

Table 4.5B Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 or Older, Persons Aged 12 or Older At Risk for Initiation of Substance Use, and Past Year Substance Users Aged 12 or Older: Numbers in Thousands and Percentages, 2009 and 2010

Substance	NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s)		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG TOTAL POPULATION		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PERSONS AT RISK FOR INITIATION ¹		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PAST YEAR USERS	
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
ILLCIT DRUGS^{2,3}	3,115	2,970	1.2	1.2	2.3	2.2	8.2	7.7
Marijuana and Hashish	2,361	2,426	0.9	1.0	1.6	1.6	8.3	8.3
Cocaine	617	637	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	12.9	14.2
Crack	94	83	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.2	9.5
Heroin	180	140	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	29.7	22.7
Hallucinogens	1,269	1,229	0.5	0.5	0.6	0.6	28.1	27.2
LSD	337	377	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.2	43.3	43.2
PCP	45	45	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	*	*
Ecstasy	1,110	937	0.4 ^a	0.4	0.5	0.4	39.7	35.4
Inhalants	813	793	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.3	38.9	39.1
Nonmedical Use of Psychotherapeutics ^{3,4}	2,567	2,417	1.0	1.0	1.3	1.2	16.2	15.2
Pain Relievers	2,179	2,004	0.9	0.8	1.0	0.9	17.6	16.4
OxyContin [®]	584	598	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	34.8	32.0
Tranquilizers	1,226	1,238	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	22.5	22.2
Stimulants ³	702	624	0.3	0.2	0.3	0.3	24.5	23.2
Sedatives	186	252	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	22.9	27.7
ILLCIT DRUGS OTHER THAN MARIJUANA^{2,3}	2,803	2,651	1.1	1.0	1.6	1.5	13.3	12.9
CIGARETTES	2,527	2,384	1.0	0.9	2.8	2.6	3.7	3.5
Daily Cigarette Use ⁵	1,125 ^a	952	0.4 ^a	0.4	0.7 ^a	0.6	--	--
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	1,462	1,412	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	12.1	11.4
CIGARS	3,135	2,925	1.2	1.2	1.9	1.7	11.9	11.3
ALCOHOL	4,560	4,673	1.8	1.8	9.5	9.5	2.7	2.8

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Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality (formerly the Office of Applied Studies), National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2009 and 2010.

Table 4.6B Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 12 to 17, Persons Aged 12 to 17 At Risk for Initiation of Substance Use, and Past Year Substance Users Aged 12 to 17: Numbers in Thousands and Percentages, 2009 and 2010

Substance	NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s)		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG TOTAL POPULATION		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PERSONS AT RISK FOR INITIATION ¹		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PAST YEAR USERS	
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
ILLICIT DRUGS^{2,3}	1,599	1,524	6.5	6.3	8.1	7.8	33.2	32.2
Marijuana and Hashish	1,332	1,268	5.4	5.2	6.1	5.9	39.9	37.3
Cocaine	144	155	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	60.1	65.1
Crack	18	14	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	*	*
Heroin	19	23	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	*	*
Hallucinogens	458	497	1.9	2.0	1.9	2.1	62.4	66.5
LSD	106	100	0.4	0.4	0.4	0.4	74.4	73.8
PCP	26	22	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	*	*
Ecstasy	311	324	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	74.7	69.4
Inhalants	530	513	2.2	2.1	2.3	2.2	55.5	58.2
Nonmedical Use of Psychotherapeutics ^{3,4}	845	782	3.4	3.2	3.7	3.5	44.9	43.1
Pain Relievers	784	747	3.2	3.1	3.4	3.3	48.5	49.1
OxyContin [®]	156	159	0.6	0.7	0.6	0.7	69.8	67.9
Tranquilizers	279	237	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.0	60.8 ^a	50.9
Stimulants ³	195	190	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	58.1	60.5
Sedatives	75	65	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	*	*
ILLICIT DRUGS OTHER THAN MARIJUANA^{2,3}	1,112	1,098	4.5	4.5	5.2	5.2	39.2	39.9
CIGARETTES	1,259	1,196	5.1	4.9	6.2	5.8	34.1	34.8
Daily Cigarette Use ⁵	310	283	1.3	1.2	1.3	1.2	--	--
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	654	566	2.7	2.3	2.8	2.4	51.7	47.1
CIGARS	1,076 ^a	933	4.4 ^a	3.8	4.8 ^a	4.1	48.9	50.0
ALCOHOL	2,646 ^a	2,462	10.8	10.1	14.8 ^b	13.5	35.4	35.4

