

2022 Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey

Brevard County Data Tables

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

	Brevard County		Florida Statewide	
	N	%	N	%
Sex				
Female	656	48.4	22,957	48.3
Male	667	49.2	23,857	50.1
Race/Ethnic group				
African American	136	10.0	10,187	21.4
American Indian	36	2.7	422	0.9
Asian	42	3.1	785	1.7
Hispanic/Latino	155	11.4	10,291	21.6
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	3	0.2	63	0.1
Other/Multiple	277	20.4	6,956	14.6
White, non-Hispanic	678	50.0	18,419	38.7
Parent/Guardian in the Military				
No	1,164	85.8	41,174	86.6
Yes	175	12.9	5,980	12.6
Age				
11	61	4.5	2,576	5.4
12	205	15.1	6,243	13.1
13	226	16.7	6,872	14.4
14	249	18.4	7,136	15.0
15	211	15.6	7,278	15.3
16	188	13.9	6,918	14.5
17	150	11.1	6,616	13.9
18	48	3.5	3,403	7.2
Grade				
6th	174	12.8	6,626	13.9
7th	244	18.0	6,817	14.3
8th	227	16.7	7,021	14.8
9th	282	20.8	7,193	15.1
10th	170	12.5	7,025	14.8
11th	191	14.1	6,557	13.8
12th	68	5.0	6,333	13.3
Middle School	645	47.6	20,463	43.0
High School	711	52.4	27,109	57.0
Total	1,356	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 Brevard County and Florida Statewide youth who reported having used various drugs in their lifetimes, 2022

	Brevard 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	25.8	46.4	42.5	32.3	27.9	43.4	37.6	21.0	38.5	34.5	27.5	22.1	38.2	31.0
Blacking Out	--	11.1	11.1	11.5	--	12.5	--	--	11.0	12.7	9.5	--	11.1	--
Cigarettes	6.0	9.3	7.9	7.4	5.4	9.5	7.9	5.0	8.6	7.2	7.0	5.0	8.3	7.1
Vaping Nicotine	13.8	29.3	27.2	17.6	15.0	27.1	22.8	13.1	25.5	23.8	16.7	13.6	25.8	20.2
Vaping Marijuana	7.4	22.3	17.7	13.6	8.7	20.4	16.0	6.1	18.4	15.1	11.4	6.4	18.7	13.2
Marijuana or Hashish	7.5	26.5	21.1	15.4	9.5	23.9	18.6	6.6	22.9	18.1	14.0	7.2	22.7	16.0
Synthetic Marijuana	--	3.2	2.9	3.8	--	3.4	--	--	2.5	2.8	2.2	--	2.5	--
Inhalants	7.0	5.2	8.5	3.6	6.2	6.3	6.0	7.1	4.6	6.6	4.6	6.8	4.9	5.7
Club Drugs	0.3	2.1	1.3	1.5	0.3	1.8	1.4	0.5	1.4	1.0	1.0	0.5	1.3	1.0
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.7	4.9	3.5	2.8	0.5	5.1	3.1	1.0	3.8	2.6	2.5	1.0	3.7	2.6
Methamphetamine	0.3	1.5	0.9	1.2	0.2	1.0	1.0	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	0.8	2.4	1.6	1.9	0.5	2.4	1.7	0.7	1.0	0.9	0.8	0.6	1.0	0.9
Heroin	0.4	0.9	0.2	1.1	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4
Prescription Depressants	1.8	3.8	4.1	1.8	1.9	4.2	2.9	1.5	3.1	2.8	1.9	1.6	3.1	2.4
Prescription Pain Relievers	2.3	3.4	3.9	2.1	2.5	3.5	2.9	3.0	2.6	3.3	2.2	3.0	2.7	2.8
Prescription Amphetamines	2.4	4.4	4.0	3.1	2.4	3.8	3.6	1.9	3.4	3.2	2.3	2.0	3.4	2.8
Over-the-Counter Drugs	2.4	3.4	2.9	3.1	2.0	3.7	3.0	2.5	3.0	3.2	2.4	2.5	3.1	2.8
Needle to Inject Illegal Drugs	--	0.4	0.0	0.9	--	0.6	--	--	0.6	0.4	0.7	--	0.6	--
Any illicit drug	16.9	31.2	30.1	19.6	18.2	29.5	25.0	16.7	29.3	27.3	20.5	17.0	29.4	23.9
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	11.2	11.5	14.8	8.2	10.6	12.2	11.4	12.0	12.5	14.0	10.4	11.9	12.6	12.3
Alcohol only	13.9	19.7	17.8	16.6	15.1	18.0	17.2	11.7	16.2	14.8	13.8	12.4	16.0	14.3
Alcohol or any illicit drug	30.7	50.8	48.0	36.2	33.4	47.4	42.2	28.2	45.3	42.0	34.0	29.2	45.1	38.0
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	4.9	4.6	5.6	3.9	5.4	4.4	4.7	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 Brevard County and Florida Statewide youth who reported having used various drugs in the past 30 days, 2022

