

Liberty County: 2012 At a Glance

Data from the 2012 Florida Youth Tobacco Survey (FYTS)

Indicator	Youth (Ages 11-17)				Comparison of Two Rates		
	Liberty County %	95% CI	State %	95% CI	County Higher Than State	State Higher Than County	No Difference
Smoked cigarettes on one or more of the past 30 days	3.0	(0.2 - 5.9)	6.1	(5.8 - 6.4)			+
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	5.3	(1.0 - 9.6)	6.9	(6.6 - 7.2)			+
Used smokeless tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	10.1	(4.6 - 15.6)	3.5	(3.2 - 3.7)	+		
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	16.7	(9.1 - 24.4)	11.2	(10.8 - 11.7)			+
Have never smoked a cigarette and will definitely not smoke a cigarette in the future or if a friend offered one	61.4	(51.6 - 71.2)	65.7	(65.1 - 66.3)			+
Exposed to secondhand smoke during the past 7 days	49.0	(42.5 - 55.6)	44.1	(43.4 - 44.7)			+
Smoking is allowed in the home	12.9	(8.6 - 17.2)	9.4	(9.0 - 9.8)			+
Taught about tobacco use in any classes this year	65.7	(57.5 - 73.9)	43.2	(42.3 - 44.1)	+		
Parent or guardian has talked about the dangers of tobacco in the past year	56.2	(49.2 - 63.2)	57.4	(56.8 - 58.0)			+
Served as an active member of SWAT	18.3	(9.2 - 27.5)	3.9	(3.7 - 4.1)	+		
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smokers have more friends	38.9	(32.2 - 45.7)	32.0	(31.5 - 32.6)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smoking helps young people "look cool" or "fit in"	76.5	(68.4 - 84.5)	72.9	(72.4 - 73.4)			+

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Lifetime asthma	25.9	(18.1 - 33.7)	20.5	(20.1 - 21.0)			+
Current asthma, among all individuals	16.0	(8.0 - 24.1)	11.3	(11.0 - 11.7)			+
Asthma attack in past year, among individuals with lifetime asthma	14.2	(3.6 - 24.8)	16.9	(16.0 - 17.8)			+
Obese (i.e., at or above the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	15.1	(9.2 - 21.0)	11.1	(10.7 - 11.5)			+
Overweight (i.e., at or above the 85 th percentile but below the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	15.9	(9.9 - 21.8)	15.4	(15.0 - 15.9)			+
Sufficient vigorous activity	75.0	(69.7 - 80.2)	66.5	(65.9 - 67.1)	+		
Sufficient moderate activity	32.0	(25.4 - 38.7)	25.3	(24.8 - 25.8)			+
Exercised to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days	42.1	(35.0 - 49.2)	43.5	(42.9 - 44.1)			+
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	31.6	(24.7 - 38.5)	30.0	(29.5 - 30.6)			+
Never or rarely wore a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else	13.3	(8.4 - 18.1)	10.9	(10.4 - 11.3)			+
Rode in a car driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days	18.9	(13.7 - 24.2)	20.2	(19.7 - 20.7)			+
Did not go to school on one or more of the past 30 days because they felt unsafe	4.0	(1.0 - 7.0)	6.9	(6.6 - 7.2)			+
Purposely hurt themselves without wanting to die, during the past 12 months	8.1	(3.9 - 12.4)	12.4	(12.0 - 12.8)			+
Felt so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that they stopped doing some usual activities during the past 12 months	12.1	(7.1 - 17.0)	22.0	(21.5 - 22.5)		+	