

2022 Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey

Okaloosa County Data Tables

Table 1. Major demographic characteristics of surveyed Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide, 2022

	Okaloosa County		Florida Statewide	
	N	%	N	%
Sex				
Female	540	49.4	22,957	48.3
Male	516	47.2	23,857	50.1
Race/Ethnic group				
African American	94	8.6	10,187	21.4
American Indian	35	3.2	422	0.9
Asian	28	2.6	785	1.7
Hispanic/Latino	113	10.3	10,291	21.6
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	4	0.4	63	0.1
Other/Multiple	217	19.9	6,956	14.6
White, non-Hispanic	582	53.2	18,419	38.7
Parent/Guardian in the Military				
No	762	69.7	41,174	86.6
Yes	313	28.6	5,980	12.6
Age				
11	89	8.1	2,576	5.4
12	177	16.2	6,243	13.1
13	191	17.5	6,872	14.4
14	182	16.7	7,136	15.0
15	175	16.0	7,278	15.3
16	109	10.0	6,918	14.5
17	104	9.5	6,616	13.9
18	49	4.5	3,403	7.2
Grade				
6th	219	20.0	6,626	13.9
7th	205	18.8	6,817	14.3
8th	134	12.3	7,021	14.8
9th	198	18.1	7,193	15.1
10th	149	13.6	7,025	14.8
11th	111	10.2	6,557	13.8
12th	77	7.0	6,333	13.3
Middle School	558	51.1	20,463	43.0
High School	535	48.9	27,109	57.0
Total	1,093	100.0	47,572	100.0

Note: Some categories do not sum to 100% of the total due to missing values (e.g., not all survey questions were answered) or categories with very few responses were omitted. In addition, rounding can produce totals that do not equal 100%. “N” represents the number of valid cases. In this table, county data are unweighted while statewide data are weighted.

Table 2. Percentages of Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth who reported having used various drugs in their lifetimes, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
Alcohol	19.9	39.3	35.2	26.1	20.2	42.2	30.7	21.0	38.5	34.5	27.5	22.1	38.2	31.0
Blacking Out	--	14.3	17.3	11.3	--	14.9	--	--	11.0	12.7	9.5	--	11.1	--
Cigarettes	7.2	12.7	11.5	8.9	7.2	12.2	10.3	5.0	8.6	7.2	7.0	5.0	8.3	7.1
Vaping Nicotine	11.5	30.6	27.1	18.0	13.3	31.4	22.5	13.1	25.5	23.8	16.7	13.6	25.8	20.2
Vaping Marijuana	5.2	20.1	16.6	10.8	5.0	21.1	13.7	6.1	18.4	15.1	11.4	6.4	18.7	13.2
Marijuana or Hashish	7.5	24.6	20.3	14.1	8.0	27.3	17.3	6.6	22.9	18.1	14.0	7.2	22.7	16.0
Synthetic Marijuana	--	3.2	5.4	1.1	--	1.8	--	--	2.5	2.8	2.2	--	2.5	--
Inhalants	4.6	6.6	8.1	2.9	5.1	7.1	5.7	7.1	4.6	6.6	4.6	6.8	4.9	5.7
Club Drugs	0.1	1.4	1.4	0.3	0.6	1.4	0.9	0.5	1.4	1.0	1.0	0.5	1.3	1.0
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	1.3	5.7	4.2	3.6	1.3	6.0	3.8	1.0	3.8	2.6	2.5	1.0	3.7	2.6
Methamphetamine	0.2	0.8	1.0	0.0	0.4	0.1	0.5	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	0.8	1.3	1.9	0.4	0.7	0.5	1.1	0.7	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9
Heroin	0.7	0.6	1.1	0.2	0.6	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
Prescription Depressants	0.3	3.6	2.1	2.0	0.8	3.3	2.1	1.5	3.1	2.8	1.9	1.6	3.1	2.4
Prescription Pain Relievers	2.6	4.5	4.1	2.4	3.2	4.3	3.6	3.0	2.6	3.3	2.2	3.0	2.7	2.8
Prescription Amphetamines	2.0	5.2	5.0	1.8	2.4	5.3	3.8	1.9	3.4	3.2	2.3	2.0	3.4	2.8
Over-the-Counter Drugs	2.1	4.7	5.3	2.1	2.2	3.4	3.5	2.5	3.0	3.2	2.4	2.5	3.1	2.8
Needle to Inject Illegal Drugs	--	0.5	0.0	1.0	--	0.7	--	--	0.6	0.4	0.7	--	0.6	--
Any illicit drug	13.7	30.7	27.3	18.6	14.5	32.1	23.2	16.7	29.3	27.3	20.5	17.0	29.4	23.9
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	9.2	14.3	15.7	8.2	9.7	14.4	12.1	12.0	12.5	14.0	10.4	11.9	12.6	12.3
Alcohol only	10.0	13.7	12.1	12.5	10.5	14.1	12.1	11.7	16.2	14.8	13.8	12.4	16.0	14.3
Alcohol or any illicit drug	23.8	44.5	39.3	31.4	25.0	46.1	35.4	28.2	45.3	42.0	34.0	29.2	45.1	38.0
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	4.3	5.8	4.7	5.7	5.2	4.8	5.2	7.5	7.1	7.7	6.8	7.4	7.2	7.2

