

Prevalence of Major Behavioral Risk Factors in Hendry County

A Report from the 2002 County Behavior Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) Survey

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The 2002 County BRFSS survey was conducted in September 2002 through January 2003. In Hendry County, 530 adults were randomly selected and interviewed for the survey. The purpose of this survey was to estimate the prevalence of personal health behaviors that contribute to morbidity and mortality among adults in Florida. This report presents the survey data on a variety of issues related to health status, health care access, life style, chronic illnesses, and disease prevention practice in the Hendry County. These data can be used to: (1) determine priority health issues and identify populations at highest risk for illness, disability, and death; (2) plan and evaluate prevention programs; (3) educate the community and policy makers about disease prevention; and (4) support community policies that promote health and prevent disease. The data listed in this report include the prevalence for all adults and for subpopulations as well.

Because the BRFSS is a random survey and all estimates of prevalence are subject to random sample errors, we include 95% confidence intervals (CI) with each prevalence (%) in the tables. Prevalence is excluded from the tables for any subpopulation with a sample size less than 30, which would yield statistically unreliable estimates.

Population Size and Health Status								
	Population Size*		Health Status is Fair or Poor			Mostly sitting/standing at job		
	County	State	%	CI		%	CI	
				Lower	Upper		Lower	Upper
All	36,210	15,982,378	33.5	20.7	46.4	49.9	41.5	58.3
Sex								
Men	55.6%	48.8%	38.2	16.6	59.8	40.2	28.9	51.4
Women	44.4%	51.2%	27.9	21.9	33.8	64.9	56.0	73.7
Race/ethnicity								
NH White	43.9%	65.4%	22.5	16.9	28.0	49.6	37.4	61.8
NH Black	14.5%	14.2%	23.5	11.6	35.4	61.0	39.6	82.5
Hispanic	39.6%	16.8%	52.5	27.0	78.0	43.2	29.4	56.9
Race/ethnicity-Sex								
NH White men	22.4%	31.9%	20.2	11.7	28.7	37.9	22.3	53.5
NH White women	21.5%	33.6%	25.0	18.4	31.6	69.3	58.6	80.0
NH Black men	7.8%	6.8%	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH Black women	6.7%	7.4%	36.4	18.2	54.5	.	.	.
Hispanic men	24.3%	8.4%	63.8	32.1	95.5	38.6	20.4	56.9
Hispanic women	15.3%	8.4%	33.6	19.8	47.3	.	.	.
Age								
18-44	41.6%	36.9%	21.6	15.0	28.2	44.7	33.6	55.8
45-64	18.3%	22.7%	34.2	26.0	42.5	60.6	50.6	70.6
65 and older	10.1%	17.6%	57.6	25.1	90.1	.	.	.
Marital Status								
Never married	25.7%	22.5%	19.8	7.0	32.7	36.3	13.2	59.5
Married/ living together as a couple	51.6%	53.7%	39.8	22.4	57.3	57.0	48.6	65.4
Divorced/ widowed/separated	22.8%	23.8%	23.3	15.5	31.0	43.4	29.8	57.0
Education								
0-11 years	45.8%	20.1%	57.5	34.6	80.5	39.2	24.6	53.8
HS Grad/GED	29.1%	28.7%	21.9	15.1	28.6	52.5	38.8	66.1
1 or more years of college	25.1%	51.1%	16.0	9.6	22.4	54.6	39.1	70.1
Employment								
Employed for wages	54.8%	54.9%	18.2	12.8	23.7	49.9	41.5	58.3
Household Income								
\$24,999 or less	37.0%	30.8%	50.5	29.2	71.8	47.4	32.4	62.5
\$25,000 – 49,999	32.9%	31.6%	18.2	10.9	25.6	55.4	43.7	67.1
\$50,000 or more	30.1%	37.6%	8.9	2.3	15.5	52.9	31.8	74.0

*Per Census Bureau calculations, the following demographic categories are limited to specific age groups: Marital Status, >=15 years old; Education, >=25 years old; Employment, >=16 years old.

