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ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND OTHER DRUG USE AMONG ILLINOIS YOUTH



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Table A.1. 2014 Substance Use Rates by Grade				
Substance Used	6th	8th	10th	12th
Used Past Year				
Any Gateway Substance (Including Alcohol, Cigarettes, Inhalants, Marijuana)	15.0%	30.2%	51.2%	66.3%
Alcohol	10.8%	26.8%	47.5%	62.8%
Cigarettes	1.3%	4.9%	8.9%	18.0%
Inhalants	5.7%	4.0%	2.5%	2.2%
Marijuana	1.5%	10.7%	25.6%	39.1%
Any Illicit Drugs (Excluding Marijuana)	N/A	2.0%	4.8%	8.8%
Crack/Cocaine	N/A	0.8%	1.2%	2.7%
LSD/Psychedelics	N/A	0.6%	2.8%	4.9%
Ecstasy/MDMA	N/A	0.8%	2.4%	5.5%
Methamphetamine	N/A	0.3%	0.9%	0.7%
Heroin	N/A	0.6%	0.7%	0.9%
Any Prescription Drugs to Get High (Including Prescription Painkillers or Other Prescription Drugs)	N/A	2.8%	5.9%	9.2%
Prescription painkillers to get high (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.)	N/A	1.7%	3.2%	6.0%
Other prescription drugs to get high (like Ritalin, Adderall, Xanax, etc.)	N/A	2.0%	4.5%	7.1%
Over-the-Counter Drugs to Get High	N/A	3.3%	3.5%	4.4%
Steroids Without a Prescription	N/A	1.4%	1.3%	1.3%
Prescription Drugs Not Prescribed to You	N/A	5.4%	9.2%	12.6%
Used Past 30 Days				
Alcohol	5.4%	14.9%	27.4%	44.4%
Any tobacco product (Including Cigarettes, Chewing Tobacco, Smoking Tobacco)	1.8%	5.9%	9.5%	23.0%
Cigarettes	0.6%	2.8%	5.4%	12.9%
Chewing tobacco	0.8%	2.7%	3.6%	7.7%
Smoking tobacco (other than cigarettes like cigars, cigarillos)	1.2%	3.5%	5.6%	15.1%
Inhalants	4.3%	2.6%	1.5%	1.3%
Marijuana	1.0%	7.1%	16.6%	26.5%
Any Prescription Drugs to Get High (Including Prescription Painkillers or Other Prescription Drugs)	N/A	1.0%	3.4%	5.2%
Prescription painkillers to get high (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.)	N/A	0.6%	1.8%	3.1%
Other prescription drugs to get high (like Ritalin, Adderall, Xanax, etc.)	N/A	0.7%	2.7%	4.1%
Over-the-Counter Drugs to Get High	N/A	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%
Prescription Drugs not Prescribed to You	2.9%	2.2%	4.3%	5.7%
Used Past 2 Weeks				
Binge Drinking (5 or more drinks on one occasion)	1.7%	5.5%	11.0%	25.5%
# of Respondents	2,059	2,640	2,822	2,395

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Table A.2. 2014 Substance Use Rates by Race/Ethnic Group¹				
Substance Used	White	African American/Black	Latino/Latina	Race/Ethnic Group Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
Used Past Year				
Any Gateway Substance (Including Alcohol, Cigarettes, Inhalants, Marijuana)	49.2%	46.3%	54.0%	
Alcohol	47.3%	36.6%	50.1%	African American/Black (lowest)
Cigarettes	11.7%	4.9%	11.8%	African American/Black (lowest)
Inhalants	2.1%	4.1%	4.5%	White (lowest)
Marijuana	22.8%	32.4%	28.0%	White (lowest)
Any Illicit Drugs (Excluding Marijuana)	5.4%	3.2%	6.1%	African American/Black (lowest)
Crack/Cocaine	1.5%	0.6%	2.2%	African American/Black (lowest)
LSD/Psychedelics	3.1%	1.7%	2.7%	
Ecstasy/MDMA	3.3%	1.6%	2.5%	
Methamphetamine	0.6%	0.5%	0.9%	
Heroin	0.8%	0.4%	1.0%	
Any Prescription Drugs to Get High (Including Prescription Painkillers or Other Prescription Drugs)	6.4%	4.0%	5.9%	
Prescription painkillers to get high (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.)	3.8%	2.5%	3.5%	
Other prescription drugs to get high (like Ritalin, Adderall, Xanax, etc.)	5.0%	2.5%	4.5%	African American/Black (lowest)
Over-the-Counter Drugs to Get High	2.9%	5.0%	5.5%	White (lowest)
Steroids Without a Prescription	1.2%	1.5%	1.4%	
Prescription Drugs Not Prescribed to You	9.3%	8.0%	8.7%	
Used Past 30 Days				
Alcohol	30.1%	22.6%	30.7%	African American/Black (lowest)
Any tobacco product (Including Cigarettes, Chewing Tobacco, Smoking Tobacco)	14.3%	7.9%	11.4%	
Cigarettes	8.2%	3.0%	6.6%	African American/Black (lowest)
Chewing tobacco	5.4%	2.4%	4.3%	
Smoking tobacco (other than cigarettes like cigars, cigarillos)	8.5%	6.6%	6.9%	
Inhalants	1.1%	2.5%	3.4%	White (lowest)
Marijuana	14.6%	23.8%	18.5%	White (lowest)
Any Prescription Drugs to Get High (Including Prescription Painkillers or Other Prescription Drugs)	3.4%	1.8%	3.6%	African American/Black (lowest)
Prescription painkillers to get high (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.)	2.0%	1.3%	1.7%	
Other prescription drugs to get high (like Ritalin, Adderall, Xanax, etc.)	2.8%	1.2%	2.6%	
Over-the-Counter Drugs to Get High	0.9%	2.1%	2.6%	
Prescription Drugs not Prescribed to You	3.9%	4.3%	4.4%	
Used Past 2 Weeks				
Binge Drinking (5 or more drinks on one occasion)	14.2%	10.3%	15.5%	
# of Respondents	4,029	1,118	1,420	

¹ Data in this table represents an estimate for each race/ethnic group across grades 8, 10, and 12 in 2014.

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Table A.3. 2014 Substance Use Rates by Gender¹			
Substance Used	Female	Male	Statistical Significance (p<.05)
Used Past Year			
Any Gateway Substance (Including Alcohol, Cigarettes, Inhalants, Marijuana)	51.1%	47.0%	.002*
Alcohol	48.0%	43.0%	.000*
Cigarettes	9.6%	11.3%	.030*
Inhalants	3.1%	2.8%	
Marijuana	24.0%	25.5%	
Any Illicit Drugs (Excluding Marijuana)	3.7%	6.5%	.000*
Crack/Cocaine	1.2%	1.8%	.023*
LSD/Psychedelics	1.7%	3.8%	.000*
Ecstasy/MDMA	2.4%	3.3%	.038*
Methamphetamine	0.4%	0.9%	.008*
Heroin	0.6%	0.9%	
Any Prescription Drugs to Get High (Including Prescription Painkillers or Other Prescription Drugs)	4.9%	6.8%	.002*
Prescription painkillers to get high (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.)	3.0%	4.1%	.011*
Other prescription drugs to get high (like Ritalin, Adderall, Xanax, etc.)	3.7%	5.2%	.005*
Over-the-Counter Drugs to Get High	3.0%	4.5%	.005*
Steroids Without a Prescription	0.9%	1.7%	.008*
Prescription Drugs Not Prescribed to You	8.9%	8.9%	
Used Past 30 Days			
Alcohol	29.4%	27.6%	
Any tobacco product (Including Cigarettes, Chewing Tobacco, Smoking Tobacco)	9.7%	15.2%	.000*
Cigarettes	5.9%	7.8%	.005*
Chewing tobacco	2.6%	6.5%	.000*
Smoking tobacco (other than cigarettes like cigars, cigarillos)	5.5%	10.1%	.000*
Inhalants	2.0%	1.7%	
Marijuana	14.9%	18.0%	.003*
Any Prescription Drugs to Get High (Including Prescription Painkillers or Other Prescription Drugs)	2.5%	3.8%	.007*
Prescription painkillers to get high (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.)	1.6%	1.9%	
Other prescription drugs to get high (like Ritalin, Adderall, Xanax, etc.)	1.7%	3.2%	.001*
Over-the-Counter Drugs to Get High	0.9%	1.9%	.004*
Prescription Drugs not Prescribed to You	4.0%	4.1%	
Used Past 2 Weeks			
Binge Drinking (5 or more drinks on one occasion)	12.7%	14.6%	
# of Respondents	4,001	3,788	

¹ Data in this table represents an estimate for each gender across grades 8, 10, and 12 in 2014.

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Table A.4. IYS 2014 Results by Grade					
Question Wording	What % Represents	2014			
		6th grade	8th grade	10th grade	12th grade
Average (Mean) age of first use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	14.65
Average (Mean) age of first regular use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	15.87
Average (Mean) age of first use of cigarettes (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	14.23
Average (Mean) age of first use of other tobacco products (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	15.08
Average (Mean) age of first use of marijuana (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	15.04
Began using alcohol before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	39.7%
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	16.8%
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	49.8%
Began using other tobacco products before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	32.9%
Began smoking marijuana before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	33.5%
Have you used any gateway substance (alcohol, tobacco, marijuana, inhalants) in the past year?	Yes	15.0%	30.2%	51.2%	66.3%
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you been drunk or high at school?	1 or more times	N/A	4.7%	11.5%	15.0%
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs to RELAX, feel better about yourself, or fit in?	Yes	N/A	N/A	18.1%	24.3%
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs while you were by yourself, ALONE?	Yes	N/A	N/A	14.8%	19.6%
During the past 12 months, did you ever FORGET things you did while using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	12.7%	21.3%
During the past 12 months, did your family or FRIENDS ever tell you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?	Yes	N/A	N/A	6.4%	7.9%
During the past 12 months, have you gotten into TROUBLE while you were using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	6.7%	7.8%
During the past 12 months, have you ever ridden in a CAR driven by someone (including yourself) who was "high" or had been using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	18.9%	29.8%
Experienced 2 or more consequences (indicating the potential need for substance abuse assessment according to the CRAFFT Screening Test)	Yes	N/A	N/A	19.9%	29.5%

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table B. IYS 6th Grade Results 2008-2014					
Question Wording	What % Represents	6th Grade			
		2008	2010	2012 ¹	2014
Average (Mean) age of first use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Average (Mean) age of first regular use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Average (Mean) age of first use of cigarettes (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Average (Mean) age of first use of other tobacco products (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Average (Mean) age of first use of marijuana (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Began using alcohol before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Began using other tobacco products before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Began smoking marijuana before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Have you used any gateway substance (alcohol, tobacco, marijuana, inhalants) in the past year?	Yes	18.2%	20.6%	N/A	15.0%
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you been drunk or high at school?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs to RELAX, feel better about yourself, or fit in?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs while you were by yourself, ALONE?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, did you ever FORGET things you did while using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, did your family or FRIENDS ever tell you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, have you gotten into TROUBLE while you were using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, have you ever ridden in a CAR driven by someone (including yourself) who was "high" or had been using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Experienced 2 or more consequences (indicating the potential need for substance abuse assessment according to the CRAFFT Screening Test)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