Note: The first 18 data rows show results for alcohol, cigarettes, and other drugs. The last five data rows show results for various combinations of drugs. For "Blacking Out," respondents were asked on how many occasions in their lifetime they woke up after a night of drinking and did not remember the things they did or the places they went. Ecstasy, Rohypnol, GHB and ketamine are provided as examples in the question about club drugs. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 3. Percentages of Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth who reported having used various drugs in the past 30 days, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
Alcohol	6.2	15.4	14.8	8.5	6.5	15.3	11.4	6.7	15.5	13.3	10.3	7.1	15.1	11.8
Binge Drinking	2.9	9.1	8.4	4.6	3.4	9.0	6.3	3.0	7.5	6.1	5.1	3.0	7.2	5.6
Cigarettes	1.4	2.1	1.2	2.4	1.2	1.4	1.8	0.8	1.4	1.0	1.3	0.8	1.4	1.2
Vaping Nicotine	4.2	15.4	13.7	8.1	5.4	15.7	10.7	5.5	12.7	11.9	7.5	5.9	12.7	9.7
Vaping Marijuana	3.3	8.7	6.4	6.3	2.9	9.9	6.4	2.9	9.7	7.7	5.9	3.1	9.8	6.8
Marijuana or Hashish	3.0	11.1	8.2	6.9	3.4	11.3	7.7	3.0	12.2	9.1	7.4	3.4	11.8	8.3
Synthetic Marijuana	--	0.6	1.0	0.2	--	0.6	--	--	0.8	1.0	0.7	--	0.9	--
Inhalants	2.6	0.9	2.0	1.2	2.7	0.6	1.6	2.3	1.1	1.9	1.2	2.2	1.0	1.6
Club Drugs	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.1	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.0	1.2	0.5	0.4	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.4	0.9	0.6
Methamphetamine	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.2	0.4	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	0.4	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3
Heroin	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
Prescription Depressants	0.1	0.5	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.9	0.7
Prescription Pain Relievers	1.4	1.0	1.1	0.7	1.7	0.8	1.2	1.1	0.9	1.3	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.0
Prescription Amphetamines	1.0	1.1	1.2	0.5	1.3	0.6	1.1	0.7	1.1	1.1	0.8	0.8	1.1	0.9
Over-the-Counter Drugs	0.8	1.4	1.4	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.9	1.0
Any illicit drug	6.6	14.3	12.5	8.9	6.9	15.2	11.0	7.8	15.7	14.0	10.7	8.1	15.5	12.3
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	5.2	3.6	5.5	2.8	5.3	2.9	4.3	5.0	4.4	5.2	4.0	5.0	4.4	4.7
Alcohol only	3.6	7.4	7.6	4.2	3.8	7.1	5.8	4.2	8.0	7.2	5.6	4.4	7.8	6.4
Alcohol or any illicit drug	9.8	22.0	20.2	12.8	10.3	22.2	16.6	11.9	23.5	21.0	16.1	12.4	23.2	18.5
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	4.0	7.1	5.9	4.8	4.2	7.4	5.8	5.3	8.2	7.9	6.0	5.4	8.2	6.9

Note: The first 17 data rows show results for alcohol, cigarettes, and other drugs. The last five data rows show results for various combinations of drugs. Binge drinking is defined as having had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row in the past two weeks. Ecstasy, Rohypnol, GHB and ketamine are provided as examples in the question about club drugs. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 4. Lifetime trend in alcohol, tobacco, and other drug use for Okaloosa County, 2012 to 2022

	2012			2014			2016			2018			2020			2022		
	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total
Alcohol	26.7	58.6	45.1	22.5	56.1	41.9	22.2	52.6	39.5	22.2	50.6	37.9	22.4	52.3	38.7	19.9	39.3	30.7
Blacking Out	--	--	--	--	19.5	--	--	18.7	--	--	15.5	--	--	17.1	--	--	14.3	--
Cigarettes	14.3	32.8	25.0	6.9	25.5	17.6	10.2	24.9	18.5	9.7	20.1	15.4	8.9	14.4	11.9	7.2	12.7	10.3
Vaping Nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	13.7	39.3	27.8	11.5	30.6	22.5
Vaping Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	7.5	23.1	16.1	5.2	20.1	13.7
Vaporizer / E-Cigarette	--	--	--	--	--	--	13.2	37.9	27.1	16.3	40.4	29.5	--	--	--	--	--	--
Marijuana or Hashish	6.3	29.9	20.0	5.2	29.0	19.0	6.9	33.5	21.8	8.1	32.0	21.1	8.1	30.0	20.2	7.5	24.6	17.3
Synthetic Marijuana	--	14.4	--	--	7.7	--	--	6.2	--	--	3.6	--	--	2.5	--	--	3.2	--
Inhalants	12.0	6.7	8.9	9.5	6.7	7.9	8.3	4.8	6.3	11.0	5.0	7.7	8.5	7.4	7.9	4.6	6.6	5.7
Club Drugs	1.1	5.0	3.4	0.6	6.4	3.9	1.1	4.3	2.9	0.7	3.1	2.0	1.0	1.9	1.5	0.1	1.4	0.9
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.9	5.2	3.4	0.5	6.2	3.8	1.3	6.6	4.3	1.1	4.7	3.1	1.6	4.1	3.0	1.3	5.7	3.8
Methamphetamine	1.0	1.2	1.1	0.0	1.0	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.6	1.4	1.1	0.4	0.7	0.5	0.2	0.8	0.5
Cocaine or Crack	0.6	4.5	2.8	0.6	3.1	2.1	1.0	3.6	2.5	0.5	2.5	1.6	0.7	2.2	1.5	0.8	1.3	1.1
Heroin	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.0	1.7	1.0	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.8	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.6
Prescription Depressants	3.0	7.9	5.8	2.0	7.7	5.3	3.3	13.4	9.0	3.6	10.0	7.1	3.4	6.7	5.2	0.3	3.6	2.1
Prescription Pain Relievers	4.0	11.3	8.2	3.0	9.1	6.5	3.4	8.5	6.3	3.2	7.2	5.4	3.8	4.8	4.4	2.6	4.5	3.6
Prescription Amphetamines	1.7	9.2	6.0	1.0	8.7	5.5	1.6	7.7	5.0	2.1	5.7	4.1	1.4	6.2	3.9	2.0	5.2	3.8
Over-the-Counter Drugs	3.4	7.9	5.9	3.1	6.1	4.9	2.9	6.4	4.8	4.2	6.0	5.2	4.9	4.0	4.4	2.1	4.7	3.5
Needle to Inject Drugs	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.6	--	--	0.5	--	--	1.0	--	--	0.5	--
Any illicit drug	19.1	38.4	30.2	17.4	37.7	29.1	16.4	38.8	29.0	20.8	38.8	30.6	18.6	37.5	28.9	13.7	30.7	23.2
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	16.8	24.2	21.0	14.6	22.3	19.1	13.3	24.1	19.4	16.9	20.3	18.7	14.3	18.2	16.5	9.2	14.3	12.1
Alcohol only	14.9	24.9	20.7	14.8	21.6	18.7	12.2	18.7	15.9	9.9	17.5	14.1	11.0	21.1	16.5	10.0	13.7	12.1
Alcohol or any illicit drug	33.9	63.0	50.7	32.1	59.3	47.8	28.2	57.6	44.8	30.3	56.1	44.4	29.5	58.7	45.4	23.8	44.5	35.4
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	7.3	4.3	5.5	9.7	3.4	6.0	6.5	5.1	5.7	8.4	5.8	7.0	7.3	6.5	6.8	4.3	5.8	5.2

