

Table 1.98A Misuse of Central Nervous System Stimulants in Past Year: Among People Aged 12 or Older; by Age Group and Geographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics, Numbers in Thousands, 2019 and 2020

Geographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	Aged 12+ (2019)	Aged 12+ (2020)	Aged 12-17 (2019)	Aged 12-17 (2020)	Aged 18+ (2019)	Aged 18+ (2020)	Aged 18-25 (2019)	Aged 18-25 (2020)	Aged 26+ (2019)	Aged 26+ (2020)
TOTAL	10,136	<i>10,306</i>	499	<i>346</i>	9,638	<i>9,960</i>	3,205	<i>2,567</i>	6,433	<i>7,393</i>
GEOGRAPHIC REGION										
Northeast	1,612	<i>1,934</i>	56	<i>45</i>	1,556	<i>1,890</i>	606	<i>427</i>	950	<i>1,463</i>
Midwest	2,137	<i>2,039</i>	100	<i>72</i>	2,037	<i>1,968</i>	740	<i>584</i>	1,297	<i>1,384</i>
South	3,437	<i>3,615</i>	211	<i>116</i>	3,226	<i>3,499</i>	1,005	<i>852</i>	2,220	<i>2,647</i>
West	2,950	<i>2,717</i>	130	<i>114</i>	2,819	<i>2,603</i>	854	<i>704</i>	1,965	<i>1,899</i>
COUNTY TYPE										
Large Metro	6,011	<i>5,794</i>	292	<i>196</i>	5,719	<i>5,598</i>	1,941	<i>1,447</i>	3,778	<i>4,151</i>
Small Metro	2,965	<i>3,516</i>	157	<i>111</i>	2,808	<i>3,405</i>	947	<i>884</i>	1,862	<i>2,522</i>
Nonmetro	1,160	<i>996</i>	50	<i>39</i>	1,110	<i>957</i>	318	<i>237</i>	793	<i>720</i>
Urbanized	612	<i>431</i>	31	<i>18</i>	580	<i>413</i>	182	<i>99</i>	398	<i>314</i>
Less Urbanized	458	<i>535</i>	15	<i>21</i>	443	<i>514</i>	113	<i>125</i>	330	<i>388</i>
Completely Rural	91	<i>31</i>	4	<i>0</i>	87	<i>30</i>	22	<i>*</i>	65	<i>18</i>
POVERTY LEVEL¹										
Less Than 100%	2,037	<i>2,197</i>	78	<i>47</i>	1,959	<i>2,149</i>	729	<i>558</i>	1,229	<i>1,592</i>
100-199%	2,054	<i>1,979</i>	100	<i>34</i>	1,954	<i>1,945</i>	598	<i>575</i>	1,356	<i>1,370</i>
200% or More	5,952	<i>6,082</i>	321	<i>265</i>	5,631	<i>5,817</i>	1,784	<i>1,386</i>	3,847	<i>4,431</i>
HEALTH INSURANCE²										
Private	5,821	<i>5,645</i>	320	<i>216</i>	5,502	<i>5,429</i>	2,315	<i>1,837</i>	3,187	<i>3,592</i>
Medicaid/CHIP	2,482	<i>2,523</i>	166	<i>134</i>	2,317	<i>2,389</i>	490	<i>322</i>	1,826	<i>2,066</i>
Other ³	968	<i>1,148</i>	29	<i>7</i>	940	<i>1,142</i>	185	<i>119</i>	755	<i>1,022</i>
No Coverage	1,620	<i>1,806</i>	14	<i>13</i>	1,606	<i>1,793</i>	325	<i>361</i>	1,281	<i>1,432</i>

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TOTAL	3.7	3.7	2.0	1.4	3.9	4.0	9.5	7.7	3.0	3.4
GEOGRAPHIC REGION										
Northeast	3.4	4.1	1.4	1.1	3.6	4.3	10.5	7.5	2.5	3.8
Midwest	3.7	3.6	1.9	1.4	3.9	3.8	10.3	8.2	2.9	3.1
South	3.3	3.4	2.2	1.2	3.4	3.6	7.9	6.7	2.7	3.2
West	4.5	4.1	2.2	1.9	4.7	4.3	10.6	8.8	3.8	3.7
COUNTY TYPE										
Large Metro	3.9	3.8	2.2	1.4	4.1	4.1	10.3	8.2	3.1	3.5
Small Metro	3.6	4.2	2.0	1.4	3.7	4.4	8.9	8.0	2.9	3.8
Nonmetro	3.0	2.4	1.4	1.2	3.2	2.5	7.3	5.0	2.6	2.2
Urbanized	3.8	2.6	2.0	1.3	4.0	2.7	9.0	4.5	3.2	2.4
Less Urbanized	2.6	2.7	0.9	1.3	2.7	2.8	5.8	5.7	2.3	2.4
Completely Rural	2.1	0.6	0.9	0.2	2.2	0.6	5.9	*	1.8	0.4
POVERTY LEVEL¹										
Less Than 100%	5.4	5.2	1.5	1.0	6.1	5.8	9.2	6.9	5.0	5.5
100-199%	3.9	3.9	1.9	0.7	4.1	4.2	7.7	7.5	3.4	3.6
200% or More	3.2	3.3	2.2	1.7	3.3	3.5	10.5	8.0	2.5	2.9
HEALTH INSURANCE²										
Private	3.2	3.2	2.2	1.4	3.3	3.4	11.3	9.4	2.2	2.6
Medicaid/CHIP	5.5	5.2	1.8	1.6	6.5	5.9	6.8	4.1	6.4	6.4
Other ³	1.4	1.5	2.3	0.4	1.4	1.5	7.3	4.9	1.1	1.4
No Coverage	6.0	6.3	1.2	0.9	6.2	6.6	6.7	6.9	6.1	6.6