	Brevard 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	7.7	19.9	17.4	12.6	8.8	18.2	14.7	6.7	15.5	13.3	10.3	7.1	15.1	11.8
Binge Drinking	3.4	6.8	6.3	4.5	3.2	6.7	5.3	3.0	7.5	6.1	5.1	3.0	7.2	5.6
Cigarettes	1.2	2.0	1.9	1.5	1.3	1.5	1.6	0.8	1.4	1.0	1.3	0.8	1.4	1.2
Vaping Nicotine	5.9	14.3	13.6	7.6	6.9	14.9	10.9	5.5	12.7	11.9	7.5	5.9	12.7	9.7
Vaping Marijuana	3.1	14.6	9.9	8.6	3.9	14.9	9.9	2.9	9.7	7.7	5.9	3.1	9.8	6.8
Marijuana or Hashish	3.8	15.4	11.4	8.6	5.1	13.9	10.6	3.0	12.2	9.1	7.4	3.4	11.8	8.3
Synthetic Marijuana	--	1.6	2.0	1.3	--	2.3	--	--	0.8	1.0	0.7	--	0.9	--
Inhalants	2.9	1.2	2.2	1.7	2.5	1.7	1.9	2.3	1.1	1.9	1.2	2.2	1.0	1.6
Club Drugs	0.0	0.9	0.0	1.1	0.0	0.7	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.2	1.6	0.2	1.9	0.2	1.6	1.0	0.4	0.9	0.6	0.7	0.4	0.9	0.6
Methamphetamine	0.5	0.4	0.2	0.7	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	0.5	0.5	0.0	1.1	0.5	0.7	0.5	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.3
Heroin	0.3	0.1	0.0	0.4	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
Prescription Depressants	0.8	1.6	1.3	1.2	0.7	1.0	1.2	0.5	0.8	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.9	0.7
Prescription Pain Relievers	0.8	1.7	1.8	0.9	0.7	1.2	1.3	1.1	0.9	1.3	0.7	1.1	0.9	1.0
Prescription Amphetamines	0.9	2.0	1.4	1.5	1.0	1.9	1.5	0.7	1.1	1.1	0.8	0.8	1.1	0.9
Over-the-Counter Drugs	0.7	2.2	1.4	1.8	0.6	1.5	1.5	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.1	0.9	1.0
Any illicit drug	8.2	19.3	16.6	11.5	9.3	18.4	14.6	7.8	15.7	14.0	10.7	8.1	15.5	12.3
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	5.2	4.5	5.5	4.1	4.6	4.6	4.8	5.0	4.4	5.2	4.0	5.0	4.4	4.7
Alcohol only	4.5	10.5	9.1	7.2	5.5	9.2	8.0	4.2	8.0	7.2	5.6	4.4	7.8	6.4
Alcohol or any illicit drug	12.8	29.3	25.7	18.1	14.6	27.2	22.2	11.9	23.5	21.0	16.1	12.4	23.2	18.5
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	5.2	9.7	8.5	5.7	6.0	9.3	7.8	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 Brevard 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	30.3	62.1	48.7	23.5	52.7	40.2	24.5	50.9	40.0	20.3	49.4	37.2	33.5	49.1	42.3	25.8	46.4	37.6
Blacking Out	--	--	--	--	17.7	--	--	13.8	--	--	15.6	--	--	13.7	--	--	11.1	--
Cigarettes	12.1	31.5	23.3	10.1	23.4	17.7	8.4	18.1	14.1	6.0	10.2	8.4	5.2	12.2	9.1	6.0	9.3	7.9
Vaping Nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	14.9	34.5	25.9	13.8	29.3	22.8
Vaping Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	8.1	22.7	16.4	7.4	22.3	16.0
Vaporizer / E-Cigarette	--	--	--	--	--	--	13.9	34.1	25.7	14.8	38.3	28.3	--	--	--	--	--	--
Marijuana or Hashish	10.7	38.4	26.7	7.7	32.9	22.2	7.2	30.7	20.9	6.9	25.1	17.3	9.5	28.8	20.4	7.5	26.5	18.6
Synthetic Marijuana	--	13.5	--	--	8.9	--	--	4.6	--	--	4.5	--	--	3.0	--	--	3.2	--
Inhalants	10.4	5.9	7.8	7.7	4.0	5.6	8.2	4.9	6.3	7.0	4.6	5.6	9.4	4.7	6.7	7.0	5.2	6.0
Club Drugs	1.6	3.9	3.0	0.6	2.2	1.5	1.0	1.4	1.3	0.8	3.1	2.1	0.2	1.7	1.1	0.3	2.1	1.4
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	1.6	5.5	3.8	1.4	4.1	3.0	1.2	4.3	3.0	2.0	3.5	2.9	1.5	4.6	3.2	0.7	4.9	3.1
Methamphetamine	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.4	0.2	0.3	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.3	0.6	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.3	1.5	1.0
Cocaine or Crack	1.1	2.0	1.6	0.6	1.7	1.2	1.1	1.4	1.3	0.5	1.3	1.0	0.6	1.2	0.9	0.8	2.4	1.7
Heroin	0.6	0.4	0.5	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.4	0.9	0.6
Prescription Depressants	3.2	6.7	5.3	2.9	7.2	5.4	2.7	4.7	3.9	3.6	6.7	5.4	1.6	4.5	3.2	1.8	3.8	2.9
Prescription Pain Relievers	3.8	9.5	7.1	3.8	8.2	6.3	2.3	4.1	3.4	3.5	5.3	4.6	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.3	3.4	2.9
Prescription Amphetamines	1.9	6.4	4.5	1.4	4.8	3.4	2.2	4.2	3.4	1.8	3.4	2.7	3.3	4.3	3.8	2.4	4.4	3.6
Over-the-Counter Drugs	4.5	8.6	6.9	4.1	7.7	6.2	3.1	3.4	3.3	3.6	4.8	4.2	2.2	4.0	3.2	2.4	3.4	3.0
Needle to Inject Drugs	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.6	--	--	0.3	--	--	0.2	--	--	0.4	--
Any illicit drug	22.9	45.6	36.0	16.3	39.3	29.5	16.2	34.5	26.9	16.3	28.9	23.5	19.8	35.2	28.5	16.9	31.2	25.0
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	16.1	24.6	21.0	13.4	19.9	17.1	13.0	16.1	14.8	12.4	13.9	13.3	13.6	15.9	14.9	11.2	11.5	11.4
Alcohol only	15.3	20.8	18.5	13.8	18.2	16.3	14.6	22.0	19.0	10.5	23.7	18.2	19.9	19.3	19.5	13.9	19.7	17.2
Alcohol or any illicit drug	38.0	66.4	54.4	30.1	57.7	45.9	30.4	56.3	45.5	26.6	52.6	41.6	39.5	54.3	47.8	30.7	50.8	42.2
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	8.0	4.4	5.9	6.7	5.1	5.8	6.6	5.6	6.0	5.5	3.5	4.3	6.2	5.1	5.6	4.9	4.6	4.7