Note: The first 19 data rows show results for alcohol, cigarettes, and other drugs. The last five data rows show results for various combinations of drugs. For "Blacking Out," respondents were asked on how many occasions in their lifetime they woke up after a night of drinking and did not remember the things they did or the places they went. Ecstasy, Rohypnol, GHB and ketamine are provided as examples in the question about club drugs. In 2020, the vaping/e-cigarette item was replaced with separate questions about vaping nicotine and vaping marijuana. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 5. Past-30-day trend in alcohol, tobacco, and other drug use for Okaloosa County, 2012 to 2022

	2012			2014			2016			2018			2020			2022		
	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total
Alcohol	9.8	30.1	21.4	9.3	27.9	20.1	9.1	25.9	18.6	6.3	21.6	14.7	5.8	24.6	16.1	6.2	15.4	11.4
Binge Drinking	3.6	15.0	10.2	2.6	12.6	8.3	2.3	11.4	7.5	2.7	10.4	7.0	2.8	7.7	5.5	2.9	9.1	6.3
Cigarettes	3.4	11.8	8.3	1.1	4.0	2.8	1.8	6.3	4.3	1.4	4.6	3.1	1.6	2.5	2.1	1.4	2.1	1.8
Vaping Nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3.8	19.9	12.7	4.2	15.4	10.7
Vaping Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2.5	10.2	6.8	3.3	8.7	6.4
Vaporizer / E-Cigarette	--	--	--	--	--	--	4.4	13.6	9.6	5.8	21.5	14.4	--	--	--	--	--	--
Marijuana or Hashish	2.0	14.7	9.4	2.9	13.9	9.2	3.7	15.5	10.4	3.5	13.2	8.8	2.5	14.7	9.2	3.0	11.1	7.7
Synthetic Marijuana	--	4.3	--	--	1.6	--	--	0.6	--	--	0.8	--	--	1.0	--	--	0.6	--
Inhalants	3.4	1.4	2.3	2.3	1.6	1.9	2.9	0.4	1.5	3.3	0.8	1.9	2.9	1.3	2.0	2.6	0.9	1.6
Club Drugs	0.3	1.3	0.9	0.3	1.9	1.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.8	0.6	0.1	0.0	0.0
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.0	1.0	0.6	0.3	1.4	0.9	0.4	1.0	0.7	0.5	1.7	1.2	0.4	0.7	0.6	0.1	0.8	0.5
Methamphetamine	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3
Cocaine or Crack	0.3	1.1	0.8	0.5	1.8	1.3	0.4	1.2	0.9	0.2	0.4	0.3	0.2	1.1	0.7	0.4	0.0	0.2
Heroin	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.1
Prescription Depressants	0.9	2.8	2.0	0.5	1.6	1.2	1.3	4.5	3.1	1.4	2.5	2.0	1.0	1.5	1.3	0.1	0.5	0.3
Prescription Pain Relievers	1.9	3.5	2.8	2.1	2.2	2.2	1.6	2.2	1.9	0.8	1.4	1.1	2.0	1.1	1.5	1.4	1.0	1.2
Prescription Amphetamines	1.0	3.4	2.4	1.0	1.8	1.5	0.3	2.3	1.4	0.5	1.2	0.9	0.6	1.6	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.1
Over-the-Counter Drugs	1.2	3.0	2.2	1.5	3.7	2.7	1.0	2.1	1.6	1.3	2.1	1.7	1.4	2.2	1.8	0.8	1.4	1.2
Any illicit drug	6.7	20.4	14.6	6.2	19.5	13.9	7.3	19.4	14.1	8.0	16.4	12.6	7.6	18.3	13.4	6.6	14.3	11.0
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	6.0	11.1	8.9	4.3	8.4	6.7	5.0	9.0	7.3	6.0	6.3	6.2	5.5	5.2	5.4	5.2	3.6	4.3
Alcohol only	6.6	16.2	12.1	6.3	15.2	11.4	5.6	13.3	10.0	3.8	12.1	8.4	3.2	13.7	8.9	3.6	7.4	5.8
Alcohol or any illicit drug	13.0	36.2	26.4	12.3	34.9	25.3	12.6	32.5	23.8	11.6	28.1	20.6	10.7	31.9	22.3	9.8	22.0	16.6
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	3.4	5.7	4.8	3.1	6.9	5.3	3.8	6.7	5.5	5.5	6.9	6.3	4.8	7.6	6.3	4.0	7.1	5.8