¹ There are no 6th grade estimates available in 2012 due to the lack of 6th grade participation in Chicago
N/A other than 2012: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table C. IYS 8th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Average (Mean) age of first use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first regular use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of cigarettes (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of other tobacco products (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of marijuana (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began using alcohol before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began smoking marijuana before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Have you used any gateway substance (alcohol, tobacco, marijuana, inhalants) in the past year?	Yes	44.6%	43.3%	37.9%	30.2%	.001*
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you been drunk or high at school?	1 or more times	7.3%	7.9%	7.5%	4.7%	.014*
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs to RELAX, feel better about yourself, or fit in?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs while you were by yourself, ALONE?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did you ever FORGET things you did while using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did your family or FRIENDS ever tell you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, have you gotten into TROUBLE while you were using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, have you ever ridden in a CAR driven by someone (including yourself) who was "high" or had been using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Experienced 2 or more consequences (indicating the potential need for substance abuse assessment according to the CRAFFT Screening Test)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Table D. IYS 10th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Average (Mean) age of first use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first regular use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of cigarettes (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of other tobacco products (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of marijuana (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began using alcohol before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began smoking marijuana before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Have you used any gateway substance (alcohol, tobacco, marijuana, inhalants) in the past year?	Yes	60.3%	57.9%	56.8%	51.2%	.002*
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you been drunk or high at school?	1 or more times	13.1%	11.5%	13.0%	11.5%	
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs to RELAX, feel better about yourself, or fit in?	Yes	N/A	N/A	19.6%	18.1%	
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs while you were by yourself, ALONE?	Yes	N/A	N/A	15.2%	14.8%	
During the past 12 months, did you ever FORGET things you did while using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	14.5%	12.7%	
During the past 12 months, did your family or FRIENDS ever tell you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?	Yes	N/A	N/A	9.3%	6.4%	.005*
During the past 12 months, have you gotten into TROUBLE while you were using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	9.9%	6.7%	.001*
During the past 12 months, have you ever ridden in a CAR driven by someone (including yourself) who was "high" or had been using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	23.9%	18.9%	.000*
Experienced 2 or more consequences (indicating the potential need for substance abuse assessment according to the CRAFFT Screening Test)	Yes	N/A	N/A	24.5%	19.9%	.001*

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Table E. IYS 12th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Average (Mean) age of first use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	14.55	14.51	14.65	14.65	
Average (Mean) age of first regular use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	15.82	15.92	16.01	15.87	
Average (Mean) age of first use of cigarettes (among 12th graders)	Average Age	13.82	13.95	14.32	14.23	
Average (Mean) age of first use of other tobacco products (among 12th graders)	Average Age	15.88	15.00	15.20	15.08	
Average (Mean) age of first use of marijuana (among 12th graders)	Average Age	14.84	14.85	14.96	15.04	
Began using alcohol before age 15	Yes	41.0%	42.3%	38.8%	39.7%	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15	Yes	15.7%	16.1%	12.7%	16.8%	.024*
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15	Yes	53.6%	52.9%	45.1%	49.8%	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15	Yes	36.2%	33.9%	29.2%	32.9%	
Began smoking marijuana before age 15	Yes	38.0%	37.0%	34.8%	33.5%	
Have you used any gateway substance (alcohol, tobacco, marijuana, inhalants) in the past year?	Yes	72.3%	68.9%	67.9%	66.3%	
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you been drunk or high at school?	1 or more times	14.9%	15.3%	17.5%	15.0%	
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs to RELAX, feel better about yourself, or fit in?	Yes	N/A	N/A	25.7%	24.3%	
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs while you were by yourself, ALONE?	Yes	N/A	N/A	19.2%	19.6%	
During the past 12 months, did you ever FORGET things you did while using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	23.8%	21.3%	
During the past 12 months, did your family or FRIENDS ever tell you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?	Yes	N/A	N/A	10.4%	7.9%	.027*
During the past 12 months, have you gotten into TROUBLE while you were using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	8.7%	7.8%	
During the past 12 months, have you ever ridden in a CAR driven by someone (including yourself) who was "high" or had been using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	33.4%	29.8%	.049*
Experienced 2 or more consequences (indicating the potential need for substance abuse assessment according to the CRAFFT Screening Test)	Yes	N/A	N/A	33.0%	29.5%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
Average (Mean) age of first use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age		x	14.56	14.92	14.83	14.28	
Average (Mean) age of first regular use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age		x	15.86	16.06	15.99	15.35	
Average (Mean) age of first use of cigarettes (among 12th graders)	Average Age		x	14.44	13.98	14.15	13.66	
Average (Mean) age of first use of other tobacco products (among 12th graders)	Average Age		x	15.26	14.31	15.26	14.44	
Average (Mean) age of first use of marijuana (among 12th graders)	Average Age		x	15.08	15.15	15.01	14.62	
Began using alcohol before age 15	Yes		x	40.6%	37.5%	36.8%	45.3%	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15	Yes		x	16.4%	18.1%	14.3%	22.6%	
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15	Yes		x	45.1%	59.0%	53.7%	52.9%	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15	Yes		x	29.6%	53.7%	30.1%	39.6%	
Began smoking marijuana before age 15	Yes		x	32.4%	36.1%	34.0%	35.5%	
Have you used any gateway substance (alcohol, tobacco, marijuana, inhalants) in the past year?	Yes	x	x	49.3%	52.0%	47.4%	44.7%	
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you been drunk or high at school?	1 or more times	x	x	9.7%	16.1%	8.6%	7.8%	Chicago (highest)
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs to RELAX, feel better about yourself, or fit in?	Yes		x	21.3%	17.5%	22.1%	22.5%	
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs while you were by yourself, ALONE?	Yes		x	17.3%	14.8%	17.8%	16.9%	
During the past 12 months, did you ever FORGET things you did while using alcohol or drugs?	Yes		x	17.5%	10.3%	18.6%	18.1%	Chicago (lowest)
During the past 12 months, did your family or FRIENDS ever tell you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?	Yes		x	7.2%	7.1%	6.7%	7.0%	
During the past 12 months, have you gotten into TROUBLE while you were using alcohol or drugs?	Yes		x	7.7%	6.4%	6.6%	6.8%	

¹ See Appendix 9: Illinois Community Types for a detailed description of how community types are defined

² Data in this table are based on the combination of grade levels marked in the "Grades Represented" columns.

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Table F. IYS 2014 Results by Community Type¹								
Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
During the past 12 months, have you ever ridden in a CAR driven by someone (including yourself) who was "high" or had been using alcohol or drugs?	Yes		x	23.1%	21.0%	26.4%	29.2%	
Experienced 2 or more consequences (indicating the potential need for substance abuse assessment according to the CRAFFT Screening Test)	Yes		x	24.5%	20.7%	25.5%	26.5%	

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² Data in this table are based on the combination of grade levels marked in the "Grades Represented" columns.

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Table G. Illinois 8th Grade vs. National 8th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Average (Mean) age of first use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first regular use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of cigarettes (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of other tobacco products (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of marijuana (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	
Began using alcohol before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Began smoking marijuana before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Have you used any gateway substance (alcohol, tobacco, marijuana, inhalants) in the past year?	Yes	30.2%	N/A	
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you been drunk or high at school?	1 or more times	4.7%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs to RELAX, feel better about yourself, or fit in?	Yes	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs while you were by yourself, ALONE?	Yes	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did you ever FORGET things you did while using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did your family or FRIENDS ever tell you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?	Yes	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, have you gotten into TROUBLE while you were using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, have you ever ridden in a CAR driven by someone (including yourself) who was "high" or had been using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Experienced 2 or more consequences (indicating the potential need for substance abuse assessment according to the CRAFFT Screening Test)	Yes	N/A	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

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Table H. Illinois 10 th Grade vs. National 10 th Grade ¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Average (Mean) age of first use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first regular use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of cigarettes (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of other tobacco products (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of marijuana (among 12th graders)	Average Age	N/A	N/A	
Began using alcohol before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Began smoking marijuana before age 15	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Have you used any gateway substance (alcohol, tobacco, marijuana, inhalants) in the past year?	Yes	51.2%	N/A	
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you been drunk or high at school?	1 or more times	11.5%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs to RELAX, feel better about yourself, or fit in?	Yes	18.1%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs while you were by yourself, ALONE?	Yes	14.8%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did you ever FORGET things you did while using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	12.7%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did your family or FRIENDS ever tell you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?	Yes	6.4%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, have you gotten into TROUBLE while you were using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	6.7%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, have you ever ridden in a CAR driven by someone (including yourself) who was "high" or had been using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	18.9%	N/A	
Experienced 2 or more consequences (indicating the potential need for substance abuse assessment according to the CRAFFT Screening Test)	Yes	19.9%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table I. Illinois 12th Grade vs. National 12th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Average (Mean) age of first use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	14.65	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first regular use of alcohol (among 12th graders)	Average Age	15.87	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of cigarettes (among 12th graders)	Average Age	14.23	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of other tobacco products (among 12th graders)	Average Age	15.08	N/A	
Average (Mean) age of first use of marijuana (among 12th graders)	Average Age	15.04	N/A	
Began using alcohol before age 15	Yes	39.7%	N/A	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15	Yes	16.8%	N/A	
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15	Yes	49.8%	N/A	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15	Yes	32.9%	N/A	
Began smoking marijuana before age 15	Yes	33.5%	N/A	
Have you used any gateway substance (alcohol, tobacco, marijuana, inhalants) in the past year?	Yes	66.3%	N/A	
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you been drunk or high at school?	1 or more times	15.0%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs to RELAX, feel better about yourself, or fit in?	Yes	24.3%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did you ever use alcohol or drugs while you were by yourself, ALONE?	Yes	19.6%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did you ever FORGET things you did while using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	21.3%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, did your family or FRIENDS ever tell you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?	Yes	7.9%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, have you gotten into TROUBLE while you were using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	7.8%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, have you ever ridden in a CAR driven by someone (including yourself) who was "high" or had been using alcohol or drugs?	Yes	29.8%	N/A	
Experienced 2 or more consequences (indicating the potential need for substance abuse assessment according to the CRAFFT Screening Test)	Yes	29.5%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table A. IYS 2014 Results by Grade					
Question Wording	What % Represents	2014			
		6th grade	8th grade	10th grade	12th grade
Began using alcohol before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	39.7%
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	16.8%
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past year?	1 or more	10.8%	26.8%	47.5%	62.8%
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past 30 days?	1 or more	5.4%	14.9%	27.4%	44.4%
Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?	1 or more	1.7%	5.5%	11.0%	25.5%
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from bottles or cans	Yes	26.5%	39.3%	48.7%	66.0%
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from a keg	Yes	1.3%	7.1%	8.4%	13.4%
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Wine	Yes	47.9%	42.3%	35.3%	37.2%
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	Yes	18.2%	41.7%	68.7%	79.2%
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Alcopops (wine coolers, hard lemonade, hard cider)	Yes	22.7%	33.0%	43.2%	42.7%
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor with energy drinks (e.g., Red Bull)	Yes	33.9%	38.1%	29.4%	31.6%
If you drank and drove, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the time & Always	N/A	N/A	50.1%	36.8%
If you rode in a car driven by a teen driver who had been drinking, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the Time & Always	N/A	N/A	35.5%	25.7%
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	5.4%	13.9%
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?	Great Risk	38.5%	38.5%	42.2%	38.4%
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?	Great Risk	51.3%	52.8%	47.8%	39.9%
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: drink beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly?	Wrong & Very Wrong	96.6%	84.5%	66.3%	48.9%

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table A. IYS 2014 Results by Grade					
Question Wording	What % Represents	2014			
		6th grade	8th grade	10th grade	12th grade
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: Began drinking alcohol regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	12.1%	24.0%	43.8%	44.9%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	93.4%	78.9%	60.4%	53.4%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	Wrong & Very Wrong	97.5%	93.0%	85.4%	69.1%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	98.5%	96.5%	95.6%	90.0%
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to drink alcohol?	Wrong & Very Wrong	91.9%	81.5%	70.2%	56.6%
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Alcohol	Yes	61.9%	59.9%	53.5%	48.5%
In the past year, have your parents/guardians talked with you about not drinking and driving or riding with a drunk driver?	Yes	N/A	N/A	69.2%	67.2%
If you drank some beer or wine or liquor (for example vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	N/A	53.9%	30.6%	19.2%
If you go to a party where alcohol is served, would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	N/A	54.1%	30.3%	18.6%
My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.	Yes	90.1%	84.4%	78.9%	74.4%
If you wanted to get some beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	13.5%	35.4%	56.3%	72.6%
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any retail source AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	N/A	5.1%	7.5%	12.9%
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a bar or restaurant	Sometimes & Often	N/A	2.2%	3.3%	6.8%
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	3.6%	6.0%	9.9%
If you bought beer, wine, or liquor during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	N/A	N/A	0.7%	1.3%

