

Broward County: 2012 At a Glance

Data from the 2012 Florida Youth Tobacco Survey (FYTS)

Indicator	Middle School				Comparison of Two Rates		
	Broward 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	1.5	(0.7 - 2.3)	3.3	(3.0 - 3.5)		+	
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	3.7	(2.2 - 5.2)	3.9	(3.6 - 4.2)			+
Used smokeless tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	1.8	(0.9 - 2.7)	2.3	(2.1 - 2.6)			+
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	5.0	(3.4 - 6.6)	6.4	(6.0 - 6.8)			+
Have never smoked a cigarette and will definitely not smoke a cigarette in the future or if a friend offered one	73.8	(70.4 - 77.1)	72.0	(71.2 - 72.8)			+
Exposed to secondhand smoke during the past 7 days	36.2	(33.0 - 39.4)	41.3	(40.4 - 42.2)		+	
Smoking is allowed in the home	5.6	(4.0 - 7.2)	9.9	(9.5 - 10.4)		+	
Taught about tobacco use in any classes this year	56.7	(51.6 - 61.7)	53.4	(52.0 - 54.7)			+
Parent or guardian has talked about the dangers of tobacco in the past year	65.8	(62.7 - 68.8)	63.9	(63.1 - 64.6)			+
Served as an active member of SWAT	4.0	(1.8 - 6.2)	4.3	(3.9 - 4.7)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smokers have more friends	30.9	(28.0 - 33.8)	33.7	(32.9 - 34.5)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smoking helps young people "look cool" or "fit in"	73.7	(70.7 - 76.7)	73.7	(73.0 - 74.4)			+

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Lifetime asthma	16.6	(14.5 - 18.8)	20.1	(19.5 - 20.7)		+	
Current asthma, among all individuals	10.1	(8.3 - 12.0)	12.0	(11.5 - 12.5)			+
Asthma attack in past year, among individuals with lifetime asthma	17.5	(12.1 - 22.9)	18.1	(16.8 - 19.4)			+
Obese (i.e., at or above the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	9.1	(7.4 - 10.9)	11.6	(11.0 - 12.1)		+	
Overweight (i.e., at or above the 85 th percentile but below the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	14.4	(12.2 - 16.7)	16.5	(15.8 - 17.2)			+
Sufficient vigorous activity	70.9	(67.6 - 74.2)	70.1	(69.2 - 70.9)			+
Sufficient moderate activity	21.5	(18.6 - 24.3)	24.8	(24.1 - 25.4)			+
Exercised to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days	45.1	(41.7 - 48.4)	44.4	(43.6 - 45.2)			+
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	32.1	(29.0 - 35.2)	30.2	(29.4 - 30.9)			+
Never or rarely wore a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else	11.8	(9.7 - 14.0)	11.4	(10.8 - 12.0)			+
Rode in a car driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days	17.0	(14.7 - 19.4)	17.8	(17.2 - 18.5)			+
Did not go to school on one or more of the past 30 days because they felt unsafe	6.4	(4.6 - 8.2)	7.8	(7.3 - 8.3)			+
Purposely hurt themselves without wanting to die, during the past 12 months	13.9	(11.6 - 16.2)	12.6	(12.0 - 13.2)			+
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	20.6	(18.3 - 22.9)	19.2	(18.5 - 19.8)			+

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Smoked cigarettes on one or more of the past 30 days	5.8	(4.2 - 7.4)	10.1	(9.6 - 10.6)		+	
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	9.5	(7.5 - 11.4)	11.4	(10.9 - 11.9)			+
Used smokeless tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	4.0	(2.7 - 5.3)	5.6	(5.2 - 6.0)			+
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	12.7	(10.3 - 15.1)	17.9	(17.3 - 18.6)		+	
Have never smoked a cigarette and will definitely not smoke a cigarette in the future or if a friend offered one	63.8	(60.6 - 67.0)	58.4	(57.6 - 59.3)	+		
Exposed to secondhand smoke during the past 7 days	42.2	(38.8 - 45.6)	47.6	(46.7 - 48.4)		+	
Smoking is allowed in the home	7.0	(5.2 - 8.8)	10.0	(9.5 - 10.5)		+	
Taught about tobacco use in any classes this year	34.1	(30.0 - 38.2)	33.4	(32.4 - 34.4)			+
Parent or guardian has talked about the dangers of tobacco in the past year	51.1	(48.1 - 54.2)	50.4	(49.6 - 51.2)			+
Served as an active member of SWAT	4.8	(3.3 - 6.3)	4.0	(3.7 - 4.3)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smokers have more friends	32.0	(28.6 - 35.4)	30.5	(29.8 - 31.2)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smoking helps young people "look cool" or "fit in"	71.9	(69.1 - 74.7)	71.7	(71.0 - 72.4)			+

