



Marion County: 2014 at a Glance

Data from the 2014 Florida Youth Tobacco Survey (FYTS)



Indicator	Youth (Ages 11-17)				Comparison of Two Rates		
	Marion County %	95% CI	State %	95% CI	County Significantly Higher Than State	State Significantly Higher Than County	No Significant Difference
Smoked cigarettes on one or more of the past 30 days	4.8	(3.4-6.2)	4.3	(4.1-4.6)			+
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	5.7	(4.0-7.5)	5.4	(5.2-5.7)			+
Used smokeless tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	3.9	(2.5-5.4)	3.3	(3.1-3.5)			+
Used electronic cigarettes on one or more of the past 30 days	5.6	(3.9-7.3)	7.2	(6.8-7.5)			+
Used hookah on one or more of the past 30 days	4.4	(2.8-5.9)	7.1	(6.7-7.5)		+	
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days*	10.6	(7.8-13.4)	9.2	(8.8-9.6)			+
Used any form of tobacco (excluding cigarettes) on one or more of the past 30 days	14.2	(10.8-17.5)	14.8	(14.2-15.3)			+
Thought using electronic cigarettes is less harmful than smoking cigarettes	69.0	(63.9-74.2)	69.4	(68.4-70.3)			+
Thought using hookah is less harmful than smoking cigarettes	40.8	(35.5-46.2)	52.8	(51.7-54.0)		+	
Have never smoked a cigarette and will definitely not smoke a cigarette in the future or if a friend offered one	66.3	(62.6-70.0)	67.1	(66.4-67.7)			+
Exposed to secondhand smoke during the past seven days (in a room or car)	43.3	(40.1-46.5)	37.5	(36.9-38.2)	+		
Smoking is allowed in the home	13.4	(11.3-15.6)	8.4	(8.0-8.7)	+		

*This excludes specialty tobacco products, which include bidis, kreteks, pipe tobacco, snus, e-cigarettes, flavored cigarettes, flavored cigars, and flavored smokeless tobacco.



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Students who were taught about tobacco use in any classes this year	35.0	(30.8-39.2)	38.0	(37.1-39.0)			+
Parent or guardian has talked about the dangers of tobacco in the past year	61.7	(58.3-65.1)	62.4	(61.8-63.0)			+
Served as an active member of Students Working Against Tobacco (SWAT)	2.2	(1.3-3.1)	2.8	(2.7- 3.0)			+
Definitely did not think that smokers have more friends	27.0	(23.8-30.2)	28.2	(27.6-28.8)			+
Definitely did not think that smoking helps young people "look cool" or "fit in"	70.7	(67.9-73.5)	68.8	(68.2-69.3)			+
Lifetime asthma	22.7	(20.3-25.1)	20.8	(20.3-21.3)			+
Current asthma	12.0	(9.9-14.1)	11.5	(11.1-11.9)			+
Asthma attack in past year	15.2	(10.9-19.5)	17.7	(16.7-18.7)			+
Obese (i.e., at or above the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	13.4	(11.3-15.4)	12.2	(11.8-12.7)			+
Overweight (i.e., at or above the 85th percentile but below the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	15.7	(13.5-18.0)	15.9	(15.4-16.4)			+
Physically active for at least 60 minutes per day during the past seven days	22.2	(19.6-24.7)	22.7	(22.2-23.3)			+
Exercised to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days	43.9	(40.6-47.2)	43.7	(43.1-44.4)			+
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	33.7	(30.7-36.7)	30.7	(30.2-31.3)			+