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 Brevard 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	11.3	36.4	25.8	7.6	26.5	18.4	7.4	22.2	16.2	7.8	18.3	13.9	13.8	22.8	18.8	7.7	19.9	14.7
Binge Drinking	4.0	15.8	10.8	2.3	12.3	8.0	1.8	9.9	6.6	2.9	7.4	5.5	5.2	8.6	7.1	3.4	6.8	5.3
Cigarettes	3.4	7.9	6.0	1.9	9.6	6.3	1.8	3.5	2.8	0.9	2.5	1.8	0.1	0.8	0.5	1.2	2.0	1.6
Vaping Nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	6.3	17.6	12.6	5.9	14.3	10.9
Vaping Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	3.9	9.6	7.1	3.1	14.6	9.9
Vaporizer / E-Cigarette	--	--	--	--	--	--	4.3	12.5	9.1	7.8	22.6	16.3	--	--	--	--	--	--
Marijuana or Hashish	4.3	19.4	13.0	4.0	17.7	12.0	2.1	13.7	8.9	3.5	13.5	9.2	4.1	15.7	10.6	3.8	15.4	10.6
Synthetic Marijuana	--	1.9	--	--	0.4	--	--	0.4	--	--	1.1	--	--	0.4	--	--	1.6	--
Inhalants	3.9	0.7	2.1	2.4	0.9	1.5	2.0	0.5	1.1	3.4	0.9	2.0	1.6	0.7	1.1	2.9	1.2	1.9
Club Drugs	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.0	0.8	0.5	0.0	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.9	0.5
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.2	1.2	0.8	0.3	1.2	0.8	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.6	1.7	1.2	0.2	1.6	1.0
Methamphetamine	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.4	0.5
Cocaine or Crack	0.3	0.5	0.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.1	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.5	0.5
Heroin	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1	0.2
Prescription Depressants	1.5	1.2	1.4	0.8	3.8	2.6	0.6	1.5	1.1	1.3	1.8	1.6	0.0	0.9	0.5	0.8	1.6	1.2
Prescription Pain Relievers	1.7	1.7	1.7	0.9	2.6	1.9	1.0	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.2	1.1	1.6	0.6	1.0	0.8	1.7	1.3
Prescription Amphetamines	0.7	3.0	2.0	0.1	1.4	0.9	1.6	0.5	1.0	0.0	1.6	0.9	1.2	1.0	1.1	0.9	2.0	1.5
Over-the-Counter Drugs	1.8	2.8	2.4	1.4	3.1	2.4	2.1	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.6	2.3	1.3	0.8	1.0	0.7	2.2	1.5
Any illicit drug	9.5	24.1	17.9	7.3	21.3	15.4	6.2	15.9	11.8	9.3	15.7	13.0	8.9	18.1	14.1	8.2	19.3	14.6
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	6.8	9.5	8.3	5.2	7.8	6.7	5.3	4.3	4.7	6.7	5.3	5.9	4.6	4.9	4.8	5.2	4.5	4.8
Alcohol only	6.6	18.6	13.5	4.6	12.7	9.3	5.4	13.7	10.3	4.7	8.3	6.8	8.8	11.9	10.6	4.5	10.5	8.0
Alcohol or any illicit drug	15.9	41.9	30.9	11.8	33.6	24.3	12.0	29.0	21.9	13.7	23.7	19.5	18.2	30.0	24.8	12.8	29.3	22.2
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	4.8	5.8	5.4	4.4	7.0	5.9	4.9	7.0	6.2	5.8	5.5	5.6	4.7	7.2	6.1	5.2	9.7	7.8

