

2022 Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey

Pasco County Data Tables

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

	Pasco County		Florida Statewide	
	N	%	N	%
Sex				
Female	356	43.2	22,957	48.3
Male	438	53.2	23,857	50.1
Race/Ethnic group				
African American	46	5.6	10,187	21.4
American Indian	15	1.8	422	0.9
Asian	32	3.9	785	1.7
Hispanic/Latino	142	17.2	10,291	21.6
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	4	0.5	63	0.1
Other/Multiple	155	18.8	6,956	14.6
White, non-Hispanic	413	50.1	18,419	38.7
Parent/Guardian in the Military				
No	708	85.9	41,174	86.6
Yes	109	13.2	5,980	12.6
Age				
11	77	9.3	2,576	5.4
12	136	16.5	6,243	13.1
13	110	13.3	6,872	14.4
14	145	17.6	7,136	15.0
15	155	18.8	7,278	15.3
16	95	11.5	6,918	14.5
17	74	9.0	6,616	13.9
18	22	2.7	3,403	7.2
Grade				
6th	181	22.0	6,626	13.9
7th	95	11.5	6,817	14.3
8th	139	16.9	7,021	14.8
9th	152	18.4	7,193	15.1
10th	145	17.6	7,025	14.8
11th	49	5.9	6,557	13.8
12th	63	7.6	6,333	13.3
Middle School	415	50.4	20,463	43.0
High School	409	49.6	27,109	57.0
Total	824	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 Pasco County and Florida Statewide youth who reported having used various drugs in their lifetimes, 2022

	Pasco 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	20.8	43.4	38.1	29.5	22.5	42.9	33.6	21.0	38.5	34.5	27.5	22.1	38.2	31.0
Blacking Out	--	16.1	17.5	15.4	--	18.7	--	--	11.0	12.7	9.5	--	11.1	--
Cigarettes	6.1	9.5	9.1	7.4	6.1	8.8	8.0	5.0	8.6	7.2	7.0	5.0	8.3	7.1
Vaping Nicotine	13.6	28.4	27.5	17.5	14.6	29.0	22.2	13.1	25.5	23.8	16.7	13.6	25.8	20.2
Vaping Marijuana	7.2	19.3	16.0	12.8	7.3	19.9	14.2	6.1	18.4	15.1	11.4	6.4	18.7	13.2
Marijuana or Hashish	9.8	24.8	19.7	17.5	9.4	24.9	18.4	6.6	22.9	18.1	14.0	7.2	22.7	16.0
Synthetic Marijuana	--	1.8	2.5	1.2	--	2.3	--	--	2.5	2.8	2.2	--	2.5	--
Inhalants	6.2	7.6	8.8	4.8	6.6	7.0	7.0	7.1	4.6	6.6	4.6	6.8	4.9	5.7
Club Drugs	0.3	2.8	1.1	2.4	0.7	2.2	1.7	0.5	1.4	1.0	1.0	0.5	1.3	1.0
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.7	6.8	4.9	3.4	0.9	5.4	4.2	1.0	3.8	2.6	2.5	1.0	3.7	2.6
Methamphetamine	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	0.5	1.8	0.8	1.7	0.4	1.5	1.2	0.7	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9
Heroin	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
Prescription Depressants	0.3	3.9	2.6	2.0	0.9	2.9	2.3	1.5	3.1	2.8	1.9	1.6	3.1	2.4
Prescription Pain Relievers	2.5	2.9	3.1	2.6	2.3	2.2	2.7	3.0	2.6	3.3	2.2	3.0	2.7	2.8
Prescription Amphetamines	1.8	4.8	3.8	2.7	2.0	4.4	3.5	1.9	3.4	3.2	2.3	2.0	3.4	2.8
Over-the-Counter Drugs	3.8	2.8	5.6	1.2	3.6	2.6	3.2	2.5	3.0	3.2	2.4	2.5	3.1	2.8
Needle to Inject Illegal Drugs	--	0.7	0.6	0.8	--	0.7	--	--	0.6	0.4	0.7	--	0.6	--
Any illicit drug	16.9	30.0	27.3	20.7	16.7	30.0	24.3	16.7	29.3	27.3	20.5	17.0	29.4	23.9
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	10.8	16.7	17.9	9.7	11.6	14.2	14.1	12.0	12.5	14.0	10.4	11.9	12.6	12.3
Alcohol only	11.8	18.6	17.2	14.8	13.1	18.4	15.7	11.7	16.2	14.8	13.8	12.4	16.0	14.3
Alcohol or any illicit drug	28.5	48.3	43.9	35.3	29.5	48.0	39.6	28.2	45.3	42.0	34.0	29.2	45.1	38.0
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	7.9	5.4	6.7	6.0	7.7	5.3	6.5	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 Pasco County and Florida Statewide youth who reported having used various drugs in the past 30 days, 2022