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table A. IYS 2014 Results by Grade					
Question Wording	What % Represents	2014			
		6th grade	8th grade	10th grade	12th grade
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITH their permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	38.8%	34.7%	30.0%
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any social source (other than parents) AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	N/A	51.5%	69.6%	76.4%
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - A friend gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	27.0%	50.2%	60.3%
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I got it at a party	Sometimes & Often	N/A	34.1%	49.3%	60.2%
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy it for me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	5.7%	12.2%	16.8%
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	14.1%	18.2%	24.5%
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITH that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	23.5%	26.2%	30.0%
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I took it from a store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	3.2%	2.7%	3.0%
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITHOUT their permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	25.2%	27.9%	26.2%
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITHOUT that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	13.2%	14.9%	13.5%
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Got into an argument or fight	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	8.9%	12.8%
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been hurt or injured	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	5.5%	8.2%

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table A. IYS 2014 Results by Grade					
Question Wording	What % Represents	2014			
		6th grade	8th grade	10th grade	12th grade
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Damaged property	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	3.7%	4.8%
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Performed poorly on a test or important project	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	4.0%	4.1%
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been in trouble with the police	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	3.4%	4.6%
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been treated in a hospital Emergency Department	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	1.4%	1.0%
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been a victim of a violent crime	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	0.9%	1.3%

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table B. IYS 6th Grade Results 2008-2014					
Question Wording	What % Represents	6th Grade			
		2008	2010	2012 ¹	2014
Began using alcohol before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past year?	1 or more	14.9%	16.9%	N/A	10.8%
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past 30 days?	1 or more	5.9%	7.4%	N/A	5.4%
Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?	1 or more	2.9%	1.5%	N/A	1.7%
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from bottles or cans	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	26.5%
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from a keg	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.3%
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Wine	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	47.9%
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	18.2%
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Alcopops (wine coolers, hard lemonade, hard cider)	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	22.7%
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor with energy drinks (e.g., Red Bull)	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	33.9%
If you drank and drove, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the time & Always	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
If you rode in a car driven by a teen driver who had been drinking, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the Time & Always	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?	Great Risk	32.3%	26.3%	N/A	38.5%
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?	Great Risk	42.7%	35.1%	N/A	51.3%
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: drink beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly?	Wrong & Very Wrong	93.9%	94.4%	N/A	96.6%

¹ There are no 6th grade estimates available in 2012 due to the lack of 6th grade participation in Chicago

N/A other than 2012: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table B. IYS 6th Grade Results 2008-2014					
Question Wording	What % Represents	6th Grade			
		2008	2010	2012 ¹	2014
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: Began drinking alcohol regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	10.5%	10.2%	N/A	12.1%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	93.4%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	Wrong & Very Wrong	94.9%	97.0%	N/A	97.5%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	98.5%
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to drink alcohol?	Wrong & Very Wrong	88.3%	88.5%	N/A	91.9%
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Alcohol	Yes	66.2%	66.3%	N/A	61.9%
In the past year, have your parents/guardians talked with you about not drinking and driving or riding with a drunk driver?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
If you drank some beer or wine or liquor (for example vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
If you go to a party where alcohol is served, would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.	Yes	92.6%	92.0%	N/A	90.1%
If you wanted to get some beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	19.1%	16.1%	N/A	13.5%
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any retail source AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a bar or restaurant	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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Table B. IYS 6th Grade Results 2008-2014					
Question Wording	What % Represents	6th Grade			
		2008	2010	2012 ¹	2014
If you bought beer, wine, or liquor during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITH their permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any social source (other than parents) AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - A friend gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I got it at a party	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy it for me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITH that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I took it from a store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITHOUT their permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITHOUT that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Got into an argument or fight	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

¹ There are no 6th grade estimates available in 2012 due to the lack of 6th grade participation in Chicago

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Table B. IYS 6th Grade Results 2008-2014					
Question Wording	What % Represents	6th Grade			
		2008	2010	2012 ¹	2014
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been hurt or injured	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Damaged property	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Performed poorly on a test or important project	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been in trouble with the police	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been treated in a hospital Emergency Department	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been a victim of a violent crime	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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Table C. IYS 8th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Began using alcohol before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past year?	1 or more	41.0%	38.4%	34.5%	26.8%	.001*
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past 30 days?	1 or more	21.3%	20.7%	19.4%	14.9%	.012*
Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?	1 or more	8.4%	7.9%	6.8%	5.5%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from bottles or cans	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	39.3%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from a keg	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.1%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Wine	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	42.3%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	41.7%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Alcopops (wine coolers, hard lemonade, hard cider)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	33.0%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor with energy drinks (e.g., Red Bull)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	38.1%	
If you drank and drove, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the time & Always	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
If you rode in a car driven by a teen driver who had been drinking, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the Time & Always	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?	Great Risk	26.7%	25.3%	36.1%	38.5%	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?	Great Risk	39.1%	38.8%	47.2%	52.8%	.006*

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Table C. IYS 8th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: drink beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly?	Wrong & Very Wrong	79.3%	79.6%	82.1%	84.5%	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: Began drinking alcohol regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	20.6%	23.2%	28.4%	24.0%	.020*
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	78.9%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	Wrong & Very Wrong	90.7%	92.0%	93.2%	93.0%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	96.5%	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to drink alcohol?	Wrong & Very Wrong	78.8%	77.1%	80.9%	81.5%	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Alcohol	Yes	50.9%	53.9%	57.1%	59.9%	
In the past year, have your parents/guardians talked with you about not drinking and driving or riding with a drunk driver?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
If you drank some beer or wine or liquor (for example vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	58.6%	56.4%	45.8%	53.9%	.002*
If you go to a party where alcohol is served, would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	56.3%	56.3%	44.4%	54.1%	.000*
My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.	Yes	82.2%	82.0%	83.2%	84.4%	
If you wanted to get some beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	41.6%	41.8%	36.5%	35.4%	
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any retail source AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	9.3%	7.2%	8.1%	5.1%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a bar or restaurant	Sometimes & Often	6.7%	6.1%	3.4%	2.2%	

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Table C. IYS 8th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	3.6%	
If you bought beer, wine, or liquor during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITH their permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	44.3%	50.4%	38.8%	.004*
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any social source (other than parents) AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	48.4%	50.2%	75.8%	51.5%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - A friend gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	55.4%	50.3%	50.9%	27.0%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I got it at a party	Sometimes & Often	50.9%	50.5%	54.6%	34.1%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy it for me	Sometimes & Often	10.6%	12.4%	15.0%	5.7%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	28.0%	24.3%	23.2%	14.1%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITH that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	36.5%	36.1%	23.5%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I took it from a store	Sometimes & Often	5.4%	6.0%	3.3%	3.2%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITHOUT their permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	44.3%	44.9%	25.2%	.000*

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Table C. IYS 8th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITHOUT that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	27.0%	24.6%	13.2%	.000*
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Got into an argument or fight	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been hurt or injured	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Damaged property	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Performed poorly on a test or important project	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been in trouble with the police	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been treated in a hospital Emergency Department	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been a victim of a violent crime	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	

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Table D. IYS 10th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Began using alcohol before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past year?	1 or more	56.6%	54.2%	51.9%	47.5%	.015*
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past 30 days?	1 or more	34.9%	31.8%	33.2%	27.4%	.001*
Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?	1 or more	18.3%	15.7%	16.6%	11.0%	.000*
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from bottles or cans	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	48.7%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from a keg	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	8.4%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Wine	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	35.3%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	68.7%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Alcopops (wine coolers, hard lemonade, hard cider)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	43.2%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor with energy drinks (e.g., Red Bull)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	29.4%	
If you drank and drove, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the time & Always	N/A	N/A	47.3%	50.1%	
If you rode in a car driven by a teen driver who had been drinking, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the Time & Always	N/A	N/A	31.4%	35.5%	.035*
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?	1 or more times	7.7%	6.2%	6.8%	5.4%	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?	Great Risk	26.6%	28.6%	34.6%	42.2%	.000*
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?	Great Risk	37.8%	39.9%	42.1%	47.8%	.001*

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Table D. IYS 10th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: drink beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly?	Wrong & Very Wrong	64.9%	65.3%	63.0%	66.3%	.048*
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: Began drinking alcohol regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	30.1%	32.3%	48.5%	43.8%	.009*
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	60.4%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	Wrong & Very Wrong	87.8%	86.1%	85.5%	85.4%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	95.6%	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to drink alcohol?	Wrong & Very Wrong	67.8%	68.9%	65.1%	70.2%	.021*
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Alcohol	Yes	52.5%	51.2%	54.5%	53.5%	
In the past year, have your parents/guardians talked with you about not drinking and driving or riding with a drunk driver?	Yes	N/A	N/A	69.4%	69.2%	
If you drank some beer or wine or liquor (for example vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	30.0%	33.6%	28.0%	30.6%	
If you go to a party where alcohol is served, would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	32.9%	36.7%	26.3%	30.3%	.021*
My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.	Yes	77.1%	79.7%	79.4%	78.9%	
If you wanted to get some beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	63.1%	60.2%	61.0%	56.3%	.019*
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any retail source AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	10.4%	11.0%	17.0%	7.5%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a bar or restaurant	Sometimes & Often	6.5%	6.3%	5.3%	3.3%	

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Table D. IYS 10th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	6.0%	
If you bought beer, wine, or liquor during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	N/A	N/A	0.9%	0.7%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITH their permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	35.3%	35.7%	34.7%	
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any social source (other than parents) AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	68.6%	68.0%	87.8%	69.6%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - A friend gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	74.2%	71.0%	67.9%	50.2%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I got it at a party	Sometimes & Often	68.3%	68.2%	68.1%	49.3%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy it for me	Sometimes & Often	19.8%	18.5%	21.0%	12.2%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	30.0%	30.5%	25.2%	18.2%	.002*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITH that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	37.0%	40.2%	26.2%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I took it from a store	Sometimes & Often	6.4%	6.0%	5.2%	2.7%	.020*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITHOUT their permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	44.2%	35.9%	27.9%	.001*

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Table D. IYS 10th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITHOUT that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	27.0%	24.5%	14.9%	.000*
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Got into an argument or fight	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	14.2%	8.9%	.000*
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been hurt or injured	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	7.7%	5.5%	.008*
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Damaged property	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	5.5%	3.7%	.006*
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Performed poorly on a test or important project	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	6.5%	4.0%	.015*
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been in trouble with the police	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	5.4%	3.4%	.008*
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been treated in a hospital Emergency Department	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	2.4%	1.4%	.032*
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been a victim of a violent crime	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	1.8%	0.9%	.020*

