

Table 2b. Prevalence of marijuana use (past 30 days) among youth by demographics, New Y

Source: NYC Youth Risk Behavior Survey, 2015

Data are weighted to the NYC public high school student population.

	2015		
	Marijuana (past 30 day use)		
	%	95% C.I.	P-value
Total	15.9	(13.9 - 18.0)	~
Sex			
Female	15.8	(13.3 - 18.7)	Referent
Male	15.7	(13.7 - 18.0)	0.959
Grade			
9th grade	9.1	(7.0 - 11.8)	<0.001
10th grade	13.7	(11.0 - 17.0)	<0.001
11th grade	19.3	(15.7 - 23.6)	0.124
12th grade	23.4	(19.7 - 27.5)	Referent
Race/Ethnicity			
White Non-Hispanic	18.9	(14.7 - 24.0)	Referent
Black Non-Hispanic	17.4	(13.7 - 21.9)	0.616
Hispanic	18.3	(15.2 - 22.0)	0.846
Asian	5.4	(4.2 - 6.8)	<0.001
Other ²	14.8	(11.6 - 18.5)	0.197
Borough of Residence			
Bronx	16.9	(12.9 - 21.9)	0.665
Brooklyn	15.1	(12.4 - 18.3)	0.209
Manhattan	17.6	(14.7 - 21.1)	0.838
Queens	14.6	(12.5 - 17.0)	0.131
Staten Island	18.2	(14.6 - 22.4)	Referent
Borough of School			
Bronx	13.6	(10.6 - 17.3)	0.137
Brooklyn	14.1	(12.0 - 16.5)	0.148
Manhattan	21.6	(14.3 - 31.2)	0.393
Queens	14.7	(12.7 - 16.9)	0.217
Staten Island	17.5U	(13.9 - 22.0)	Referent

¹ NYC YRBS is administered to public schools only.

² Other category includes non-Hispanic students who selected American Indian/Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian/other Pacific Islander, or multiple race categories.

* Estimate should be interpreted with caution. Estimate's Relative Standard Error (a measure of estimate precision) is greater than 30%, the 95% Confidence Interval half-width is greater than 10, or the sample size is less than 50, making the estimate potentially unreliable.

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

A p-value is a measure of statistical significance. A **bold** p-value less than .05 means there is a significant difference between that group and the referent (comparison) group.

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