	Pasco 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	5.3	22.1	17.1	13.0	6.4	21.9	14.9	6.7	15.5	13.3	10.3	7.1	15.1	11.8
Binge Drinking	1.3	9.6	7.5	4.9	1.6	10.3	6.0	3.0	7.5	6.1	5.1	3.0	7.2	5.6
Cigarettes	1.1	1.9	1.2	2.0	1.4	1.8	1.5	0.8	1.4	1.0	1.3	0.8	1.4	1.2
Vaping Nicotine	5.8	17.0	15.8	9.5	7.2	16.1	12.3	5.5	12.7	11.9	7.5	5.9	12.7	9.7
Vaping Marijuana	3.8	10.8	8.6	7.8	3.8	11.2	7.9	2.9	9.7	7.7	5.9	3.1	9.8	6.8
Marijuana or Hashish	4.5	14.6	11.6	9.1	5.0	14.3	10.3	3.0	12.2	9.1	7.4	3.4	11.8	8.3
Synthetic Marijuana	--	0.2	0.0	0.3	--	0.2	--	--	0.8	1.0	0.7	--	0.9	--
Inhalants	2.4	0.6	2.3	0.5	2.3	0.6	1.4	2.3	1.1	1.9	1.2	2.2	1.0	1.6
Club Drugs	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.5	2.1	2.6	0.4	0.5	2.6	1.4	0.4	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.4	0.9	0.6
Methamphetamine	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	0.5	0.5	0.0	1.0	0.5	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3
Heroin	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
Prescription Depressants	0.0	1.6	1.3	0.6	0.4	1.6	0.9	0.5	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.9	0.7
Prescription Pain Relievers	0.7	1.1	1.2	0.7	0.6	1.4	0.9	1.1	0.9	1.3	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.0
Prescription Amphetamines	0.9	1.4	0.6	1.1	1.2	1.0	1.2	0.7	1.1	1.1	0.8	0.8	1.1	0.9
Over-the-Counter Drugs	3.0	0.7	2.6	1.0	2.7	0.9	1.7	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.9	1.0
Any illicit drug	9.4	18.0	16.7	11.6	9.7	18.0	14.3	7.8	15.7	14.0	10.7	8.1	15.5	12.3
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	5.8	6.0	7.8	3.9	6.0	6.4	5.9	5.0	4.4	5.2	4.0	5.0	4.4	4.7
Alcohol only	3.2	11.1	8.3	7.7	3.5	10.6	7.7	4.2	8.0	7.2	5.6	4.4	7.8	6.4
Alcohol or any illicit drug	12.4	28.7	24.9	18.5	13.0	28.0	21.6	11.9	23.5	21.0	16.1	12.4	23.2	18.5
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	7.0	7.1	8.5	5.5	7.0	6.3	7.1	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 Pasco 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	24.5	62.5	45.6	27.3	55.5	43.2	21.0	52.5	39.0	22.5	49.8	37.9	22.1	52.4	38.9	20.8	43.4	33.6
Blacking Out	--	--	--	--	21.9	--	--	17.0	--	--	18.3	--	--	17.3	--	--	16.1	--
Cigarettes	11.8	27.3	20.4	10.4	24.3	18.2	6.4	23.4	16.0	6.4	16.7	12.2	4.6	11.7	8.5	6.1	9.5	8.0
Vaping Nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	11.5	34.8	24.6	13.6	28.4	22.2
Vaping Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5.0	25.7	16.7	7.2	19.3	14.2
Vaporizer / E-Cigarette	--	--	--	--	--	--	12.8	37.6	26.8	16.6	41.4	30.6	--	--	--	--	--	--
Marijuana or Hashish	9.3	32.8	22.4	8.8	34.5	23.3	6.7	34.4	22.4	9.0	32.9	22.5	5.0	32.2	20.3	9.8	24.8	18.4
Synthetic Marijuana	--	17.7	--	--	10.0	--	--	7.1	--	--	3.8	--	--	2.3	--	--	1.8	--
Inhalants	9.6	6.7	8.0	8.5	6.2	7.2	5.1	2.4	3.6	7.1	5.0	5.9	8.2	5.3	6.6	6.2	7.6	7.0
Club Drugs	1.2	4.9	3.3	0.5	4.0	2.5	0.6	2.5	1.7	0.7	2.4	1.7	0.4	2.7	1.6	0.3	2.8	1.7
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	1.7	5.6	3.9	1.2	6.1	4.0	0.9	5.6	3.5	1.1	5.3	3.5	1.2	4.5	3.0	0.7	6.8	4.2
Methamphetamine	0.5	1.3	0.9	1.6	1.0	1.3	0.2	1.0	0.7	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Cocaine or Crack	1.3	3.3	2.4	1.1	1.5	1.3	0.9	2.6	1.9	0.8	2.6	1.8	0.9	1.3	1.1	0.5	1.8	1.2
Heroin	0.7	1.1	0.9	0.8	1.4	1.1	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.7	0.6	0.6
Prescription Depressants	1.3	7.2	4.6	1.6	6.2	4.2	2.5	8.1	5.7	2.9	7.3	5.4	2.1	5.9	4.2	0.3	3.9	2.3
Prescription Pain Relievers	4.9	8.5	6.9	2.5	9.3	6.4	4.4	7.8	6.3	2.1	6.0	4.3	2.5	2.8	2.7	2.5	2.9	2.7
Prescription Amphetamines	1.4	3.8	2.8	1.6	4.2	3.1	0.9	5.9	3.7	0.8	4.1	2.7	1.4	5.6	3.7	1.8	4.8	3.5
Over-the-Counter Drugs	4.0	6.5	5.4	3.0	7.0	5.2	3.4	7.5	5.7	4.3	5.7	5.1	3.0	4.7	3.9	3.8	2.8	3.2
Needle to Inject Drugs	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.3	--	--	0.4	--	--	0.3	--	--	0.7	--
Any illicit drug	19.1	39.7	30.5	17.6	39.9	30.2	15.2	38.1	28.2	16.2	38.7	28.8	15.4	39.7	28.9	16.9	30.0	24.3
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	15.4	20.8	18.4	13.3	20.1	17.1	11.6	19.8	16.2	11.4	17.1	14.6	13.0	16.7	15.1	10.8	16.7	14.1
Alcohol only	11.9	26.9	20.2	14.6	20.0	17.7	12.5	21.1	17.4	12.0	17.4	15.1	12.9	19.8	16.7	11.8	18.6	15.7
Alcohol or any illicit drug	30.7	66.6	50.6	32.1	59.9	47.7	27.3	58.9	45.2	27.7	56.2	43.7	28.2	58.8	45.2	28.5	48.3	39.6
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	6.2	4.3	5.1	5.0	4.5	4.7	6.9	6.4	6.6	5.6	6.6	6.2	6.1	6.6	6.3	7.9	5.4	6.5