Risk Factors: Physical Activity									
Related Healthy People 2010 Objective(s) 22-1, 22-2, 22-3	No leisure time physical activity			No regular moderate physical activity ⁽¹⁾			No regular vigorous physical activity ⁽²⁾		
	%	CI		%	CI		%	CI	
All	33.9	25.7	42.1	51.4	40.5	62.3	72.6	58.2	86.9
Sex									
Men	28.2	15.5	40.8	43.1	26.4	59.8	59.7	37.8	81.6
Women	40.8	34.2	47.4	61.3	55.0	67.6	87.9	83.8	92.0
Race/ethnicity									
NH White	36.2	27.4	44.9	51.2	42.6	59.7	76.6	67.0	86.2
NH Black	37.9	24.2	51.6	58.6	44.2	73.0	81.8	69.8	93.8
Hispanic	31.6	13.7	49.6	47.4	21.7	73.0	62.4	29.7	95.2
Race/ethnicity-Sex									
NH White men	36.9	21.7	52.1	43.0	29.0	57.1	66.9	50.6	83.2
NH White women	35.3	27.7	42.9	59.9	51.9	67.9	87.1	81.0	93.2
NH Black men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH Black women	41.7	23.7	59.7	60.7	42.8	78.5	92.9	85.7	100.0
Hispanic men	19.6	1.1	38.2	37.4	4.5	70.3	47.5	6.5	88.5
Hispanic women	51.4	37.5	65.3	63.9	51.1	76.6	87.2	79.3	95.2
Age									
18-44	36.8	27.5	46.1	55.1	45.8	64.3	75.3	65.8	84.9
45-64	36.6	27.9	45.3	59.5	51.0	68.0	84.3	77.8	90.8
65 and older	25.6	5.3	45.9	36.0	8.1	64.0	55.1	13.3	96.9
Marital Status									
Never married	34.1	10.3	58.0	54.6	31.6	77.6	69.2	44.2	94.2
Married/ living together as a couple	32.8	22.2	43.4	49.7	34.7	64.7	71.5	50.9	92.1
Divorced/ widowed/separated	37.6	28.0	47.3	54.9	44.8	64.9	80.4	72.3	88.4
Education									
0-11 years	37.7	17.1	58.3	45.6	21.1	70.1	63.2	30.3	96.2
HS Grad/GED	35.3	27.1	43.4	59.1	50.4	67.8	78.5	71.4	85.5
1 or more years of college	27.4	13.9	41.0	49.8	38.3	61.3	76.6	62.4	90.8
Employment									
Employed for wages	31.2	22.6	39.7	56.4	47.8	64.9	77.1	68.2	86.0
Household Income									
\$24,999 or less	34.0	18.6	49.4	51.4	29.3	73.5	68.7	40.3	97.2
\$25,000 – 49,999	27.3	18.7	35.8	57.0	47.6	66.5	81.6	73.5	89.7
\$50,000 or more	42.2	22.8	61.7	39.7	24.0	55.4	64.8	43.5	86.1

Risk Factors: Overweight and Nutrition									
Related Healthy People 2010 Objective(s) 19-1, 19-2, 19-5, 19-6	Overweight ⁽³⁾			Obese ⁽⁴⁾			Less than 5-A-Day ⁽⁵⁾		
	%	CI		%	CI		%	CI	
All	28.6	21.8	35.3	36.9	24.3	49.5	80.2	75.0	85.3
Sex									
Men	30.2	18.3	42.2	44.4	24.2	64.6	84.4	77.3	91.4
Women	26.5	20.9	32.2	27.8	22.1	33.5	75.1	69.6	80.5
Race/ethnicity									
NH White	33.4	26.5	40.3	34.3	24.9	43.8	78.7	73.3	84.1
NH Black	35.1	21.3	49.0	33.1	19.7	46.4	69.8	56.1	83.5
Hispanic	21.6	8.7	34.4	40.4	9.3	71.5	85.5	76.4	94.5
Race/ethnicity-Sex									
NH White men	36.4	24.7	48.1	40.7	25.0	56.4	83.8	76.4	91.1
NH White women	30.0	22.5	37.6	27.2	20.1	34.3	73.1	65.9	80.2
NH Black men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH Black women	29.6	13.5	45.7	45.3	26.9	63.7	72.5	57.4	87.6
Hispanic men	21.4	1.5	41.2	52.5	11.8	93.1	88.2	76.7	99.8
Hispanic women	21.9	11.4	32.5	20.5	9.9	31.1	80.9	71.1	90.7
Age									
18-44	25.9	19.0	32.8	34.3	24.5	44.1	81.5	75.6	87.3
45-64	39.2	30.9	47.5	30.0	22.0	38.0	77.8	71.3	84.3
65 and older	23.1	4.6	41.6	49.8	11.7	87.9	80.0	63.9	96.1
Marital Status									
Never married	15.3	4.4	26.2	45.3	22.0	68.6	87.8	78.7	96.9
Married/ living together as a couple	30.3	20.6	40.1	38.8	21.2	56.5	80.8	74.0	87.5
Divorced/ widowed/separated	34.8	24.9	44.7	23.6	15.2	31.9	70.5	60.8	80.2
Education									
0-11 years	23.9	10.0	37.7	43.2	13.6	72.8	85.0	75.5	94.5
HS Grad/GED	32.7	24.9	40.5	33.8	24.4	43.3	78.6	72.0	85.1
1 or more years of college	30.7	21.7	39.8	34.2	21.2	47.1	76.3	68.8	83.8
Employment									
Employed for wages	31.1	24.3	37.8	34.3	25.3	43.4	80.8	75.6	86.0
Household Income									
\$24,999 or less	25.6	13.5	37.6	42.2	17.8	66.6	80.4	70.7	90.0
\$25,000 – 49,999	35.4	26.5	44.2	29.8	20.9	38.8	80.9	74.0	87.7
\$50,000 or more	35.4	20.7	50.0	42.2	22.8	61.7	80.6	70.6	90.7

