

Table 3.14C Youths Agreed or Strongly Agreed with Statements about Religious Beliefs among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic and Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2012 and 2013

Demographic/Geographic Characteristic	STATEMENTS ABOUT RELIGIOUS BELIEFS					
	Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Youth's Life		Religious Beliefs Influence Youth's Decision Making in Life		It Is Important for Friends to Share Religious Beliefs	
	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013
TOTAL	96	103	104	116	113	117
AGE						
12-13	127	135	119	125	85	82
14-15	126	128	120	117	79	77
16-17	114	115	107	112	72	77
GENDER						
Male	69	71	73	79	79	78
Female	64	71	70	77	71	74
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	85	89	91	98	98	101
White	183	193	174	178	117	115
Black or African American	106	102	98	100	64	56
American Indian or Alaska Native	15	16	15	15	11	13
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	62	63	60	61	33	31
Two or More Races	32	32	29	30	21	18
Hispanic or Latino	46	51	52	58	54	57
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	212	209	199	195	127	115
Small Metro	156	162	146	149	91	93
Nonmetro	102	104	100	98	66	67

*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: Response categories for the questions on Religious Beliefs include "Strongly disagree," "Disagree," "Agree," and "Strongly agree." The estimates in this table correspond to persons reporting "Agree" or "Strongly agree." Respondents with unknown Religious Beliefs data were excluded.

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2012 and 2013.

Table 3.14D Youths Agreed or Strongly Agreed with Statements about Religious Beliefs among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic and Geographic Characteristics: Standard Errors of Percentages, 2012 and 2013

Demographic/Geographic Characteristic	STATEMENTS ABOUT RELIGIOUS BELIEFS					
	Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Youth's Life		Religious Beliefs Influence Youth's Decision Making in Life		It Is Important for Friends to Share Religious Beliefs	
	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013
TOTAL	0.39	0.43	0.43	0.48	0.47	0.49
AGE						
12-13	0.61	0.65	0.69	0.73	0.78	0.83
14-15	0.66	0.70	0.73	0.75	0.77	0.75
16-17	0.72	0.74	0.74	0.80	0.72	0.76
GENDER						
Male	0.56	0.58	0.59	0.64	0.64	0.64
Female	0.53	0.60	0.59	0.65	0.60	0.63
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.45	0.47	0.48	0.52	0.52	0.54
White	0.52	0.56	0.56	0.57	0.61	0.62
Black or African American	0.89	0.95	0.99	1.14	1.27	1.22
American Indian or Alaska Native	3.74	3.38	3.94	4.01	4.85	5.77
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*	*	*	*	*	*
Asian	2.43	2.36	2.62	2.67	2.35	2.36
Two or More Races	2.04	2.65	2.28	2.92	2.31	2.16
Hispanic or Latino	0.85	0.95	0.97	1.08	1.03	1.08
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.60	0.62	0.67	0.72	0.69	0.68
Small Metro	0.67	0.71	0.74	0.76	0.81	0.85
Nonmetro	0.82	0.93	0.92	0.94	1.03	1.13

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Table 3.14P Youths Agreed or Strongly Agreed with Statements about Religious Beliefs among Persons Aged 12 to 17, by Demographic and Geographic Characteristics: P Values from Tests of Differences of Percentages, 2013 Versus 2012

Demographic/Geographic Characteristic	STATEMENTS ABOUT RELIGIOUS BELIEFS					
	Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of Youth's Life		Religious Beliefs Influence Youth's Decision Making in Life		It Is Important for Friends to Share Religious Beliefs	
	2012	2013	2012	2013	2012	2013
TOTAL	0.0696		0.1747		0.0085	
AGE						
12-13	0.0981		0.2919		0.1142	
14-15	0.9605		0.6172		0.2153	
16-17	0.1504		0.3726		0.0455	
GENDER						
Male	0.3822		0.2270		0.0901	
Female	0.0855		0.4295		0.0206	
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE						
Not Hispanic or Latino	0.1741		0.2201		0.0072	
White	0.2139		0.4283		0.0451	
Black or African American	0.2564		0.4957		0.3677	
American Indian or Alaska Native	0.9683		0.2296		0.7849	
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	*		*		*	
Asian	0.3879		0.6523		0.2085	
Two or More Races	0.3681		0.5546		0.0867	
Hispanic or Latino	0.2334		0.5722		0.5214	
COUNTY TYPE						
Large Metro	0.2564		0.4690		0.0182	
Small Metro	0.6351		0.9597		0.2247	
Nonmetro	0.0714		0.0288		0.6786	

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