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 Pasco 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	13.8	32.6	24.3	11.8	28.8	21.3	9.2	28.5	20.2	7.4	23.6	16.5	8.1	25.4	17.7	5.3	22.1	14.9
Binge Drinking	5.6	13.5	10.0	4.5	12.2	8.8	2.3	11.0	7.3	3.0	8.6	6.2	2.5	10.1	6.7	1.3	9.6	6.0
Cigarettes	4.2	9.7	7.2	2.5	7.3	5.2	1.5	7.4	4.8	1.8	3.6	2.8	1.1	2.0	1.6	1.1	1.9	1.5
Vaping Nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	5.9	19.4	13.5	5.8	17.0	12.3
Vaping Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2.6	13.6	8.7	3.8	10.8	7.9
Vaporizer / E-Cigarette	--	--	--	--	--	--	5.3	16.9	11.8	6.0	26.5	17.5	--	--	--	--	--	--
Marijuana or Hashish	5.0	16.9	11.6	5.1	20.1	13.6	3.2	19.7	12.5	5.1	17.4	12.0	2.9	17.2	10.9	4.5	14.6	10.3
Synthetic Marijuana	--	5.4	--	--	2.1	--	--	0.6	--	--	1.6	--	--	0.4	--	--	0.2	--
Inhalants	2.4	1.5	1.9	2.8	1.8	2.2	1.4	0.8	1.0	2.3	1.0	1.6	2.0	1.0	1.4	2.4	0.6	1.4
Club Drugs	0.4	2.0	1.3	0.1	0.7	0.5	0.4	1.0	0.7	0.2	0.9	0.6	0.1	1.0	0.6	0.3	0.2	0.2
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	1.0	1.9	1.5	0.1	1.3	0.8	0.3	1.1	0.7	0.4	1.8	1.2	0.4	1.8	1.2	0.5	2.1	1.4
Methamphetamine	0.3	1.0	0.7	1.0	0.3	0.6	0.0	0.6	0.3	0.0	0.6	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Cocaine or Crack	0.3	1.5	1.0	0.2	0.6	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
Heroin	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.3
Prescription Depressants	0.6	2.4	1.6	0.6	2.3	1.6	1.1	2.3	1.8	0.7	2.0	1.4	1.3	0.5	0.9	0.0	1.6	0.9
Prescription Pain Relievers	1.9	2.8	2.4	1.1	3.1	2.2	2.5	2.0	2.2	0.4	1.6	1.1	1.2	0.7	0.9	0.7	1.1	0.9
Prescription Amphetamines	0.6	1.2	0.9	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.2	2.1	1.3	0.0	1.5	0.8	0.4	2.7	1.7	0.9	1.4	1.2
Over-the-Counter Drugs	1.9	2.5	2.2	1.6	2.9	2.4	2.0	3.7	3.0	2.4	2.3	2.3	1.2	1.1	1.1	3.0	0.7	1.7
Any illicit drug	8.9	21.3	15.8	9.1	24.4	17.8	7.1	23.5	16.3	8.6	20.2	15.1	6.6	20.3	14.2	9.4	18.0	14.3
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	5.9	9.0	7.6	5.6	9.1	7.6	5.5	9.2	7.6	4.4	6.6	5.6	4.3	5.2	4.8	5.8	6.0	5.9
Alcohol only	8.6	17.7	13.6	7.8	14.1	11.4	6.2	14.1	10.6	3.7	12.0	8.4	5.6	15.1	10.9	3.2	11.1	7.7
Alcohol or any illicit drug	17.3	38.8	29.2	16.7	38.1	28.7	13.0	37.1	26.6	12.1	31.6	23.0	12.0	34.7	24.6	12.4	28.7	21.6
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	3.7	6.5	5.2	4.9	9.4	7.5	4.1	8.7	6.7	4.6	8.2	6.7	4.0	9.3	6.9	7.0	7.1	7.1