Risk Factors: Tobacco and Alcohol Use									
Related Healthy People 2010 Objective(s) 27-1a, 27-5, 26-11c	Current smoker ⁽⁶⁾			Ever quit smoking in the past 12 months			Engage in heavy or binge drinking ⁽⁷⁾		
	%	CI		%	CI		%	CI	
All	32.9	19.9	46.0	40.9	16.4	65.4	27.4	13.0	41.8
Sex									
Men	42.8	22.2	63.3	35.8	4.8	66.8	41.5	20.1	62.9
Women	21.1	16.0	26.2	53.5	39.8	67.2	10.5	6.1	14.9
Race/ethnicity									
NH White	31.9	24.2	39.7	57.5	43.7	71.4	22.7	12.4	32.9
NH Black	15.5	4.6	26.3	.	.	.	11.7	0.9	22.6
Hispanic	40.4	9.3	71.5	.	.	.	37.0	4.3	69.7
Race/ethnicity-Sex									
NH White men	33.2	20.1	46.3	60.0	38.1	82.0	33.9	17.1	50.6
NH White women	30.5	22.9	38.1	54.5	38.9	70.0	10.1	5.4	14.8
NH Black men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH Black women	11.8	0.8	22.9	.	.	.	3.8	0.0	11.0
Hispanic men	59.0	23.5	94.5	.	.	.	55.1	16.5	93.7
Hispanic women	9.7	2.4	17.0	.	.	.	7.2	1.2	13.2
Age									
18-44	29.6	21.5	37.8	55.7	39.8	71.5	26.9	16.5	37.3
45-64	27.2	19.8	34.5	57.9	42.8	73.1	14.2	8.3	20.2
65 and older	46.2	4.9	87.4	.	.	.	42.2	0.0	85.9
Marital Status									
Never married	34.3	14.0	54.7	.	.	.	44.6	20.6	68.5
Married/ living together as a couple	30.7	11.1	50.4	28.3	0.9	55.8	24.5	3.3	45.8
Divorced/ widowed/separated	40.4	30.4	50.4	56.4	39.7	73.0	23.7	15.1	32.3
Education									
0-11 years	48.6	21.5	75.7	25.7	0.0	55.0	36.5	3.8	69.3
HS Grad/GED	32.1	22.6	41.6	67.1	51.3	83.0	21.7	12.1	31.2
1 or more years of college	15.7	9.3	22.2	41.0	20.4	61.7	23.6	9.3	38.0
Employment									
Employed for wages	29.4	22.0	36.9	62.4	48.9	75.9	27.8	18.3	37.3
Household Income									
\$24,999 or less	41.4	16.5	66.3	32.1	0.0	67.4	36.9	10.1	63.7
\$25,000 – 49,999	35.2	25.8	44.5	51.8	34.2	69.5	21.8	13.6	30.1
\$50,000 or more	19.1	8.9	29.3	.	.	.	30.0	7.8	52.1
Health Care Coverage and Access									
Related Healthy People 2010 Objective(s) 1-1, 1-5	No health care coverage			No personal health care provider(s)			Unable to get medical care in past 12 mos.		
	%	CI		%	CI		%	CI	
All	42.0	30.3	53.7	44.9	33.6	56.2	20.9	6.2	35.6
Sex									
Men	44.1	24.0	64.2	54.0	36.9	71.2	23.0	0.0	48.9
Women	39.4	32.6	46.2	33.8	27.2	40.5	18.4	12.9	23.9
Race/ethnicity									
NH White	21.6	14.3	28.9	27.1	18.0	36.3	9.9	6.1	13.7
NH Black	29.5	14.8	44.2	43.3	28.4	58.1	21.1	7.5	34.7
Hispanic	72.7	57.1	88.3	70.8	54.3	87.3	34.7	0.9	68.5
Race/ethnicity-Sex									
NH White men	19.5	7.1	31.8	29.6	13.8	45.5	2.5	0.0	5.5
NH White women	23.9	16.7	31.1	24.3	17.0	31.6	18.2	11.6	24.8
NH Black men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH Black women	33.4	14.6	52.3	32.2	13.7	50.8	30.2	11.6	48.8
Hispanic men	77.8	57.3	98.2	81.2	63.5	99.0	46.8	1.7	91.9
Hispanic women	64.4	51.6	77.2	53.6	39.8	67.3	14.7	4.2	25.3
Age									
18-44	47.7	38.7	56.7	54.3	45.4	63.1	15.3	9.8	20.8
45-64	32.6	23.8	41.4	23.1	14.9	31.3	13.6	7.3	19.8
65 and older	40.3	0.0	85.3	48.1	8.7	87.5	40.2	0.0	85.3
Marital Status									
Never married	40.9	19.8	62.1	57.3	36.2	78.4	6.3	0.3	12.4
Married/ living together as a couple	45.4	29.3	61.4	46.0	30.2	61.9	24.8	3.6	45.9
Divorced/ widowed/separated	31.7	21.4	42.1	28.8	19.2	38.3	20.5	11.0	30.0
Education									
0-11 years	71.1	55.0	87.2	64.8	45.6	84.1	39.9	8.7	71.1
HS Grad/GED	30.6	20.8	40.4	33.5	25.1	41.8	13.6	7.3	19.9
1 or more years of college	18.9	10.9	26.9	32.0	18.7	45.3	5.9	2.2	9.7
Employment									
Employed for wages	34.8	26.9	42.8	43.9	35.4	52.3	10.1	6.2	14.0
Household Income									
\$24,999 or less	61.6	44.7	78.5	54.7	34.9	74.4	36.3	9.8	62.8
\$25,000 – 49,999	29.5	20.6	38.5	32.0	22.9	41.1	7.8	2.6	12.9
\$50,000 or more	13.9	3.7	24.0	37.3	16.6	58.0	4.7	0.0	9.5

