

# **2016 Florida Youth Substance Abuse Survey**

**Gadsden Data Tables**



**Table 1. Major demographic characteristics of surveyed Gadsden and Florida Statewide, 2016**

	Gadsden			Florida Statewide	
	N	%		N	%
<b>Sex</b>					
Female	364	49.5		31,515	47.9
Male	354	48.2		32,905	50.0
<b>Race/Ethnic group</b>					
African American	496	67.5		14,666	22.3
American Indian	5	0.7		568	0.9
Asian	2	0.3		743	1.1
Hispanic/Latino	145	19.7		13,174	20.0
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0	0.0		144	0.2
Other/Multiple	67	9.1		7,523	11.4
White, non-Hispanic	19	2.6		28,309	43.0
<b>Age</b>					
10	0	0.0		65	0.1
11	41	5.6		3,856	5.9
12	116	15.8		8,338	12.7
13	146	19.9		9,230	14.0
14	123	16.7		9,454	14.4
15	114	15.5		10,070	15.3
16	79	10.7		9,684	14.7
17	67	9.1		9,348	14.2
18	36	4.9		4,799	7.3
19 or older	10	1.4		618	0.9
<b>Grade</b>					
6th	138	18.8		9,301	14.1
7th	140	19.0		9,215	14.0
8th	140	19.0		9,326	14.2
9th	114	15.5		10,140	15.4
10th	91	12.4		9,834	15.0
11th	56	7.6		9,254	14.1
12th	56	7.6		8,705	13.2
Overall Middle School	418	56.9		27,678	42.1
Overall High School	317	43.1		37,765	57.4
<b>Total</b>	<b>735</b>	<b>100.0</b>		<b>65,776</b>	<b>100.0</b>

Note: Some categories do not sum to 100% of the total due to missing values (e.g., not all survey questions were answered). 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 Gadsden and Florida Statewide youth who reported having used various drugs in their lifetimes, 2016**

	Gadsden							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>
Alcohol	18.5	42.1	34.2	29.5	20.0	44.0	31.0	21.8	51.4	41.3	37.1	23.6	51.5	39.1
Blacking Out	--	14.1	16.2	13.1	--	15.2	14.1	--	15.9	16.5	15.4	--	16.1	15.9
Cigarettes	8.5	13.5	11.0	11.3	8.4	13.1	11.1	8.0	18.5	14.0	14.1	8.2	18.5	14.1
Vaporizer/E-Cigarette	6.2	17.4	8.3	16.0	8.0	17.2	12.0	14.6	33.9	24.4	27.1	15.7	34.5	25.8
Marijuana or Hashish	8.3	28.5	17.3	20.9	9.1	27.6	18.7	7.0	31.7	21.4	21.3	8.1	31.8	21.3
Synthetic Marijuana	--	4.6	5.6	3.8	--	5.0	4.6	--	4.9	4.8	5.0	--	4.8	4.9
Inhalants	6.4	5.8	6.7	5.6	6.6	6.2	6.1	6.4	4.6	6.1	4.7	6.4	4.7	5.4
Flakka	--	2.6	3.5	2.0	--	2.6	2.6	--	1.0	0.9	1.1	--	1.0	1.0
Club Drugs	1.0	1.8	1.3	1.6	0.9	1.7	1.4	0.7	3.0	1.9	2.2	0.8	2.9	2.1
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.7	2.4	1.5	1.8	0.7	2.5	1.6	1.0	4.8	2.7	3.7	1.1	4.9	3.2
Methamphetamine	1.4	1.7	1.6	1.6	1.3	1.6	1.6	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.8	0.5	0.8	0.7
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	0.9	1.8	1.3	1.4	1.1	1.3	1.3	0.8	2.5	1.6	1.9	0.8	2.3	1.8
Heroin	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.1	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4
Depressants	0.8	3.4	1.3	3.0	1.0	2.7	2.1	2.2	6.5	5.3	4.1	2.4	6.6	4.7
Prescription Pain Relievers	1.8	3.4	2.8	2.6	1.8	3.3	2.6	3.3	5.8	5.3	4.2	3.5	5.7	4.8
Prescription Amphetamines	0.5	1.3	1.3	0.6	0.5	1.7	0.9	1.3	4.7	3.3	3.2	1.4	4.6	3.2
Steroids (without a doctor's order)	1.1	1.2	1.5	0.8	1.0	0.9	1.2	0.6	0.5	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.5	0.5
Over-the-Counter Drugs	3.4	5.7	4.1	5.3	3.7	6.1	4.6	3.2	5.3	4.7	4.2	3.4	5.4	4.4
Needle to Inject Illegal Drugs	--	2.2	3.5	1.1	--	1.3	2.2	--	0.8	0.6	0.8	--	0.8	0.8
Any illicit drug	16.5	33.1	24.9	26.4	17.6	32.0	25.1	15.7	36.4	29.0	26.4	16.6	36.6	27.7
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	11.9	11.2	10.4	13.1	11.9	12.1	11.6	12.0	17.7	16.4	14.2	12.3	17.7	15.3
Alcohol only	11.5	16.7	17.3	12.1	11.5	19.1	14.3	12.5	21.0	18.1	17.0	13.4	21.0	17.5
Alcohol or any illicit drug	27.0	50.3	41.6	38.5	28.4	51.4	39.1	27.8	57.2	46.8	43.1	29.6	57.4	44.8
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	8.1	8.8	8.0	9.1	8.0	7.8	8.4	6.5	6.1	6.0	6.5	6.5	6.1	6.3