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

	Brevard 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	--	14.9	16.3	13.0	--	14.5	--	--	14.1	15.5	12.6	--	14.0	--
Drinking at least once a month	--	1.7	2.6	0.9	--	1.7	--	--	2.2	2.3	2.1	--	2.2	--
Smoke cigarettes	--	5.9	6.9	4.2	--	6.3	--	--	4.9	4.9	4.9	--	4.9	--
Smoke marijuana	--	8.1	9.1	6.4	--	7.7	--	--	6.5	7.2	5.8	--	6.7	--
Great risk of harm														
1 or 2 drinks nearly every day	43.1	41.8	43.4	41.1	44.3	40.8	42.3	47.8	44.5	47.8	44.0	47.7	44.8	45.9
5+ drinks once or twice a week	58.3	55.6	58.6	54.3	58.7	54.7	56.8	59.7	54.2	58.3	54.8	59.8	54.3	56.6
1+ packs of cigarettes per day	66.1	64.4	67.0	62.9	66.3	63.0	65.2	64.8	66.4	66.3	65.1	65.4	66.1	65.7
Vaping nicotine	45.2	33.8	35.8	41.6	44.7	32.3	38.7	49.1	39.5	42.8	44.5	48.7	39.3	43.6
Vaping marijuana	48.0	28.5	33.2	40.5	46.3	29.0	36.8	51.9	34.3	41.0	42.6	50.7	34.4	41.8
Marijuana once or twice a week	45.5	20.6	29.6	33.2	44.1	21.0	31.3	46.5	25.2	33.9	34.8	45.0	25.4	34.3
Try marijuana once or twice	27.2	11.8	15.5	21.2	25.3	12.8	18.4	32.1	17.0	22.3	24.6	30.8	17.3	23.5
Use prescription drugs	71.0	72.8	72.1	71.8	71.9	71.8	72.0	67.0	68.4	69.3	66.5	67.5	67.9	67.8
Think it would be wrong to...														
Smoke cigarettes	95.8	89.5	90.6	93.8	96.0	89.2	92.2	96.4	91.6	93.2	94.1	96.1	92.2	93.6
Drink alcohol regularly	88.3	69.7	73.9	81.0	87.2	69.0	77.6	89.6	73.5	78.6	82.0	88.6	74.1	80.4
Smoke marijuana	88.7	61.7	71.4	75.7	86.7	64.3	73.0	91.2	68.7	77.0	79.7	90.1	69.0	78.3
Vape nicotine	89.2	76.8	78.9	85.6	88.8	75.9	82.0	90.7	80.6	82.4	87.5	90.2	81.0	84.9
Vape marijuana	89.7	71.1	77.2	81.8	88.8	71.3	78.9	92.4	76.2	81.3	84.9	91.6	76.4	83.1
Use other illicit drugs	98.4	94.1	96.1	95.8	98.2	94.6	95.9	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	89.1	85.4	86.3	88.0	87.8	85.8	87.0	91.4	85.3	87.9	88.0	90.9	85.2	87.9
Smoke tobacco	92.8	88.6	90.1	90.7	93.0	87.9	90.4	94.5	89.5	91.5	91.9	94.1	89.6	91.7
Smoke marijuana	87.4	63.8	72.0	77.2	85.6	66.1	74.1	89.7	68.4	76.0	79.1	88.5	68.3	77.6
Vape nicotine	84.0	70.6	72.4	80.6	82.1	70.1	76.4	87.4	75.6	77.6	83.8	86.4	75.6	80.7
Vape marijuana	86.8	69.6	75.3	79.7	84.5	71.8	77.0	90.2	73.6	78.7	82.8	89.2	73.5	80.8
Use prescription drugs	95.0	94.6	95.1	94.7	94.6	94.5	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 Brevard 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	--	--	18.9	--	--	13.4	--	--	15.5	--	--	16.2	--	--	14.9	--
Drink monthly	--	2.9	--	--	5.1	--	--	1.7	--	--	1.3	--	--	2.5	--	--	1.7	--
Smoke cigarettes	--	13.5	--	--	16.0	--	--	8.9	--	--	5.4	--	--	7.0	--	--	5.9	--
Smoke marijuana	--	11.2	--	--	12.0	--	--	7.4	--	--	7.2	--	--	8.3	--	--	8.1	--
Great risk of harm																		
Daily alcohol use	43.3	35.0	38.5	42.5	36.8	39.2	46.8	39.7	42.6	45.9	43.6	44.6	46.5	39.6	42.6	43.1	41.8	42.3
5+ drinks daily	--	--	--	58.4	50.3	53.7	63.4	55.0	58.5	62.2	60.3	61.1	60.0	53.6	56.4	58.3	55.6	56.8
Daily cigarette use	70.7	76.2	73.9	73.5	72.1	72.7	75.5	74.1	74.7	73.8	68.6	70.8	68.0	66.1	66.9	66.1	64.4	65.2
Vaping nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	53.3	39.5	45.6	45.2	33.8	38.7
Vaping marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	50.6	37.6	43.3	48.0	28.5	36.8
Marijuana weekly*	--	--	--	55.7	29.0	40.2	53.4	24.2	36.4	50.4	22.8	34.2	47.3	22.3	33.3	45.5	20.6	31.3
Try marijuana	36.7	14.5	23.9	31.6	15.0	22.1	35.4	15.8	24.0	33.0	9.3	19.3	28.6	14.8	20.9	27.2	11.8	18.4
Prescription drugs	--	68.3	68.3	74.4	72.1	73.1	73.2	70.3	71.5	73.7	73.8	73.8	71.0	71.7	71.4	71.0	72.8	72.0
Think it wrong																		
Smoke cigarettes	92.5	81.3	86.1	94.1	80.9	86.5	95.8	90.4	92.6	96.4	91.7	93.7	97.6	90.6	93.7	95.8	89.5	92.2
Drink regularly	86.4	53.7	67.7	88.4	62.6	73.5	89.9	65.7	75.8	88.0	68.0	76.4	85.9	68.4	75.9	88.3	69.7	77.6
Smoke marijuana	87.6	62.8	73.4	89.8	64.8	75.5	92.0	61.8	74.4	89.9	63.4	74.6	88.3	61.9	73.3	88.7	61.7	73.0
Vape nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	88.2	76.2	81.4	89.2	76.8	82.0
Vape marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	89.6	72.1	79.7	89.7	71.1	78.9
Other illicit drugs	96.5	95.4	95.9	98.2	92.3	94.8	98.5	95.2	96.6	97.5	95.7	96.4	98.3	93.0	95.3	98.4	94.1	95.9
Friends think it wrong																		
Daily alcohol use	--	--	--	91.1	77.7	83.4	93.5	78.8	85.0	89.1	83.8	86.0	90.8	79.3	84.4	89.1	85.4	87.0
Smoke tobacco	--	--	--	94.4	81.9	87.2	94.6	88.7	91.2	91.8	92.6	92.3	92.6	88.5	90.3	92.8	88.6	90.4
Smoke marijuana	--	--	--	88.2	63.8	74.2	88.0	57.5	70.3	84.5	61.5	71.2	83.3	61.8	71.2	87.4	63.8	74.1
Vape nicotine	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	82.8	67.7	74.4	84.0	70.6	76.4
Vape marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	86.4	69.8	77.1	86.8	69.6	77.0
Prescription drugs	--	--	--	97.0	91.1	93.6	94.5	90.6	92.3	95.8	92.7	94.0	95.0	93.3	94.0	95.0	94.6	94.8

