

**Table 1. Current, binge, and heavy alcohol use among adults ages 18+, NYC, 2002-2015**

Source: NYC Community Health Survey (CHS), 2002-2015

CHS 2002-2008 data are weighted to the NYC adult population per Census 2000; starting in 2009, data are weighted to the 2008 HVS for phone usage and the Census 2000.

CHS 2010 are weighted to the 2008 HVS for phone usage and the Census 2000.

CHS 2011 data are weighted to the residential adult population per Census 2010, the 2008 HVS for phone usage, and the 2008-2010 American Community Survey.

CHS 2012 data are weighted to the adult residential population per the American Community Survey, 2011.

CHS 2013 data are weighted to the adult residential population per the American Community Survey, 2012.

CHS 2014 data are weighted to the adult residential population per the American Community Survey, 2013.

CHS 2015 data are weighted to the adult residential population per the American Community Survey, 2014. CHS has included adults with landline phones since 2002 and, starting in 2009, also has included adults who can be reached by cell-phone.

Estimates are age-adjusted per 2000 Census.

Year	Current Drinking <sup>1</sup>		Binge Drinking <sup>2</sup> (old definition)		Binge Drinking <sup>3</sup> (new definition)		Heavy Drinking <sup>4</sup>	
	Weighted %	95% C.I.	Weighted %	95% C.I.	Weighted %	95% C.I.	Weighted %	95% C.I.
2002	52.2	(50.9 - 53.5)	14.8	(13.8 - 15.8)	~	~	4.8	(4.3 - 5.4)
2003	51.7	(50.5 - 52.9)	14.0	(13.1 - 14.9)	~	~	5.0	(4.5 - 5.6)
2004	51.8	(50.5 - 53.0)	13.3	(12.4 - 14.2)	~	~	4.2	(3.7 - 4.8)
2005	55.6	(54.4 - 56.8)	14.5D	(13.6 - 15.4)	~	~	4.7	(4.2 - 5.3)
2006	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~
2007	55.5D	(54.1 - 56.8)	15.3	(14.3 - 16.4)	~	~	5.1	(4.5 - 5.8)
2008	56.1	(54.5 - 57.6)	12.8	(11.7 - 14.0)	~	~	4.3	(3.6 - 5.0)
2009	57.0	(55.5 - 58.5)	14.6	(13.5 - 15.8)	~	~	4.6	(4.0 - 5.3)
2010	57.0	(55.5 - 58.6)	15.5U	(14.3 - 16.9)	~	~	5.6	(4.8 - 6.5)
2011	55.4	(53.6 - 57.3)	15.1	(13.6 - 16.7)	17.9	(16.4 - 19.6)	5.3	(4.4 - 6.3)
2012	56.7	(55.1 - 58.3)	~	~	19.6	(18.2 - 20.9)	5.9	(5.1 - 6.7)
2013	53.8	(52.4 - 55.2)	~	~	18.2	(17.0 - 19.4)	5.2	(4.6-5.9)
2014	54.3	(52.8 - 55.8)	~	~	16.5U	(15.4 - 17.7)	5.1	(4.5 - 5.8)
2015	56.7	(55.3 - 58.0)	~	~	17.2	(16.1 - 18.3)	5.4	(4.8 - 6.1)

<sup>1</sup> Current drinking: Consumed at least 1 alcoholic drink during the past 30 days.

<sup>2</sup> Binge drinking (old definition): Consuming 5 or more alcoholic drinks in a row (within a couple of hours) at least once during the past 30 days.

<sup>3</sup> Binge drinking (new definition): Consuming 5 or more (4 for women) alcoholic drinks in a row (within a couple of hours) at least once during the past 30 days.

<sup>4</sup> Heavy drinking: Men having >2 drinks per day or women having >1 drink per day

D Data rounded down to the nearest whole number for the purposes of reporting in the text.

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95% confidence intervals (CIs) are a measure of estimate precision; the wider the CI, the more imprecise the estimate.