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. 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 Gadsden and Florida Statewide youth who reported having used various drugs in the past 30 days, 2016**

	Gadsden							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>
Alcohol	6.9	19.1	15.3	12.2	7.0	19.4	13.3	8.3	25.5	19.9	17.0	9.1	25.2	18.3
Binge Drinking	3.6	12.6	8.2	8.8	3.9	13.5	8.3	3.2	10.9	7.9	7.7	3.4	10.8	7.7
Cigarettes	1.5	3.6	2.9	2.0	2.3	2.4	2.6	1.4	4.8	3.3	3.5	1.5	4.6	3.4
Vaporizer/E-Cigarette	2.3	6.1	4.3	4.2	2.6	6.3	4.3	5.1	12.8	8.4	10.6	5.5	12.9	9.6
Marijuana or Hashish	3.6	17.6	10.6	11.3	4.0	17.2	10.7	3.2	17.0	10.9	11.5	3.9	16.9	11.2
Synthetic Marijuana	--	1.7	0.5	2.9	--	2.3	1.7	--	1.0	0.9	1.2	--	1.1	1.0
Inhalants	2.9	2.3	3.3	2.0	3.1	2.5	2.6	2.2	1.2	1.9	1.4	2.1	1.2	1.6
Flakka	--	1.0	0.6	1.4	--	1.0	1.0	--	0.5	0.4	0.7	--	0.5	0.5
Club Drugs	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.9	0.5	0.8	0.6	0.3	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.3	0.7	0.6
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	0.2	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.2	1.0	0.5	0.3	1.4	0.7	1.1	0.3	1.4	0.9
Methamphetamine	1.1	0.3	0.5	0.8	1.0	0.3	0.6	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.4	0.4
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	0.5	1.1	0.9	0.8	0.8	1.0	0.8	0.3	0.8	0.6	0.6	0.3	0.8	0.6
Heroin	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
Depressants	0.3	1.4	0.5	1.3	0.6	1.5	0.9	0.8	2.4	2.0	1.5	0.9	2.5	1.8
Prescription Pain Relievers	1.0	3.1	2.6	1.7	1.0	2.8	2.1	1.6	2.0	2.2	1.5	1.6	2.1	1.8
Prescription Amphetamines	0.5	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.3	0.5	1.6	1.1	1.2	0.6	1.7	1.2
Steroids (without a doctor's order)	0.6	0.5	0.8	0.3	0.6	0.0	0.6	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2
Over-the-Counter Drugs	2.1	3.9	2.4	3.8	2.6	3.8	3.1	1.8	2.1	2.0	1.9	1.8	2.1	2.0
Any illicit drug	7.8	22.0	16.1	14.9	8.0	22.1	15.1	7.5	20.0	15.1	14.2	8.1	20.0	14.7
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	6.1	7.4	6.9	7.0	6.1	8.1	6.8	5.6	7.7	7.3	6.2	5.7	7.7	6.8
Alcohol only	3.6	8.2	7.3	5.1	4.1	9.1	6.0	5.2	13.4	11.1	9.1	5.6	13.3	10.0
Alcohol or any illicit drug	10.9	30.2	23.3	19.8	11.6	31.7	20.9	12.5	32.9	25.8	22.9	13.5	32.9	24.3
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	4.3	12.3	9.0	8.4	4.9	13.5	8.5	4.5	7.8	6.4	6.3	4.7	8.0	6.4