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 Pasco County and Florida Statewide youth who reported early ATOD use, perceived risk of harm, personal disapproval, and peer disapproval, 2022

	Pasco 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	--	15.5	19.8	11.2	--	13.9	--	--	14.1	15.5	12.6	--	14.0	--
Drinking at least once a month	--	1.7	2.5	1.0	--	1.7	--	--	2.2	2.3	2.1	--	2.2	--
Smoke cigarettes	--	6.1	7.0	5.5	--	5.1	--	--	4.9	4.9	4.9	--	4.9	--
Smoke marijuana	--	7.1	9.4	5.3	--	7.1	--	--	6.5	7.2	5.8	--	6.7	--
Great risk of harm														
1 or 2 drinks nearly every day	41.5	39.9	41.7	39.6	41.4	40.4	40.6	47.8	44.5	47.8	44.0	47.7	44.8	45.9
5+ drinks once or twice a week	59.2	53.8	57.3	54.0	60.1	53.9	56.2	59.7	54.2	58.3	54.8	59.8	54.3	56.6
1+ packs of cigarettes per day	63.5	64.5	66.8	61.5	66.2	64.7	64.1	64.8	66.4	66.3	65.1	65.4	66.1	65.7
Vaping nicotine	43.3	34.9	35.2	42.2	44.1	32.6	38.6	49.1	39.5	42.8	44.5	48.7	39.3	43.6
Vaping marijuana	45.3	27.9	34.5	35.8	45.9	26.0	35.5	51.9	34.3	41.0	42.6	50.7	34.4	41.8
Marijuana once or twice a week	43.6	21.4	32.6	29.6	43.1	20.8	31.2	46.5	25.2	33.9	34.8	45.0	25.4	34.3
Try marijuana once or twice	26.3	12.6	19.3	18.2	25.8	12.6	18.6	32.1	17.0	22.3	24.6	30.8	17.3	23.5
Use prescription drugs	69.1	69.5	67.8	70.6	71.6	67.1	69.3	67.0	68.4	69.3	66.5	67.5	67.9	67.8
Think it would be wrong to...														
Smoke cigarettes	95.7	86.4	89.6	91.5	95.2	88.4	90.5	96.4	91.6	93.2	94.1	96.1	92.2	93.6
Drink alcohol regularly	87.6	66.5	73.7	77.7	87.1	66.0	75.8	89.6	73.5	78.6	82.0	88.6	74.1	80.4
Smoke marijuana	87.7	65.8	74.4	76.1	88.1	64.7	75.3	91.2	68.7	77.0	79.7	90.1	69.0	78.3
Vape nicotine	88.2	72.6	76.6	82.1	87.9	73.5	79.4	90.7	80.6	82.4	87.5	90.2	81.0	84.9
Vape marijuana	89.8	70.0	77.0	80.2	89.5	70.7	78.6	92.4	76.2	81.3	84.9	91.6	76.4	83.1
Use other illicit drugs	98.4	91.6	94.8	94.6	97.8	92.3	94.6	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	88.8	83.0	84.8	86.2	89.1	82.3	85.6	91.4	85.3	87.9	88.0	90.9	85.2	87.9
Smoke tobacco	94.3	86.7	89.5	90.1	93.8	88.8	90.1	94.5	89.5	91.5	91.9	94.1	89.6	91.7
Smoke marijuana	88.5	64.2	77.2	72.4	88.3	62.3	74.9	89.7	68.4	76.0	79.1	88.5	68.3	77.6
Vape nicotine	86.1	68.1	74.7	76.6	85.9	67.1	76.1	87.4	75.6	77.6	83.8	86.4	75.6	80.7
Vape marijuana	87.0	67.6	75.5	76.8	86.9	66.8	76.2	90.2	73.6	78.7	82.8	89.2	73.5	80.8
Use prescription drugs	95.3	90.7	92.0	93.5	94.8	91.3	92.7	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 Pasco 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	--	22.7	--	--	20.1	--	--	20.8	--	--	16.9	--	--	17.3	--	--	15.5	--
Drink monthly	--	3.2	--	--	2.1	--	--	3.2	--	--	2.7	--	--	1.7	--	--	1.7	--
Smoke cigarettes	--	14.9	--	--	12.5	--	--	10.7	--	--	8.4	--	--	6.4	--	--	6.1	--
Smoke marijuana	--	11.1	--	--	12.1	--	--	12.3	--	--	10.3	--	--	10.3	--	--	7.1	--
Great risk of harm																		
Daily alcohol use	44.6	37.7	40.8	39.2	37.5	38.2	46.6	34.5	39.7	48.9	37.8	42.7	55.0	38.5	45.9	41.5	39.9	40.6
5+ drinks daily	--	--	--	55.2	49.3	52.0	59.1	50.8	54.4	62.6	52.4	56.9	69.1	50.3	58.6	59.2	53.8	56.2
Daily cigarette use	71.0	66.9	68.7	66.9	68.8	68.0	69.2	67.3	68.1	68.7	64.2	66.2	71.1	63.8	67.1	63.5	64.5	64.1
Vaping nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	54.1	34.7	43.3	43.3	34.9	38.6
Vaping marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	58.2	28.8	41.9	45.3	27.9	35.5
Marijuana weekly*	--	--	--	48.7	23.4	34.6	54.9	21.9	36.2	47.7	19.8	32.1	53.1	16.9	33.0	43.6	21.4	31.2
Try marijuana	37.1	17.2	26.0	32.5	14.5	22.5	35.5	14.2	23.4	31.0	13.6	21.2	31.8	10.6	20.0	26.3	12.6	18.6
Prescription drugs	--	76.0	76.0	72.8	73.8	73.3	73.6	67.2	70.0	67.8	68.1	68.0	72.0	67.9	69.7	69.1	69.5	69.3
Think it wrong																		
Smoke cigarettes	93.4	78.9	85.3	93.3	84.3	88.3	96.8	85.3	90.2	95.7	86.4	90.4	96.3	89.1	92.2	95.7	86.4	90.5
Drink regularly	87.2	60.8	72.5	87.0	64.6	74.4	90.5	61.3	73.9	86.5	65.1	74.6	89.0	66.6	76.5	87.6	66.5	75.8
Smoke marijuana	91.2	67.7	78.1	88.2	62.6	73.9	91.4	55.7	70.9	85.7	54.3	68.1	91.5	58.1	72.8	87.7	65.8	75.3
Vape nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	91.3	74.7	82.0	88.2	72.6	79.4
Vape marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	92.9	68.9	79.5	89.8	70.0	78.6
Other illicit drugs	98.1	94.7	96.2	96.6	93.9	95.1	98.4	92.7	95.2	97.1	94.3	95.5	98.1	92.1	94.7	98.4	91.6	94.6
Friends think it wrong																		
Daily alcohol use	--	--	--	89.7	75.5	81.7	92.8	74.9	82.6	90.9	79.2	84.4	93.5	81.8	87.0	88.8	83.0	85.6
Smoke tobacco	--	--	--	93.8	82.4	87.4	96.9	85.3	90.3	94.9	86.9	90.4	95.5	87.6	91.1	94.3	86.7	90.1
Smoke marijuana	--	--	--	87.4	59.1	71.5	90.5	56.3	71.1	86.8	55.6	69.4	89.5	60.4	73.4	88.5	64.2	74.9
Vape nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	89.4	68.8	78.0	86.1	68.1	76.1
Vape marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	92.4	65.7	77.6	87.0	67.6	76.2
Prescription drugs	--	--	--	96.4	92.3	94.1	96.9	91.4	93.8	94.9	93.6	94.1	95.5	90.6	92.8	95.3	90.7	92.7