Oral Health									
Related Healthy People 2010 Objective(s) 21-10, 21-3	Visited a dentist within past year			No teeth removed			Had teeth cleaned within past year		
	%	CI		%	CI		%	CI	
	All	54.0	42.8	65.2	34.3	26.2	42.4	60.9	54.7	67.1
Sex									
Men	44.7	28.0	61.4	30.0	17.4	42.5	60.4	50.4	70.4
Women	65.4	59.3	71.6	39.7	33.1	46.4	61.4	54.1	68.7
Race/ethnicity									
NH White	57.0	48.0	65.9	35.2	27.3	43.1	64.5	55.7	73.3
NH Black	52.9	38.2	67.6	10.7	2.9	18.6	51.2	35.3	67.1
Hispanic	46.1	21.2	71.0	39.2	17.4	61.0	57.7	46.5	69.0
Race/ethnicity-Sex									
NH White men	53.2	38.5	67.9	32.7	19.5	45.9	64.4	50.0	78.8
NH White women	61.2	53.2	69.2	38.1	30.0	46.1	64.7	55.8	73.6
NH Black men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH Black women	51.8	33.2	70.4	16.6	3.1	30.0	49.0	30.0	68.0
Hispanic men	31.4	3.4	59.4	30.7	3.1	58.2	58.1	41.4	74.9
Hispanic women	70.8	58.7	82.9	53.7	39.6	67.8	57.4	41.8	72.9
Age									
18-44	56.4	46.9	65.8	52.4	43.2	61.6	58.0	48.8	67.2
45-64	71.4	63.8	79.1	25.2	17.4	33.1	66.3	56.7	75.8
65 and older	31.3	6.7	55.8	5.9	0.2	11.6	63.1	51.9	74.3
Marital Status									
Never married	44.8	24.0	65.6	44.3	22.6	66.0	66.5	44.9	88.1
Married/ living together as a couple	56.8	40.2	73.4	33.4	22.6	44.2	63.1	56.3	69.9
Divorced/ widowed/separated	50.3	40.2	60.5	27.2	17.9	36.5	46.6	35.9	57.3
Education									
0-11 years	33.6	14.7	52.5	27.7	11.2	44.2	42.8	31.6	54.0
HS Grad/GED	61.8	52.4	71.1	32.3	22.7	41.9	54.3	44.1	64.6
1 or more years of college	70.1	56.6	83.7	44.8	33.8	55.8	81.0	73.5	88.5
Employment									
Employed for wages	60.3	51.4	69.1	43.3	35.3	51.4	63.8	55.5	72.0
Household Income									
\$24,999 or less	39.8	22.0	57.5	26.7	13.1	40.3	43.7	33.8	53.6
\$25,000 – 49,999	63.7	54.7	72.8	42.0	32.5	51.5	65.9	56.0	75.8
\$50,000 or more	68.8	47.1	90.5	44.5	27.9	61.2	79.0	67.9	90.1
Chronic Health Conditions: Hypertension and Weight Control									
Related Healthy People 2010 Objective(s) 12-9, 12-10	Had high blood pressure (HBP)			Now taking HBP medication, if had HBP			Received advice about weight in past year		
	%	CI		%	CI		%	CI	
	All	28.8	15.3	42.3	51.0	17.9	84.1	27.6	13.3	42.0
Sex									
Men	33.7	10.7	56.7	36.5	0.0	74.6	29.1	3.7	54.6
Women	22.9	17.7	28.2	76.6	64.1	89.2	25.9	19.9	31.9
Race/ethnicity									
NH White	25.7	19.9	31.6	84.6	76.8	92.4	18.7	9.3	28.1
NH Black	39.3	25.1	53.5	.	.	.	24.7	11.8	37.6
Hispanic	31.5	0.0	67.2	.	.	.	39.5	7.6	71.3
Race/ethnicity-Sex									
NH White men	22.6	13.8	31.5	85.0	72.3	97.6	17.4	0.0	35.0
NH White women	29.2	22.3	36.1	84.3	74.2	94.4	20.1	13.9	26.3
NH Black men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH Black women	42.6	24.1	61.1	.	.	.	34.6	16.7	52.5
Hispanic men	45.9	0.0	92.5	.	.	.	47.2	2.0	92.4
Hispanic women	8.3	0.0	17.3	.	.	.	26.6	14.2	39.1
Age									
18-44	9.4	5.1	13.8	.	.	.	21.9	12.3	31.5
45-64	33.7	25.6	41.8	81.8	69.9	93.6	20.3	13.4	27.3
65 and older	63.2	34.7	91.6	37.7	0.0	84.0	46.4	5.6	87.3
Marital Status									
Never married	9.7	1.9	17.4	.	.	.	29.6	4.7	54.6
Married/ living together as a couple	33.2	14.0	52.3	43.1	5.5	80.8	30.5	10.3	50.6
Divorced/ widowed/separated	30.5	21.8	39.1	87.8	77.9	97.6	16.1	10.1	22.2
Education									
0-11 years	42.6	12.7	72.5	27.9	0.0	63.5	38.6	6.5	70.6
HS Grad/GED	24.4	17.3	31.5	74.2	57.4	90.9	17.5	11.0	24.0
1 or more years of college	18.2	11.9	24.5	82.2	69.3	95.2	25.5	11.4	39.6
Employment									
Employed for wages	15.0	10.6	19.4	73.9	60.8	87.0	17.4	8.5	26.4
Household Income									
\$24,999 or less	37.1	10.8	63.5	36.4	0.0	78.4	34.8	7.7	62.0
\$25,000 – 49,999	25.0	16.9	33.1	72.3	54.4	90.1	14.9	8.1	21.7
\$50,000 or more	14.0	6.1	21.8	.	.	.	30.9	8.8	52.9