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

**Table 4. Lifetime trend in alcohol, tobacco and other drug use for Gadsden, 2006 to 2016**

	2006			2008			2010			2012			2014			2016		
	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	28.8	44.0	36.7	35.9	46.2	41.5	32.7	52.2	42.7	31.6	57.2	46.3	25.9	46.6	36.6	18.5	42.1	31.0
Blacking Out	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	15.5	15.5	--	14.1	14.1
Cigarettes	23.9	30.8	27.4	32.5	28.4	30.3	24.8	28.5	26.7	19.9	23.8	22.1	15.6	32.9	24.5	8.5	13.5	11.1
Vaporizer/E-Cigarette	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	6.2	17.4	12.0
Marijuana or Hashish	8.7	24.9	17.1	12.1	23.1	18.1	11.4	28.3	20.1	6.4	50.1	31.6	12.2	31.2	21.9	8.3	28.5	18.7
Synthetic Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	10.2	10.2	--	5.2	5.2	--	4.6	4.6
Inhalants	6.1	3.9	5.0	7.6	5.9	6.7	11.5	6.2	8.7	13.5	12.2	12.8	9.4	3.4	6.3	6.4	5.8	6.1
Flakka	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2.6	2.6
Club Drugs	--	--	--	2.6	--	2.6	0.5	2.2	1.4	1.5	0.5	0.9	1.6	1.1	1.4	1.0	1.8	1.4
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	--	--	--	1.3	--	1.3	0.3	1.3	0.8	0.0	0.9	0.5	1.3	1.8	1.5	0.7	2.4	1.6
Methamphetamine	1.3	2.2	1.7	0.8	1.9	1.4	1.4	0.7	1.0	1.8	0.5	1.0	1.8	1.5	1.7	1.4	1.7	1.6
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	--	--	--	1.0	--	1.0	2.5	1.0	1.7	0.0	4.2	2.5	2.3	1.3	1.8	0.9	1.8	1.3
Heroin	0.0	1.7	0.8	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.2	0.0	0.1	1.6	0.0	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.8	0.0	0.3	0.1
Depressants	0.0	3.8	1.9	1.4	1.2	1.3	0.9	1.2	1.1	1.6	0.5	0.9	2.4	1.2	1.8	0.8	3.4	2.1
Prescription Pain Relievers	1.7	0.8	1.2	3.6	3.3	3.5	4.1	6.0	5.1	5.3	1.4	3.1	3.2	4.1	3.7	1.8	3.4	2.6
Prescription Amphetamines	1.0	3.6	2.2	1.0	1.3	1.1	1.3	0.9	1.1	0.0	0.5	0.3	1.3	1.5	1.4	0.5	1.3	0.9
Steroids (without a doctor's order)	0.5	3.0	1.7	2.4	1.0	1.6	0.5	0.3	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	0.2	0.7	1.1	1.2	1.2
Over-the-Counter Drugs	--	--	--	3.5	--	3.5	5.4	8.3	6.9	8.6	5.3	6.7	4.9	4.8	4.8	3.4	5.7	4.6
Needle to Inject Drugs	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2.2	2.2
Any illicit drug	17.1	31.2	24.3	21.4	27.5	24.7	23.6	35.8	29.8	23.0	54.9	41.6	21.8	33.8	28.0	16.5	33.1	25.1
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	11.9	10.5	11.1	13.5	11.6	12.5	17.4	15.9	16.6	20.0	17.1	18.3	15.7	10.2	12.8	11.9	11.2	11.6
Alcohol only	20.3	19.1	19.7	20.6	25.4	23.2	15.8	23.3	19.6	19.6	7.9	12.7	11.3	18.0	14.8	11.5	16.7	14.3
Alcohol or any illicit drug	36.6	50.1	43.5	42.0	53.0	47.9	38.9	58.8	49.0	39.9	62.8	52.9	32.7	51.4	42.4	27.0	50.3	39.1
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	8.6	6.9	7.7	6.1	6.7	6.4	5.7	6.5	6.1	9.9	5.9	7.6	7.1	5.3	6.2	8.1	8.8	8.4

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. 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 5. Past-30-day trend in alcohol, tobacco and other drug use for Gadsden, 2006 to 2016**

	2006			2008			2010			2012			2014			2016		
	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	13.4	23.4	18.6	16.4	22.7	19.8	14.2	29.7	22.2	16.0	36.3	27.7	14.1	23.3	18.8	6.9	19.1	13.3
Binge Drinking	6.7	15.5	11.4	10.5	11.1	10.8	8.8	14.6	11.8	6.6	29.0	19.6	8.8	13.3	11.1	3.6	12.6	8.3
Cigarettes	5.7	11.2	8.8	10.2	10.7	10.5	5.9	8.7	7.3	9.5	8.5	8.9	3.1	10.1	6.7	1.5	3.6	2.6
Vaporizer/E-Cigarette	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	2.3	6.1	4.3
Marijuana or Hashish	4.0	10.8	7.5	5.6	10.7	8.4	5.4	18.2	12.0	3.2	37.2	23.3	6.1	16.1	11.2	3.6	17.6	10.7
Synthetic Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	0.0	0.0	--	1.1	1.1	--	1.7	1.7
Inhalants	3.9	4.2	4.0	2.9	2.8	2.9	4.3	2.6	3.4	3.7	0.5	1.8	4.7	1.2	2.9	2.9	2.3	2.6
Flakka	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	1.0	1.0
Club Drugs	--	--	--	2.1	--	2.1	0.4	1.1	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.4	0.7	0.5	0.6	0.6
LSD, PCP or Mushrooms	--	--	--	0.0	--	0.0	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	1.0	0.8	0.2	0.8	0.5
Methamphetamine	1.0	0.0	0.5	0.4	1.5	1.0	0.8	0.0	0.4	1.7	0.0	0.7	1.2	0.4	0.8	1.1	0.3	0.6
Cocaine or Crack Cocaine	--	--	--	0.7	--	0.7	1.1	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.4	0.7	0.5	1.1	0.8
Heroin	0.0	4.3	2.0	0.3	0.0	0.1	0.6	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0
Depressants	0.5	0.9	0.7	0.4	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.9	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.4	0.7	0.3	1.4	0.9
Prescription Pain Relievers	1.8	0.0	0.9	2.2	2.0	2.1	1.6	4.6	3.2	5.8	0.0	2.3	2.0	2.5	2.3	1.0	3.1	2.1
Prescription Amphetamines	1.6	3.1	2.3	0.3	1.0	0.7	0.5	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	1.1	0.8	0.5	0.0	0.3
Steroids (without a doctor's order)	0.0	1.7	0.8	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.4	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.8	0.6	0.5	0.6
Over-the-Counter Drugs	--	--	--	2.1	--	2.1	3.9	4.4	4.2	3.8	0.5	1.8	2.9	3.1	3.0	2.1	3.9	3.1
Any illicit drug	9.6	15.9	12.8	10.8	14.5	12.9	13.8	23.8	18.9	10.1	37.6	26.2	12.7	18.5	15.7	7.8	22.0	15.1
Any illicit drug other than marijuana	7.3	8.4	7.8	7.1	6.5	6.8	10.3	10.6	10.4	8.7	0.9	4.1	8.9	6.1	7.5	6.1	7.4	6.8
Alcohol only	9.5	9.1	9.4	11.9	13.8	12.9	7.7	15.1	11.6	11.9	6.2	8.5	6.7	12.0	9.4	3.6	8.2	6.0
Alcohol or any illicit drug	18.1	25.7	22.1	22.7	28.3	25.8	21.1	38.6	30.0	21.3	43.1	33.7	20.1	30.7	25.6	10.9	30.2	20.9
Any illicit drug, but no alcohol	4.7	2.2	3.5	7.0	6.0	6.4	7.4	9.3	8.4	6.9	7.1	7.0	6.6	7.4	7.0	4.3	12.3	8.5

