

Table 3.44A Attended Religious Services 25 or More Times in the Past Year, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Drug Use, by Number of Religious Services Attended in the Past Year (II) among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2002

(I) Demographic Characteristic	Times Attended Religious Services ¹	(II) Drug Use	Times Attended Religious Services ¹	
	25 or More		25 or More	Fewer Than 25
TOTAL	8,037	PAST MONTH		
AGE		Any Illicit Drug ²	574	2,277
12-13	2,563	Marijuana	352	1,661
14-15	2,873	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	312	1,092
16-17	2,601	Cigarettes	628	2,541
GENDER		Alcohol	1,066	3,265
Male	3,898	Binge Alcohol ³	509	2,111
Female	4,139	PAST YEAR		
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE		Any Illicit Drug ²	1,274	4,166
Not Hispanic or Latino	7,098	Marijuana	779	3,098
White	5,657	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	801	2,501
Black or African American	995	Cigarettes	1,172	3,811
American Indian or Alaska Native	36	Alcohol	2,337	6,161
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	LIFETIME		
Asian	293	Any Illicit Drug ²	1,892	5,668
Two or More Races	83	Marijuana	1,085	3,981
Hispanic or Latino	939	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	1,332	3,891
COUNTY TYPE		Cigarettes	2,084	6,055
Large Metro	3,651	Alcohol	2,999	7,644
Small Metro	2,499			
Nonmetro	1,887			

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Special occasions, such as weddings, funerals, or other special events, were not to have been considered in the number of times attended religious services.

¹ Respondents with missing data were excluded.

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Table 3.44B Attended Religious Services 25 or More Times in the Past Year, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Drug Use, by Number of Religious Services Attended in the Past Year (II) among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2002

(I) Demographic Characteristic	Times Attended Religious Services ¹	(II) Drug Use	Times Attended Religious Services ¹	
	25 or More		25 or More	Fewer Than 25
TOTAL	33.0	PAST MONTH		
AGE		Any Illicit Drug ²	7.1	13.9
12-13	31.8	Marijuana	4.4	10.2
14-15	34.4	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	3.9	6.7
16-17	32.7	Cigarettes	7.8	15.6
GENDER		Alcohol	13.3	20.0
Male	31.3	Binge Alcohol ³	6.3	12.9
Female	34.7	PAST YEAR		
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE		Any Illicit Drug ²	15.8	25.5
Not Hispanic or Latino	34.6	Marijuana	9.7	19.0
White	36.9	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	10.0	15.3
Black or African American	28.1	Cigarettes	14.6	23.3
American Indian or Alaska Native	19.1	Alcohol	29.1	37.7
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	LIFETIME		
Asian	29.9	Any Illicit Drug ²	23.5	34.7
Two or More Races	22.0	Marijuana	13.5	24.4
Hispanic or Latino	24.3	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	16.6	23.8
COUNTY TYPE		Cigarettes	25.9	37.1
Large Metro	29.9	Alcohol	37.3	46.8
Small Metro	34.4			
Nonmetro	38.6			

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Table 3.45A Agree or Strongly Agree That Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Youths' Life, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Drug Use, by Youths' Feelings That Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Their Life (II) among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2002

(I) Demographic Characteristic	Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Life ¹	(II) Drug Use	Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Life ¹	
	Agree/Strongly Agree		Agree/Strongly Agree	Disagree/Strongly Disagree
TOTAL	19,023	PAST MONTH		
AGE		Any Illicit Drug ²	1,752	1,088
12-13	6,652	Marijuana	1,160	837
14-15	6,537	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	864	539
16-17	5,833	Cigarettes	1,981	1,187
GENDER		Alcohol	2,887	1,425
Male	9,207	Binge Alcohol ³	1,660	955
Female	9,816	PAST YEAR		
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE		Any Illicit Drug ²	3,556	1,864
Not Hispanic or Latino	15,974	Marijuana	2,394	1,462
White	11,707	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	2,160	1,128
Black or African American	3,011	Cigarettes	3,350	1,628
American Indian or Alaska Native	127	Alcohol	5,999	2,461
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	LIFETIME		
Asian	769	Any Illicit Drug ²	5,177	2,353
Two or More Races	294	Marijuana	3,256	1,786
Hispanic or Latino	3,048	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	3,571	1,630
COUNTY TYPE		Cigarettes	5,769	2,362
Large Metro	9,448	Alcohol	7,643	2,965
Small Metro	5,654			
Nonmetro	3,921			

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Table 3.45B Agree or Strongly Agree That Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Youths' Life, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Drug Use, by Youths' Feelings That Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Their Life (II) among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2002

(I) Demographic Characteristic	Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Life ¹	(II) Drug Use	Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Life ¹	
	Agree/Strongly Agree		Agree/Strongly Agree	Disagree/Strongly Disagree
TOTAL	78.2	PAST MONTH		
AGE		Any Illicit Drug ²	9.2	20.5
12-13	82.7	Marijuana	6.1	15.8
14-15	78.2	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	4.5	10.2
16-17	73.6	Cigarettes	10.4	22.4
GENDER		Alcohol	15.2	26.9
Male	74.4	Binge Alcohol ³	8.7	18.0
Female	82.1	PAST YEAR		
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE		Any Illicit Drug ²	18.7	35.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	78.0	Marijuana	12.6	27.6
White	76.4	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	11.4	21.3
Black or African American	85.2	Cigarettes	17.6	30.7
American Indian or Alaska Native	68.2	Alcohol	31.5	46.4
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	LIFETIME		
Asian	78.1	Any Illicit Drug ²	27.2	44.4
Two or More Races	76.1	Marijuana	17.1	33.7
Hispanic or Latino	79.5	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	18.8	30.7
COUNTY TYPE		Cigarettes	30.3	44.5
Large Metro	77.5	Alcohol	40.2	55.9
Small Metro	78.0			
Nonmetro	80.3			