Note: The first 18 data rows show results for alcohol, cigarettes, and other drugs. The last five data rows show results for various combinations of drugs. Binge drinking is defined as having had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row in the past two weeks. Ecstasy, Rohypnol, GHB and ketamine are provided as examples in the question about club drugs. In 2020, the vaping/e-cigarette item was replaced with separate questions about vaping nicotine and vaping marijuana. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 6. Percentages of Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth who reported early ATOD use, perceived risk of harm, personal disapproval, and peer disapproval, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
Early ATOD use														
More than a sip of alcohol	--	15.2	17.2	12.2	--	15.4	--	--	14.1	15.5	12.6	--	14.0	--
Drinking at least once a month	--	2.1	2.4	1.9	--	2.4	--	--	2.2	2.3	2.1	--	2.2	--
Smoke cigarettes	--	7.1	8.3	5.8	--	6.7	--	--	4.9	4.9	4.9	--	4.9	--
Smoke marijuana	--	7.7	8.8	6.2	--	7.5	--	--	6.5	7.2	5.8	--	6.7	--
Great risk of harm														
1 or 2 drinks nearly every day	50.7	44.6	49.5	45.2	50.0	47.2	47.3	47.8	44.5	47.8	44.0	47.7	44.8	45.9
5+ drinks once or twice a week	65.8	57.7	63.9	58.7	65.2	60.1	61.2	59.7	54.2	58.3	54.8	59.8	54.3	56.6
1+ packs of cigarettes per day	65.0	65.9	64.5	67.1	64.9	65.8	65.5	64.8	66.4	66.3	65.1	65.4	66.1	65.7
Vaping nicotine	49.4	38.0	43.6	43.0	48.6	38.1	42.9	49.1	39.5	42.8	44.5	48.7	39.3	43.6
Vaping marijuana	55.6	33.7	43.0	44.5	53.5	34.2	43.3	51.9	34.3	41.0	42.6	50.7	34.4	41.8
Marijuana once or twice a week	50.2	25.2	36.9	36.3	48.0	24.6	36.1	46.5	25.2	33.9	34.8	45.0	25.4	34.3
Try marijuana once or twice	32.3	15.5	22.2	24.3	30.5	15.1	22.9	32.1	17.0	22.3	24.6	30.8	17.3	23.5
Use prescription drugs	74.0	73.4	76.0	72.5	74.0	73.4	73.6	67.0	68.4	69.3	66.5	67.5	67.9	67.8
Think it would be wrong to...														
Smoke cigarettes	97.2	92.4	94.5	95.0	96.8	93.6	94.5	96.4	91.6	93.2	94.1	96.1	92.2	93.6
Drink alcohol regularly	91.5	76.2	78.9	87.4	90.3	76.2	82.9	89.6	73.5	78.6	82.0	88.6	74.1	80.4
Smoke marijuana	94.1	70.5	80.3	81.1	92.3	71.5	80.7	91.2	68.7	77.0	79.7	90.1	69.0	78.3
Vape nicotine	92.3	81.6	83.3	89.4	91.0	82.6	86.2	90.7	80.6	82.4	87.5	90.2	81.0	84.9
Vape marijuana	95.7	75.1	82.5	85.7	94.1	76.3	84.0	92.4	76.2	81.3	84.9	91.6	76.4	83.1
Use other illicit drugs	98.7	97.0	98.5	97.1	98.7	97.0	97.8	97.9	95.1	96.4	96.1	97.7	95.2	96.3
Friends think it would be wrong to...														
1 or 2 drinks nearly every day	93.8	82.8	88.2	86.9	92.6	82.6	87.6	91.4	85.3	87.9	88.0	90.9	85.2	87.9
Smoke tobacco	96.4	88.0	91.7	91.6	95.3	88.2	91.7	94.5	89.5	91.5	91.9	94.1	89.6	91.7
Smoke marijuana	91.3	66.8	75.9	79.4	89.4	65.9	77.5	89.7	68.4	76.0	79.1	88.5	68.3	77.6
Vape nicotine	90.7	71.6	78.4	81.7	88.6	71.5	79.9	87.4	75.6	77.6	83.8	86.4	75.6	80.7
Vape marijuana	93.9	70.0	79.3	81.9	91.9	69.5	80.5	90.2	73.6	78.7	82.8	89.2	73.5	80.8
Use prescription drugs	96.4	93.6	97.4	92.4	96.8	92.5	94.8	95.1	93.7	94.5	94.2	94.9	93.6	94.3

Note: Early ATOD use is defined as the percentage of high school students who started using at age 13 or younger. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 7. Trends in early ATOD use and attitudes toward substance use for Okaloosa County, 2012 to 2022