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**Table 6. Percentages of Gadsden and Florida Statewide youth who reported early ATOD use, perceived risk of harm, personal disapproval, parental disapproval and peer disapproval, 2016**

	Gadsden							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
<b>Early ATOD use</b>														
More than a sip of alcohol	--	23.0	21.4	25.5	--	24.5	23.0	--	19.4	18.3	20.2	--	19.3	19.4
Drinking at least once a month	--	6.8	6.8	7.3	--	7.7	6.8	--	3.5	3.7	3.4	--	3.5	3.5
Smoke cigarettes	--	9.3	8.1	11.0	--	10.1	9.3	--	9.3	8.6	9.8	--	9.4	9.3
Smoke marijuana	--	12.8	4.1	22.3	--	14.6	12.8	--	10.6	9.0	12.0	--	10.8	10.6
<b>Great risk of harm</b>														
1 or 2 drinks nearly every day	34.1	35.1	37.5	31.8	33.8	34.8	34.6	45.7	40.7	46.4	39.3	45.9	40.0	42.8
5+ drinks once or twice a week	46.0	42.8	46.3	42.7	45.9	41.9	44.3	58.1	52.3	58.4	51.2	58.4	51.8	54.7
1+ packs of cigarettes per day	46.4	58.2	54.0	52.6	48.5	55.3	52.6	67.9	68.8	68.4	68.5	68.7	68.2	68.4
Marijuana once or twice a week	38.2	25.2	32.7	30.7	36.1	25.6	31.4	51.7	25.2	37.5	35.2	50.1	24.4	36.3
Try marijuana once or twice	30.1	20.6	27.2	23.8	28.3	21.3	25.1	36.1	16.8	24.8	25.0	34.7	16.4	24.9
Use prescription drugs	51.5	55.9	56.9	51.4	52.4	55.7	53.8	69.1	68.2	70.0	67.3	69.4	67.9	68.5
<b>Think it would be wrong to...</b>														
Smoke cigarettes	95.5	87.6	92.9	90.7	94.7	91.1	91.3	95.6	87.7	91.1	91.0	95.3	88.9	91.0
Drink alcohol regularly	89.9	69.5	79.5	78.8	87.5	73.2	79.1	88.8	64.5	74.1	75.2	87.6	64.8	74.7
Smoke marijuana	89.6	61.4	75.1	74.4	88.1	62.4	74.6	89.7	62.3	74.4	73.3	88.1	62.3	73.8
Smoke synthetic marijuana	95.1	91.0	95.0	91.5	94.7	91.9	92.9	93.1	88.6	90.1	90.9	92.7	88.6	90.5
Use other illicit drugs	97.9	92.6	96.6	93.8	97.4	93.8	95.1	97.5	93.6	95.8	94.7	97.3	93.6	95.2
<b>Parents think it would be wrong to...</b>														
1 or 2 drinks nearly every day	97.4	93.1	93.7	96.5	96.2	93.2	95.2	97.3	93.8	95.4	95.1	97.2	94.1	95.2
Smoke cigarettes	98.8	96.5	96.5	98.6	98.0	97.8	97.6	98.6	96.8	97.6	97.5	98.6	97.3	97.6
Smoke marijuana	95.9	89.6	91.5	93.6	95.3	89.1	92.7	97.0	88.6	92.3	92.0	96.6	88.9	92.1
Use prescription drugs	98.4	96.7	96.8	98.2	98.4	97.2	97.5	98.2	97.3	97.4	97.9	98.1	97.4	97.7
<b>Friends think it would be wrong to...</b>														
1 or 2 drinks nearly every day	90.5	78.8	87.3	81.0	89.2	79.7	84.3	91.3	79.0	85.6	82.9	90.7	79.1	84.2
Smoke tobacco	95.3	90.0	92.7	92.4	94.5	92.1	92.5	94.8	87.0	91.1	89.5	94.4	87.8	90.3
Smoke marijuana	89.8	64.3	76.7	75.0	87.5	66.6	76.3	88.6	59.9	72.6	71.3	86.6	59.8	72.0
Use prescription drugs	95.3	89.9	94.9	90.1	95.2	89.7	92.5	95.7	90.6	93.4	92.2	95.5	90.3	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.