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Table E. IYS 12th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Began using alcohol before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	41.0%	42.3%	38.8%	39.7%	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	15.7%	16.1%	12.7%	16.8%	.024*
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past year?	1 or more	69.9%	66.1%	64.8%	62.8%	
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past 30 days?	1 or more	48.4%	44.3%	46.8%	44.4%	
Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?	1 or more	29.2%	23.4%	30.5%	25.5%	.011*
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from bottles or cans	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	66.0%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from a keg	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	13.4%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Wine	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	37.2%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	79.2%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Alcopops (wine coolers, hard lemonade, hard cider)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	42.7%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor with energy drinks (e.g., Red Bull)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	31.6%	
If you drank and drove, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the time & Always	N/A	N/A	33.3%	36.8%	
If you rode in a car driven by a teen driver who had been drinking, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the Time & Always	N/A	N/A	22.6%	25.7%	
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?	1 or more times	21.2%	16.2%	17.5%	13.9%	.007*
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?	Great Risk	26.5%	28.7%	32.2%	38.4%	.001*
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?	Great Risk	34.4%	35.3%	36.8%	39.9%	

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Table E. IYS 12th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: drink beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly?	Wrong & Very Wrong	50.3%	53.6%	48.4%	48.9%	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: Began drinking alcohol regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	33.3%	33.6%	46.8%	44.9%	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	53.4%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	Wrong & Very Wrong	76.6%	75.2%	72.5%	69.1%	.041*
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	90.0%	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to drink alcohol?	Wrong & Very Wrong	56.4%	55.9%	54.3%	56.6%	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Alcohol	Yes	49.6%	49.1%	53.0%	48.5%	.005*
In the past year, have your parents/guardians talked with you about not drinking and driving or riding with a drunk driver?	Yes	N/A	N/A	69.3%	67.2%	
If you drank some beer or wine or liquor (for example vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	23.4%	25.1%	18.5%	19.2%	
If you go to a party where alcohol is served, would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	20.8%	25.3%	16.5%	18.6%	
My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.	Yes	72.9%	73.0%	72.2%	74.4%	
If you wanted to get some beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	76.2%	73.6%	75.4%	72.6%	
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any retail source AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	19.3%	17.5%	24.5%	12.9%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a bar or restaurant	Sometimes & Often	11.3%	10.8%	8.9%	6.8%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Table E. IYS 12th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	9.9%	
If you bought beer, wine, or liquor during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	1.2%	N/A	0.8%	1.3%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITH their permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	32.8%	36.4%	33.0%	
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any social source (other than parents) AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	77.0%	74.0%	91.0%	76.4%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - A friend gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	78.1%	74.2%	73.6%	60.3%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I got it at a party	Sometimes & Often	72.9%	71.9%	69.8%	60.2%	.001*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy it for me	Sometimes & Often	22.3%	23.6%	20.6%	16.8%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	31.2%	28.0%	30.6%	24.5%	.004*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITH that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	41.2%	41.0%	30.0%	.000*
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I took it from a store	Sometimes & Often	5.6%	7.6%	4.2%	3.0%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITHOUT their permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	32.8%	31.0%	26.2%	.017*
following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITHOUT that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	N/A	21.0%	20.4%	13.5%	.000*

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* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Table E. IYS 12th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Got into an argument or fight	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	17.1%	12.8%	.001*
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been hurt or injured	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	9.1%	8.2%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Damaged property	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	7.3%	4.8%	.004*
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Performed poorly on a test or important project	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	6.3%	4.1%	.006*
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been in trouble with the police	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	6.1%	4.6%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been treated in a hospital Emergency Department	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	2.4%	1.0%	.036*
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been a victim of a violent crime	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	2.2%	1.3%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table F. IYS 2014 Results by Community Type¹								
Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
Began using alcohol before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes		x	40.6%	37.5%	36.8%	45.3%	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes		x	16.4%	18.1%	14.3%	22.6%	
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past year?	1 or more	x	x	46.8%	45.3%	44.2%	40.5%	
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past 30 days?	1 or more	x	x	29.5%	28.4%	28.0%	23.7%	
Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?	1 or more	x	x	14.1%	13.6%	13.1%	11.9%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from bottles or cans	Yes	x	x	61.2%	35.8%	53.1%	59.3%	Chicago (lowest)
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from a keg	Yes	x	x	12.1%	4.9%	8.1%	17.0%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Wine	Yes	x	x	42.1%	31.3%	29.6%	35.8%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	Yes	x	x	70.7%	67.3%	67.4%	67.8%	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Alcopops (wine coolers, hard lemonade, hard cider)	Yes	x	x	37.1%	40.9%	48.2%	53.2%	Suburban Chicago (lowest)
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor with energy drinks (e.g., Red Bull)	Yes	x	x	30.7%	35.8%	30.1%	37.3%	
If you drank and drove, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the time & Always		x	47.1%	33.9%	43.7%	42.8%	
If you rode in a car driven by a teen driver who had been drinking, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the Time & Always		x	31.4%	27.2%	32.8%	30.9%	

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Table F. IYS 2014 Results by Community Type¹								
Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?	1 or more times		x	8.6%	7.1%	10.7%	16.5%	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?	Great Risk	x	x	43.1%	39.8%	35.1%	32.0%	Suburban Chicago (highest)
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?	Great Risk	x	x	49.4%	46.1%	44.2%	41.1%	Suburban Chicago (highest)
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: drink beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	66.7%	66.2%	66.6%	70.0%	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: Began drinking alcohol regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	x	x	37.6%	39.1%	37.9%	34.9%	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	66.2%	57.5%	64.3%	64.9%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	81.7%	87.3%	82.4%	83.3%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	94.4%	93.8%	94.4%	92.9%	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to drink alcohol?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	69.8%	66.3%	70.6%	72.8%	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Alcohol	Yes	x	x	55.2%	52.4%	53.5%	52.1%	

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Table F. IYS 2014 Results by Community Type¹								
Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
In the past year, have your parents/guardians talked with you about not drinking and driving or riding with a drunk driver?	Yes		x	69.0%	63.9%	70.3%	66.5%	
If you drank some beer or wine or liquor (for example vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	x	x	34.3%	29.2%	36.5%	43.0%	Chicago (lowest) Rural (highest)
If you go to a party where alcohol is served, would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	x	x	33.9%	29.4%	36.4%	42.2%	Rural (highest)
My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.	Yes	x	x	78.9%	78.8%	80.5%	80.2%	
If you wanted to get some beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	x	x	58.6%	45.5%	52.0%	52.0%	Suburban Chicago (highest)
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any retail source AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	x	x	10.4%	9.0%	8.9%	4.6%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a bar or restaurant	Sometimes & Often	x	x	5.2%	4.1%	4.4%	2.0%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	x	x	8.1%	6.8%	6.5%	3.6%	
If you bought beer, wine, or liquor during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	x	x	1.1%	1.0%	0.4%	1.4%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITH their permission	Sometimes & Often	x	x	36.3%	30.8%	33.4%	34.8%	
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any social source (other than parents) AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	x	x	70.0%	71.9%	64.4%	68.5%	

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Table F. IYS 2014 Results by Community Type¹								
Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - A friend gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	x	x	50.9%	45.7%	51.3%	49.7%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I got it at a party	Sometimes & Often	x	x	53.2%	53.7%	45.3%	46.4%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy it for me	Sometimes & Often	x	x	12.5%	17.8%	11.5%	9.9%	Chicago (highest)
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	x	x	20.8%	17.7%	20.1%	20.0%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITH that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	x	x	27.6%	25.0%	26.8%	30.4%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I took it from a store	Sometimes & Often	x	x	2.9%	4.2%	1.8%	3.7%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITHOUT their permission	Sometimes & Often	x	x	27.0%	27.8%	25.5%	24.8%	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITHOUT that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	x	x	13.6%	14.7%	14.3%	14.4%	

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Table F. IYS 2014 Results by Community Type¹								
Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Got into an argument or fight	1 or more times		x	11.0%	10.3%	9.7%	11.9%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been hurt or injured	1 or more times		x	6.9%	6.7%	6.7%	5.3%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Damaged property	1 or more times		x	4.9%	2.1%	4.3%	3.1%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Performed poorly on a test or important project	1 or more times		x	4.2%	3.8%	3.8%	3.7%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been in trouble with the police	1 or more times		x	4.1%	3.6%	3.8%	4.0%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been treated in a hospital Emergency Department	1 or more times		x	1.2%	1.7%	0.9%	1.1%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been a victim of a violent crime	1 or more times		x	1.1%	1.1%	0.9%	2.5%	

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Table G. Illinois 8th Grade vs. National 8th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Began using alcohol before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past year?	1 or more	26.8%	22.1%	
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past 30 days?	1 or more	14.9%	10.2%	IL higher than nat'l average
Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?	1 or more	5.5%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from bottles or cans	Yes	39.3%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from a keg	Yes	7.1%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Wine	Yes	42.3%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	Yes	41.7%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Alcopops (wine coolers, hard lemonade, hard cider)	Yes	33.0%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor with energy drinks (e.g., Red Bull)	Yes	38.1%	N/A	
If you drank and drove, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the time & Always	N/A	N/A	
If you rode in a car driven by a teen driver who had been drinking, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the Time & Always	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?	Great Risk	38.5%	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?	Great Risk	52.8%	N/A	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: drink beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly?	Wrong & Very Wrong	84.5%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table G. Illinois 8th Grade vs. National 8th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: Began drinking alcohol regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	24.0%	N/A	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	78.9%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	Wrong & Very Wrong	93.0%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	96.5%	N/A	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to drink alcohol?	Wrong & Very Wrong	81.5%	N/A	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Alcohol	Yes	59.9%	N/A	
In the past year, have your parents/guardians talked with you about not drinking and driving or riding with a drunk driver?	Yes	N/A	N/A	
If you drank some beer or wine or liquor (for example vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	53.9%	N/A	
If you go to a party where alcohol is served, would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	54.1%	N/A	
My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.	Yes	84.4%	N/A	
If you wanted to get some beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	35.4%	N/A	
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any retail source AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	5.1%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a bar or restaurant	Sometimes & Often	2.2%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	3.6%	N/A	
If you bought beer, wine, or liquor during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	N/A	N/A	

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Table G. Illinois 8th Grade vs. National 8th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITH their permission	Sometimes & Often	38.8%	N/A	
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any social source (other than parents) AMONG ALCOHOL USERS	Sometimes & Often	51.5%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - A friend gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	27.0%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I got it at a party	Sometimes & Often	34.1%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy it for me	Sometimes & Often	5.7%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	14.1%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITH that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	23.5%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I took it from a store	Sometimes & Often	3.2%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITHOUT their permission	Sometimes & Often	25.2%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITHOUT that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	13.2%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Got into an argument or fight	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	

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Table G. Illinois 8th Grade vs. National 8th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been hurt or injured	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Damaged property	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Performed poorly on a test or important project	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been in trouble with the police	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been treated in a hospital Emergency Department	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been a victim of a violent crime	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	

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Table H. Illinois 10th Grade vs. National 10th Grade¹

Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Began using alcohol before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past year?	1 or more	47.5%	47.1%	
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past 30 days?	1 or more	27.4%	25.7%	
Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?	1 or more	11.0%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from bottles or cans	Yes	48.7%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from a keg	Yes	8.4%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Wine	Yes	35.3%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	Yes	68.7%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Alcopops (wine coolers, hard lemonade, hard cider)	Yes	43.2%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor with energy drinks (e.g., Red Bull)	Yes	29.4%	N/A	
If you drank and drove, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the time & Always	50.1%	N/A	
If you rode in a car driven by a teen driver who had been drinking, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the Time & Always	35.5%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?	1 or more times	5.4%	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?	Great Risk	42.2%	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?	Great Risk	47.8%	N/A	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: drink beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly?	Wrong & Very Wrong	66.3%	N/A	

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Table H. Illinois 10th Grade vs. National 10th Grade¹

Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: Began drinking alcohol regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	43.8%	N/A	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	60.4%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	Wrong & Very Wrong	85.4%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	95.6%	N/A	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to drink alcohol?	Wrong & Very Wrong	70.2%	N/A	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Alcohol	Yes	53.5%	N/A	
In the past year, have your parents/guardians talked with you about not drinking and driving or riding with a drunk driver?	Yes	69.2%	N/A	
If you drank some beer or wine or liquor (for example vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	30.6%	N/A	
If you go to a party where alcohol is served, would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	30.3%	N/A	
My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.	Yes	78.9%	N/A	
If you wanted to get some beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	56.3%	N/A	
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any retail source AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	7.5%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a bar or restaurant	Sometimes & Often	3.3%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	6.0%	N/A	

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Table H. Illinois 10th Grade vs. National 10th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
If you bought beer, wine, or liquor during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	0.7%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITH their permission	Sometimes & Often	34.7%	N/A	
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any social source (other than parents) AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	69.6%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - A friend gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	50.2%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I got it at a party	Sometimes & Often	49.3%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy it for me	Sometimes & Often	12.2%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	18.2%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITH that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	26.2%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I took it from a store	Sometimes & Often	2.7%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITHOUT their permission	Sometimes & Often	27.9%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITHOUT that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	14.9%	N/A	

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Table H. Illinois 10 th Grade vs. National 10 th Grade ¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Got into an argument or fight	1 or more times	8.9%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been hurt or injured	1 or more times	5.5%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Damaged property	1 or more times	3.7%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Performed poorly on a test or important project	1 or more times	4.0%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been in trouble with the police	1 or more times	3.4%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been treated in a hospital Emergency Department	1 or more times	1.4%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been a victim of a violent crime	1 or more times	0.9%	N/A	

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Table I. Illinois 12th Grade vs. National 12th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Began using alcohol before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	39.7%	N/A	
Began using alcohol regularly before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	16.8%	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past year?	1 or more	62.8%	62.0%	
On how many occasions (if any)... have you had beer, wine or hard liquor during the past 30 days?	1 or more	44.4%	39.2%	IL higher than nat'l average
Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?	1 or more	25.5%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from bottles or cans	Yes	66.0%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Beer from a keg	Yes	13.4%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Wine	Yes	37.2%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor (vodka, whiskey, etc.)	Yes	79.2%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Alcopops (wine coolers, hard lemonade, hard cider)	Yes	42.7%	N/A	
Did you drink any of the following types of alcohol in the past 30 days? Liquor with energy drinks (e.g., Red Bull)	Yes	31.6%	N/A	
If you drank and drove, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the time & Always	36.8%	N/A	
If you rode in a car driven by a teen driver who had been drinking, would you be caught by your parents/guardians?	Most of the Time & Always	25.7%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol?	1 or more times	13.9%	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?	Great Risk	38.4%	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week?	Great Risk	39.9%	N/A	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: drink beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly?	Wrong & Very Wrong	48.9%	N/A	

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Table I. Illinois 12th Grade vs. National 12th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: Began drinking alcohol regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	44.9%	N/A	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	53.4%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey or gin) regularly (at least once or twice a month)?	Wrong & Very Wrong	69.1%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage nearly every day?	Wrong & Very Wrong	90.0%	N/A	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to drink alcohol?	Wrong & Very Wrong	56.6%	N/A	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Alcohol	Yes	48.5%	N/A	
In the past year, have your parents/guardians talked with you about not drinking and driving or riding with a drunk driver?	Yes	67.2%	N/A	
If you drank some beer or wine or liquor (for example vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parents' permission would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	19.2%	N/A	
If you go to a party where alcohol is served, would you be caught by your parents?	Most of the time & Always	18.6%	N/A	
My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.	Yes	74.4%	N/A	
If you wanted to get some beer, wine or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	72.6%	N/A	
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any retail source AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	12.9%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a bar or restaurant	Sometimes & Often	6.8%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I bought it at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	9.9%	N/A	

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Table I. Illinois 12th Grade vs. National 12th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
If you bought beer, wine, or liquor during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	1.3%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITH their permission	Sometimes & Often	30.0%	N/A	
Obtained beer, wine or liquor from any social source (other than parents) AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	76.4%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - A friend gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	60.3%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I got it at a party	Sometimes & Often	60.2%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy it for me	Sometimes & Often	16.8%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave it to me	Sometimes & Often	24.5%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITH that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	30.0%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - I took it from a store	Sometimes & Often	3.0%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - My parents WITHOUT their permission	Sometimes & Often	26.2%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you usually get your own beer, wine, or liquor from the following sources? AMONG ALCOHOL USERS ONLY - An adult (other than my parents) WITHOUT that adult's permission	Sometimes & Often	13.5%	N/A	

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Table I. Illinois 12th Grade vs. National 12th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Got into an argument or fight	1 or more times	12.8%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been hurt or injured	1 or more times	8.2%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Damaged property	1 or more times	4.8%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Performed poorly on a test or important project	1 or more times	4.1%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been in trouble with the police	1 or more times	4.6%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been treated in a hospital Emergency Department	1 or more times	1.0%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you experienced the following WHILE or AFTER DRINKING ALCOHOL: Been a victim of a violent crime	1 or more times	1.3%	N/A	

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Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table A. IYS 2014 Results by Grade					
Question Wording	What % Represents	2014			
		6th grade	8th grade	10th grade	12th grade
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	49.8%
Began using other tobacco products before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	32.9%
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past year?	Once or more	1.3%	4.9%	8.9%	18.0%
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?	Once or more	0.6%	2.8%	5.4%	12.9%
How frequently have you used smokeless tobacco such as chewing tobacco, snuff, dip, or snus during the past 30 days?	Once or more	0.8%	2.7%	3.6%	7.7%
How frequently have you smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes such as cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars during the past 30 days?	Once or more	1.2%	3.5%	5.6%	15.1%
Used tobacco products (smokeless tobacco or smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes) during the past 30 days	Once or more	1.7%	4.8%	7.0%	17.8%
Used any tobacco product (including cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, or other smoked tobacco) during the past 30 days	Once or more	1.8%	5.9%	9.5%	23.0%
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	Great Risk	68.1%	70.1%	69.5%	70.2%
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	97.3%	91.9%	85.8%	65.6%
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked cigarettes?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	14.0%	17.3%	19.9%	17.9%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?	Wrong & Very Wrong	94.8%	84.4%	72.1%	55.7%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	99.0%	98.0%	96.7%	88.2%
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	94.3%	88.3%	82.6%	60.9%
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Tobacco	Yes	57.2%	53.9%	47.7%	38.5%
If you wanted to get some cigarettes, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	11.8%	23.8%	46.7%	75.3%
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 retail source AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	N/A	20.5%	31.8%	71.6%
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	19.2%	31.0%	71.3%

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table A. IYS 2014 Results by Grade					
Question Wording	What % Represents	2014			
		6th grade	8th grade	10th grade	12th grade
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them from a vending machine	Sometimes & Often	N/A	5.9%	2.2%	4.3%
If you bought cigarettes or other tobacco products during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	N/A	N/A	0.7%	1.3%
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My parent gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	6.3%	14.2%	14.1%
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 social source (other than parents) AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	N/A	75.1%	82.8%	68.3%
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - A friend gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	69.4%	78.9%	63.6%
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	18.0%	25.6%	18.1%
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	26.5%	35.2%	17.5%
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products by stealing or taking without permission AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	N/A	38.9%	36.6%	13.2%
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from home without my parents knowing it	Sometimes & Often	N/A	37.4%	33.8%	11.2%
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from a store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	11.7%	9.0%	3.3%

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Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table B. IYS 6th Grade Results 2008-2014					
Question Wording	What % Represents	6th Grade			
		2008	2010	2012 ¹	2014
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Began using other tobacco products before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past year?	Once or more	2.6%	2.5%	N/A	1.3%
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?	Once or more	1.3%	1.3%	N/A	0.6%
How frequently have you used smokeless tobacco such as chewing tobacco, snuff, dip, or snus during the past 30 days?	Once or more	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.8%
How frequently have you smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes such as cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars during the past 30 days?	Once or more	N/A	N/A	N/A	1.2%
Used tobacco products (smokeless tobacco or smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes) during the past 30 days	Once or more	2.3%	2.0%	N/A	1.7%
Used any tobacco product (including cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, or other smoked tobacco) during the past 30 days	Once or more	2.9%	2.8%	N/A	1.8%
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	Great Risk	63.6%	49.9%	N/A	68.1%
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	95.1%	95.6%	N/A	97.3%
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked cigarettes?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	10.0%	12.2%	N/A	14.0%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	94.8%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	98.1%	98.3%	N/A	99.0%
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	90.6%	89.8%	N/A	94.3%
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Tobacco	Yes	60.2%	61.0%	N/A	57.2%
If you wanted to get some cigarettes, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	13.6%	13.0%	N/A	11.8%
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 retail source AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

¹ There are no 6th grade estimates available in 2012 due to the lack of 6th grade participation in Chicago

N/A other than 2012: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table B. IYS 6th Grade Results 2008-2014					
Question Wording	What % Represents	6th Grade			
		2008	2010	2012 ¹	2014
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them from a vending machine	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
If you bought cigarettes or other tobacco products during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My parent gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 social source (other than parents) AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - A friend gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products by stealing or taking without permission AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from home without my parents knowing it	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from a store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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N/A other than 2012: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table C. IYS 8th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past year?	Once or more	10.3%	10.0%	8.2%	4.9%	.005*
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?	Once or more	5.3%	5.1%	4.6%	2.8%	.028*
How frequently have you used smokeless tobacco such as chewing tobacco, snuff, dip, or snus during the past 30 days?	Once or more	N/A	N/A	2.5%	2.7%	
How frequently have you smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes such as cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars during the past 30 days?	Once or more	N/A	N/A	4.6%	3.5%	
Used tobacco products (smokeless tobacco or smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes) during the past 30 days	Once or more	4.7%	6.1%	5.4%	4.8%	
Used any tobacco product (including cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, or other smoked tobacco) during the past 30 days	Once or more	7.2%	8.4%	7.6%	5.9%	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	Great Risk	62.1%	60.1%	68.9%	70.1%	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	87.6%	86.7%	89.4%	91.9%	.050*
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked cigarettes?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	15.6%	20.0%	21.7%	17.3%	.018*
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	84.4%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	97.1%	96.3%	97.5%	98.0%	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	84.3%	82.2%	86.6%	88.3%	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Tobacco	Yes	47.6%	50.1%	51.8%	53.9%	
If you wanted to get some cigarettes, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	34.0%	34.5%	27.4%	23.8%	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 retail source AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	29.5%	24.1%	23.6%	20.5%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table C. IYS 8th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	19.2%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them from a vending machine	Sometimes & Often	4.7%	4.2%	5.1%	5.9%	
If you bought cigarettes or other tobacco products during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My parent gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	11.0%	6.6%	7.2%	6.3%	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 social source (other than parents) AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	88.0%	89.0%	84.9%	75.1%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - A friend gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	84.4%	85.1%	80.9%	69.4%	.046*
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	26.1%	18.0%	22.7%	18.0%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	Sometimes & Often	28.0%	34.2%	38.5%	26.5%	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products by stealing or taking without permission AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	45.7%	52.8%	45.3%	38.9%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from home without my parents knowing it	Sometimes & Often	42.5%	48.1%	42.5%	37.4%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from a store	Sometimes & Often	13.8%	12.2%	9.3%	11.7%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table D. IYS 10th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past year?	Once or more	19.1%	15.1%	14.3%	8.9%	.000*
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?	Once or more	12.6%	9.3%	8.8%	5.4%	.003*
How frequently have you used smokeless tobacco such as chewing tobacco, snuff, dip, or snus during the past 30 days?	Once or more	N/A	N/A	5.0%	3.6%	
How frequently have you smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes such as cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars during the past 30 days?	Once or more	N/A	N/A	8.0%	5.6%	.019*
Used tobacco products (smokeless tobacco or smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes) during the past 30 days	Once or more	11.4%	11.1%	10.0%	7.0%	.010*
Used any tobacco product (including cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, or other smoked tobacco) during the past 30 days	Once or more	17.7%	14.8%	14.0%	9.5%	.002*
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	Great Risk	65.8%	64.5%	66.6%	69.5%	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	73.4%	75.0%	79.1%	85.8%	.000*
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked cigarettes?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	17.3%	18.2%	24.8%	19.9%	.004*
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	72.1%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	94.4%	94.1%	96.1%	96.7%	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	68.6%	73.5%	75.3%	82.6%	.000*
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Tobacco	Yes	44.2%	44.1%	46.8%	47.7%	
If you wanted to get some cigarettes, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	60.9%	56.8%	54.0%	46.7%	.000*
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 retail source AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	37.9%	42.2%	41.4%	31.8%	.031*