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, Pasco County and Florida Statewide youth, 2022

	Pasco 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	--	15.7	20.8	8.2	--	15.7	--	--	11.7	9.6	14.7	--	11.7	--
Bought in a restaurant, bar, or club	--	0.7	0.0	1.9	--	0.7	--	--	3.2	3.4	2.9	--	3.2	--
Bought at a public event	--	0.9	1.5	0.0	--	0.9	--	--	0.8	0.7	1.0	--	0.8	--
Someone bought it for me	--	6.5	8.4	3.9	--	6.5	--	--	9.0	8.6	9.5	--	9.0	--
Someone gave it to me	--	47.9	45.9	53.8	--	47.9	--	--	41.5	44.4	37.9	--	41.5	--
Took it from a store	--	0.9	0.0	2.5	--	0.9	--	--	1.2	0.9	1.7	--	1.2	--
Took it from a family member	--	12.8	15.9	8.6	--	12.8	--	--	13.5	15.6	10.4	--	13.5	--
Some other way	--	14.6	7.5	21.0	--	14.6	--	--	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, Pasco County and Florida Statewide youth, 2022

	Pasco 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	--	43.0	38.4	46.4	--	43.0	--	--	43.8	45.1	40.9	--	43.8	--
Another person's home	--	39.1	49.7	25.6	--	39.1	--	--	31.0	31.0	31.5	--	31.0	--
Car or other vehicle	--	2.3	0.0	5.9	--	2.3	--	--	1.9	2.0	1.7	--	1.9	--
Restaurant, bar, or club	--	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	0.0	--	--	3.6	3.5	3.9	--	3.6	--
Public place	--	5.3	5.9	4.7	--	5.3	--	--	6.6	6.9	6.5	--	6.6	--
Public event	--	2.5	0.0	6.5	--	2.5	--	--	2.4	2.2	2.7	--	2.4	--
School property	--	3.3	0.0	8.6	--	3.3	--	--	0.7	0.4	1.1	--	0.7	--
Some other place	--	4.4	6.0	2.3	--	4.4	--	--	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, Pasco County and Florida Statewide youth, 2022