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* 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, Brevard County and Florida Statewide youth, 2022

	Brevard 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	--	8.9	7.6	11.1	--	8.9	--	--	11.7	9.6	14.7	--	11.7	--
Bought in a restaurant, bar, or club	--	2.7	3.6	1.5	--	2.7	--	--	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	--	10.9	11.7	7.1	--	10.9	--	--	9.0	8.6	9.5	--	9.0	--
Someone gave it to me	--	36.0	40.0	31.2	--	36.0	--	--	41.5	44.4	37.9	--	41.5	--
Took it from a store	--	1.0	1.7	0.0	--	1.0	--	--	1.2	0.9	1.7	--	1.2	--
Took it from a family member	--	11.6	14.0	8.4	--	11.6	--	--	13.5	15.6	10.4	--	13.5	--
Some other way	--	29.0	21.4	40.8	--	29.0	--	--	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, Brevard County and Florida Statewide youth, 2022

	Brevard 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	--	44.8	39.4	54.6	--	44.8	--	--	43.8	45.1	40.9	--	43.8	--
Another person's home	--	33.9	35.3	31.0	--	33.9	--	--	31.0	31.0	31.5	--	31.0	--
Car or other vehicle	--	0.8	1.2	0.0	--	0.8	--	--	1.9	2.0	1.7	--	1.9	--
Restaurant, bar, or club	--	4.6	5.9	2.6	--	4.6	--	--	3.6	3.5	3.9	--	3.6	--
Public place	--	6.1	9.0	1.7	--	6.1	--	--	6.6	6.9	6.5	--	6.6	--
Public event	--	4.4	1.9	8.6	--	4.4	--	--	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	--	5.5	7.4	1.4	--	5.5	--	--	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, Brevard County and Florida Statewide youth, 2022

