39.4 )	286	
	14 or older	-	-	89	-	-	55	-	-	33	
Grade											
	6th	30.6	(25.4 - 36.3)	447	31.4	(24.1 - 39.8)	224	30.0	(25.5 - 34.8)	221	
	7th	31.0	(26.1 - 36.4)	483	28.4	(24.2 - 33.0)	232	33.7	(26.5 - 41.7)	250	
	8th	31.2	(28.8 - 33.7)	524	25.8	(21.8 - 30.3)	254	36.5	(31.3 - 41.9)	270	
Race/I	Ethnicity										
	Black*	31.9	(26.6 - 37.7)	265	27.0	( 19.3 - 36.4 )	130	36.8	(30.5 - 43.6)	135	
	Hispanic/Latino	33.2	(30.6 - 36.0)	170	-	-	75	-	-	94	
	White*	33.3	(31.0 - 35.7)	545	29.9	( 27.3 - 32.7 )	273	36.9	( 32.6 - 41.4 )	271	
	All other races*	24.1	( 19.9 - 29.0 )	307	22.9	( 17.4 - 29.5 )	142	25.0	(18.6 - 32.7)	164	
	Multiple races*	-	-	93	-	-	43	-	-	50	

Note: 139 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.
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- = Fewer than 100 students in this subgroup.

# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN86: Percentage of students who strongly agree or agree that their teachers really care about them and give them a lot of encouragement

		Total				Male		Female			
		Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	
	Total	62.1	(58.3 - 65.8)	1,470	66.2	( 63.6 - 68.7 )	720	58.1	( 52.9 - 63.0 )	745	
Age											
	11 or younger	68.3	(59.9 - 75.8)	354	68.6	(56.9 - 78.3)	179	68.5	( 57.9 - 77.4 )	174	
	12	64.4	( 60.9 - 67.7 )	482	67.0	( 63.5 - 70.3 )	231	62.0	( 55.0 - 68.5 )	250	
	13	57.6	(49.8 - 65.0)	540	66.7	(59.3 - 73.3)	252	49.1	(40.6 - 57.6)	288	
	14 or older	-	-	89	-	-	55	-	-	33	
Grade											
	6th	68.8	(60.9 - 75.7)	444	68.4	(60.0 - 75.7)	226	69.5	(59.6 - 77.9)	217	
	7th	63.2	(59.2 - 67.1)	478	67.0	(62.5 - 71.2)	231	59.6	(53.2 - 65.7)	246	
	8th	55.0	( 45.6 - 64.0 )	528	63.0	(51.7 - 73.0)	255	47.1	( 37.9 - 56.5 )	273	
Race/E	thnicity										
	Black*	57.4	(53.0 - 61.8)	262	60.6	(56.9 - 64.2)	129	54.3	(45.6 - 62.7)	133	
	Hispanic/Latino	50.6	(46.5 - 54.7)	167	-	-	74	-	-	92	
	White*	65.8	(59.6 - 71.5)	546	68.2	( 63.4 - 72.7 )	276	63.5	(55.6 - 70.8)	269	
	All other races*	64.2	( 58.7 - 69.4 )	310	69.8	(65.2 - 74.0)	146	59.2	(49.5 - 68.2)	163	
	Multiple races*	-	-	93	-	-	43	-	-	50	

Note: 142 students were excluded from this analysis. \*Non-Hispanic.
N = Number of students in this subgroup.
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# **Maryland Middle School Survey Howard County Summary Tables - Weighted Data**

QN87: Percentage of students who participate in any extracurricular activities at school (such as sports, band, drama, clubs, or student government)

		Total				Male	Female			
	P	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N	Percentage	95% confidence interval	N
Total		73.1	( 69.3 - 76.6 )	1,485	69.5	( 65.2 - 73.6 )	728	76.6	(71.2 - 81.3)	750
Age										
11 or you	nger	78.8	(73.2 - 83.4)	362	74.1	(67.7 - 79.5)	180	83.8	(73.9 - 90.5)	180
12		69.5	( 64.7 - 73.9 )	483	67.8	(61.6 - 73.5)	232	71.1	( 64.8 - 76.6 )	250
13		72.3	( 66.9 - 77.2 )	544	67.3	( 58.6 - 74.9 )	256	77.1	( 69.2 - 83.5 )	288
14 or old	er	-	-	89	-	-	56	-	-	32
Grade										
6th		76.7	(70.5 - 81.9)	453	71.0	(63.0 - 77.9)	227	82.6	(71.6 - 90.0)	223
7th		69.6	( 62.9 - 75.6 )	483	68.6	(60.2 - 76.0)	234	70.6	(62.4 - 77.6)	248
8th		73.3	( 67.8 - 78.1 )	530	68.8	(61.1 - 75.6)	260	77.9	(70.9 - 83.5)	270
Race/Ethnicity										
Black*		72.3	( 66.3 - 77.6 )	269	67.8	(64.0 - 71.4)	133	76.9	( 67.4 - 84.4 )	136
Hispanic	Latino	67.6	(61.3 - 73.4)	170	-	-	75	-	-	94
White*		74.4	(71.0 - 77.5)	547	70.8	(67.8 - 73.5)	277	78.1	(71.1 - 83.7)	269
All other	races*	75.7	( 65.3 - 83.8 )	313	72.6	( 59.4 - 82.7 )	148	78.7	( 69.1 - 85.9 )	164
Multiple	races*	-	-	90	-	-	42	-	-	48

Note: 127 students were excluded from this analysis.

<sup>\*</sup>Non-Hispanic.

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