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table D. IYS 10th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	31.0%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them from a vending machine	Sometimes & Often	5.2%	8.0%	1.9%	2.2%	
If you bought cigarettes or other tobacco products during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	N/A	N/A	0.9%	0.7%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My parent gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	9.3%	12.7%	9.6%	14.2%	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 social source (other than parents) AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	89.9%	88.9%	88.5%	82.8%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - A friend gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	88.0%	87.4%	84.7%	78.9%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	24.5%	25.1%	26.0%	25.6%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	Sometimes & Often	30.7%	32.7%	32.2%	35.2%	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products by stealing or taking without permission AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	32.5%	37.9%	29.2%	36.6%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from home without my parents knowing it	Sometimes & Often	29.4%	34.7%	27.1%	33.8%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from a store	Sometimes & Often	6.0%	10.0%	6.7%	9.0%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table E. IYS 12th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	53.6%	52.9%	45.1%	49.8%	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	36.2%	33.9%	29.2%	32.9%	
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past year?	Once or more	27.9%	25.0%	22.7%	18.0%	.006*
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?	Once or more	21.0%	17.6%	16.3%	12.9%	.017*
How frequently have you used smokeless tobacco such as chewing tobacco, snuff, dip, or snus during the past 30 days?	Once or more	N/A	N/A	8.4%	7.7%	
How frequently have you smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes such as cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars during the past 30 days?	Once or more	N/A	N/A	16.1%	15.1%	
Used tobacco products (smokeless tobacco or smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes) during the past 30 days	Once or more	18.4%	19.1%	19.0%	17.8%	
Used any tobacco product (including cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, or other smoked tobacco) during the past 30 days	Once or more	28.5%	26.0%	25.5%	23.0%	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	Great Risk	64.7%	64.2%	65.4%	70.2%	.009*
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	50.7%	55.4%	59.2%	65.6%	.005*
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked cigarettes?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	15.8%	16.4%	21.6%	17.9%	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	55.7%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	86.8%	86.5%	86.7%	88.2%	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	49.1%	52.8%	55.1%	60.9%	.003*
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Tobacco	Yes	39.7%	41.5%	43.4%	38.5%	.002*
If you wanted to get some cigarettes, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	86.1%	84.3%	79.9%	75.3%	.008*
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 retail source AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	80.1%	74.2%	76.4%	71.6%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table E. IYS 12th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	N/A	N/A	N/A	71.3%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them from a vending machine	Sometimes & Often	5.4%	2.9%	4.6%	4.3%	
If you bought cigarettes or other tobacco products during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	1.2%	N/A	0.8%	1.3%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My parent gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	14.9%	14.5%	11.5%	14.1%	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 social source (other than parents) AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	78.0%	80.4%	74.6%	68.3%	.024*
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - A friend gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	74.0%	78.6%	70.9%	63.6%	.024*
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	18.2%	21.1%	19.3%	18.1%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	Sometimes & Often	17.2%	16.8%	15.0%	17.5%	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products by stealing or taking without permission AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	19.2%	20.9%	14.7%	13.2%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from home without my parents knowing it	Sometimes & Often	16.2%	18.2%	12.7%	11.2%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from a store	Sometimes & Often	5.0%	5.6%	3.5%	3.3%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes		x	45.1%	59.0%	53.7%	52.9%	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes		x	29.6%	53.7%	30.1%	39.6%	
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past year?	Once or more	x	x	9.6%	10.2%	10.2%	15.6%	
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?	Once or more	x	x	6.5%	5.6%	6.3%	12.0%	Rural (highest)
How frequently have you used smokeless tobacco such as chewing tobacco, snuff, dip, or snus during the past 30 days?	Once or more	x	x	4.0%	3.7%	5.2%	8.2%	
How frequently have you smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes such as cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars during the past 30 days?	Once or more	x	x	8.0%	7.0%	7.7%	8.8%	
Used tobacco products (smokeless tobacco or smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes) during the past 30 days	Once or more	x	x	9.3%	8.5%	9.9%	12.4%	
Used any tobacco product (including cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, or other smoked tobacco) during the past 30 days	Once or more	x	x	12.2%	10.7%	12.2%	17.6%	Rural (highest)
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	Great Risk	x	x	72.3%	64.4%	70.1%	65.1%	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	82.3%	80.8%	82.3%	77.8%	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked cigarettes?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	x	x	17.4%	23.3%	16.4%	20.1%	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	72.3%	66.6%	72.6%	68.2%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	94.9%	95.8%	94.3%	90.7%	Rural (lowest)
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	79.0%	75.8%	76.2%	78.0%	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Tobacco	Yes	x	x	46.6%	46.2%	48.4%	47.2%	

¹ See Appendix 9: Illinois Community Types for a detailed description of how community types are defined

² Data in this table are based on the combination of grade levels marked in the "Grades Represented" columns.

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table F. IYS 2014 Results by Community Type¹								
Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
If you wanted to get some cigarettes, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	x	x	47.1%	47.8%	50.6%	47.7%	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 retail source AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	x	x	54.1%	55.8%	47.6%	41.1%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	x	x	53.9%	52.9%	47.1%	41.1%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them from a vending machine	Sometimes & Often	x	x	3.5%	4.9%	4.0%	3.8%	
If you bought cigarettes or other tobacco products during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes		x	1.1%	1.0%	0.4%	1.4%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My parent gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	x	x	12.1%	7.0%	14.3%	20.4%	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from any social source (other than parents) AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	x	x	73.8%	62.1%	77.2%	82.8%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - A friend gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	x	x	69.5%	53.8%	74.7%	78.0%	Chicago (lowest)
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	x	x	17.4%	17.2%	23.2%	30.3%	

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² Data in this table are based on the combination of grade levels marked in the "Grades Represented" columns.

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table F. IYS 2014 Results by Community Type¹								
Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	Sometimes & Often	x	x	22.4%	32.4%	24.7%	22.1%	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products by stealing or taking without permission AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	x	x	22.0%	22.1%	25.8%	34.2%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from home without my parents knowing it	Sometimes & Often	x	x	19.9%	19.4%	24.9%	30.5%	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from a store	Sometimes & Often	x	x	5.3%	10.1%	4.1%	9.2%	

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² Data in this table are based on the combination of grade levels marked in the "Grades Represented" columns.

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table G. Illinois 8th Grade vs. National 8th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past year?	Once or more	4.9%	N/A	
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?	Once or more	2.8%	4.5%	IL lower than nat'l average
How frequently have you used smokeless tobacco such as chewing tobacco, snuff, dip, or snus during the past 30 days?	Once or more	2.7%	2.8%	
How frequently have you smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes such as cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars during the past 30 days?	Once or more	3.5%	N/A	
Used tobacco products (smokeless tobacco or smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes) during the past 30 days	Once or more	4.8%	N/A	
Used any tobacco product (including cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, or other smoked tobacco) during the past 30 days	Once or more	5.9%	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	Great Risk	70.1%	N/A	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	91.9%	N/A	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked cigarettes?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	17.3%	N/A	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?	Wrong & Very Wrong	84.4%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	98.0%	N/A	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	88.3%	N/A	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Tobacco	Yes	53.9%	N/A	
If you wanted to get some cigarettes, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	23.8%	N/A	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 retail source AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	20.5%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table G. Illinois 8th Grade vs. National 8th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	19.2%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them from a vending machine	Sometimes & Often	5.9%	N/A	
If you bought cigarettes or other tobacco products during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	N/A	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My parent gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	6.3%	N/A	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 social source (other than parents) AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	75.1%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - A friend gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	69.4%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	18.0%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	Sometimes & Often	26.5%	N/A	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products by stealing or taking without permission AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	38.9%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from home without my parents knowing it	Sometimes & Often	37.4%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from a store	Sometimes & Often	11.7%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table H. Illinois 10th Grade vs. National 10th Grade¹

Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past year?	Once or more	8.9%	N/A	
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?	Once or more	5.4%	9.1%	IL lower than nat'l average
How frequently have you used smokeless tobacco such as chewing tobacco, snuff, dip, or snus during the past 30 days?	Once or more	3.6%	6.4%	IL lower than nat'l average
How frequently have you smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes such as cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars during the past 30 days?	Once or more	5.6%	N/A	
Used tobacco products (smokeless tobacco or smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes) during the past 30 days	Once or more	7.0%	N/A	
Used any tobacco product (including cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, or other smoked tobacco) during the past 30 days	Once or more	9.5%	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	Great Risk	69.5%	N/A	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	85.8%	N/A	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked cigarettes?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	19.9%	N/A	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?	Wrong & Very Wrong	72.1%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	96.7%	N/A	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	82.6%	N/A	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Tobacco	Yes	47.7%	N/A	
If you wanted to get some cigarettes, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	46.7%	N/A	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 retail source AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	31.8%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table H. Illinois 10 th Grade vs. National 10 th Grade ¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	31.0%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them from a vending machine	Sometimes & Often	2.2%	N/A	
If you bought cigarettes or other tobacco products during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	0.7%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My parent gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	14.2%	N/A	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 social source (other than parents) AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	82.8%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - A friend gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	78.9%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	25.6%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	Sometimes & Often	35.2%	N/A	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products by stealing or taking without permission AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	36.6%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from home without my parents knowing it	Sometimes & Often	33.8%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from a store	Sometimes & Often	9.0%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table I. Illinois 12th Grade vs. National 12th Grade¹

Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Began smoking cigarettes before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	49.8%	N/A	
Began using other tobacco products before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	32.9%	N/A	
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past year?	Once or more	18.0%	N/A	
How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?	Once or more	12.9%	16.3%	
How frequently have you used smokeless tobacco such as chewing tobacco, snuff, dip, or snus during the past 30 days?	Once or more	7.7%	8.1%	
How frequently have you smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes such as cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars during the past 30 days?	Once or more	15.1%	N/A	
Used tobacco products (smokeless tobacco or smoked tobacco products other than cigarettes) during the past 30 days	Once or more	17.8%	N/A	
Used any tobacco product (including cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, or other smoked tobacco) during the past 30 days	Once or more	23.0%	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?	Great Risk	70.2%	N/A	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	65.6%	N/A	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked cigarettes?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	17.9%	N/A	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke tobacco?	Wrong & Very Wrong	55.7%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	88.2%	N/A	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to smoke cigarettes?	Wrong & Very Wrong	60.9%	N/A	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Tobacco	Yes	38.5%	N/A	
If you wanted to get some cigarettes, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	75.3%	N/A	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 retail source AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	71.6%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

Appendix 3: Cigarettes and Other Tobacco Data Comparison Tables

Table I. Illinois 12th Grade vs. National 12th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them at a gas station or store	Sometimes & Often	71.3%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I bought them from a vending machine	Sometimes & Often	4.3%	N/A	
If you bought cigarettes or other tobacco products during the past year, did you use a fake ID?	Yes	1.3%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My parent gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	14.1%	N/A	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products from at least 1 social source (other than parents) AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	68.3%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - A friend gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	63.6%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - My older brother or sister gave them to me	Sometimes & Often	18.1%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I gave a stranger money to buy them for me	Sometimes & Often	17.5%	N/A	
Obtained cigarettes or other tobacco products by stealing or taking without permission AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY	Sometimes & Often	13.2%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from home without my parents knowing it	Sometimes & Often	11.2%	N/A	
During the past year, how often did you get cigarettes or other tobacco products from the following sources? AMONG TOBACCO USERS ONLY - I took them from a store	Sometimes & Often	3.3%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