	2012			2014			2016			2018			2020			2022		
	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total	Middle School	High School	Total
Early ATOD use																		
Try alcohol	--	20.1	--	--	18.0	--	--	18.6	--	--	17.8	--	--	16.2	--	--	15.2	--
Drink monthly	--	3.4	--	--	1.6	--	--	2.6	--	--	2.1	--	--	1.5	--	--	2.1	--
Smoke cigarettes	--	16.0	--	--	11.0	--	--	12.1	--	--	11.5	--	--	7.4	--	--	7.1	--
Smoke marijuana	--	9.0	--	--	6.3	--	--	9.5	--	--	9.7	--	--	9.0	--	--	7.7	--
Great risk of harm																		
Daily alcohol use	43.2	39.3	41.0	43.1	37.3	39.8	44.0	35.8	39.4	48.3	41.4	44.5	47.5	43.7	45.4	50.7	44.6	47.3
5+ drinks daily	--	--	--	58.6	59.7	59.2	59.6	49.6	53.9	65.2	57.4	60.9	65.2	56.7	60.5	65.8	57.7	61.2
Daily cigarette use	71.4	71.8	71.7	73.5	75.6	74.7	72.6	64.6	68.1	66.9	63.7	65.1	67.0	66.3	66.6	65.0	65.9	65.5
Vaping nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50.4	33.2	41.0	49.4	38.0	42.9
Vaping marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	57.6	32.7	43.9	55.6	33.7	43.3
Marijuana weekly*	--	--	--	62.1	38.9	48.8	58.5	26.1	40.2	51.4	25.0	36.9	51.5	23.0	35.8	50.2	25.2	36.1
Try marijuana	43.9	20.1	30.1	41.6	18.0	28.0	38.0	15.0	25.1	33.1	16.5	24.0	33.5	11.9	21.6	32.3	15.5	22.9
Prescription drugs	--	67.3	67.3	79.9	75.2	77.2	71.9	65.8	68.5	72.7	66.2	69.1	76.2	71.6	73.7	74.0	73.4	73.6
Think it wrong																		
Smoke cigarettes	93.6	78.8	85.0	96.0	87.2	90.9	95.0	81.7	87.5	94.7	85.1	89.4	95.5	89.7	92.3	97.2	92.4	94.5
Drink regularly	87.3	60.7	71.9	91.9	66.7	77.4	89.6	64.0	75.1	91.0	68.6	78.7	91.6	69.1	79.3	91.5	76.2	82.9
Smoke marijuana	92.4	71.8	80.4	94.2	74.0	82.6	90.5	63.8	75.4	88.7	60.0	72.9	92.4	64.9	77.3	94.1	70.5	80.7
Vape nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	90.6	75.5	82.3	92.3	81.6	86.2
Vape marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	92.3	75.4	83.0	95.7	75.1	84.0
Other illicit drugs	97.3	94.4	95.7	99.0	96.0	97.3	98.4	93.1	95.4	98.0	92.6	95.1	98.0	95.2	96.5	98.7	97.0	97.8
Friends think it wrong																		
Daily alcohol use	--	--	--	92.3	78.8	84.5	91.6	75.4	82.5	92.2	78.1	84.5	92.1	82.6	86.9	93.8	82.8	87.6
Smoke tobacco	--	--	--	94.6	83.5	88.3	92.7	83.1	87.3	93.6	83.2	87.9	94.0	85.6	89.4	96.4	88.0	91.7
Smoke marijuana	--	--	--	91.7	65.4	76.5	88.6	61.5	73.3	86.5	58.5	71.1	89.4	62.2	74.6	91.3	66.8	77.5
Vape nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	87.2	64.2	74.7	90.7	71.6	79.9
Vape marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	89.7	67.8	77.8	93.9	70.0	80.5
Prescription drugs	--	--	--	97.5	89.9	93.1	96.0	87.4	91.2	94.0	89.2	91.4	95.2	92.1	93.5	96.4	93.6	94.8

Note: Early ATOD use is defined as the percentage of high school students who started using at age 13 or younger. The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

* In 2014, the description of marijuana use in the risk of harm question was changed from "regularly" to "once or twice a week." For these items, care should be exercised when comparing 2014 data to previous years.

Table 8. Among high school drinkers, usual source of alcohol within the past 30 days, Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
Bought in a store	--	11.6	3.0	22.0	--	11.6	--	--	11.7	9.6	14.7	--	11.7	--
Bought in a restaurant, bar, or club	--	5.9	4.4	7.8	--	5.9	--	--	3.2	3.4	2.9	--	3.2	--
Bought at a public event	--	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	0.0	--	--	0.8	0.7	1.0	--	0.8	--
Someone bought it for me	--	16.8	27.3	4.2	--	16.8	--	--	9.0	8.6	9.5	--	9.0	--
Someone gave it to me	--	45.2	47.8	42.0	--	45.2	--	--	41.5	44.4	37.9	--	41.5	--
Took it from a store	--	0.8	0.0	1.8	--	0.8	--	--	1.2	0.9	1.7	--	1.2	--
Took it from a family member	--	10.1	7.6	13.1	--	10.1	--	--	13.5	15.6	10.4	--	13.5	--
Some other way	--	9.5	9.9	9.1	--	9.5	--	--	19.1	16.9	21.9	--	19.1	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 9. Among high school drinkers, usual drinking location within the past 30 days, Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
My home	--	37.3	31.2	45.6	--	37.3	--	--	43.8	45.1	40.9	--	43.8	--
Another person's home	--	53.2	62.1	41.0	--	53.2	--	--	31.0	31.0	31.5	--	31.0	--
Car or other vehicle	--	3.4	0.0	7.9	--	3.4	--	--	1.9	2.0	1.7	--	1.9	--
Restaurant, bar, or club	--	3.1	5.4	0.0	--	3.1	--	--	3.6	3.5	3.9	--	3.6	--
Public place	--	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	0.0	--	--	6.6	6.9	6.5	--	6.6	--
Public event	--	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	0.0	--	--	2.4	2.2	2.7	--	2.4	--
School property	--	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	0.0	--	--	0.7	0.4	1.1	--	0.7	--
Some other place	--	3.1	1.3	5.4	--	3.1	--	--	9.9	8.8	11.7	--	9.9	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 10. Among high school drinkers, number of drinks usually consumed per day, on the days students drank in the past 30 days, Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
1	--	15.4	10.5	22.5	--	15.4	--	--	34.2	36.6	31.0	--	34.2	--
2	--	20.0	19.3	20.9	--	20.0	--	--	20.0	22.2	16.3	--	20.0	--
3	--	21.8	20.9	23.0	--	21.8	--	--	15.7	15.6	15.9	--	15.7	--
4	--	7.7	8.0	7.3	--	7.7	--	--	9.7	10.3	8.8	--	9.7	--
5 or more	--	35.2	41.3	26.2	--	35.2	--	--	20.4	15.3	28.0	--	20.4	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 11. Percentages of Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth who reported drinking alcohol, smoking marijuana, or using another drug to get high before or during school in the past 12 months, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
Drinking alcohol	3.9	4.8	5.9	2.9	3.9	5.1	4.4	2.8	4.0	4.1	2.8	2.8	4.2	3.5
Smoking marijuana	3.9	9.5	7.1	7.1	3.5	9.6	7.1	3.2	9.9	8.2	6.0	3.4	10.3	7.1
Using another drug to get high	1.5	1.9	2.6	1.0	1.8	1.4	1.7	1.9	2.7	2.8	1.8	2.0	2.8	2.4