Chronic Health Conditions: High Cholesterol									
Related Healthy People 2010 Objective(s) 12-15	Ever had blood cholesterol checked			If yes, cholesterol checked in past 2 years			Blood cholesterol is high		
	%	CI		%	CI		%	CI	
	All	74.1	67.2	81.0	88.8	84.5	93.2	43.7	28.5	59.0
Sex									
Men	73.1	61.2	85.0	88.9	81.7	96.0	51.5	27.3	75.7
Women	75.3	69.1	81.4	88.8	84.3	93.4	34.5	27.5	41.5
Race/ethnicity									
NH White	79.4	72.1	86.7	86.6	81.5	91.6	35.9	25.7	46.1
NH Black	81.6	71.1	92.1	83.2	69.8	96.5	48.7	32.0	65.4
Hispanic	67.4	48.7	86.2	95.9	91.3	100.0	53.3	16.2	90.4
Race/ethnicity-Sex									
NH White men	78.7	66.2	91.2	85.8	77.6	93.9	35.5	17.3	53.7
NH White women	80.2	73.3	87.0	87.4	81.5	93.3	36.3	27.9	44.7
NH Black men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH Black women	78.4	63.4	93.4	95.0	85.6	100.0	37.1	16.3	57.9
Hispanic men	65.8	35.1	96.6	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hispanic women	70.1	56.1	84.1	90.6	82.2	99.0	25.0	11.9	38.1
Age									
18-44	58.9	50.0	67.8	83.5	76.2	90.8	25.1	10.2	40.0
45-64	84.1	76.7	91.5	88.5	83.1	93.9	41.1	32.3	49.9
65 and older	94.0	88.1	99.8	96.1	91.2	100.0	69.4	43.6	95.2
Marital Status									
Never married	47.6	24.6	70.6	.	.	.	.	.	.
Married/ living together as a couple	78.5	70.7	86.3	90.4	85.4	95.4	47.3	27.6	67.0
Divorced/ widowed/separated	80.2	71.6	88.8	83.8	74.8	92.8	25.6	16.8	34.4
Education									
0-11 years	69.8	52.4	87.2	92.9	85.8	100.0	54.3	19.4	89.2
HS Grad/GED	68.7	58.9	78.5	89.6	83.6	95.5	37.5	28.6	46.3
1 or more years of college	85.8	79.4	92.3	83.9	76.7	91.1	38.4	23.8	53.1
Employment									
Employed for wages	70.0	62.2	77.7	84.7	79.1	90.3	34.0	23.0	45.0
Household Income									
\$24,999 or less	72.8	59.0	86.7	92.2	86.2	98.1	52.7	24.7	80.6
\$25,000 – 49,999	79.3	71.8	86.8	85.0	76.8	93.2	31.7	21.9	41.4
\$50,000 or more	85.6	76.2	94.9	83.9	73.4	94.5	41.0	18.3	63.7

Chronic Health Conditions: Asthma & Diabetes									
Related Healthy People 2010 Objective(s) 5-3	Ever had asthma			If yes, still have asthma			Have diabetes		
	%	CI		%	CI		%	CI	
	All	21.7	6.7	36.7	83.1	66.3	99.9	18.9	3.8	33.9
Sex									
Men	28.5	3.4	53.7	.	.	.	25.3	0.0	50.8
Women	13.5	9.2	17.8	84.6	73.2	95.9	11.1	6.8	15.4
Race/ethnicity									
NH White	17.9	8.6	27.1	76.4	57.7	95.1	8.7	5.5	11.9
NH Black	13.4	3.6	23.3	.	.	.	15.3	5.0	25.7
Hispanic	30.3	0.0	66.5	.	.	.	33.0	0.0	68.0
Race/ethnicity-Sex									
NH White men	18.9	2.1	35.7	.	.	.	8.2	3.4	13.1
NH White women	16.8	11.0	22.5	83.2	69.0	97.3	9.3	5.1	13.4
NH Black men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH Black women	21.3	5.2	37.4	.	.	.	21.3	5.7	36.9
Hispanic men	46.7	0.8	92.7	.	.	.	49.6	5.8	93.5
Hispanic women	3.6	0.0	7.9	.	.	.	6.1	0.7	11.5
Age									
18-44	14.5	5.1	23.9	.	.	.	4.3	1.1	7.5
45-64	13.7	7.6	19.8	.	.	.	19.1	11.9	26.4
65 and older	44.8	3.0	86.6	.	.	.	48.1	8.6	87.5
Marital Status									
Never married	23.0	0.0	48.7	.	.	.	4.5	0.1	8.8
Married/ living together as a couple	22.2	0.3	44.1	83.1	58.8	100.0	25.3	4.1	46.4
Divorced/ widowed/separated	19.5	11.0	28.0	.	.	.	8.9	4.0	13.8
Education									
0-11 years	31.9	0.0	66.9	.	.	.	33.7	0.0	67.9
HS Grad/GED	12.4	7.3	17.6	.	.	.	8.5	4.5	12.4
1 or more years of college	20.4	6.2	34.5	.	.	.	13.1	6.5	19.7
Employment									
Employed for wages	14.1	5.4	22.7	68.2	41.2	95.1	7.9	4.0	11.7
Household Income									
\$24,999 or less	32.8	4.8	60.8	85.5	64.4	100.0	34.0	6.4	61.5
\$25,000 – 49,999	9.5	4.2	14.7	.	.	.	4.6	1.0	8.1
\$50,000 or more	23.5	0.3	46.7	.	.	.	9.4	2.3	16.5