**Table 7. Trends in early ATOD use and attitudes toward substance use for Gadsden, 2006 to 2016**

	2006			2008			2010			2012			2014			2016		
	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
<b><i>Early ATOD use</i></b>																		
Try alcohol	--	25.8	25.8	--	31.8	31.8	--	22.8	22.8	--	41.8	41.8	--	24.0	24.0	--	23.0	23.0
Drink monthly	--	6.2	6.2	--	8.1	8.1	--	6.1	6.1	--	30.0	30.0	--	6.9	6.9	--	6.8	6.8
Smoke cigarettes	--	19.7	19.7	--	24.7	24.7	--	18.3	18.3	--	16.8	16.8	--	19.3	19.3	--	9.3	9.3
Smoke marijuana	--	11.3	11.3	--	12.5	12.5	--	11.9	11.9	--	14.0	14.0	--	13.0	13.0	--	12.8	12.8
<b><i>Great risk of harm</i></b>																		
Daily alcohol use	34.7	33.3	34.0	36.6	39.4	38.2	40.5	44.5	42.5	31.0	39.0	35.4	42.7	37.1	39.8	34.1	35.1	34.6
5+ drinks weekly	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	48.8	43.6	46.1	46.0	42.8	44.3
Daily cigarette use	52.4	51.6	52.8	46.8	51.8	49.5	56.6	63.0	59.9	40.9	41.0	40.9	54.4	56.6	55.6	46.4	58.2	52.6
Marijuana weekly*	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	40.9	25.7	33.0	38.2	25.2	31.4
Try marijuana	38.4	24.5	31.7	31.9	28.1	29.8	36.4	27.2	31.7	30.7	20.0	24.8	32.7	21.1	26.6	30.1	20.6	25.1
Prescription drugs	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	46.5	46.5	58.7	57.8	58.2	51.5	55.9	53.8
<b><i>Think it wrong</i></b>																		
Smoke cigarettes	88.1	72.2	79.3	86.3	79.7	82.7	87.4	80.0	83.7	89.5	92.0	90.9	92.5	82.0	87.0	95.5	87.6	91.3
Drink regularly	82.2	67.4	73.9	76.7	68.6	72.3	78.5	68.8	73.6	83.5	84.3	83.9	85.4	61.2	72.6	89.9	69.5	79.1
Smoke marijuana	91.8	80.7	85.1	88.1	77.8	82.5	88.8	71.6	80.0	91.0	81.4	85.9	84.4	63.3	73.3	89.6	61.4	74.6
Smoke synthetic marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	95.1	91.0	92.9
Use other illicit drugs	95.1	96.9	96.1	95.3	95.0	95.2	95.9	95.2	95.5	96.1	97.7	96.9	96.9	94.4	95.6	97.9	92.6	95.1
<b><i>Parents think it wrong</i></b>																		
Daily alcohol use*	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	94.0	94.0	94.0	97.4	93.1	95.2
Smoke cigarettes	93.9	96.2	95.0	93.4	93.6	93.5	97.4	94.1	95.8	95.7	94.6	95.0	96.3	96.6	96.5	98.8	96.5	97.6
Smoke marijuana	96.1	97.4	95.7	95.5	90.0	92.4	97.7	92.8	95.3	100.0	72.7	83.8	93.8	89.6	91.7	95.9	89.6	92.7
Prescription drugs	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	95.3	97.3	96.3	98.4	96.7	97.5
<b><i>Friends think it wrong</i></b>																		
Daily alcohol use	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	84.9	79.7	82.2	90.5	78.8	84.3
Smoke tobacco	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	89.9	82.2	85.9	95.3	90.0	92.5
Smoke marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	80.6	63.6	71.7	89.8	64.3	76.3
Prescription drugs	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	94.5	88.8	91.5	95.3	89.9	92.5

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." Also, in 2014, the description of alcohol use in the parent disapproval question was changed from "regularly" to "nearly every day." 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, Gadsden and Florida Statewide youth, 2016**

	Gadsden							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	--	10.4	14.6	4.3	--	8.8	10.4	--	8.3	5.0	12.4	--	7.3	8.3
Bought in a restaurant, bar, or club	--	0.0	0.0	0.0	--	0.0	0.0	--	1.6	1.2	2.1	--	1.5	1.6
Bought at a public event	--	4.3	7.3	0.0	--	0.0	4.3	--	0.7	0.7	0.8	--	0.6	0.7
Someone bought it for me	--	14.5	8.1	23.6	--	9.0	14.5	--	14.7	13.3	16.3	--	14.5	14.7
Someone gave it to me	--	45.2	54.0	32.6	--	56.8	45.2	--	44.8	50.6	37.8	--	47.0	44.8
Took it from a store	--	1.8	0.0	4.3	--	2.7	1.8	--	0.3	0.2	0.4	--	0.4	0.3
Took it from a family member	--	4.0	0.0	9.9	--	6.2	4.0	--	11.7	14.2	8.7	--	12.4	11.7
Some other way	--	19.8	16.0	25.3	--	16.6	19.8	--	17.8	14.7	21.5	--	16.5	17.8

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

Table 9. Among high school drinkers, usual drinking location within the past 30 days, Gadsden and Florida Statewide youth, 2016