Table 12. Percentages of Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth who reported engaging in delinquent behavior within the past 12 months, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
Carrying a handgun	9.8	5.8	6.0	9.0	9.1	6.4	7.5	6.7	5.5	3.9	8.1	6.3	5.8	6.0
Selling drugs	1.3	1.5	1.6	1.3	1.1	1.5	1.4	1.1	2.7	1.6	2.4	1.1	2.8	2.0
Attempting to steal a vehicle	0.7	0.6	1.1	0.3	0.6	0.1	0.6	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.1
Being arrested	1.4	0.4	0.3	1.4	1.2	0.5	0.8	1.7	1.7	1.3	2.0	1.6	1.8	1.7
Taking a handgun to school	0.3	0.5	0.8	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.4
Getting suspended	6.0	2.7	4.5	3.8	5.5	3.0	4.1	13.5	9.2	8.8	13.3	12.7	10.0	11.1
Attacking someone with intent to harm	6.7	5.6	6.7	5.2	6.3	5.5	6.1	9.3	4.9	6.2	7.2	8.6	5.3	6.7

Table 13. Trends in delinquent behaviors for Okaloosa County, 2012 to 2022

	2012			2014			2016			2018			2020			2022		
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>
Carrying a handgun	5.5	4.1	4.7	3.6	3.8	3.7	8.1	5.9	6.9	6.1	7.5	6.9	6.2	5.6	5.9	9.8	5.8	7.5
Selling drugs	1.7	7.1	4.8	0.7	3.4	2.3	1.4	7.0	4.5	1.3	5.4	3.6	2.0	4.2	3.2	1.3	1.5	1.4
Attempting to steal a vehicle	0.8	2.2	1.6	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.4	1.0	0.7	0.9	1.3	1.1	0.6	0.9	0.8	0.7	0.6	0.6
Being arrested	2.4	3.2	2.9	0.7	1.8	1.3	1.9	2.4	2.1	1.5	2.1	1.8	0.8	1.0	0.9	1.4	0.4	0.8
Taking a handgun to school	0.3	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.5	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.4
Getting suspended	11.8	10.1	10.8	4.1	5.5	4.9	5.5	6.1	5.8	3.1	3.2	3.2	6.5	3.8	5.0	6.0	2.7	4.1
Attacking someone with intent to harm	5.4	4.9	5.1	2.9	7.0	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.9	4.1	4.9	6.9	3.9	5.2	6.7	5.6	6.1

Table 14. Percentages of Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth who reported symptoms of depression, or suicidal ideation and behavior, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
Symptoms of Depression														
Sometimes I think that life is not worth it	32.0	37.5	44.1	25.3	33.1	38.3	35.1	33.0	33.5	43.0	23.2	33.5	34.0	33.3
At times I think I am no good at all	48.9	53.2	62.6	39.4	50.1	52.2	51.3	47.3	45.2	57.5	34.5	47.5	45.5	46.1
All in all, I am inclined to think that I am a failure	30.0	34.0	39.0	24.3	30.5	33.7	32.2	31.7	30.0	38.6	22.4	31.7	30.4	30.7
In the past year, have you felt depressed or sad MOST days, even if you felt OK sometimes?	40.5	51.4	55.9	36.0	42.0	51.9	46.6	46.9	47.7	58.4	36.0	46.8	48.1	47.3
Suicide														
Thought about committing suicide in the past 12 months	37.7	39.5	46.0	30.1	37.5	42.3	38.7	35.5	34.2	44.2	24.9	35.9	34.7	34.8
Attempted suicide in the past 12 months	8.9	9.8	12.8	5.3	9.6	10.7	9.4	10.4	8.1	12.9	5.1	10.1	8.5	9.1

Table 15. Percentages of Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth who reported involvement in bullying behavior, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
Skipped school because of bullying	8.4	10.5	14.7	4.1	9.3	10.3	9.6	9.6	8.3	12.7	4.8	9.3	8.7	8.9
Was ever kicked or shoved	45.4	26.9	33.7	34.7	44.9	24.5	34.9	43.6	26.2	34.5	32.5	42.4	26.2	33.7
Was ever taunted or teased	65.6	56.3	64.9	55.4	64.6	57.1	60.3	66.1	52.5	63.4	53.1	65.5	52.5	58.3
Was ever a victim of cyber bullying	30.1	38.1	43.7	25.0	30.9	39.4	34.6	30.3	29.9	37.5	22.5	30.6	30.0	30.1
Ever physically bullied others	19.2	12.8	13.7	17.3	19.2	13.0	15.6	21.6	12.6	14.9	17.8	20.7	13.0	16.4
Ever verbally bullied others	29.2	27.4	23.5	32.7	29.9	26.6	28.2	34.5	25.6	27.9	30.8	34.1	25.7	29.4
Ever cyber bullied others	12.3	14.5	14.2	13.0	13.2	13.9	13.5	13.5	12.4	13.6	12.1	13.6	12.4	12.8

