

**Table 3.24A Past Month Use of Selected Substances, by Measures of Risk and Protective Factors, Religious Beliefs, and Past Year Parental Involvement among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands, 2010**

Risk and Protective Factors, Religious Beliefs, and Parental Involvement <sup>1</sup>	SUBSTANCE USE IN THE PAST MONTH							
	Used Illicit Drugs <sup>2</sup>		Used Marijuana		Used Cigarettes		Binge Use of Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
<b>RISK AND PROTECTIVE FACTORS</b>								
Youth Moved 2 or More Times in the Past 5 Years	761	1,644	552	1,207	650	1,324	487	1,391
Youth Argued with at Least One Parent 10 or More Times in the Past Year	843	1,588	601	1,167	723	1,277	677	1,209
Youth Was Approached by Someone Selling Drugs in the Past Month	1,196	1,263	985	806	962	1,064	941	964
Youth Had Someone to Talk to about Problems <sup>4</sup>	2,233	169	1,639	107	1,843	143	1,745	118
Youth Attended 25 or More Religious Services in the Past Year <sup>5</sup>	442	1,956	277	1,475	314	1,669	338	1,536
<b>YOUTH RELIGIOUS BELIEFS<sup>6</sup></b>								
Youth Agreed or Strongly Agreed That Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of His or Her Life	1,398	1,000	939	807	1,078	889	1,087	774
Youth Agreed or Strongly Agreed That His or Her Religious Beliefs Influence Decision Making in Life	1,124	1,277	741	1,010	835	1,138	838	1,033
Youth Agreed or Strongly Agreed That It Is Important for Friends to Share Religious Beliefs	490	1,900	292	1,452	394	1,566	357	1,506
<b>PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT IN PAST YEAR<sup>7</sup></b>								
Parent Always or Sometimes Made Youth Do Chores around the House	1,987	456	1,425	350	1,658	342	1,560	332
Parent Always or Sometimes Limited Amount of Time Youth Watched TV	592	1,848	394	1,380	444	1,553	428	1,462
Parents Always or Sometimes Let Youth Know He or She Had Done a Good Job	1,843	599	1,336	438	1,444	560	1,418	475
Parents Always or Sometimes Let Youth Know They Were Proud of Something He or She Had Done	1,879	558	1,368	403	1,459	541	1,422	467

\*Low precision; no estimate reported.

NOTE: The categories "Yes" and "No" refer to estimates among youths (a) with or without risk and protective factors, (b) who have or do not have strong religious beliefs, or (c) who have or do not have parents who are involved.

<sup>1</sup> Respondents with unknown data were excluded.

<sup>2</sup> Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically, including data from original methamphetamine questions but not including new methamphetamine items added in 2005 and 2006.

<sup>3</sup> Binge Alcohol Use is defined as drinking five or more drinks on the same occasion (i.e., at the same time or within a couple of hours of each other) on at least 1 day in the past 30 days.

<sup>4</sup> Respondents were able to select multiple categories of persons that they would talk to about a serious problem, including the choice of "nobody." Respondents who reported both a person that they would talk to and that they had nobody to talk to were excluded from the analysis.

<sup>5</sup> Special occasions, such as weddings, funerals, or other special events, were not to have been considered in the number of times attended religious services.

<sup>6</sup> Response categories for the questions on Religious Beliefs include "Strongly disagree," "Disagree," "Agree," and "Strongly agree." Respondents were categorized as "Yes" if they reported "Agree" or "Strongly agree" and "No" if they reported "Strongly disagree" or "Disagree."

<sup>7</sup> Responses categories for the Parental Involvement questions include "Always," "Sometimes," "Seldom," and "Never." Respondents were categorized as "Yes" if they reported "Always" or "Sometimes" and "No" if they reported "Seldom" or "Never."

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality (formerly the Office of Applied Studies), National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2010.

**Table 3.24B Past Month Use of Selected Substances, by Measures of Risk and Protective Factors, Religious Beliefs, and Past Year Parental Involvement among Persons Aged 12 to 17: Percentages, 2010**

Risk and Protective Factors, Religious Beliefs, and Parental Involvement <sup>1</sup>	SUBSTANCE USE IN THE PAST MONTH							
	Used Illicit Drugs <sup>2</sup>		Used Marijuana		Used Cigarettes		Binge Use of Alcohol <sup>3</sup>	
	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
<b>RISK AND PROTECTIVE FACTORS</b>								
Youth Moved 2 or More Times in the Past 5 Years	13.2	9.1	9.6	6.7	11.3	7.4	8.5	7.7
Youth Argued with at Least One Parent 10 or More Times in the Past Year	16.0	8.5	11.4	6.2	13.7	6.8	12.8	6.5
Youth Was Approached by Someone Selling Drugs in the Past Month	34.5	6.1	28.4	3.9	27.8	5.1	27.1	4.6
Youth Had Someone to Talk to about Problems <sup>4</sup>	9.7	19.2	7.1	12.1	8.0	16.2	7.6	13.4
Youth Attended 25 or More Religious Services in the Past Year <sup>5</sup>	6.1	11.9	3.8	9.0	4.3	10.2	4.6	9.4
<b>YOUTH RELIGIOUS BELIEFS<sup>6</sup></b>								
Youth Agreed or Strongly Agreed That Religious Beliefs Are a Very Important Part of His or Her Life	7.9	16.6	5.3	13.4	6.1	14.8	6.1	12.9
Youth Agreed or Strongly Agreed That His or Her Religious Beliefs Influence Decision Making in Life	7.1	16.2	4.7	12.8	5.3	14.5	5.3	13.1
Youth Agreed or Strongly Agreed That It Is Important for Friends to Share Religious Beliefs	6.2	12.0	3.7	9.2	5.0	9.9	4.5	9.5
<b>PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT IN PAST YEAR<sup>7</sup></b>								
Parent Always or Sometimes Made Youth Do Chores around the House	9.3	15.8	6.7	12.2	7.8	11.9	7.3	11.5
Parent Always or Sometimes Limited Amount of Time Youth Watched TV	6.2	12.7	4.1	9.5	4.6	10.7	4.5	10.0
Parents Always or Sometimes Let Youth Know He or She Had Done a Good Job	8.8	17.6	6.4	12.9	6.9	16.5	6.8	14.0
Parents Always or Sometimes Let Youth Know They Were Proud of Something He or She Had Done	9.1	16.0	6.6	11.5	7.0	15.5	6.9	13.4

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