Appendix 4: Marijuana Data Comparison Tables

Table A. IYS 2014 Results by Grade					
Question Wording	What % Represents	2014			
		6th grade	8th grade	10th grade	12th grade
Began smoking marijuana before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	33.5%
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana in the past year?	1 or more	1.5%	10.7%	25.6%	39.1%
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana during the past 30 days?	1 or more	1.0%	7.1%	16.6%	26.5%
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana? Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	9.1%	22.1%
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke marijuana once or twice a week?	Great Risk	59.9%	49.2%	29.8%	22.0%
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	97.4%	84.2%	64.3%	49.8%
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked marijuana?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	13.8%	31.8%	48.2%	47.0%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	94.7%	75.4%	49.7%	39.7%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	99.1%	95.7%	90.8%	83.5%
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to use marijuana	Wrong & Very Wrong	96.5%	88.4%	80.0%	72.8%
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Marijuana Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	Yes	53.1%	57.5%	53.6%	45.2%
If you wanted to get some marijuana, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	5.3%	23.5%	53.1%	67.6%

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

Appendix 4: Marijuana Data Comparison Tables

Table B. IYS 6th Grade Results 2008-2014					
Question Wording	What % Represents	6th Grade			
		2008	2010	2012 ¹	2014
Began smoking marijuana before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana in the past year?	1 or more	2.5%	1.8%	N/A	1.5%
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana during the past 30 days?	1 or more	1.4%	1.0%	N/A	1.0%
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana? Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke marijuana once or twice a week?	Great Risk	48.9%	40.4%	N/A	59.9%
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	97.2%	97.2%	N/A	97.4%
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked marijuana?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	9.4%	10.4%	N/A	13.8%
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	94.7%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	98.7%	98.6%	N/A	99.1%
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to use marijuana	Wrong & Very Wrong	94.2%	94.9%	N/A	96.5%
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Marijuana Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	Yes	65.6%	64.7%	N/A	53.1%
If you wanted to get some marijuana, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	6.2%	6.0%	N/A	5.3%

¹ There are no 6th grade estimates available in 2012 due to the lack of 6th grade participation in Chicago

N/A other than 2012: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table C. IYS 8th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Began smoking marijuana before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana in the past year?	1 or more	11.7%	13.8%	13.4%	10.7%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana during the past 30 days?	1 or more	7.8%	9.1%	8.5%	7.1%	
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana? Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke marijuana once or twice a week?	Great Risk	43.0%	39.0%	42.8%	49.2%	.004*
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	88.1%	83.6%	85.9%	84.2%	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked marijuana?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	19.4%	25.7%	32.9%	31.8%	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	75.4%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	97.1%	95.9%	97.2%	95.7%	.024*
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to use marijuana	Wrong & Very Wrong	90.5%	89.3%	89.8%	88.4%	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Marijuana Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	Yes	53.1%	55.2%	59.7%	57.5%	
If you wanted to get some marijuana, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	24.2%	27.6%	26.4%	23.5%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Table D. IYS 10th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Began smoking marijuana before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana in the past year?	1 or more	27.9%	28.7%	28.8%	25.6%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana during the past 30 days?	1 or more	16.7%	18.3%	19.8%	16.6%	
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana? Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	1 or more times	8.2%	8.5%	10.9%	9.1%	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke marijuana once or twice a week?	Great Risk	31.4%	29.4%	30.5%	29.8%	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	73.0%	69.5%	67.2%	64.3%	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked marijuana?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	26.8%	32.2%	45.0%	48.2%	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	49.7%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	94.6%	92.5%	93.2%	90.8%	.013*
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to use marijuana	Wrong & Very Wrong	84.7%	82.0%	79.9%	80.0%	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Marijuana Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	Yes	49.6%	50.9%	55.4%	53.6%	
If you wanted to get some marijuana, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	56.6%	55.3%	56.4%	53.1%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Table E. IYS 12th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Began smoking marijuana before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	38.0%	37.0%	34.8%	33.5%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana in the past year?	1 or more	35.4%	37.1%	38.5%	39.1%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana during the past 30 days?	1 or more	21.8%	25.3%	26.8%	26.5%	
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana? Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	1 or more times	18.5%	20.3%	21.2%	22.1%	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke marijuana once or twice a week?	Great Risk	27.5%	22.0%	23.2%	22.0%	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	63.0%	57.5%	55.8%	49.8%	.006*
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked marijuana?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	25.4%	31.0%	42.0%	47.0%	.009*
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	39.7%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	92.7%	88.7%	88.0%	83.5%	.004*
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to use marijuana	Wrong & Very Wrong	81.3%	77.2%	72.7%	72.8%	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Marijuana Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	Yes	42.6%	47.9%	49.9%	45.2%	
If you wanted to get some marijuana, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	67.6%	69.5%	68.1%	67.6%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

Appendix 4: Marijuana Data Comparison Tables

Table F. IYS 2014 Results by Community Type¹								
Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
Began smoking marijuana before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes		x	32.4%	36.1%	34.0%	35.5%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana in the past year?	1 or more	x	x	24.8%	31.2%	22.8%	18.5%	Chicago (highest)
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana during the past 30 days?	1 or more	x	x	16.3%	22.2%	14.7%	12.3%	Chicago (highest)
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana? Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	1 or more times		x	15.5%	11.1%	16.0%	18.1%	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke marijuana once or twice a week?	Great Risk	x	x	33.4%	29.4%	34.3%	41.9%	Rural (highest)
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	65.5%	60.0%	69.7%	74.5%	Chicago (lowest)
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked marijuana?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	x	x	42.1%	54.3%	39.6%	31.2%	Chicago (highest) Rural (lowest)
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	54.7%	43.4%	59.7%	66.2%	Chicago (lowest)
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	90.0%	90.8%	89.7%	90.9%	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to use marijuana	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	82.5%	72.1%	79.9%	85.3%	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Marijuana Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	Yes	x	x	52.1%	54.6%	52.9%	48.7%	
If you wanted to get some marijuana, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	x	x	48.6%	56.1%	46.0%	34.6%	Chicago (highest) Rural (lowest)

¹ See Appendix 9: Illinois Community Types for a detailed description of how community types are defined

² Data in this table are based on the combination of grade levels marked in the "Grades Represented" columns.

Appendix 4: Marijuana Data Comparison Tables

Table G. Illinois 8 th Grade vs. National 8 th Grade ¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Began smoking marijuana before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana in the past year?	1 or more	10.7%	12.7%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana during the past 30 days?	1 or more	7.1%	7.0%	
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana? Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke marijuana once or twice a week?	Great Risk	49.2%	N/A	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	84.2%	N/A	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked marijuana?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	31.8%	N/A	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	75.4%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	95.7%	N/A	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to use marijuana	Wrong & Very Wrong	88.4%	N/A	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Marijuana Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	Yes	57.5%	N/A	
If you wanted to get some marijuana, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	23.5%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

Appendix 4: Marijuana Data Comparison Tables

Table H. Illinois 10 th Grade vs. National 10 th Grade ¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Began smoking marijuana before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	N/A	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana in the past year?	1 or more	25.6%	29.8%	IL lower than nat'l average
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana during the past 30 days?	1 or more	16.6%	18.0%	
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana? Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	1 or more times	9.1%	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke marijuana once or twice a week?	Great Risk	29.8%	N/A	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	64.3%	N/A	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked marijuana?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	48.2%	N/A	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	49.7%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	90.8%	N/A	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to use marijuana	Wrong & Very Wrong	80.0%	N/A	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Marijuana Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	Yes	53.6%	N/A	
If you wanted to get some marijuana, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	53.1%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

Appendix 4: Marijuana Data Comparison Tables

Table I. Illinois 12th Grade vs. National 12th Grade¹

Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Began smoking marijuana before age 15 (among 12th graders)	Yes	33.5%	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana in the past year?	1 or more	39.1%	36.4%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...marijuana during the past 30 days?	1 or more	26.5%	22.7%	
During the past 12 months, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana? Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	1 or more times	22.1%	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Smoke marijuana once or twice a week?	Great Risk	22.0%	N/A	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	49.8%	N/A	
What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you: smoked marijuana?	Some chance & Pretty good chance & Very good chance	47.0%	N/A	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	39.7%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: smoke marijuana?	Wrong & Very Wrong	83.5%	N/A	
How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it is for kids your age: to use marijuana	Wrong & Very Wrong	72.8%	N/A	
In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using the following: Marijuana Question wording 2008-2012: <i>"In the past year have your parents/guardians talked to you about not using marijuana or other illegal drugs?"</i>	Yes	45.2%	N/A	
If you wanted to get some marijuana, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	67.6%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

Appendix 5: Prescription and Over-the-Counter Drugs Data Comparison Tables

Table A. IYS 2014 Results by Grade					
Question Wording	What % Represents	2014			
		6th grade	8th grade	10th grade	12th grade
During the past 12 months, how often have you used steroids without a doctor's prescription?	1 or more times	N/A	1.4%	1.3%	1.3%
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past year?	1 or more	5.7%	4.0%	2.5%	2.2%
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high? OR During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	2.8%	5.9%	9.2%
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	1.7%	3.2%	6.0%
During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	2.0%	4.5%	7.1%
During the past 12 months, how often have you used something you bought in a store (e.g. cough syrup, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	3.3%	3.5%	4.4%
During the past year have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	N/A	5.4%	9.2%	12.6%
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past 30 days?	1 or more	4.3%	2.6%	1.5%	1.3%
Have you used any prescription drugs to get high in the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	1.0%	3.4%	5.2%
Have you used prescription painkillers (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab or others) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	0.6%	1.8%	3.1%
Have you used other prescription drugs (like Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	0.7%	2.7%	4.1%
Have you used anything you could buy in a store ("over the counter drugs") to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%
During the past 30 days have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	2.9%	2.2%	4.3%	5.7%
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Great Risk	61.4%	67.9%	64.9%	63.2%
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Wrong & Very Wrong	96.7%	93.1%	88.8%	84.5%

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

Appendix 5: Prescription and Over-the-Counter Drugs Data Comparison Tables

Table A. IYS 2014 Results by Grade					
Question Wording	What % Represents	2014			
		6th grade	8th grade	10th grade	12th grade
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	94.7%	87.3%	77.5%	70.2%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	97.1%	96.3%	95.9%	94.7%
If you wanted to get prescription drugs not prescribed to you, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	9.7%	24.1%	32.5%	41.2%
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I bought them from someone	Yes	N/A	14.8%	35.2%	52.2%
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from somewhere (from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians OR from someone else's home)	Yes	N/A	25.0%	30.5%	22.8%
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians	Yes	N/A	19.7%	28.2%	20.3%
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from someone else's home	Yes	N/A	10.3%	7.4%	7.0%
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone gave them to me (my parents OR someone other than my parents)	Yes	N/A	69.8%	64.7%	60.6%
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - My parents gave them to me	Yes	N/A	53.5%	29.4%	18.7%
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone other than my parents gave them to me	Yes	N/A	23.9%	44.2%	47.7%