Disease Prevention: Cardiovascular Disease Prevention									
	Being advised by a health professional to...								
	Eat fewer high fat or cholesterol foods			Eat more fruits and vegetables			Be more physically active		
	%	CI		%	CI		%	CI	
All	24.2	18.4	30.1	37.3	31.3	43.4	29.7	23.6	35.8
Sex									
Men	23.6	13.2	34.1	36.9	26.7	47.2	28.9	18.5	39.4
Women	24.8	19.2	30.4	37.7	31.2	44.2	30.5	24.1	36.9
Race/ethnicity									
NH White	22.9	13.6	32.2	26.7	17.5	35.9	20.5	11.2	29.8
NH Black	21.0	9.7	32.3	49.4	34.7	64.0	34.8	21.2	48.5
Hispanic	29.0	19.5	38.5	50.0	39.5	60.5	40.3	29.8	50.7
Race/ethnicity-Sex									
NH White men	22.9	5.9	40.0	29.7	13.2	46.2	21.7	4.5	38.8
NH White women	22.9	16.3	29.4	23.5	17.2	29.8	19.3	13.4	25.2
NH Black men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH Black women	19.0	6.6	31.4	51.5	33.1	69.9	35.5	18.5	52.5
Hispanic men	27.3	13.0	41.5	49.2	33.3	65.2	41.7	25.8	57.5
Hispanic women	30.7	17.7	43.6	50.7	36.6	64.9	38.9	24.8	53.0
Age									
18-44	21.8	12.1	31.5	37.4	27.7	47.0	30.1	20.3	39.9
45-64	30.1	22.4	37.7	38.6	30.2	47.0	32.4	24.3	40.6
65 and older	23.1	14.6	31.5	35.4	25.6	45.3	24.0	15.2	32.7
Marital Status									
Never married	31.5	6.5	56.5	48.0	25.4	70.5	35.0	10.6	59.4
Married/ living together as a couple	25.2	19.9	30.6	38.3	32.0	44.6	31.1	25.0	37.2
Divorced/ widowed/separated	15.1	9.3	20.9	25.1	17.3	32.9	21.3	13.4	29.3
Education									
0-11 years	26.2	17.6	34.8	46.0	36.0	55.9	39.0	29.1	48.9
HS Grad/GED	20.3	13.9	26.8	31.1	23.3	39.0	21.0	14.3	27.8
1 or more years of college	26.1	12.2	39.9	35.1	21.9	48.3	31.1	17.4	44.7
Employment									
Employed for wages	23.4	14.5	32.2	37.2	28.4	46.1	28.0	19.0	37.0
Household Income									
\$24,999 or less	17.6	11.8	23.4	38.6	30.0	47.1	32.7	24.3	41.1
\$25,000 – 49,999	27.6	19.4	35.8	33.0	24.2	41.8	23.1	15.3	30.9
\$50,000 or more	28.6	6.1	51.1	37.8	17.1	58.5	34.6	13.3	55.9
Preventive Health Behaviors: Annual Flu and One-Time Pneumonia Shots									
Related Healthy People 2010 Objective(s) 14-29	Received flu shot within past 12 months			Received flu shot at county health dept.			Ever had a pneumonia shot		
	%	CI		%	CI		%	CI	
All	24.8	17.9	31.8	4.0	2.2	5.7	28.0	13.5	42.6
Sex									
Men	22.8	11.3	34.3	2.9	0.8	5.0	33.9	9.4	58.3
Women	27.2	21.5	33.0	5.3	2.6	8.0	21.0	15.7	26.3
Race/ethnicity									
NH White	30.3	21.4	39.1	3.6	1.7	5.6	24.7	15.5	33.9
NH Black	37.4	23.3	51.5	8.6	0.0	17.4	15.1	5.8	24.4
Hispanic	15.4	5.2	25.7	3.0	0.2	5.8	38.3	4.6	72.1
Race/ethnicity-Sex									
NH White men	31.9	16.4	47.4	3.9	0.7	7.0	23.2	6.2	40.3
NH White women	28.5	21.4	35.6	3.4	1.1	5.7	26.2	19.4	33.1
NH Black men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH Black women	46.2	27.8	64.5	12.4	0.0	26.9	19.5	5.5	33.4
Hispanic men	12.3	0.0	25.4	1.8	0.0	4.4	53.5	11.5	95.6
Hispanic women	20.5	8.7	32.3	5.0	0.0	10.2	13.5	1.7	25.3
Age									
18-44	20.6	11.0	30.2	1.4	0.1	2.7	13.4	3.4	23.4
45-64	29.8	22.0	37.5	6.2	1.9	10.5	17.0	9.6	24.3
65 and older	27.9	6.0	49.8	7.2	0.6	13.7	67.5	41.8	93.1
Marital Status									
Never married	38.8	14.8	62.8	1.2	0.0	3.1	27.6	1.1	54.1
Married/ living together as a couple	19.2	12.4	26.0	3.5	1.5	5.5	30.0	9.5	50.6
Divorced/ widowed/separated	33.4	24.2	42.6	8.4	2.7	14.1	21.8	14.3	29.3
Education									
0-11 years	17.5	6.6	28.5	1.7	0.0	3.5	41.2	8.7	73.8
HS Grad/GED	23.3	16.5	30.1	5.3	1.9	8.7	16.7	11.2	22.3
1 or more years of college	34.8	22.0	47.7	5.5	2.1	8.8	24.7	10.8	38.7
Employment									
Employed for wages	22.9	14.2	31.5	3.1	1.3	4.9	13.6	4.5	22.7
Household Income									
\$24,999 or less	21.7	11.2	32.2	4.4	1.3	7.6	38.8	12.9	64.8
\$25,000 – 49,999	22.4	14.6	30.1	4.3	0.8	7.8	11.3	6.1	16.4
\$50,000 or more	30.7	8.9	52.4	1.6	0.0	4.1	22.3	0.0	46.2

