

Palm Beach County: 2012 At a Glance

Data from the 2012 Florida Youth Tobacco Survey (FYTS)

Indicator	Middle School				Comparison of Two Rates		
	Palm Beach 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	2.6	(1.6 - 3.7)	3.3	(3.0 - 3.5)			+
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	3.3	(1.9 - 4.8)	3.9	(3.6 - 4.2)			+
Used smokeless tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	1.3	(0.4 - 2.1)	2.3	(2.1 - 2.6)			+
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	5.2	(3.5 - 6.9)	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	72.8	(68.8 - 76.7)	72.0	(71.2 - 72.8)			+
Exposed to secondhand smoke during the past 7 days	36.2	(32.5 - 39.8)	41.3	(40.4 - 42.2)		+	
Smoking is allowed in the home	7.1	(5.3 - 9.0)	9.9	(9.5 - 10.4)		+	
Taught about tobacco use in any classes this year	41.6	(33.9 - 49.2)	53.4	(52.0 - 54.7)		+	
Parent or guardian has talked about the dangers of tobacco in the past year	65.1	(60.7 - 69.6)	63.9	(63.1 - 64.6)			+
Served as an active member of SWAT	4.5	(2.4 - 6.5)	4.3	(3.9 - 4.7)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smokers have more friends	34.2	(30.7 - 37.7)	33.7	(32.9 - 34.5)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smoking helps young people "look cool" or "fit in"	70.3	(67.3 - 73.2)	73.7	(73.0 - 74.4)			+

Palm Beach County: 2012 At a Glance

Data from the 2012 Florida Youth Tobacco Survey (FYTS)

Indicator	Middle School				Comparison of Two Rates		
	Palm Beach County %	95% CI	State %	95% CI	County Higher Than State	State Higher Than County	No Difference
Lifetime asthma	18.4	(15.7 - 21.0)	20.1	(19.5 - 20.7)			+
Current asthma, among all individuals	10.1	(7.9 - 12.3)	12.0	(11.5 - 12.5)			+
Asthma attack in past year, among individuals with lifetime asthma	14.8	(9.0 - 20.6)	18.1	(16.8 - 19.4)			+
Obese (i.e., at or above the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	11.7	(8.4 - 14.9)	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)	18.5	(15.5 - 21.5)	16.5	(15.8 - 17.2)			+
Sufficient vigorous activity	66.3	(61.7 - 71.0)	70.1	(69.2 - 70.9)			+
Sufficient moderate activity	23.7	(20.6 - 26.8)	24.8	(24.1 - 25.4)			+
Exercised to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days	43.1	(39.1 - 47.1)	44.4	(43.6 - 45.2)			+
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	28.9	(25.0 - 32.7)	30.2	(29.4 - 30.9)			+
Never or rarely wore a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else	11.6	(7.8 - 15.4)	11.4	(10.8 - 12.0)			+
Rode in a car driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days	17.5	(14.7 - 20.2)	17.8	(17.2 - 18.5)			+
Did not go to school on one or more of the past 30 days because they felt unsafe	9.1	(6.5 - 11.6)	7.8	(7.3 - 8.3)			+
Purposely hurt themselves without wanting to die, during the past 12 months	12.5	(9.1 - 15.8)	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	22.7	(18.1 - 27.3)	19.2	(18.5 - 19.8)			+

Palm Beach County: 2012 At a Glance

Data from the 2012 Florida Youth Tobacco Survey (FYTS)

Indicator	High School				Comparison of Two Rates		
	Palm Beach 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	9.3	(7.2 - 11.5)	10.1	(9.6 - 10.6)			+
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	10.1	(7.8 - 12.3)	11.4	(10.9 - 11.9)			+
Used smokeless tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	4.2	(2.9 - 5.5)	5.6	(5.2 - 6.0)			+
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	15.9	(13.0 - 18.7)	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	54.4	(50.9 - 58.0)	58.4	(57.6 - 59.3)			+
Exposed to secondhand smoke during the past 7 days	45.6	(42.0 - 49.2)	47.6	(46.7 - 48.4)			+
Smoking is allowed in the home	8.8	(6.8 - 10.8)	10.0	(9.5 - 10.5)			+
Taught about tobacco use in any classes this year	34.3	(30.3 - 38.4)	33.4	(32.4 - 34.4)			+
Parent or guardian has talked about the dangers of tobacco in the past year	52.0	(48.9 - 55.2)	50.4	(49.6 - 51.2)			+
Served as an active member of SWAT	4.8	(3.4 - 6.2)	4.0	(3.7 - 4.3)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smokers have more friends	30.1	(27.4 - 32.8)	30.5	(29.8 - 31.2)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smoking helps young people "look cool" or "fit in"	69.7	(66.5 - 72.8)	71.7	(71.0 - 72.4)			+

Palm Beach County: 2012 At a Glance

Data from the 2012 Florida Youth Tobacco Survey (FYTS)