	Gadsden							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	--	15.7	16.5	14.6	--	17.5	15.7	--	37.7	39.2	35.9	--	37.1	37.7
Another person's home	--	39.5	30.4	52.7	--	42.6	39.5	--	40.0	41.0	38.9	--	40.8	40.0
Car or other vehicle	--	3.1	2.2	4.3	--	4.5	3.1	--	1.7	1.6	1.9	--	1.7	1.7
Restaurant, bar, or club	--	13.1	18.8	5.0	--	9.8	13.1	--	2.7	2.9	2.5	--	2.4	2.7
Public place	--	4.4	7.4	0.0	--	6.4	4.4	--	3.9	3.9	3.7	--	4.3	3.9
Public event	--	1.6	2.6	0.0	--	2.3	1.6	--	1.6	1.8	1.5	--	1.7	1.6
School property	--	6.7	9.2	3.0	--	3.9	6.7	--	1.3	0.7	2.0	--	1.4	1.3
Some other place	--	15.9	12.8	20.4	--	13.0	15.9	--	11.1	9.0	13.7	--	10.6	11.1

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, Gadsden and Florida Statewide youth, 2016**

	Gadsden							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	--	33.0	37.2	27.5	--	35.5	33.0	--	29.6	31.6	27.4	--	30.5	29.6
2	--	27.9	34.6	19.2	--	28.0	27.9	--	22.5	24.8	19.8	--	22.4	22.5
3	--	17.6	9.4	28.3	--	16.2	17.6	--	17.3	17.9	16.3	--	16.9	17.3
4	--	11.6	10.4	13.2	--	11.3	11.6	--	8.6	9.0	8.3	--	8.5	8.6
5 or more	--	9.8	8.4	11.7	--	9.0	9.8	--	22.0	16.7	28.2	--	21.8	22.0

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

Table 11. Percentages of Gadsden 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, 2016

	Gadsden							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	2.7	15.3	10.3	8.3	3.4	16.0	9.1	3.3	6.5	5.5	4.7	3.3	6.8	5.1
Smoking marijuana	2.9	18.3	9.1	12.8	3.6	19.9	10.6	3.2	12.2	8.1	8.7	3.7	12.3	8.5
Used another drug to get high	1.3	7.1	3.0	5.7	1.8	7.1	4.2	1.4	3.9	2.9	2.9	1.5	4.1	2.9

**Table 12. Percentages of Gadsden and Florida Statewide youth who reported engaging in delinquent behavior within the past 12 months, 2016**

	Gadsden							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	4.8	8.4	1.6	12.0	4.5	8.0	6.6	5.0	5.8	2.6	8.3	5.0	5.9	5.5
Selling drugs	1.1	6.6	1.9	6.1	1.5	7.3	3.9	1.6	6.0	3.0	5.4	1.8	6.1	4.2
Attempting to steal a vehicle	0.9	5.0	2.2	3.9	0.6	3.6	3.0	1.0	1.5	0.8	1.7	1.0	1.5	1.3
Being arrested	2.1	3.9	2.1	4.0	2.0	3.7	3.0	1.9	2.8	1.8	3.0	1.8	3.0	2.4
Taking a handgun to school	0.4	4.2	1.7	3.0	0.6	3.8	2.3	0.4	0.7	0.3	0.9	0.4	0.7	0.6
Getting suspended	23.3	27.3	22.4	29.1	24.3	28.9	25.3	10.6	9.1	7.0	12.5	10.1	9.8	9.8
Attacking someone with intent to harm	8.9	11.6	9.3	11.8	9.3	13.4	10.3	6.2	6.1	5.3	6.9	6.0	6.6	6.1

**Table 13. Trends in delinquent behaviors for Gadsden, 2006 to 2016**

	2006			2008			2010			2012			2014			2016		
	<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	2.1	8.1	6.6	3.0	5.3	4.3	7.5	5.9	6.7	3.9	9.8	7.5	5.1	7.2	6.2	4.8	8.4	6.6
Selling drugs	2.6	9.3	7.5	4.2	6.1	5.2	3.6	9.0	6.3	0.0	31.7	19.3	3.4	7.8	5.6	1.1	6.6	3.9
Attempting to steal a vehicle	3.6	8.2	7.0	4.5	3.2	3.8	2.1	1.0	1.5	0.0	24.5	14.8	1.9	3.7	2.8	0.9	5.0	3.0
Being arrested	5.1	7.1	7.5	8.0	6.8	7.3	4.9	6.3	5.6	0.0	23.3	14.0	3.5	1.5	2.5	2.1	3.9	3.0
Taking a handgun to school	1.0	2.9	3.4	2.4	2.1	2.2	1.3	1.5	1.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9	1.5	1.7	0.4	4.2	2.3
Getting suspended	30.3	22.6	27.3	45.5	20.6	31.5	32.1	25.8	28.9	22.4	38.0	31.8	36.4	27.7	32.1	23.3	27.3	25.3
Attacking someone with intent to harm	14.2	10.6	13.2	20.2	15.7	17.7	15.8	15.6	15.7	12.2	30.8	23.4	15.2	14.6	14.9	8.9	11.6	10.3

**Table 14. Percentages of Gadsden and Florida Statewide youth with family members who have been or are now in jail or friends who have been in trouble because of alcohol or drugs, 2016**