Preventive Health Behaviors: Mammograms & Pap Smear Tests									
Related Healthy People 2010 Objective(s) 3-13, 3-11a, 3-11b	Women age 40+			All adult women					
	Had mammogram in past 2 years			Ever had Pap smear test			Had Pap smear test in past 2 years		
	%	CI		%	CI		%	CI	
All	64.3	55.6	73.0	93.8	88.3	99.3	77.4	70.3	84.5
Sex									
Men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Women	64.3	55.6	73.0	93.8	88.3	99.3	77.4	70.3	84.5
Race/ethnicity									
NH White	66.0	56.9	75.2	96.7	93.5	99.9	73.4	64.6	82.3
NH Black	.	.	.	100.0	100.0	100.0	92.3	81.4	100.0
Hispanic	60.3	37.3	83.4	92.0	80.4	100.0	82.7	69.8	95.7
Race/ethnicity-Sex									
NH White men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH White women	66.0	56.9	75.2	96.7	93.5	99.9	73.4	64.6	82.3
NH Black men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH Black women	.	.	.	100.0	100.0	100.0	92.3	81.4	100.0
Hispanic men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hispanic women	60.3	37.3	83.4	92.0	80.4	100.0	82.7	69.8	95.7
Age									
18-44	41.3	20.1	62.4	94.8	88.3	100.0	83.5	75.0	91.9
45-64	68.9	57.5	80.2	89.9	74.7	100.0	68.6	52.8	84.3
65 and older	73.1	58.9	87.3	96.0	89.2	100.0	63.2	43.3	83.1
Marital Status									
Never married	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Married/ living together as a couple	68.8	57.1	80.4	93.9	86.3	100.0	80.1	71.1	89.0
Divorced/ widowed/separated	57.3	43.9	70.7	95.2	89.0	100.0	67.9	53.3	82.5
Education									
0-11 years	61.2	42.4	79.9	88.7	75.3	100.0	66.4	50.4	82.5
HS Grad/GED	67.1	55.3	78.9	98.1	95.5	100.0	84.1	76.1	92.1
1 or more years of college	64.8	47.7	82.0	93.0	80.8	100.0	79.0	65.7	92.4
Employment									
Employed for wages	54.2	40.9	67.5	95.1	87.5	100.0	76.7	66.9	86.6
Household Income									
\$24,999 or less	53.2	39.4	67.0	89.9	79.0	100.0	68.2	56.2	80.2
\$25,000 – 49,999	76.7	64.1	89.3	99.3	97.9	100.0	82.4	69.3	95.6
\$50,000 or more	.	.	.	97.5	92.3	100.0	85.6	72.3	98.8

