

Walton County: 2012 At a Glance

Data from the 2012 Florida Youth Tobacco Survey (FYTS)

Indicator	Middle School				Comparison of Two Rates		
	Walton 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	7.7	(4.0 - 11.4)	3.3	(3.0 - 3.5)	+		
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	4.8	(2.1 - 7.6)	3.9	(3.6 - 4.2)			+
Used smokeless tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	5.0	(2.7 - 7.2)	2.3	(2.1 - 2.6)	+		
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	12.8	(8.1 - 17.5)	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	62.4	(56.3 - 68.6)	72.0	(71.2 - 72.8)		+	
Exposed to secondhand smoke during the past 7 days	53.7	(48.3 - 59.2)	41.3	(40.4 - 42.2)	+		
Smoking is allowed in the home	16.1	(11.8 - 20.3)	9.9	(9.5 - 10.4)	+		
Taught about tobacco use in any classes this year	61.0	(52.8 - 69.3)	53.4	(52.0 - 54.7)			+
Parent or guardian has talked about the dangers of tobacco in the past year	64.0	(59.2 - 68.8)	63.9	(63.1 - 64.6)			+
Served as an active member of SWAT	8.6	(4.6 - 12.7)	4.3	(3.9 - 4.7)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smokers have more friends	28.1	(23.2 - 33.0)	33.7	(32.9 - 34.5)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smoking helps young people "look cool" or "fit in"	74.8	(69.5 - 80.1)	73.7	(73.0 - 74.4)			+

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Lifetime asthma	15.6	(12.0 - 19.1)	20.1	(19.5 - 20.7)		+	
Current asthma, among all individuals	8.6	(5.9 - 11.4)	12.0	(11.5 - 12.5)		+	
Asthma attack in past year, among individuals with lifetime asthma	16.5	(7.3 - 25.7)	18.1	(16.8 - 19.4)			+
Obese (i.e., at or above the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	15.9	(10.8 - 21.0)	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)	16.0	(12.1 - 19.9)	16.5	(15.8 - 17.2)			+
Sufficient vigorous activity	77.1	(72.2 - 81.9)	70.1	(69.2 - 70.9)	+		
Sufficient moderate activity	23.0	(18.5 - 27.5)	24.8	(24.1 - 25.4)			+
Exercised to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days	48.8	(43.2 - 54.4)	44.4	(43.6 - 45.2)			+
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	33.6	(28.8 - 38.4)	30.2	(29.4 - 30.9)			+
Never or rarely wore a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else	11.8	(7.7 - 15.9)	11.4	(10.8 - 12.0)			+
Rode in a car driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days	18.4	(14.2 - 22.6)	17.8	(17.2 - 18.5)			+
Did not go to school on one or more of the past 30 days because they felt unsafe	5.6	(3.0 - 8.1)	7.8	(7.3 - 8.3)			+
Purposely hurt themselves without wanting to die, during the past 12 months	11.7	(8.5 - 14.9)	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	15.2	(11.5 - 18.9)	19.2	(18.5 - 19.8)			+

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Smoked cigarettes on one or more of the past 30 days	18.0	(14.5 - 21.5)	10.1	(9.6 - 10.6)	+		
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	13.3	(10.5 - 16.0)	11.4	(10.9 - 11.9)			+
Used smokeless tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	12.4	(9.6 - 15.2)	5.6	(5.2 - 6.0)	+		
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	27.6	(23.4 - 31.9)	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	48.9	(44.3 - 53.5)	58.4	(57.6 - 59.3)		+	
Exposed to secondhand smoke during the past 7 days	61.4	(57.3 - 65.4)	47.6	(46.7 - 48.4)	+		
Smoking is allowed in the home	18.3	(14.8 - 21.7)	10.0	(9.5 - 10.5)	+		
Taught about tobacco use in any classes this year	39.1	(34.0 - 44.2)	33.4	(32.4 - 34.4)			+
Parent or guardian has talked about the dangers of tobacco in the past year	53.1	(48.6 - 57.6)	50.4	(49.6 - 51.2)			+
Served as an active member of SWAT	9.4	(6.9 - 11.8)	4.0	(3.7 - 4.3)	+		
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smokers have more friends	29.2	(25.6 - 32.8)	30.5	(29.8 - 31.2)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smoking helps young people "look cool" or "fit in"	69.1	(65.1 - 73.1)	71.7	(71.0 - 72.4)			+