Table 16. Percentages of Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide high school youth who reported adverse childhood experiences (ACEs), 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
Emotional abuse	--	16.3	19.8	12.5	--	15.7	--	--	17.1	23.0	10.7	--	17.4	--
Physical abuse	--	11.3	11.3	11.0	--	11.4	--	--	10.7	12.6	8.3	--	10.8	--
Sexual abuse	--	8.1	11.8	3.0	--	9.7	--	--	6.6	10.2	2.7	--	7.0	--
Parents separated or divorced	--	42.3	46.4	38.9	--	44.1	--	--	39.4	42.9	35.9	--	39.8	--
Physical abuse in household	--	8.6	9.9	6.4	--	8.6	--	--	8.5	11.1	5.6	--	8.7	--
Substance abuse in household	--	28.8	28.6	27.7	--	29.0	--	--	24.9	27.9	21.6	--	25.5	--
Mental illness in household	--	39.1	49.1	29.0	--	40.3	--	--	32.9	41.0	24.0	--	33.6	--
Incarcerated household member	--	26.8	27.8	25.0	--	29.5	--	--	23.3	25.6	20.7	--	23.7	--
Emotional neglect	--	30.4	35.4	26.2	--	28.5	--	--	31.2	39.3	22.7	--	31.9	--
Physical neglect	--	7.3	8.0	5.4	--	5.9	--	--	6.7	8.1	5.2	--	6.7	--

Table 17. Number of adverse childhood experiences (ACEs) reported by Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide high school youth, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
No ACEs reported	--	28.9	21.5	36.2	--	26.7	--	--	32.8	26.0	40.0	--	32.0	--
1 ACE	--	18.7	20.7	17.3	--	19.1	--	--	20.6	19.7	21.7	--	20.7	--
2 ACEs	--	16.1	16.7	15.8	--	18.4	--	--	14.6	14.8	14.4	--	14.7	--
3 ACEs	--	14.3	14.8	13.9	--	13.4	--	--	10.6	11.6	9.4	--	10.4	--
4 ACEs	--	7.4	8.0	6.3	--	7.8	--	--	7.4	9.0	5.9	--	7.7	--
5 ACEs	--	5.7	6.4	5.2	--	6.6	--	--	5.6	7.5	3.6	--	5.7	--
6 ACEs	--	4.4	6.9	1.9	--	4.3	--	--	3.6	4.6	2.4	--	3.7	--
7 ACEs	--	1.9	2.2	1.7	--	1.1	--	--	2.3	3.1	1.4	--	2.4	--
8 ACEs	--	1.3	1.1	0.6	--	0.7	--	--	1.5	2.3	0.5	--	1.5	--
9 ACEs	--	0.9	1.4	0.5	--	1.2	--	--	0.7	1.0	0.4	--	0.8	--
10 ACEs	--	0.5	0.4	0.6	--	0.7	--	--	0.3	0.4	0.2	--	0.3	--

Note: Each respondent receives an ACEs score, which is the number of adverse childhood experiences he or she reported. This table shows the frequency distribution of the ACEs score across the sample. Percentages total to 100% down each column. Rounding can produce totals that do not equal 100%.

Table 18. Percentages of Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth who “agree” or “strongly agree” with statements indicating impulsiveness or a lack of self-control, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
I often do what brings me pleasure now	33.6	28.8	33.8	27.7	31.9	31.6	30.9	33.6	32.5	35.7	30.2	33.3	33.1	32.9
I'm more concerned with the short run	26.6	22.9	28.0	21.0	26.1	23.4	24.5	30.2	25.3	30.2	24.5	29.7	26.0	27.3
Getting in trouble is exciting	24.3	27.0	27.5	23.6	24.4	30.2	25.8	28.8	29.0	30.4	27.3	29.2	29.5	28.9
Excitement is more important than security	26.7	25.3	25.8	25.5	26.8	26.1	25.9	26.8	25.8	26.3	26.1	26.8	26.4	26.2
People better stay away from me when I'm really angry	34.3	29.3	34.7	27.1	32.4	29.4	31.5	34.6	27.9	35.2	26.1	33.7	28.9	30.7
I get upset when I have a disagreement with someone	51.2	42.2	55.8	36.1	49.4	42.4	46.1	49.0	38.3	51.6	33.9	48.3	39.2	42.9

Note: The symbol “-” indicates that data are not available.

Table 19. Percentages of Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth who reported participation in extracurricular activities, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Female</i>	<i>Male</i>	<i>Ages 10-14</i>	<i>Ages 15-17</i>	<i>Total</i>
School Sports	39.3	34.7	38.0	35.9	38.3	36.5	36.7	36.6	36.4	33.8	39.5	36.4	37.0	36.4
Organized Sports Outside of School	32.1	22.4	27.0	27.5	32.3	22.2	26.7	39.8	23.8	28.2	33.5	38.7	24.0	30.7
School Band	15.0	12.0	13.2	13.3	15.9	9.7	13.3	14.6	7.7	10.7	10.6	13.9	7.7	10.6
School Club(s)	20.4	26.2	31.6	16.1	20.6	26.4	23.7	20.6	30.2	33.0	19.4	21.2	30.1	26.1
Community Club(s)	5.7	10.2	10.4	5.5	6.2	11.0	8.2	8.7	12.0	13.5	7.9	8.7	11.9	10.6

Table 20. Percentages of high school students who reported *riding in* a vehicle within the past 30 days driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol or using marijuana, or *driving* a vehicle within the past 30 days after drinking alcohol or using marijuana, among Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
<i>Riding in a vehicle</i>														
Alcohol	--	14.4	19.3	8.8	--	14.2	--	--	13.5	16.0	11.2	--	13.6	--
Marijuana	--	16.6	18.9	13.4	--	17.0	--	--	17.8	20.6	15.1	--	17.9	--
<i>Driving a vehicle</i>														
Alcohol	--	3.7	3.2	4.4	--	3.1	--	--	3.3	3.2	3.4	--	3.2	--
Marijuana	--	8.5	7.1	9.6	--	8.2	--	--	6.4	6.7	6.1	--	6.3	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 21. Trends for high school students *riding in* a vehicle within the past 30 days driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol or using marijuana, or *driving* a vehicle within the past 30 days after drinking alcohol or using marijuana, for Okaloosa County, 2014 and 2022

	2012			2014			2016			2018			2020			2022		
	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Total</i>
<i>Riding in a vehicle</i>																		
Alcohol	--	18.8	--	--	13.8	--	--	11.7	--	--	13.8	--	--	14.7	--	--	14.4	--
Marijuana	--	18.1	--	--	15.3	--	--	19.9	--	--	18.3	--	--	22.1	--	--	16.6	--
<i>Driving a vehicle</i>																		
Alcohol	--	7.1	--	--	6.0	--	--	5.8	--	--	3.6	--	--	3.3	--	--	3.7	--
Marijuana	--	10.2	--	--	8.9	--	--	8.7	--	--	8.6	--	--	8.6	--	--	8.5	--

Note: The symbol "--" indicates that data are not available.