	Brevard 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	--	35.8	40.4	28.7	--	35.8	--	--	34.2	36.6	31.0	--	34.2	--
2	--	21.7	26.8	14.4	--	21.7	--	--	20.0	22.2	16.3	--	20.0	--
3	--	18.8	17.8	20.9	--	18.8	--	--	15.7	15.6	15.9	--	15.7	--
4	--	6.2	7.5	3.0	--	6.2	--	--	9.7	10.3	8.8	--	9.7	--
5 or more	--	17.4	7.5	33.0	--	17.4	--	--	20.4	15.3	28.0	--	20.4	--

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

Table 11. Percentages of Brevard 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

	Brevard 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	3.3	3.9	4.9	2.6	3.5	3.0	3.7	2.8	4.0	4.1	2.8	2.8	4.2	3.5
Smoking marijuana	4.1	12.8	10.8	6.8	5.0	11.0	9.2	3.2	9.9	8.2	6.0	3.4	10.3	7.1
Using another drug to get high	1.3	2.3	1.6	2.2	1.6	2.0	1.9	1.9	2.7	2.8	1.8	2.0	2.8	2.4

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

	Brevard 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	6.3	6.4	5.2	7.8	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.7	5.5	3.9	8.1	6.3	5.8	6.0
Selling drugs	1.3	3.8	2.2	2.7	1.1	3.8	2.8	1.1	2.7	1.6	2.4	1.1	2.8	2.0
Attempting to steal a vehicle	1.3	1.2	1.2	1.3	0.9	1.9	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.0	1.3	1.1
Being arrested	1.2	2.2	1.3	2.3	1.2	2.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.3	2.0	1.6	1.8	1.7
Taking a handgun to school	0.1	0.9	0.0	1.2	0.1	0.7	0.6	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.3	0.5	0.4
Getting suspended	10.4	8.6	8.1	10.9	9.8	9.4	9.4	13.5	9.2	8.8	13.3	12.7	10.0	11.1
Attacking someone with intent to harm	6.2	5.6	5.7	5.8	5.5	6.4	5.8	9.3	4.9	6.2	7.2	8.6	5.3	6.7

Table 13. Trends in delinquent behaviors for Brevard 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	3.3	4.2	3.8	6.8	8.3	7.7	5.5	5.3	5.4	5.0	3.6	4.2	6.1	4.3	5.1	6.3	6.4	6.3
Selling drugs	2.3	7.7	5.4	2.0	10.0	6.6	2.2	4.8	3.7	0.7	3.7	2.4	2.1	3.9	3.1	1.3	3.8	2.8
Attempting to steal a vehicle	0.7	1.7	1.3	0.6	3.9	2.5	0.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.6	0.6	0.5	1.0	0.8	1.3	1.2	1.2
Being arrested	2.2	1.9	2.0	1.5	3.9	2.9	1.6	0.5	0.9	1.3	0.3	0.7	1.6	0.2	0.8	1.2	2.2	1.8
Taking a handgun to school	0.2	0.5	0.4	0.2	2.2	1.4	0.5	0.0	0.2	0.2	0.0	0.1	0.7	0.4	0.5	0.1	0.9	0.6
Getting suspended	12.3	11.5	11.8	7.1	8.7	8.0	7.9	9.3	8.7	7.0	5.3	6.0	13.2	5.7	9.0	10.4	8.6	9.4
Attacking someone with intent to harm	6.6	7.0	6.8	5.2	8.1	6.8	3.2	4.5	4.0	5.7	2.7	3.9	10.3	2.5	5.9	6.2	5.6	5.8

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

	Brevard 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	34.3	36.9	45.4	24.7	34.8	38.8	35.8	33.0	33.5	43.0	23.2	33.5	34.0	33.3
At times I think I am no good at all	50.2	48.4	61.5	35.7	50.7	49.9	49.1	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	31.6	32.2	39.7	22.2	32.6	33.2	32.0	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?	42.9	49.9	59.9	33.8	44.2	49.7	46.9	46.9	47.7	58.4	36.0	46.8	48.1	47.3
Suicide														
Thought about committing suicide in the past 12 months	34.8	39.2	48.0	25.6	35.9	38.7	37.3	35.5	34.2	44.2	24.9	35.9	34.7	34.8
Attempted suicide in the past 12 months	9.0	6.7	11.2	4.2	8.9	7.0	7.7	10.4	8.1	12.9	5.1	10.1	8.5	9.1

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

	Brevard 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	11.3	9.6	15.6	5.1	11.2	10.9	10.4	9.6	8.3	12.7	4.8	9.3	8.7	8.9
Was ever kicked or shoved	46.1	25.9	35.9	32.8	45.4	26.1	34.5	43.6	26.2	34.5	32.5	42.4	26.2	33.7
Was ever taunted or teased	70.5	53.1	68.4	52.6	70.6	53.1	60.5	66.1	52.5	63.4	53.1	65.5	52.5	58.3
Was ever a victim of cyber bullying	32.1	32.4	43.5	21.1	33.2	33.9	32.3	30.3	29.9	37.5	22.5	30.6	30.0	30.1
Ever physically bullied others	14.9	10.3	12.0	12.6	14.0	10.6	12.3	21.6	12.6	14.9	17.8	20.7	13.0	16.4
Ever verbally bullied others	32.0	24.4	28.8	27.0	32.2	24.5	27.7	34.5	25.6	27.9	30.8	34.1	25.7	29.4
Ever cyber bullied others	12.7	11.9	14.7	10.1	12.4	13.7	12.3	13.5	12.4	13.6	12.1	13.6	12.4	12.8