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Lifetime asthma	21.4	(17.9 - 24.8)	20.8	(20.2 - 21.5)			+
Current asthma, among all individuals	11.1	(8.7 - 13.5)	10.6	(10.1 - 11.1)			+
Asthma attack in past year, among individuals with lifetime asthma	19.2	(12.4 - 26.0)	16.3	(15.1 - 17.4)			+
Obese (i.e., at or above the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	10.8	(8.0 - 13.6)	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)	15.5	(12.7 - 18.3)	14.3	(13.7 - 14.9)			+
Sufficient vigorous activity	69.1	(64.9 - 73.3)	62.7	(62.0 - 63.5)	+		
Sufficient moderate activity	32.2	(28.6 - 35.8)	26.1	(25.4 - 26.7)	+		
Exercised to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days	43.1	(39.0 - 47.2)	42.3	(41.5 - 43.1)			+
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	30.6	(26.7 - 34.6)	29.8	(29.0 - 30.5)			+
Never or rarely wore a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else	13.1	(10.4 - 15.8)	11.2	(10.5 - 11.8)			+
Rode in a car driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days	27.3	(23.5 - 31.2)	23.1	(22.4 - 23.8)			+
Did not go to school on one or more of the past 30 days because they felt unsafe	6.6	(4.5 - 8.7)	6.9	(6.4 - 7.3)			+
Purposely hurt themselves without wanting to die, during the past 12 months	13.9	(11.0 - 16.8)	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	24.2	(20.6 - 27.8)	24.5	(23.8 - 25.2)			+

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Smoked cigarettes on one or more of the past 30 days	12.2	(9.5 - 15.0)	6.1	(5.8 - 6.4)	+		
Smoked cigars on one or more of the past 30 days	8.4	(6.4 - 10.5)	6.9	(6.6 - 7.2)			+
Used smokeless tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	8.6	(6.6 - 10.7)	3.5	(3.2 - 3.7)	+		
Used any form of tobacco on one or more of the past 30 days	19.7	(16.2 - 23.1)	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	55.8	(51.7 - 59.9)	65.7	(65.1 - 66.3)		+	
Exposed to secondhand smoke during the past 7 days	57.5	(54.0 - 61.0)	44.1	(43.4 - 44.7)	+		
Smoking is allowed in the home	17.5	(14.6 - 20.4)	9.4	(9.0 - 9.8)	+		
Taught about tobacco use in any classes this year	49.9	(44.8 - 55.0)	43.2	(42.3 - 44.1)	+		
Parent or guardian has talked about the dangers of tobacco in the past year	59.3	(55.8 - 62.7)	57.4	(56.8 - 58.0)			+
Served as an active member of SWAT	9.7	(7.3 - 12.2)	3.9	(3.7 - 4.1)	+		
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smokers have more friends	29.3	(26.2 - 32.3)	32.0	(31.5 - 32.6)			+
<u>Definitely did not think</u> that smoking helps young people "look cool" or "fit in"	72.8	(69.5 - 76.2)	72.9	(72.4 - 73.4)			+

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Lifetime asthma	19.2	(16.6 - 21.9)	20.5	(20.1 - 21.0)			+
Current asthma, among all individuals	10.3	(8.3 - 12.3)	11.3	(11.0 - 11.7)			+
Asthma attack in past year, among individuals with lifetime asthma	18.6	(13.1 - 24.1)	16.9	(16.0 - 17.8)			+
Obese (i.e., at or above the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex)	13.3	(10.4 - 16.2)	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)	16.1	(13.6 - 18.5)	15.4	(15.0 - 15.9)			+
Sufficient vigorous activity	73.8	(70.5 - 77.2)	66.5	(65.9 - 67.1)	+		
Sufficient moderate activity	27.8	(24.7 - 30.9)	25.3	(24.8 - 25.8)			+
Exercised to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days	46.1	(42.6 - 49.5)	43.5	(42.9 - 44.1)			+
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	31.5	(28.3 - 34.7)	30.0	(29.5 - 30.6)			+
Never or rarely wore a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else	12.5	(10.1 - 15.0)	10.9	(10.4 - 11.3)			+
Rode in a car driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol during the past 30 days	22.8	(19.8 - 25.9)	20.2	(19.7 - 20.7)			+
Did not go to school on one or more of the past 30 days because they felt unsafe	6.2	(4.5 - 7.8)	6.9	(6.6 - 7.2)			+
Purposely hurt themselves without wanting to die, during the past 12 months	13.3	(11.1 - 15.5)	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	20.0	(17.1 - 22.8)	22.0	(21.5 - 22.5)			+