Table 22. Family job loss and student emotional health during the COVID-19 pandemic among Okaloosa County and Florida Statewide youth, 2022

	Okaloosa County							Florida Statewide						
	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total	Middle School	High School	Female	Male	Ages 10-14	Ages 15-17	Total
<i>Did a parent or other adult in the home lose their job or have hours reduced during the COVID-19 pandemic?</i>														
Yes	63.4	65.8	61.1	69.7	63.7	66.8	64.7	63.6	62.9	60.3	66.4	63.4	63.1	63.2
No	22.7	24.7	26.6	20.3	23.8	23.8	23.8	25.1	30.0	30.5	25.1	25.4	29.8	27.9
No adult had a job	14.0	9.5	12.3	9.9	12.5	9.4	11.4	11.4	7.0	9.2	8.5	11.1	7.0	8.9
<i>How has your emotional health (level of stress, anxiety, and depression) changed during the COVID-19 pandemic?</i>														
A lot better	13.3	15.6	11.8	17.3	12.6	14.3	14.6	19.5	16.5	13.2	22.4	18.8	16.7	17.8
A little better	9.1	11.2	7.3	12.2	9.6	10.0	10.3	10.2	10.7	10.3	10.6	10.1	10.7	10.5
About the same	37.7	27.8	22.8	42.2	36.8	27.2	32.1	31.1	29.0	23.6	36.6	31.2	28.6	29.9
A little worse	23.9	24.7	31.6	18.0	24.5	27.0	24.4	22.5	24.8	28.4	19.4	22.8	24.7	23.8
A lot worse	16.0	20.7	26.4	10.4	16.5	21.5	18.7	16.7	19.0	24.6	11.0	17.2	19.3	18.0

Note: Percentages total to 100% down each column for each survey question. Rounding can produce totals that do not equal 100%.

Table 23. Protective factor prevalence rates for Okaloosa County, Florida Statewide youth, and the national normative database, 2022

Domain	Scale	Okaloosa County		Florida Statewide		National Norms	
		<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>
Family	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	56	56	53	55	59	54
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	44	49	46	49	54	55
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	60	56	51	60	57	60
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	41	45	45	56	53	58
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	40	49	36	46	56	62
Average Prevalence Rate		48	51	46	53	53	58

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 24. Risk factor prevalence rates for Okaloosa County, Florida Statewide youth, and the national normative database, 2022

Domain	Scale	Okaloosa County		Florida Statewide		National Norms	
		<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>	<i>Middle School</i>	<i>High School</i>
Community	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	32	28	41	29	42	42
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	37	17	33	15	45	45
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	33	36	25	30	25	42
Family	Poor Family Management	44	31	47	34	44	45
	Family Conflict	43	34	43	34	42	37
School	Poor Academic Performance	49	47	48	48	45	48
	Lack of Commitment to School	69	69	73	68	47	46
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	54	41	52	39	40	46
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	30	27	33	29	39	45
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	20	17	21	13	41	46
Average Prevalence Rate		41	35	42	34	41	44

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 25. Protective factor prevalence rate trends among middle school students for Okaloosa County, 2012 to 2022

Domain	Scale	Okaloosa County					
		2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2022
Family	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	60	67	63	55	59	56
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	54	61	58	48	50	44
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	59	61	62	61	57	60
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	52	59	52	46	42	41
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	57	52	56	52	44	40
Average Prevalence Rate		56	60	58	52	50	48

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 26. Risk factor prevalence rate trends among middle school students for Okaloosa County, 2012 to 2022

Domain	Scale	Okaloosa County					
		2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2022
Community	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	34	32	34	37	36	32
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	39	35	42	38	37	37
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	29	28	34	28	27	33
Family	Poor Family Management	37	26	33	41	33	44
	Family Conflict	41	31	39	42	39	43
School	Poor Academic Performance	49	40	41	48	45	49
	Lack of Commitment to School	48	44	50	56	64	69
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	37	32	39	41	49	54
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	31	23	30	37	33	30
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	26	21	23	24	22	20
Average Prevalence Rate		37	31	37	39	38	41

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 27. Protective factor prevalence rate trends among high school students for Okaloosa County, 2012 to 2022

Domain	Scale	Okaloosa County					
		2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2022
Family	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	57	62	61	55	58	56
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	56	61	57	50	52	49
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	71	68	70	67	62	56
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	63	70	60	52	51	45
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	67	68	59	54	56	49
Average Prevalence Rate		63	66	61	56	56	51

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.

Table 28. Risk factor prevalence rate trends among high school students for Okaloosa County, 2012 to 2022

Domain	Scale	Okaloosa County					
		2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2022
Community	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	26	25	30	29	29	28
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	30	27	28	27	22	17
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	39	38	39	40	37	36
Family	Poor Family Management	36	27	32	34	30	31
	Family Conflict	34	31	34	37	38	34
School	Poor Academic Performance	46	35	45	46	50	47
	Lack of Commitment to School	43	50	54	58	63	69
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	35	31	36	36	43	41
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	35	29	38	36	33	27
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	26	21	22	22	19	17
Average Prevalence Rate		35	31	36	37	36	35

Note: Because risk is associated with negative behavioral outcomes, it is better to have lower risk factor scale scores, not higher. Conversely, because protective factors are associated with better student behavioral outcomes, it is better to have protective factor scale scores with high values.