

Table 6.3A Nicotine (Cigarette) Dependence in Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Age Group and Demographic Characteristics: Numbers in Thousands, 2017 and 2018

Demographic Characteristic	Aged 12+ (2017)	Aged 12+ (2018)	Aged 12-17 (2017)	Aged 12-17 (2018)	Aged 18+ (2017)	Aged 18+ (2018)	Aged 18-25 (2017)	Aged 18-25 (2018)	Aged 26+ (2017)	Aged 26+ (2018)
TOTAL	27,150	26,163	240	222	26,910	25,940	3,249 ^a	2,755	23,661	23,185
GENDER										
Male	14,890	13,997	146	126	14,744	13,871	1,847 ^a	1,554	12,896	12,317
Female	12,260	12,166	93	96	12,166	12,070	1,402 ^a	1,201	10,765	10,868
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE										
Not Hispanic or Latino	24,686	24,139	206	202	24,480	23,938	2,855 ^a	2,508	21,625	21,430
White	19,639	19,322	172	181	19,467	19,141	2,264 ^a	1,973	17,203	17,168
Black or African American	3,447	3,357	10	7	3,437	3,350	374	312	3,063	3,038
AIAN	300	298	2	3	298	294	36	27	262	268
NHOPI	113	117	*	*	112	117	*	*	*	107
Asian	480	382	7	*	473	376	63	85	410	291
Two or More Races	707	664	13 ^a	3	694	661	101	102	593	559
Hispanic or Latino	2,464 ^a	2,023	34	21	2,430	2,003	393 ^a	247	2,036	1,755
FAMILY INCOME										
Less Than \$20,000	8,054	7,373	64	60	7,990	7,313	1,049 ^a	834	6,941	6,479
\$20,000 - \$49,999	9,837	9,664	85	76	9,752	9,588	1,137	1,098	8,615	8,490
\$50,000 - \$74,999	3,666	4,088	27	38	3,639	4,050	448 ^a	327	3,191 ^a	3,723
\$75,000 or More	5,594	5,038	65	49	5,529	4,989	615	497	4,914	4,492

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^a The difference between this estimate and the 2018 estimate is statistically significant at the .05 level. Rounding may make the estimates appear identical.

Definitions: Measures and terms are defined in Appendix A.

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Table 6.3B Nicotine (Cigarette) Dependence in Past Month among Persons Aged 12 or Older, by Age Group and Demographic Characteristics: Percentages, 2017 and 2018

Demographic Characteristic	Aged 12+ (2017)	Aged 12+ (2018)	Aged 12-17 (2017)	Aged 12-17 (2018)	Aged 18+ (2017)	Aged 18+ (2018)	Aged 18-25 (2017)	Aged 18-25 (2018)	Aged 26+ (2017)	Aged 26+ (2018)
TOTAL	10.0	9.6	1.0	0.9	10.9	10.4	9.5 ^a	8.1	11.1	10.8
GENDER										
Male	11.3	10.5	1.2	1.0	12.4	11.5	10.7 ^a	9.1	12.6	12.0
Female	8.7	8.6	0.8	0.8	9.5	9.4	8.2 ^a	7.1	9.7	9.7
HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE										
Not Hispanic or Latino	10.9	10.6	1.1	1.1	11.8	11.5	10.7 ^a	9.5	12.0	11.8
White	11.5	11.3	1.3	1.4	12.3	12.1	12.2 ^a	10.8	12.4	12.3
Black or African American	10.5	10.2	0.3	0.2	11.7	11.3	7.7	6.6	12.4	12.2
AIAN	20.6	17.9	1.5	2.1	22.9	19.5	16.6	12.1	24.2	20.8
NHOPI	10.2	11.2	*	*	11.3	12.4	*	*	*	13.7
Asian	3.2	2.4	0.6	*	3.4	2.6	2.9	3.7	3.5	2.4
Two or More Races	14.0	13.0	1.5 ^a	0.4	16.6	15.3	11.6	13.5	17.9	15.6
Hispanic or Latino	5.4 ^a	4.3	0.6	0.3	6.1 ^a	4.9	5.2 ^a	3.2	6.3	5.3
FAMILY INCOME										
Less Than \$20,000	18.4	17.2	1.6	1.6	20.0	18.7	11.4 ^a	9.4	22.7	21.4
\$20,000 - \$49,999	12.4	12.1	1.3	1.1	13.4	13.1	10.4	9.9	13.9	13.7
\$50,000 - \$74,999	8.6	9.7	0.8	1.1	9.3	10.5	9.0 ^a	7.1	9.3 ^a	10.9
\$75,000 or More	5.3 ^a	4.6	0.6	0.5	5.8 ^a	5.1	6.7 ^a	5.2	5.7	5.1

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