	Pasco 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	--	25.7	27.0	19.5	--	25.7	--	--	34.2	36.6	31.0	--	34.2	--
2	--	28.5	27.3	32.0	--	28.5	--	--	20.0	22.2	16.3	--	20.0	--
3	--	11.7	7.9	18.1	--	11.7	--	--	15.7	15.6	15.9	--	15.7	--
4	--	16.2	24.3	4.4	--	16.2	--	--	9.7	10.3	8.8	--	9.7	--
5 or more	--	18.0	13.5	26.0	--	18.0	--	--	20.4	15.3	28.0	--	20.4	--

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

Table 11. Percentages of Pasco 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

	Pasco 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	3.4	3.2	4.0	2.8	3.5	2.8	3.3	2.8	4.0	4.1	2.8	2.8	4.2	3.5
Smoking marijuana	6.4	8.8	9.2	6.7	6.0	8.7	7.8	3.2	9.9	8.2	6.0	3.4	10.3	7.1
Using another drug to get high	3.1	3.2	3.7	2.9	3.0	2.9	3.2	1.9	2.7	2.8	1.8	2.0	2.8	2.4

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

	Pasco 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	6.0	7.2	4.1	9.5	6.8	6.4	6.7	6.7	5.5	3.9	8.1	6.3	5.8	6.0
Selling drugs	1.1	2.9	2.6	2.0	0.9	2.7	2.2	1.1	2.7	1.6	2.4	1.1	2.8	2.0
Attempting to steal a vehicle	1.9	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.7	1.0	1.6	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.1
Being arrested	2.4	1.2	1.5	2.0	1.7	1.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.3	2.0	1.6	1.8	1.7
Taking a handgun to school	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.4
Getting suspended	14.6	5.2	7.7	10.9	12.3	6.6	9.1	13.5	9.2	8.8	13.3	12.7	10.0	11.1
Attacking someone with intent to harm	8.9	2.9	5.7	5.1	8.2	3.0	5.4	9.3	4.9	6.2	7.2	8.6	5.3	6.7

Table 13. Trends in delinquent behaviors for Pasco 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	3.4	3.4	3.4	4.9	6.3	5.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	5.1	5.5	5.3	7.5	5.4	6.4	6.0	7.2	6.7
Selling drugs	2.0	6.2	4.4	2.8	7.8	5.6	1.6	6.3	4.3	1.7	5.9	4.1	1.6	5.1	3.5	1.1	2.9	2.2
Attempting to steal a vehicle	1.0	2.2	1.7	0.7	1.4	1.1	0.4	2.0	1.3	2.1	1.8	2.0	1.0	0.5	0.7	1.9	1.3	1.6
Being arrested	1.9	4.0	3.1	1.4	2.7	2.2	1.6	3.6	2.7	2.2	2.1	2.2	1.1	0.8	0.9	2.4	1.2	1.7
Taking a handgun to school	0.3	0.7	0.5	0.9	0.7	0.8	0.0	1.2	0.7	0.3	0.7	0.5	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1
Getting suspended	10.5	8.3	9.3	9.5	9.2	9.4	7.0	9.5	8.4	8.8	6.9	7.7	8.1	8.1	8.1	14.6	5.2	9.1
Attacking someone with intent to harm	8.9	5.5	7.0	6.5	6.0	6.2	4.7	7.0	6.0	7.8	5.9	6.7	7.1	5.4	6.2	8.9	2.9	5.4

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

	Pasco 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	31.5	38.1	47.7	21.9	33.4	39.4	35.2	33.0	33.5	43.0	23.2	33.5	34.0	33.3
At times I think I am no good at all	46.4	53.9	61.2	39.1	47.0	57.7	50.5	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	33.5	36.8	46.0	23.7	34.3	38.6	35.3	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?	47.2	48.6	60.2	35.4	47.7	49.1	48.0	46.9	47.7	58.4	36.0	46.8	48.1	47.3
Suicide														
Thought about committing suicide in the past 12 months	35.9	40.4	50.5	26.8	37.0	40.7	38.5	35.5	34.2	44.2	24.9	35.9	34.7	34.8
Attempted suicide in the past 12 months	8.2	9.4	12.9	5.3	7.6	11.5	8.9	10.4	8.1	12.9	5.1	10.1	8.5	9.1

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

	Pasco 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	10.3	7.8	13.0	4.4	10.2	8.2	8.9	9.6	8.3	12.7	4.8	9.3	8.7	8.9
Was ever kicked or shoved	41.1	30.9	39.3	31.7	39.0	32.6	35.4	43.6	26.2	34.5	32.5	42.4	26.2	33.7
Was ever taunted or teased	72.9	59.4	71.8	58.8	72.5	59.8	65.4	66.1	52.5	63.4	53.1	65.5	52.5	58.3
Was ever a victim of cyber bullying	37.9	36.0	47.6	25.9	36.9	36.8	36.8	30.3	29.9	37.5	22.5	30.6	30.0	30.1
Ever physically bullied others	17.6	10.9	13.9	13.2	16.3	12.6	13.9	21.6	12.6	14.9	17.8	20.7	13.0	16.4
Ever verbally bullied others	39.0	28.3	34.1	31.7	37.2	29.8	33.1	34.5	25.6	27.9	30.8	34.1	25.7	29.4
Ever cyber bullied others	14.9	16.0	17.3	14.0	14.1	16.9	15.5	13.5	12.4	13.6	12.1	13.6	12.4	12.8