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Table 4.7B Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 18 to 25, Persons Aged 18 to 25 At Risk for Initiation of Substance Use, and Past Year Substance Users Aged 18 to 25: Numbers in Thousands and Percentages, 2009 and 2010

Substance	NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s)		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG TOTAL POPULATION		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PERSONS AT RISK FOR INITIATION ¹		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PAST YEAR USERS	
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
ILLICIT DRUGS^{2,3}	1,087	988	3.2	2.9	7.2	6.3	9.0	8.3
Marijuana and Hashish	980	912	2.9	2.7	5.8	5.2	9.6	9.0
Cocaine	392	368	1.2	1.1	1.3	1.2	22.1	23.3
Crack	61	38	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.1	36.1 ^a	21.8
Heroin	77	82	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	43.8	39.1
Hallucinogens	687	681	2.0	2.0	2.5	2.4	28.5	28.1
LSD	226	257	0.7	0.8	0.7	0.8	43.8	47.3
PCP	17	23	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	*	*
Ecstasy	605	537	1.8	1.6	2.0	1.8	41.8	35.9
Inhalants	230	222	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.7	36.8	37.7
Nonmedical Use of Psychotherapeutics ^{3,4}	986	876	2.9	2.6	4.0	3.5	19.7	18.1
Pain Relievers	841	731	2.5	2.1	3.2	2.7	21.0	19.4
OxyContin [®]	268	239	0.8	0.7	0.8	0.7	35.3	32.0
Tranquilizers	491	503	1.5	1.5	1.6	1.7	27.4	28.1
Stimulants ³	346	326	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.0	29.3	27.7
Sedatives	63	78	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	*	48.3
ILLICIT DRUGS OTHER THAN MARIJUANA^{2,3}	1,084	1,009	3.2	3.0	4.9	4.4	16.3	15.8
CIGARETTES	1,144	1,110	3.4	3.3	8.6	7.9	7.5	7.6
Daily Cigarette Use ⁵	612	593	1.8	1.7	2.5	2.4	--	--
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	658	645	2.0	1.9	2.4	2.3	19.5	18.1
CIGARS	1,406	1,371	4.2	4.0	6.7	6.4	18.0	17.9
ALCOHOL	1,790 ^a	2,020	5.3 ^a	5.9	27.3	29.3	6.8 ^a	7.5

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Table 4.8B Past Year Initiation of Substance Use among Persons Aged 26 or Older, Persons Aged 26 or Older At Risk for Initiation of Substance Use, and Past Year Substance Users Aged 26 or Older: Numbers in Thousands and Percentages, 2009 and 2010

Substance	NUMBER OF PAST YEAR INITIATES (1,000s)		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG TOTAL POPULATION		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PERSONS AT RISK FOR INITIATION ¹		PERCENTAGE OF PAST YEAR INITIATES AMONG PAST YEAR USERS	
	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010	2009	2010
ILLICIT DRUGS^{2,3}	430	458	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.4	2.0	2.1
Marijuana and Hashish	49 ^b	247	0.0 ^b	0.1	0.0 ^b	0.2	0.3 ^b	1.6
Cocaine	81	114	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	2.9	4.2
Crack	15	30	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.8	*
Heroin	84	35	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	*	*
Hallucinogens	123	51	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	9.0	3.8
LSD	*	20	*	0.0	*	0.0	*	*
PCP	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Ecstasy	195 ^a	76	0.1 ^a	0.0	0.1 ^a	0.0	20.8	11.1
Inhalants	53	58	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	*	*
Nonmedical Use of Psychotherapeutics ^{3,4}	736	759	0.4	0.4	0.5	0.5	8.2	8.2
Pain Relievers	554	526	0.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	8.2	7.6
OxyContin [®]	161	200	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	*	22.5
Tranquilizers	456	498	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.3	14.2	15.0
Stimulants ³	161	108	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	11.9	9.1
Sedatives	48	108	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	*	*
ILLICIT DRUGS OTHER THAN MARIJUANA^{2,3}	607	544	0.3	0.3	0.4	0.4	5.3	4.8
CIGARETTES	124	78	0.1	0.0	0.2	0.1	0.2	0.2
Daily Cigarette Use ⁵	204 ^a	76	0.1 ^a	0.0	0.2 ^a	0.1	--	--
SMOKELESS TOBACCO	150	201	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.1	2.0	2.7
CIGARS	653	621	0.3	0.3	0.5	0.5	4.0	3.8
ALCOHOL	124	191	0.1	0.1	0.5	0.8	0.1	0.1

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