Indicator	High School				Comparison of Two Rates		
	Palm Beach County %	95% CI	State %	95% CI	County Higher Than State	State Higher Than County	No Difference
Lifetime asthma	20.1	(17.6 - 22.5)	20.8	(20.2 - 21.5)			+
Current asthma, among all individuals	10.4	(8.6 - 12.1)	10.6	(10.1 - 11.1)			+
Asthma attack in past year, among individuals with lifetime asthma	17.9	(12.9 - 22.8)	16.3	(15.1 - 17.4)			+
Obese (i.e., at or above the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	10.3	(8.2 - 12.4)	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)	13.6	(11.0 - 16.1)	14.3	(13.7 - 14.9)			+
Sufficient vigorous activity	65.1	(62.1 - 68.2)	62.7	(62.0 - 63.5)			+
Sufficient moderate activity	26.9	(24.2 - 29.6)	26.1	(25.4 - 26.7)			+
Exercised to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days	42.9	(39.5 - 46.3)	42.3	(41.5 - 43.1)			+
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	27.9	(25.0 - 30.7)	29.8	(29.0 - 30.5)			+
Never or rarely wore a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else	8.4	(6.3 - 10.4)	11.2	(10.5 - 11.8)		+	
Rode in a car driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days	24.9	(21.8 - 28.0)	23.1	(22.4 - 23.8)			+
Did not go to school on one or more of the past 30 days because they felt unsafe	7.6	(5.9 - 9.4)	6.9	(6.4 - 7.3)			+
Purposely hurt themselves without wanting to die, during the past 12 months	12.8	(10.6 - 15.1)	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	25.7	(23.2 - 28.3)	24.5	(23.8 - 25.2)			+

Palm Beach County: 2012 At a Glance

Data from the 2012 Florida Youth Tobacco Survey (FYTS)

Indicator	Youth (Ages 11-17)				Comparison of Two Rates		
	Palm Beach 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	5.5	(4.3 - 6.8)	6.1	(5.8 - 6.4)			+
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	6.0	(4.7 - 7.2)	6.9	(6.6 - 7.2)			+
Used smokeless tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	2.6	(1.8 - 3.5)	3.5	(3.2 - 3.7)			+
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	10.0	(8.3 - 11.7)	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	64.2	(61.4 - 67.0)	65.7	(65.1 - 66.3)			+
Exposed to secondhand smoke during the past 7 days	40.6	(37.9 - 43.2)	44.1	(43.4 - 44.7)		+	
Smoking is allowed in the home	7.3	(5.9 - 8.7)	9.4	(9.0 - 9.8)		+	
Taught about tobacco use in any classes this year	38.2	(34.5 - 41.9)	43.2	(42.3 - 44.1)		+	
Parent or guardian has talked about the dangers of tobacco in the past year	58.8	(56.3 - 61.2)	57.4	(56.8 - 58.0)			+
Served as an active member of SWAT	4.4	(3.2 - 5.6)	3.9	(3.7 - 4.1)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smokers have more friends	32.2	(29.9 - 34.4)	32.0	(31.5 - 32.6)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smoking helps young people "look cool" or "fit in"	70.3	(68.2 - 72.5)	72.9	(72.4 - 73.4)			+

Palm Beach County: 2012 At a Glance

Data from the 2012 Florida Youth Tobacco Survey (FYTS)

Indicator	Youth (Ages 11-17)				Comparison of Two Rates		
	Palm Beach County %	95% CI	State %	95% CI	County Higher Than State	State Higher Than County	No Difference
Lifetime asthma	19.7	(17.7 - 21.7)	20.5	(20.1 - 21.0)			+
Current asthma, among all individuals	10.4	(9.0 - 11.8)	11.3	(11.0 - 11.7)			+
Asthma attack in past year, among individuals with lifetime asthma	17.0	(13.2 - 20.8)	16.9	(16.0 - 17.8)			+
Obese (i.e., at or above the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	10.8	(8.9 - 12.7)	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	(13.8 - 18.1)	15.4	(15.0 - 15.9)			+
Sufficient vigorous activity	66.4	(63.8 - 69.1)	66.5	(65.9 - 67.1)			+
Sufficient moderate activity	25.4	(23.4 - 27.5)	25.3	(24.8 - 25.8)			+
Exercised to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days	43.5	(40.9 - 46.0)	43.5	(42.9 - 44.1)			+
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	28.5	(26.2 - 30.9)	30.0	(29.5 - 30.6)			+
Never or rarely wore a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else	8.9	(6.8 - 11.0)	10.9	(10.4 - 11.3)			+
Rode in a car driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days	20.8	(18.8 - 22.9)	20.2	(19.7 - 20.7)			+
Did not go to school on one or more of the past 30 days because they felt unsafe	7.9	(6.5 - 9.4)	6.9	(6.6 - 7.2)			+
Purposely hurt themselves without wanting to die, during the past 12 months	12.4	(10.5 - 14.2)	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	23.9	(21.5 - 26.3)	22.0	(21.5 - 22.5)			+