	Gadsden							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>
Family members who have been or are now in jail or prison	65.0	62.6	66.2	62.5	66.1	63.3	63.8	44.4	44.6	47.8	41.2	44.2	45.4	44.5
Friends who have have been or are in trouble because of alcohol or drugs	23.5	41.1	30.3	34.9	26.2	40.6	32.4	23.9	46.5	38.4	35.8	26.0	47.1	37.1



**Table 15. Percentages of Gadsden and Florida Statewide youth who reported involvement in bullying behavior, 2016**

	Gadsden							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	6.4	6.0	8.7	3.8	6.3	6.7	6.2	7.6	8.2	11.5	4.4	7.6	8.3	7.9
Was kicked or shoved in past 30 days	15.3	12.7	13.1	14.4	15.3	11.3	13.9	19.6	8.1	12.0	13.8	18.8	8.1	13.0
Was taunted or teased in past 30 days	38.6	22.2	35.1	24.8	36.4	24.1	29.8	35.3	22.5	30.1	25.6	34.4	22.8	27.9
Was victim of cyber bullying in past 30 days	9.0	5.4	10.8	3.4	8.6	6.3	7.1	7.8	7.6	10.2	5.2	7.8	7.9	7.7
Physically bullied others in past 30 days	12.7	9.4	10.9	10.7	12.5	8.8	10.9	7.6	4.9	5.0	7.0	7.2	5.2	6.1
Verbally bullied others in past 30 days	19.7	15.0	20.6	13.9	20.4	15.1	17.2	14.3	10.4	11.0	13.0	14.0	10.7	12.0
Cyber bullied others in past 30 days	5.8	6.8	8.5	4.1	5.3	5.6	6.3	3.6	4.1	4.0	3.7	3.7	4.1	3.9

**Table 16. Percentages of Gadsden and Florida Statewide youth who reported gang membership, 2016**

	Gadsden							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>
Have you ever belonged to a gang?	5.1	9.7	5.5	9.8	5.2	11.4	7.4	3.3	3.5	2.3	4.5	3.1	3.6	3.4
Did that gang have a name?	20.9	22.9	22.3	23.5	20.0	28.8	22.3	23.4	14.1	13.1	19.7	21.9	14.4	16.9
Are you a gang member now?	--	4.1	3.2	5.2	--	4.9	4.1	--	2.0	1.1	2.8	--	2.0	2.0

Note: The prevalence rates for “Did that gang have a name?” exclude students who reported that they have never belonged to a gang. The symbol “--” indicates that data are not available.

Table 17. Reasons for joining a gang, reported by high school students who have belonged to a gang, among Gadsden and Florida Statewide youth, 2016

	Gadsden							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>
Fun and excitement	--	7.2	15.9	2.3	--	9.4	7.2	--	5.0	4.3	5.5	--	5.0	5.0
Protection	--	8.0	3.6	11.0	--	8.7	8.0	--	4.2	2.6	5.4	--	4.5	4.2
Friend or relative in a gang	--	12.5	15.5	11.4	--	10.6	12.5	--	4.1	2.9	4.9	--	4.1	4.1
Forced to join	--	0.9	0.0	1.5	--	1.2	0.9	--	1.1	1.1	1.2	--	1.2	1.1
To get respect	--	9.7	9.1	10.5	--	9.4	9.7	--	3.5	2.0	4.7	--	3.5	3.5
Money	--	6.6	4.1	8.5	--	7.0	6.6	--	3.8	2.5	4.8	--	4.1	3.8
To fit in better	--	3.8	7.9	1.5	--	3.3	3.8	--	1.2	1.1	1.4	--	1.2	1.2
Other reasons	--	5.0	4.7	5.4	--	5.6	5.0	--	5.9	4.5	7.0	--	5.6	5.9

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

**Table 18. Percentages of Gadsden and Florida Statewide youth who reported participation in extracurricular activities, 2016**

	Gadsden							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	56.3	53.4	42.5	67.1	56.6	55.1	54.8	36.0	40.4	34.5	42.5	36.4	41.4	38.5
Organized Sports Outside of School	32.4	19.9	21.5	29.3	31.5	20.8	25.7	41.6	22.4	28.2	32.9	40.1	22.8	30.5
School Band	15.9	12.0	18.2	9.0	15.7	10.8	13.8	16.7	8.1	12.3	11.1	16.2	8.1	11.7
School Club(s)	18.6	16.7	21.7	12.9	18.3	15.9	17.6	22.1	31.8	35.4	20.4	22.8	31.6	27.6
Community Club(s)	9.3	8.7	10.9	6.4	8.8	7.1	9.0	9.3	12.8	14.6	8.2	9.4	12.6	11.3

Table 19. 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 Gadsden and Florida Statewide youth, 2016

	Gadsden							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>
<b><i>Riding in a vehicle</i></b>														
Alcohol	--	24.4	27.5	21.8	--	24.2	24.4	--	16.4	17.5	15.3	--	16.3	16.4
Marijuana	--	31.3	33.4	30.2	--	33.2	31.3	--	22.7	23.7	21.7	--	22.9	22.7
<b><i>Driving a vehicle</i></b>														
Alcohol	--	8.7	8.8	9.3	--	9.0	8.7	--	5.4	5.0	5.8	--	5.2	5.4
Marijuana	--	18.5	16.4	21.2	--	21.3	18.5	--	10.3	9.1	11.4	--	9.9	10.3