Preventive Health Behaviors: Colorectal Cancer Screening									
Related Healthy People 2010 Objective(s) 3-12a, 3-12b	For respondents 50 years and older . . .								
	Ever had blood stool test			Had blood stool test in past 2 years			Ever had sigmoidoscopy		
	%	CI		%	CI		%	CI	
All	29.2	22.6	35.7	20.4	14.5	26.4	42.2	35.1	49.4
Sex									
Men	28.4	18.3	38.6	24.2	14.7	33.8	40.7	29.8	51.7
Women	29.9	21.4	38.3	16.6	9.4	23.7	43.7	34.3	53.2
Race/ethnicity									
NH White	30.6	23.1	38.1	20.8	13.9	27.7	46.2	37.9	54.4
NH Black	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hispanic	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Race/ethnicity-Sex									
NH White men	29.8	17.9	41.7	27.1	15.4	38.8	43.4	30.4	56.4
NH White women	31.4	21.7	41.0	14.9	7.2	22.7	48.7	38.1	59.4
NH Black men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NH Black women	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hispanic men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hispanic women	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Age									
18-44	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
45-64	29.5	20.1	38.9	19.8	11.4	28.2	39.1	29.0	49.2
65 and older	28.8	19.6	37.9	21.1	12.6	29.6	45.9	35.5	56.2
Marital Status									
Never married	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Married/ living together as a couple	.	.	.	.	.	.	43.5	34.3	52.7
Divorced/ widowed/separated	.	.	.	.	.	.	44.2	32.0	56.3
Education									
0-11 years	23.5	11.0	35.9	20.1	7.9	32.3	33.7	19.8	47.6
HS Grad/GED	28.4	18.0	38.9	21.7	11.8	31.7	39.3	27.8	50.9
1 or more years of college	35.4	23.7	47.1	19.5	9.9	29.2	53.4	41.4	65.3
Employment									
Employed for wages	26.5	15.9	37.1	18.3	9.1	27.4	42.6	31.1	54.2
Household Income									
\$24,999 or less	28.0	17.9	38.0	24.8	15.0	34.6	35.8	24.9	46.7
\$25,000 – 49,999	28.2	15.4	41.0	18.5	6.5	30.5	42.4	28.4	56.5
\$50,000 or more	31.6	11.5	51.6	15.4	1.2	29.6	57.2	37.1	77.2

Preventive Health Behaviors: HIV/AIDS Tests										
For respondents 64 years and younger . . .										
		Ever been tested for HIV			If yes, the test was done in the past 2 years			In past 12 months, health professional talked to you about preventing sexually transmitted diseases through condom use.		
		%	CI		%	CI		%	CI	
All		50.1	43.3	57.0	65.0	53.7	76.2	24.2	18.8	29.5
Sex	Men	43.5	32.3	54.7	51.7	28.2	75.1	21.4	12.9	30.0
	Women	56.6	49.1	64.2	72.6	63.2	82.1	26.8	20.2	33.4
Race/ethnicity	NH White	43.8	33.6	54.0	45.1	27.6	62.6	8.7	4.3	13.1
	NH Black	80.2	67.0	93.4	.	.	.	40.4	23.7	57.1
	Hispanic	50.4	39.2	61.6	79.1	64.8	93.3	41.9	30.9	53.0
Race/ethnicity-Sex	NH White men	41.5	24.3	58.7	.	.	.	5.6	0.0	11.5
	NH White women	46.4	36.9	56.0	57.4	41.2	73.6	12.1	5.7	18.4
	NH Black men	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	NH Black women	76.8	58.3	95.4	.	.	.	65.4	46.1	84.7
	Hispanic men	36.8	20.5	53.0	.	.	.	51.3	34.1	68.4
	Hispanic women	62.9	48.3	77.5	.	.	.	33.2	20.0	46.4
Age	18-44	56.8	47.3	66.3	68.1	54.7	81.4	28.9	21.3	36.5
	45-64	36.8	28.3	45.3	52.2	32.3	72.1	14.9	8.2	21.5
	65 and older	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Marital Status	Never married	44.3	21.9	66.6	.	.	.	36.2	16.7	55.7
	Married/ living together as a couple	47.7	40.5	54.9	60.5	48.0	73.0	19.2	13.5	24.8
	Divorced/ widowed/A80separated	64.2	52.4	75.9	74.5	59.3	89.7	25.0	13.4	36.6
Education	0-11 years	51.4	39.9	63.0	77.1	61.3	93.0	32.8	21.7	43.9
	HS Grad/GED	57.0	46.6	67.4	62.4	40.8	83.9	27.6	18.6	36.7
	1 or more years of college	42.3	30.2	54.5	58.3	42.4	74.1	13.8	6.5	21.1
Employment	Employed for wages	43.8	35.2	52.4	52.0	36.7	67.4	21.7	15.1	28.3
Household Income	\$24,999 or less	59.2	48.5	69.9	70.2	49.9	90.5	28.3	19.1	37.6
	\$25,000 – 49,999	47.7	37.1	58.2	62.5	43.8	81.2	19.9	11.2	28.6
	\$50,000 or more	36.5	20.7	52.3	.	.	.	7.7	0.4	15.0

- (1) People who do not engage in regular moderate physical activity (at least 30 minutes a day and 5 days a week) or regular vigorous physical activity (at least 20 minutes a day and 3 days a week).
- (2) People who do not engage in regular vigorous physical activity (at least 20 minutes a day and 3 days a week).
- (3) People with a Body Mass Index (BMI) between 25 and 30.
- (4) People with a Body Mass Index (BMI) equal to or greater than 30.
- (5) People who consume less than 5 servings of fruits and vegetables a day.
- (6) People who have smoked at least 100 cigarettes in their lifetimes and who also smoked some days or every day in the past month.
- (7) People who have consumed 5+ drinks at one occasion in the past month (binge drinker), or men who have 2+ drinks every day or women who have 1+ drink(s) every day (heavy drinker).

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