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TOTAL	4,264	4,483	160	87	4,103	4,396	1,127	682	2,976	3,714
GEOGRAPHIC REGION										
Northeast	639	855	18	18	622	837	200	110	421	728
Midwest	853	841	30	12	822	829	268	144	555	684
South	1,471	1,574	72	38	1,398	1,536	376	275	1,022	1,261
West	1,301	1,213	40	19	1,261	1,194	283	153	978	1,041
COUNTY TYPE										
Large Metro	2,717	2,508	96	44	2,620	2,464	695	409	1,925	2,056
Small Metro	1,110	1,569	49	36	1,061	1,533	329	229	732	1,303
Nonmetro	437	406	15	7	422	399	103	44	319	355
Urbanized	247	152	12	5	234	147	59	9	175	138
Less Urbanized	161	241	2	2	159	239	39	33	119	206
Completely Rural	29	13	1	*	29	13	5	*	24	11
POVERTY LEVEL¹										
Less Than 100%	1,000	1,148	25	4	975	1,144	299	139	676	1,005
100-199%	829	819	22	1	807	818	214	162	593	656
200% or More	2,401	2,510	114	82	2,287	2,428	581	375	1,706	2,052
HEALTH INSURANCE²										
Private	2,257	2,196	108	66	2,150	2,130	794	455	1,356	1,675
Medicaid/CHIP	1,059	1,221	49	17	1,010	1,204	156	86	854	1,118
Other ³	377	496	9	2	368	494	82	46	286	448
No Coverage	808	906	0	2	808	904	133	128	674	775

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TOTAL	1.5	<i>1.6</i>	0.6	<i>0.3</i>	1.6	<i>1.7</i>	3.3	<i>2.0</i>	1.4	<i>1.7</i>
GEOGRAPHIC REGION										
Northeast	1.3	<i>1.8</i>	0.5	<i>0.4</i>	1.4	<i>1.9</i>	3.5	<i>1.9</i>	1.1	<i>1.9</i>
Midwest	1.5	<i>1.5</i>	0.6	<i>0.2</i>	1.6	<i>1.6</i>	3.7	<i>2.0</i>	1.2	<i>1.5</i>
South	1.4	<i>1.5</i>	0.7	<i>0.4</i>	1.5	<i>1.6</i>	3.0	<i>2.2</i>	1.2	<i>1.5</i>
West	2.0	<i>1.8</i>	0.7	<i>0.3</i>	2.1	<i>2.0</i>	3.5	<i>1.9</i>	1.9	<i>2.0</i>
COUNTY TYPE										
Large Metro	1.8	<i>1.7</i>	0.7	<i>0.3</i>	1.9	<i>1.8</i>	3.7	<i>2.3</i>	1.6	<i>1.7</i>
Small Metro	1.3	<i>1.9</i>	0.6	<i>0.5</i>	1.4	<i>2.0</i>	3.1	<i>2.1</i>	1.1	<i>2.0</i>
Nonmetro	1.1	<i>1.0</i>	0.4	<i>0.2</i>	1.2	<i>1.0</i>	2.4	<i>0.9</i>	1.1	<i>1.1</i>
Urbanized	1.6	<i>0.9</i>	0.8	<i>0.4</i>	1.6	<i>1.0</i>	2.9	<i>0.4</i>	1.4	<i>1.1</i>
Less Urbanized	0.9	<i>1.2</i>	0.1	<i>0.1</i>	1.0	<i>1.3</i>	2.0	<i>1.5</i>	0.8	<i>1.3</i>
Completely Rural	0.7	<i>0.3</i>	0.2	*	0.7	<i>0.3</i>	1.3	*	0.7	<i>0.2</i>
POVERTY LEVEL¹										
Less Than 100%	2.7	<i>2.7</i>	0.5	<i>0.1</i>	3.0	<i>3.1</i>	3.8	<i>1.7</i>	2.8	<i>3.4</i>
100-199%	1.6	<i>1.6</i>	0.4	<i>0.0</i>	1.7	<i>1.8</i>	2.8	<i>2.1</i>	1.5	<i>1.7</i>
200% or More	1.3	<i>1.4</i>	0.8	<i>0.5</i>	1.4	<i>1.4</i>	3.4	<i>2.2</i>	1.1	<i>1.4</i>
HEALTH INSURANCE²										
Private	1.3	<i>1.3</i>	0.8	<i>0.4</i>	1.3	<i>1.3</i>	3.9	<i>2.3</i>	0.9	<i>1.2</i>
Medicaid/CHIP	2.3	<i>2.5</i>	0.5	<i>0.2</i>	2.8	<i>3.0</i>	2.2	<i>1.1</i>	3.0	<i>3.4</i>
Other ³	0.5	<i>0.7</i>	0.7	<i>0.1</i>	0.5	<i>0.7</i>	3.2	<i>1.9</i>	0.4	<i>0.6</i>
No Coverage	3.0	<i>3.2</i>	0.0	<i>0.1</i>	3.1	<i>3.3</i>	2.8	<i>2.4</i>	3.2	<i>3.6</i>

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