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Table 3.46A Agree or Strongly Agree That Religious Beliefs Influence How Youths Make Decisions in Life, by Demographic Characteristics (I), and Selected Drug Use, by Youths' Feelings That Religious Beliefs Influence How They Make Decisions in Life (II) among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2002

(I) Demographic Characteristic	Religious Beliefs Influence How Youths Make Decisions in Life ¹	(II) Drug Use	Religious Beliefs Influence How Youths Make Decisions in Life ¹	
	Agree/Strongly Agree		Agree/Strongly Agree	Disagree/Strongly Disagree
TOTAL	16,786	PAST MONTH		
AGE		Any Illicit Drug ²	1,371	1,463
12-13	6,005	Marijuana	863	1,134
14-15	5,701	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	707	691
16-17	5,081	Cigarettes	1,493	1,676
GENDER		Alcohol	2,312	1,998
Male	8,221	Binge Alcohol ³	1,279	1,329
Female	8,564	PAST YEAR		
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE		Any Illicit Drug ²	2,846	2,566
Not Hispanic or Latino	14,134	Marijuana	1,835	2,028
White	10,266	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	1,733	1,544
Black or African American	2,729	Cigarettes	2,670	2,306
American Indian or Alaska Native	115	Alcohol	4,968	3,498
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	LIFETIME		
Asian	695	Any Illicit Drug ²	4,269	3,247
Two or More Races	264	Marijuana	2,570	2,476
Hispanic or Latino	2,652	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	2,934	2,253
COUNTY TYPE		Cigarettes	4,752	3,383
Large Metro	8,220	Alcohol	6,414	4,203
Small Metro	4,956			
Nonmetro	3,610			

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(I) Demographic Characteristic	Religious Beliefs Influence How Youths Make Decisions in Life ¹	(II) Drug Use	Religious Beliefs Influence How Youths Make Decisions in Life ¹	
	Agree/Strongly Agree		Agree/Strongly Agree	Disagree/Strongly Disagree
TOTAL	69.0	PAST MONTH		
AGE		Any Illicit Drug ²	8.2	19.4
12-13	74.8	Marijuana	5.1	15.1
14-15	68.2	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	4.2	9.2
16-17	64.0	Cigarettes	8.9	22.3
GENDER		Alcohol	13.8	26.5
Male	66.3	Binge Alcohol ³	7.6	17.7
Female	71.9	PAST YEAR		
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE		Any Illicit Drug ²	17.0	34.1
Not Hispanic or Latino	69.0	Marijuana	10.9	26.9
White	67.1	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	10.3	20.5
Black or African American	77.2	Cigarettes	15.9	30.6
American Indian or Alaska Native	61.2	Alcohol	29.6	46.5
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	LIFETIME		
Asian	70.6	Any Illicit Drug ²	25.4	43.1
Two or More Races	68.5	Marijuana	15.3	32.9
Hispanic or Latino	69.1	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	17.5	29.9
COUNTY TYPE		Cigarettes	28.3	44.9
Large Metro	67.3	Alcohol	38.2	55.8
Small Metro	68.7			
Nonmetro	73.9			

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	Agree/Strongly Agree		Agree/Strongly Agree	Disagree/Strongly Disagree
TOTAL	8,681	PAST MONTH		
AGE		Any Illicit Drug ²	636	2,207
12-13	3,291	Marijuana	375	1,625
14-15	2,942	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	361	1,044
16-17	2,447	Cigarettes	751	2,409
GENDER		Alcohol	1,041	3,268
Male	4,311	Binge Alcohol ³	564	2,042
Female	4,370	PAST YEAR		
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE		Any Illicit Drug ²	1,289	4,130
Not Hispanic or Latino	7,201	Marijuana	763	3,099
White	5,133	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	850	2,437
Black or African American	1,466	Cigarettes	1,280	3,683
American Indian or Alaska Native	77	Alcohol	2,177	6,270
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	LIFETIME		
Asian	370	Any Illicit Drug ²	2,028	5,494
Two or More Races	113	Marijuana	1,124	3,918
Hispanic or Latino	1,479	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	1,483	3,712
COUNTY TYPE		Cigarettes	2,273	5,839
Large Metro	3,974	Alcohol	2,900	7,694
Small Metro	2,550			
Nonmetro	2,156			

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	Agree/Strongly Agree		Agree/Strongly Agree	Disagree/Strongly Disagree
TOTAL	35.8	PAST MONTH		
AGE		Any Illicit Drug ²	7.3	14.2
12-13	41.0	Marijuana	4.3	10.4
14-15	35.4	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	4.2	6.7
16-17	30.9	Cigarettes	8.7	15.5
GENDER		Alcohol	12.0	21.0
Male	34.9	Binge Alcohol ³	6.5	13.1
Female	36.7	PAST YEAR		
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE		Any Illicit Drug ²	14.9	26.5
Not Hispanic or Latino	35.3	Marijuana	8.8	19.9
White	33.6	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	9.8	15.6
Black or African American	41.5	Cigarettes	14.7	23.6
American Indian or Alaska Native	41.3	Alcohol	25.1	40.2
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	LIFETIME		
Asian	38.1	Any Illicit Drug ²	23.4	35.3
Two or More Races	29.3	Marijuana	13.0	25.1
Hispanic or Latino	38.5	Any Illicit Drug Other Than Marijuana ²	17.1	23.8
COUNTY TYPE		Cigarettes	26.2	37.5
Large Metro	32.6	Alcohol	33.4	49.4
Small Metro	35.3			
Nonmetro	44.3			

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