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Lifetime asthma	18.5	(16.4 - 20.7)	20.8	(20.2 - 21.5)			+
Current asthma, among all individuals	9.6	(8.0 - 11.3)	10.6	(10.1 - 11.1)			+
Asthma attack in past year, among individuals with lifetime asthma	14.9	(9.8 - 20.1)	16.3	(15.1 - 17.4)			+
Obese (i.e., at or above the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	10.4	(7.5 - 13.3)	11.1	(10.5 - 11.6)			+
Overweight (i.e., at or above the 85 th percentile but below the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	12.8	(10.5 - 15.1)	14.3	(13.7 - 14.9)			+
Sufficient vigorous activity	59.7	(56.6 - 62.9)	62.7	(62.0 - 63.5)			+
Sufficient moderate activity	24.0	(21.1 - 26.9)	26.1	(25.4 - 26.7)			+
Exercised to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days	42.8	(39.9 - 45.7)	42.3	(41.5 - 43.1)			+
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	28.3	(25.4 - 31.3)	29.8	(29.0 - 30.5)			+
Never or rarely wore a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else	11.9	(9.5 - 14.4)	11.2	(10.5 - 11.8)			+
Rode in a car driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days	22.0	(19.4 - 24.7)	23.1	(22.4 - 23.8)			+
Did not go to school on one or more of the past 30 days because they felt unsafe	7.7	(6.1 - 9.3)	6.9	(6.4 - 7.3)			+
Purposely hurt themselves without wanting to die, during the past 12 months	12.0	(10.0 - 13.9)	12.7	(12.1 - 13.2)			+
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	24.0	(21.1 - 26.9)	24.5	(23.8 - 25.2)			+

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Smoked cigarettes on one or more of the past 30 days	3.1	(2.1 - 4.1)	6.1	(5.8 - 6.4)		+	
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	6.0	(4.6 - 7.3)	6.9	(6.6 - 7.2)			+
Used smokeless tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	2.3	(1.6 - 3.1)	3.5	(3.2 - 3.7)		+	
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	8.2	(6.6 - 9.8)	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	68.9	(66.5 - 71.3)	65.7	(65.1 - 66.3)	+		
Exposed to secondhand smoke during the past 7 days	38.9	(36.4 - 41.4)	44.1	(43.4 - 44.7)		+	
Smoking is allowed in the home	5.8	(4.5 - 7.0)	9.4	(9.0 - 9.8)		+	
Taught about tobacco use in any classes this year	45.1	(41.5 - 48.7)	43.2	(42.3 - 44.1)			+
Parent or guardian has talked about the dangers of tobacco in the past year	58.2	(55.7 - 60.6)	57.4	(56.8 - 58.0)			+
Served as an active member of SWAT	4.1	(2.8 - 5.4)	3.9	(3.7 - 4.1)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smokers have more friends	31.2	(28.9 - 33.6)	32.0	(31.5 - 32.6)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smoking helps young people "look cool" or "fit in"	72.7	(70.6 - 74.8)	72.9	(72.4 - 73.4)			+

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Current asthma, among all individuals	9.7	(8.4 - 11.1)	11.3	(11.0 - 11.7)			+
Asthma attack in past year, among individuals with lifetime asthma	15.3	(11.4 - 19.1)	16.9	(16.0 - 17.8)			+
Obese (i.e., at or above the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	9.5	(7.7 - 11.3)	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)	13.7	(12.0 - 15.5)	15.4	(15.0 - 15.9)			+
Sufficient vigorous activity	65.3	(62.8 - 67.8)	66.5	(65.9 - 67.1)			+
Sufficient moderate activity	22.3	(20.2 - 24.4)	25.3	(24.8 - 25.8)		+	
Exercised to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days	44.1	(41.7 - 46.5)	43.5	(42.9 - 44.1)			+
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	30.1	(27.8 - 32.3)	30.0	(29.5 - 30.6)			+
Never or rarely wore a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else	11.6	(9.8 - 13.4)	10.9	(10.4 - 11.3)			+
Rode in a car driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days	19.0	(17.1 - 20.9)	20.2	(19.7 - 20.7)			+
Did not go to school on one or more of the past 30 days because they felt unsafe	6.3	(5.1 - 7.6)	6.9	(6.6 - 7.2)			+
Purposely hurt themselves without wanting to die, during the past 12 months	11.8	(10.2 - 13.4)	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	22.6	(20.6 - 24.7)	22.0	(21.5 - 22.5)			+