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

	Brevard 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	--	18.7	25.7	9.1	--	18.8	--	--	17.1	23.0	10.7	--	17.4	--
Physical abuse	--	11.4	12.8	9.5	--	12.3	--	--	10.7	12.6	8.3	--	10.8	--
Sexual abuse	--	9.5	13.7	3.3	--	9.6	--	--	6.6	10.2	2.7	--	7.0	--
Parents separated or divorced	--	39.8	45.5	32.9	--	40.1	--	--	39.4	42.9	35.9	--	39.8	--
Physical abuse in household	--	9.4	12.6	5.4	--	10.0	--	--	8.5	11.1	5.6	--	8.7	--
Substance abuse in household	--	26.2	29.7	21.2	--	26.0	--	--	24.9	27.9	21.6	--	25.5	--
Mental illness in household	--	36.8	47.5	23.4	--	36.8	--	--	32.9	41.0	24.0	--	33.6	--
Incarcerated household member	--	23.9	27.6	19.2	--	25.5	--	--	23.3	25.6	20.7	--	23.7	--
Emotional neglect	--	32.6	38.2	24.1	--	31.3	--	--	31.2	39.3	22.7	--	31.9	--
Physical neglect	--	6.2	8.0	3.7	--	5.8	--	--	6.7	8.1	5.2	--	6.7	--

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

	Brevard 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	--	31.9	22.1	43.9	--	32.3	--	--	32.8	26.0	40.0	--	32.0	--
1 ACE	--	21.5	22.8	21.1	--	21.9	--	--	20.6	19.7	21.7	--	20.7	--
2 ACEs	--	13.3	12.6	13.2	--	12.8	--	--	14.6	14.8	14.4	--	14.7	--
3 ACEs	--	10.8	14.2	7.2	--	10.3	--	--	10.6	11.6	9.4	--	10.4	--
4 ACEs	--	6.2	8.1	4.4	--	5.7	--	--	7.4	9.0	5.9	--	7.7	--
5 ACEs	--	5.9	8.1	3.8	--	5.9	--	--	5.6	7.5	3.6	--	5.7	--
6 ACEs	--	4.7	3.9	4.6	--	4.6	--	--	3.6	4.6	2.4	--	3.7	--
7 ACEs	--	2.1	3.6	0.2	--	1.8	--	--	2.3	3.1	1.4	--	2.4	--
8 ACEs	--	2.0	2.1	0.9	--	2.5	--	--	1.5	2.3	0.5	--	1.5	--
9 ACEs	--	0.5	0.7	0.3	--	0.6	--	--	0.7	1.0	0.4	--	0.8	--
10 ACEs	--	1.1	1.9	0.3	--	1.6	--	--	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 Brevard County and Florida Statewide youth who “agree” or “strongly agree” with statements indicating impulsiveness or a lack of self-control, 2022

	Brevard 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	31.8	33.7	36.3	29.5	31.2	36.2	32.9	33.6	32.5	35.7	30.2	33.3	33.1	32.9
I'm more concerned with the short run	26.0	25.9	28.2	22.6	26.1	25.5	25.9	30.2	25.3	30.2	24.5	29.7	26.0	27.3
Getting in trouble is exciting	29.4	27.4	31.6	24.4	29.6	26.8	28.3	28.8	29.0	30.4	27.3	29.2	29.5	28.9
Excitement is more important than security	27.9	26.1	29.2	24.6	28.4	26.3	26.9	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	32.5	28.1	35.2	23.9	32.5	29.2	29.9	34.6	27.9	35.2	26.1	33.7	28.9	30.7
I get upset when I have a disagreement with someone	46.3	40.9	53.9	32.3	46.2	43.4	43.2	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 Brevard County and Florida Statewide youth who reported participation in extracurricular activities, 2022

	Brevard 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	28.7	37.4	33.8	34.4	30.2	38.2	33.7	36.6	36.4	33.8	39.5	36.4	37.0	36.4
Organized Sports Outside of School	42.6	23.4	29.8	33.4	41.6	23.2	31.6	39.8	23.8	28.2	33.5	38.7	24.0	30.7
School Band	8.4	11.2	8.7	11.1	8.6	11.6	10.0	14.6	7.7	10.7	10.6	13.9	7.7	10.6
School Club(s)	21.1	27.1	31.1	18.5	21.8	26.2	24.5	20.6	30.2	33.0	19.4	21.2	30.1	26.1
Community Club(s)	6.9	8.3	8.9	6.9	7.5	8.8	7.7	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 Brevard County and Florida Statewide youth, 2022