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

	Pasco 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	--	18.8	27.1	11.4	--	19.7	--	--	17.1	23.0	10.7	--	17.4	--
Physical abuse	--	10.5	12.4	8.8	--	11.9	--	--	10.7	12.6	8.3	--	10.8	--
Sexual abuse	--	7.9	14.9	1.7	--	8.3	--	--	6.6	10.2	2.7	--	7.0	--
Parents separated or divorced	--	34.5	38.1	32.2	--	36.8	--	--	39.4	42.9	35.9	--	39.8	--
Physical abuse in household	--	9.5	12.1	6.4	--	10.0	--	--	8.5	11.1	5.6	--	8.7	--
Substance abuse in household	--	29.0	35.0	24.1	--	32.6	--	--	24.9	27.9	21.6	--	25.5	--
Mental illness in household	--	39.1	47.2	30.5	--	39.7	--	--	32.9	41.0	24.0	--	33.6	--
Incarcerated household member	--	21.0	22.4	20.2	--	19.9	--	--	23.3	25.6	20.7	--	23.7	--
Emotional neglect	--	32.5	41.9	23.8	--	34.7	--	--	31.2	39.3	22.7	--	31.9	--
Physical neglect	--	7.0	10.3	3.8	--	7.6	--	--	6.7	8.1	5.2	--	6.7	--

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

	Pasco 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	--	36.6	32.4	40.1	--	35.8	--	--	32.8	26.0	40.0	--	32.0	--
1 ACE	--	14.1	11.2	16.6	--	12.3	--	--	20.6	19.7	21.7	--	20.7	--
2 ACEs	--	13.8	13.4	14.5	--	13.1	--	--	14.6	14.8	14.4	--	14.7	--
3 ACEs	--	11.7	8.3	15.0	--	13.3	--	--	10.6	11.6	9.4	--	10.4	--
4 ACEs	--	8.9	11.6	6.9	--	9.8	--	--	7.4	9.0	5.9	--	7.7	--
5 ACEs	--	6.4	9.7	3.0	--	6.3	--	--	5.6	7.5	3.6	--	5.7	--
6 ACEs	--	3.4	4.3	2.4	--	3.8	--	--	3.6	4.6	2.4	--	3.7	--
7 ACEs	--	2.1	3.2	1.2	--	1.7	--	--	2.3	3.1	1.4	--	2.4	--
8 ACEs	--	2.0	3.7	0.4	--	2.6	--	--	1.5	2.3	0.5	--	1.5	--
9 ACEs	--	0.5	1.1	0.0	--	0.7	--	--	0.7	1.0	0.4	--	0.8	--
10 ACEs	--	0.5	1.1	0.0	--	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 Pasco County and Florida Statewide youth who “agree” or “strongly agree” with statements indicating impulsiveness or a lack of self-control, 2022

	Pasco 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	34.5	37.3	39.0	33.7	33.4	37.0	36.1	33.6	32.5	35.7	30.2	33.3	33.1	32.9
I'm more concerned with the short run	28.0	30.3	32.7	26.4	26.0	30.4	29.3	30.2	25.3	30.2	24.5	29.7	26.0	27.3
Getting in trouble is exciting	28.3	30.6	31.3	27.4	28.6	30.3	29.6	28.8	29.0	30.4	27.3	29.2	29.5	28.9
Excitement is more important than security	29.0	29.3	27.0	31.7	28.9	27.7	29.1	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	29.9	26.3	31.4	24.6	28.8	28.0	27.9	34.6	27.9	35.2	26.1	33.7	28.9	30.7
I get upset when I have a disagreement with someone	47.8	39.7	50.5	35.8	46.2	42.6	43.1	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 Pasco County and Florida Statewide youth who reported participation in extracurricular activities, 2022

	Pasco 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	33.7	36.5	35.9	36.0	34.3	38.4	35.3	36.6	36.4	33.8	39.5	36.4	37.0	36.4
Organized Sports Outside of School	37.6	17.0	24.8	28.1	36.6	17.7	26.1	39.8	23.8	28.2	33.5	38.7	24.0	30.7
School Band	15.0	7.1	10.1	10.4	14.7	6.1	10.6	14.6	7.7	10.7	10.6	13.9	7.7	10.6
School Club(s)	19.4	20.7	25.9	14.3	18.6	21.8	20.1	20.6	30.2	33.0	19.4	21.2	30.1	26.1
Community Club(s)	8.3	11.9	14.6	5.8	7.7	12.2	10.3	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 Pasco County and Florida Statewide youth, 2022