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

Table 20. 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 Gadsden, 2012 and 2016

	2006			2008			2010			2012			2014			2016		
	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
<b><i>Riding in a vehicle</i></b>																		
Alcohol	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	42.2	42.2	--	26.8	26.8	--	24.4	24.4
Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	42.7	42.7	--	31.0	31.0	--	31.3	31.3
<b><i>Driving a vehicle</i></b>																		
Alcohol	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	26.7	26.7	--	8.8	8.8	--	8.7	8.7
Marijuana	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	25.3	25.3	--	16.5	16.5	--	18.5	18.5

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

**Table 21. Protective factor prevalence rates for Gadsden, Florida Statewide youth and the national normative database, 2016**

Domain	Scale	Gadsden		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>
<b>Community</b>	Community Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	53	72	46	69	56	63
<b>Family</b>	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	65	60	60	59	59	54
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	59	50	56	56	54	55
<b>School</b>	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	56	53	53	63	57	60
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	55	52	49	59	53	58
<b>Peer and Individual</b>	Religiosity	52	71	49	57	56	62
<b>Average Prevalence Rate</b>		<b>57</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>59</b>

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 22. Risk factor prevalence rates for Gadsden, Florida Statewide youth and the national normative database, 2016**

Domain	Scale	Gadsden		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>
<b>Community</b>	Community Disorganization	55	62	42	44	47	47
	Transitions and Mobility	63	58	59	61	47	46
	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	47	33	37	31	42	42
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	29	22	37	27	45	45
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	21	38	24	36	25	42
<b>Family</b>	Poor Family Management	51	53	40	38	44	45
	Family Conflict	31	31	38	33	42	37
<b>School</b>	Poor Academic Performance	54	47	42	44	45	48
	Lack of Commitment to School	45	42	53	54	47	46
<b>Peer and Individual</b>	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	36	37	39	35	40	46
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	30	37	32	36	39	45
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	24	28	23	22	41	46
<b>Average Prevalence Rate</b>		<b>40</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>45</b>

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



**Table 23. Protective factor prevalence rate trends among middle school students for Gadsden, 2006 to 2016**

Domain	Scale	Gadsden					
		2006	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016
<b>Community</b>	Community Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	56	56	59	66	59	53
<b>Family</b>	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	54	49	55	52	62	65
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	47	41	52	40	57	59
<b>School</b>	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	53	40	47	54	55	56
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	41	38	51	50	53	55
<b>Peer and Individual</b>	Religiosity	57	51	55	44	52	52
<b>Average Prevalence Rate</b>		<b>51</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>53</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>57</b>

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

**Table 24. Risk factor prevalence rate trends among middle school students for Gadsden, 2006 to 2016**

Domain		Scale	Gadsden					
			2006	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016
<b>Community</b>	Community Disorganization		58	64	62	53	67	55
	Transitions and Mobility		56	55	56	49	59	63
	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use		56	66	58	48	55	47
	Perceived Availability of Drugs		33	46	44	30	36	29
	Perceived Availability of Handguns		25	26	24	20	25	21
<b>Family</b>	Poor Family Management		65	69	63	65	56	51
	Family Conflict		43	42	38	43	36	31
<b>School</b>	Poor Academic Performance		56	58	50	47	49	54
	Lack of Commitment to School		42	56	42	52	43	45
<b>Peer and Individual</b>	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior		45	53	47	40	40	36
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use		45	50	45	35	39	30
	Early Initiation of Drug Use		47	45	39	31	38	24
<b>Average Prevalence Rate</b>			<b>45</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>40</b>

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 high school students for Gadsden, 2006 to 2016**

Domain	Scale	Gadsden					
		2006	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016
<b>Community</b>	Community Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	77	65	73	87	62	72
<b>Family</b>	Family Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	47	58	59	50	56	60
	Family Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	51	54	55	45	59	50
<b>School</b>	School Opportunities for Prosocial Involvement	48	51	48	56	45	53
	School Rewards for Prosocial Involvement	52	44	52	55	48	52
<b>Peer and Individual</b>	Religiosity	73	70	74	70	67	71
<b>Average Prevalence Rate</b>		<b>58</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>60</b>

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

**Table 26. Risk factor prevalence rate trends among high school students for Gadsden, 2006 to 2016**

Domain		Gadsden					
Scale		2006	2008	2010	2012	2014	2016
<b>Community</b>	Community Disorganization	65	60	60	71	61	62
	Transitions and Mobility	58	55	50	58	59	58
	Laws and Norms Favorable to Drug Use	26	31	35	27	30	33
	Perceived Availability of Drugs	28	27	29	45	24	22
	Perceived Availability of Handguns	32	35	43	42	32	38
<b>Family</b>	Poor Family Management	59	63	52	66	52	53
	Family Conflict	37	31	24	38	27	31
<b>School</b>	Poor Academic Performance	56	48	50	53	50	47
	Lack of Commitment to School	30	35	37	36	44	42
<b>Peer and Individual</b>	Favorable Attitudes toward Antisocial Behavior	35	32	31	52	34	37
	Favorable Attitudes toward ATOD Use	35	32	32	20	37	37
	Early Initiation of Drug Use	27	37	33	44	32	28
<b>Average Prevalence Rate</b>		<b>36</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>41</b>

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.