

Levy County: 2012 At a Glance

Data from the 2012 Florida Youth Tobacco Survey (FYTS)

Indicator	Youth (Ages 11-17)				Comparison of Two Rates		
	Levy 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	10.5	(8.0 - 12.9)	6.1	(5.8 - 6.4)	+		
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	9.6	(6.8 - 12.4)	6.9	(6.6 - 7.2)			+
Used smokeless tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	9.7	(7.2 - 12.2)	3.5	(3.2 - 3.7)	+		
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	18.5	(14.9 - 22.1)	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	62.1	(57.6 - 66.7)	65.7	(65.1 - 66.3)			+
Exposed to secondhand smoke during the past 7 days	55.4	(51.8 - 59.1)	44.1	(43.4 - 44.7)	+		
Smoking is allowed in the home	18.1	(14.7 - 21.4)	9.4	(9.0 - 9.8)	+		
Taught about tobacco use in any classes this year	44.2	(38.5 - 50.0)	43.2	(42.3 - 44.1)			+
Parent or guardian has talked about the dangers of tobacco in the past year	54.0	(50.3 - 57.7)	57.4	(56.8 - 58.0)			+
Served as an active member of SWAT	15.9	(12.4 - 19.4)	3.9	(3.7 - 4.1)	+		
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smokers have more friends	36.7	(33.2 - 40.2)	32.0	(31.5 - 32.6)	+		
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smoking helps young people "look cool" or "fit in"	74.9	(71.4 - 78.5)	72.9	(72.4 - 73.4)			+

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Lifetime asthma	20.9	(18.1 - 23.7)	20.5	(20.1 - 21.0)			+
Current asthma, among all individuals	12.5	(10.1 - 15.0)	11.3	(11.0 - 11.7)			+
Asthma attack in past year, among individuals with lifetime asthma	17.7	(11.4 - 24.0)	16.9	(16.0 - 17.8)			+
Obese (i.e., at or above the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	14.4	(11.6 - 17.3)	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)	17.4	(14.0 - 20.7)	15.4	(15.0 - 15.9)			+
Sufficient vigorous activity	69.6	(66.0 - 73.2)	66.5	(65.9 - 67.1)			+
Sufficient moderate activity	26.7	(23.1 - 30.3)	25.3	(24.8 - 25.8)			+
Exercised to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days	48.0	(43.7 - 52.3)	43.5	(42.9 - 44.1)			+
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	35.5	(31.3 - 39.7)	30.0	(29.5 - 30.6)	+		
Never or rarely wore a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else	12.3	(9.4 - 15.1)	10.9	(10.4 - 11.3)			+
Rode in a car driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days	23.9	(20.3 - 27.5)	20.2	(19.7 - 20.7)			+
Did not go to school on one or more of the past 30 days because they felt unsafe	7.2	(5.1 - 9.2)	6.9	(6.6 - 7.2)			+
Purposely hurt themselves without wanting to die, during the past 12 months	13.5	(10.3 - 16.7)	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	21.1	(17.3 - 24.9)	22.0	(21.5 - 22.5)			+