	Pasco 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	--	12.9	17.5	8.8	--	13.0	--	--	13.5	16.0	11.2	--	13.6	--
Marijuana	--	19.9	21.2	19.4	--	21.0	--	--	17.8	20.6	15.1	--	17.9	--
<i>Driving a vehicle</i>														
Alcohol	--	3.0	3.6	2.5	--	3.8	--	--	3.3	3.2	3.4	--	3.2	--
Marijuana	--	6.9	4.7	9.6	--	8.0	--	--	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 Pasco 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	--	17.1	--	--	15.5	--	--	14.8	--	--	13.8	--	--	15.3	--	--	12.9	--
Marijuana	--	22.9	--	--	23.4	--	--	21.9	--	--	21.7	--	--	21.2	--	--	19.9	--
<i>Driving a vehicle</i>																		
Alcohol	--	7.6	--	--	4.8	--	--	3.6	--	--	3.7	--	--	5.3	--	--	3.0	--
Marijuana	--	10.0	--	--	13.1	--	--	9.6	--	--	9.2	--	--	8.3	--	--	6.9	--

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

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

	Pasco 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	63.7	71.5	66.4	71.1	65.4	71.9	68.2	63.6	62.9	60.3	66.4	63.4	63.1	63.2
No	25.7	24.1	27.4	20.8	24.6	23.9	24.7	25.1	30.0	30.5	25.1	25.4	29.8	27.9
No adult had a job	10.6	4.4	6.2	8.1	10.0	4.2	7.0	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	17.4	11.2	9.7	16.9	16.9	10.9	13.8	19.5	16.5	13.2	22.4	18.8	16.7	17.8
A little better	9.0	8.7	6.7	10.8	7.6	8.6	8.8	10.2	10.7	10.3	10.6	10.1	10.7	10.5
About the same	32.0	30.8	26.6	36.9	32.1	29.1	31.3	31.1	29.0	23.6	36.6	31.2	28.6	29.9
A little worse	24.9	27.8	29.2	24.4	26.9	26.7	26.6	22.5	24.8	28.4	19.4	22.8	24.7	23.8
A lot worse	16.6	21.6	27.8	10.9	16.5	24.8	19.5	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 Pasco County, Florida Statewide youth, and the national normative database, 2022

Domain	Scale	Pasco 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	51	55	53	55	59	54
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	44	46	46	49	54	55
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	57	51	51	60	57	60
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	43	53	45	56	53	58
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	32	47	36	46	56	62
Average Prevalence Rate		45	50	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 Pasco County, Florida Statewide youth, and the national normative database, 2022

Domain	Scale	Pasco 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	45	31	41	29	42	42
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	40	21	33	15	45	45
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	28	34	25	30	25	42
Family	Poor Family Management	43	31	47	34	44	45
	Family Conflict	45	40	43	34	42	37
School	Poor Academic Performance	47	48	48	48	45	48
	Lack of Commitment to School	75	71	73	68	47	46
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	53	48	52	39	40	46
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	38	36	33	29	39	45
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	25	13	21	13	41	46
Average Prevalence Rate		44	37	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 Pasco County, 2012 to 2022

Domain	Scale	Pasco County					
		2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2022
Family	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	57	55	59	55	62	51
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	58	52	53	46	56	44
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	56	53	57	58	56	57
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	59	50	48	51	44	43
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	44	41	44	39	42	32
Average Prevalence Rate		55	50	52	50	52	45

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 Pasco County, 2012 to 2022

Domain	Scale	Pasco County					
		2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2022
Community	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	36	41	34	38	37	45
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	40	43	38	36	37	40
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	24	28	26	24	29	28
Family	Poor Family Management	39	42	36	41	38	43
	Family Conflict	39	37	40	40	42	45
School	Poor Academic Performance	38	43	42	46	37	47
	Lack of Commitment to School	46	55	55	60	66	75
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	37	40	37	41	50	53
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	30	34	32	37	33	38
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	25	24	20	24	23	25
Average Prevalence Rate		35	39	36	39	39	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 27. Protective factor prevalence rate trends among high school students for Pasco County, 2012 to 2022

Domain	Scale	Pasco County					
		2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2022
Family	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	58	57	56	57	56	55
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	54	54	52	49	50	46
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	62	59	55	59	54	51
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	67	59	53	53	47	53
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	53	49	41	39	42	47
Average Prevalence Rate		59	56	51	51	50	50

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 Pasco County, 2012 to 2022

Domain	Scale	Pasco County					
		2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2022
Community	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	35	34	44	36	32	31
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	33	33	33	30	23	21
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	36	46	38	34	34	34
Family	Poor Family Management	36	33	40	36	33	31
	Family Conflict	38	40	39	36	40	40
School	Poor Academic Performance	40	43	49	47	51	48
	Lack of Commitment to School	44	57	62	62	69	71
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	38	35	42	38	45	48
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	37	39	42	39	38	36
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	29	26	26	21	19	13
Average Prevalence Rate		37	39	42	38	38	37

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.