	Brevard 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	--	13.5	15.6	12.0	--	15.4	--	--	13.5	16.0	11.2	--	13.6	--
Marijuana	--	19.9	22.1	16.1	--	19.1	--	--	17.8	20.6	15.1	--	17.9	--
<i>Driving a vehicle</i>														
Alcohol	--	3.2	3.5	3.0	--	3.0	--	--	3.3	3.2	3.4	--	3.2	--
Marijuana	--	9.4	11.0	7.1	--	9.4	--	--	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 Brevard 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	--	22.2	--	--	19.0	--	--	15.5	--	--	11.1	--	--	11.3	--	--	13.5	--
Marijuana	--	26.7	--	--	21.7	--	--	20.7	--	--	17.4	--	--	19.9	--	--	19.9	--
<i>Driving a vehicle</i>																		
Alcohol	--	7.2	--	--	8.2	--	--	5.4	--	--	3.2	--	--	3.0	--	--	3.2	--
Marijuana	--	11.5	--	--	11.8	--	--	8.2	--	--	5.7	--	--	4.8	--	--	9.4	--

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

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

	Brevard 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	61.8	63.2	58.3	68.5	62.7	62.9	62.6	63.6	62.9	60.3	66.4	63.4	63.1	63.2
No	26.7	28.7	33.1	21.9	26.2	28.0	27.8	25.1	30.0	30.5	25.1	25.4	29.8	27.9
No adult had a job	11.5	8.1	8.6	9.5	11.2	9.1	9.6	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	13.2	11.0	8.2	16.1	13.0	10.9	11.9	19.5	16.5	13.2	22.4	18.8	16.7	17.8
A little better	7.2	9.3	7.2	9.8	7.1	9.4	8.4	10.2	10.7	10.3	10.6	10.1	10.7	10.5
About the same	31.8	31.1	23.2	40.5	31.8	29.3	31.4	31.1	29.0	23.6	36.6	31.2	28.6	29.9
A little worse	26.5	24.0	29.8	21.4	25.5	27.8	25.1	22.5	24.8	28.4	19.4	22.8	24.7	23.8
A lot worse	21.2	24.7	31.6	12.2	22.5	22.6	23.2	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 Brevard County, Florida Statewide youth, and the national normative database, 2022

Domain	Scale	Brevard 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	53	55	53	55	59	54
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	46	48	46	49	54	55
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	52	58	51	60	57	60
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	48	50	45	56	53	58
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	33	40	36	46	56	62
Average Prevalence Rate		46	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 Brevard County, Florida Statewide youth, and the national normative database, 2022

Domain	Scale	Brevard 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	40	30	41	29	42	42
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	37	19	33	15	45	45
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	25	33	25	30	25	42
Family	Poor Family Management	46	34	47	34	44	45
	Family Conflict	46	38	43	34	42	37
School	Poor Academic Performance	45	49	48	48	45	48
	Lack of Commitment to School	76	68	73	68	47	46
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	57	45	52	39	40	46
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	38	35	33	29	39	45
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	24	14	21	13	41	46
Average Prevalence Rate		43	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 Brevard County, 2012 to 2022

Domain	Scale	Brevard County					
		2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2022
Family	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	61	61	62	61	61	53
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	56	56	54	50	53	46
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	49	57	55	57	51	52
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	55	53	52	43	41	48
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	48	43	43	39	38	33
Average Prevalence Rate		54	54	53	50	49	46

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 Brevard County, 2012 to 2022

Domain	Scale	Brevard County					
		2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2022
Community	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	36	35	38	38	43	40
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	43	44	37	41	40	37
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	25	29	23	29	22	25
Family	Poor Family Management	38	35	37	35	41	46
	Family Conflict	41	38	39	40	43	46
School	Poor Academic Performance	39	33	41	40	40	45
	Lack of Commitment to School	49	47	50	53	67	76
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	40	35	36	39	46	57
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	32	32	30	35	39	38
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	24	21	22	23	32	24
Average Prevalence Rate		37	35	35	37	41	43

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 Brevard County, 2012 to 2022

Domain	Scale	Brevard County					
		2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2022
Family	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	63	55	59	59	62	55
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	61	55	60	57	58	48
School	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	67	69	66	68	65	58
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	67	61	66	63	57	50
Peer and Individual	Religiosity	57	52	51	46	49	40
Average Prevalence Rate		63	58	60	59	58	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 Brevard County, 2012 to 2022

Domain		Scale	Brevard County					
			2012	2014	2016	2018	2020	2022
Community	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use		35	38	35	32	39	30
	Perceived Availability of Drugs		38	31	27	25	19	19
	Perceived Availability of Handguns		34	41	38	32	33	33
Family	Poor Family Management		36	40	36	28	30	34
	Family Conflict		35	36	32	33	29	38
School	Poor Academic Performance		40	41	41	30	39	49
	Lack of Commitment to School		48	54	55	46	59	68
Peer and Individual	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior		40	40	31	34	41	45
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use		41	39	35	28	34	35
	Early Initiation of Drug Use		29	25	18	17	17	14
Average Prevalence Rate			38	39	35	31	34	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.