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table B. IYS 6th Grade Results 2008-2014					
Question Wording	What % Represents	6th Grade			
		2008	2010	2012 ¹	2014
During the past 12 months, how often have you used steroids without a doctor's prescription?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past year?	1 or more	6.9%	7.0%	N/A	5.7%
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high? OR During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 12 months, how often have you used something you bought in a store (e.g. cough syrup, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past year have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past 30 days?	1 or more	4.4%	5.1%	N/A	4.3%
Have you used any prescription drugs to get high in the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Have you used prescription painkillers (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab or others) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Have you used other prescription drugs (like Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Have you used anything you could buy in a store ("over the counter drugs") to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
During the past 30 days have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	2.9%
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Great Risk	N/A	N/A	N/A	61.4%
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	96.7%

¹ There are no 6th grade estimates available in 2012 due to the lack of 6th grade participation in Chicago

N/A other than 2012: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table B. IYS 6th Grade Results 2008-2014					
Question Wording	What % Represents	6th Grade			
		2008	2010	2012 ¹	2014
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	94.7%
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	97.1%
If you wanted to get prescription drugs not prescribed to you, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	N/A	N/A	N/A	9.7%
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I bought them from someone	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from somewhere (from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians OR from someone else's home)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from someone else's home	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone gave them to me (my parents or someone other than my parents)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - My parents gave them to me	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone other than my parents gave them to me	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

¹ There are no 6th grade estimates available in 2012 due to the lack of 6th grade participation in Chicago

N/A other than 2012: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table C. IYS 8th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used steroids without a doctor's prescription?	1 or more times	1.4%	0.6%	0.9%	1.4%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past year?	1 or more	10.2%	11.8%	4.8%	4.0%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high? OR During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	3.1%	2.8%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	1.8%	1.7%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	1.8%	2.0%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used something you bought in a store (e.g. cough syrup, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	2.6%	3.3%	
During the past year have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	5.4%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past 30 days?	1 or more	6.5%	7.0%	3.0%	2.6%	
Have you used any prescription drugs to get high in the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	1.5%	1.0%	
Have you used prescription painkillers (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab or others) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	1.1%	0.6%	
Have you used other prescription drugs (like Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	1.1%	0.7%	
Have you used anything you could buy in a store ("over the counter drugs") to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	1.1%	1.4%	
During the past 30 days have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	2.2%	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Great Risk	N/A	N/A	N/A	67.9%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Table C. IYS 8th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	93.1%	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	87.3%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	96.3%	
If you wanted to get prescription drugs not prescribed to you, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	N/A	N/A	N/A	24.1%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I bought them from someone	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	14.8%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from somewhere (from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians OR from someone else's home)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	25.0%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	19.7%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from someone else's home	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	10.3%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone gave them to me (my parents OR someone other than my parents)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	69.8%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - My parents gave them to me	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	53.5%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone other than my parents gave them to me	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	23.9%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Table D. IYS 10th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used steroids without a doctor's prescription?	1 or more times	0.4%	0.6%	1.2%	1.3%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past year?	1 or more	6.2%	6.5%	2.7%	2.5%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high? OR During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	5.7%	5.9%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	4.4%	3.2%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	3.7%	4.5%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used something you bought in a store (e.g. cough syrup, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	3.7%	3.5%	
During the past year have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	9.2%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past 30 days?	1 or more	3.3%	4.5%	2.2%	1.5%	
Have you used any prescription drugs to get high in the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	3.7%	3.4%	
Have you used prescription painkillers (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab or others) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	2.8%	1.8%	
Have you used other prescription drugs (like Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	2.4%	2.7%	
Have you used anything you could buy in a store ("over the counter drugs") to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	2.5%	1.4%	
During the past 30 days have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	4.3%	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Great Risk	N/A	N/A	N/A	64.9%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Table D. IYS 10th Grade Results 2008-2014

Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	88.8%	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	77.5%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	95.9%	
If you wanted to get prescription drugs not prescribed to you, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	N/A	N/A	N/A	32.5%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I bought them from someone	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	35.2%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from somewhere (from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians OR from someone else's home)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	30.5%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	28.2%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from someone else's home	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.4%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone gave them to me (my parents OR someone other than my parents)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	64.7%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - My parents gave them to me	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	29.4%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone other than my parents gave them to me	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	44.2%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Table E. IYS 12th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used steroids without a doctor's prescription?	1 or more times	0.8%	1.2%	1.3%	1.3%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past year?	1 or more	4.2%	5.9%	3.2%	2.2%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high? OR During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	8.1%	9.2%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	5.9%	6.0%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	6.0%	7.1%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used something you bought in a store (e.g. cough syrup, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	4.7%	4.4%	
During the past year have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	12.6%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past 30 days?	1 or more	2.3%	4.0%	2.0%	1.3%	
Have you used any prescription drugs to get high in the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	5.5%	5.2%	
Have you used prescription painkillers (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab or others) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	3.7%	3.1%	
Have you used other prescription drugs (like Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	3.9%	4.1%	
Have you used anything you could buy in a store ("over the counter drugs") to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	N/A	N/A	1.8%	1.4%	
During the past 30 days have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	5.7%	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Great Risk	N/A	N/A	N/A	63.2%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table E. IYS 12th Grade Results 2008-2014

Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	84.5%	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	70.2%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	N/A	N/A	N/A	94.7%	
If you wanted to get prescription drugs not prescribed to you, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	N/A	N/A	N/A	41.2%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I bought them from someone	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	52.2%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from somewhere (from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians OR from someone else's home)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	22.8%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	20.3%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from someone else's home	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	7.0%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone gave them to me (my parents OR someone other than my parents)	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	60.6%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - My parents gave them to me	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	18.7%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone other than my parents gave them to me	Yes	N/A	N/A	N/A	47.7%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
During the past 12 months, how often have you used steroids without a doctor's prescription?	1 or more times	x	x	1.4%	0.8%	1.6%	1.2%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past year?	1 or more	x	x	2.6%	4.4%	2.2%	4.0%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high? OR During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	x	x	6.7%	3.3%	5.7%	6.1%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	x	x	3.9%	1.7%	3.8%	3.9%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	x	x	5.2%	2.6%	3.8%	4.9%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used something you bought in a store (e.g. cough syrup, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	x	x	3.7%	5.1%	2.7%	3.8%	
During the past year have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	x	x	9.1%	6.9%	9.8%	10.0%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past 30 days?	1 or more	x	x	1.6%	3.0%	1.1%	2.9%	
Have you used any prescription drugs to get high in the past 30 days?	Yes	x	x	3.4%	2.2%	2.9%	4.6%	
Have you used prescription painkillers (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab or others) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	x	x	1.9%	1.0%	1.9%	2.3%	
Have you used other prescription drugs (like Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	x	x	2.7%	1.6%	2.0%	3.7%	

¹ See Appendix 9: Illinois Community Types for a detailed description of how community types are defined

² Data in this table are based on the combination of grade levels marked in the "Grades Represented" columns.

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Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
Have you used anything you could buy in a store ("over the counter drugs") to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	x	x	1.1%	2.5%	1.0%	2.0%	
During the past 30 days have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	x	x	4.0%	3.7%	4.5%	4.0%	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Great Risk	x	x	66.0%	59.9%	65.9%	69.8%	Chicago (lowest)
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	89.2%	84.9%	90.6%	90.4%	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	78.6%	74.1%	80.7%	80.4%	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	x	x	96.0%	95.1%	96.0%	94.4%	
If you wanted to get prescription drugs not prescribed to you, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	x	x	33.1%	26.8%	33.7%	35.1%	Chicago (lowest)
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I bought them from someone	Yes	x	x	42.5%	33.7%	34.9%	30.6%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from somewhere (from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians OR from someone else's home)	Yes	x	x	24.8%	27.4%	28.5%	26.4%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians	Yes	x	x	21.9%	23.3%	25.4%	23.9%	

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² Data in this table are based on the combination of grade levels marked in the "Grades Represented" columns.

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Table F. IYS 2014 Results by Community Type¹								
Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from someone else's home	Yes	x	x	7.4%	6.5%	7.9%	11.2%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone gave them to me (my parents OR someone other than my parents)	Yes	x	x	64.0%	53.4%	70.6%	62.2%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - My parents gave them to me	Yes	x	x	29.0%	19.4%	36.8%	31.0%	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone other than my parents gave them to me	Yes	x	x	41.3%	36.3%	46.6%	38.1%	

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² Data in this table are based on the combination of grade levels marked in the "Grades Represented" columns.

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Table G. Illinois 8th Grade vs. National 8th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used steroids without a doctor's prescription?	1 or more times	1.4%	0.6%	IL higher than nat'l average
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past year?	1 or more	4.0%	5.2%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high? OR During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	2.8%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	1.7%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	2.0%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used something you bought in a store (e.g. cough syrup, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	3.3%	N/A	
During the past year have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	5.4%	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past 30 days?	1 or more	2.6%	2.3%	
Have you used any prescription drugs to get high in the past 30 days?	Yes	1.0%	N/A	
Have you used prescription painkillers (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab or others) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	0.6%	N/A	
Have you used other prescription drugs (like Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	0.7%	N/A	
Have you used anything you could buy in a store ("over the counter drugs") to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	1.4%	N/A	
During the past 30 days have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	2.2%	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Great Risk	67.9%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table G. Illinois 8th Grade vs. National 8th Grade¹

Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Wrong & Very Wrong	93.1%	N/A	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	87.3%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	96.3%	N/A	
If you wanted to get prescription drugs not prescribed to you, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	24.1%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I bought them from someone	Yes	14.8%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from somewhere (from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians OR from someone else's home)	Yes	25.0%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians	Yes	19.7%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from someone else's home	Yes	10.3%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone gave them to me (my parents OR someone other than my parents)	Yes	69.8%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - My parents gave them to me	Yes	53.5%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone other than my parents gave them to me	Yes	23.9%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table H. Illinois 10th Grade vs. National 10th Grade¹

Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used steroids without a doctor's prescription?	1 or more times	1.3%	0.8%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past year?	1 or more	2.5%	3.5%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high? OR During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	5.9%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	3.2%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	4.5%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used something you bought in a store (e.g. cough syrup, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	3.5%	N/A	
During the past year have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	9.2%	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past 30 days?	1 or more	1.5%	1.3%	
Have you used any prescription drugs to get high in the past 30 days?	Yes	3.4%	N/A	
Have you used prescription painkillers (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab or others) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	1.8%	N/A	
Have you used other prescription drugs (like Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	2.7%	N/A	
Have you used anything you could buy in a store ("over the counter drugs") to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	1.4%	N/A	
During the past 30 days have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	4.3%	N/A	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Great Risk	64.9%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table H. Illinois 10th Grade vs. National 10th Grade¹

Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Wrong & Very Wrong	88.8%	N/A	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	77.5%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	95.9%	N/A	
If you wanted to get prescription drugs not prescribed to you, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	32.5%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I bought them from someone	Yes	35.2%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from somewhere (from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians OR from someone else's home)	Yes	30.5%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians	Yes	28.2%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from someone else's home	Yes	7.4%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone gave them to me (my parents OR someone other than my parents)	Yes	64.7%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - My parents gave them to me	Yes	29.4%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone other than my parents gave them to me	Yes	44.2%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table I. Illinois 12th Grade vs. National 12th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used steroids without a doctor's prescription?	1 or more times	1.3%	1.5%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past year?	1 or more	2.2%	2.5%	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high? OR During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	9.2%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used prescription painkillers (e.g. OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	6.0%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used other prescription drugs (e.g. Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	7.1%	N/A	
During the past 12 months, how often have you used something you bought in a store (e.g. cough syrup, etc.) to get high?	1 or more times	4.4%	N/A	
During the past year have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	12.6%	15.9%	IL lower than nat'l average
On how many occasions (if any) have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays, in order to get high during the past 30 days?	1 or more	1.3%	1.0%	
Have you used any prescription drugs to get high in the past 30 days?	Yes	5.2%	N/A	
Have you used prescription painkillers (like OxyContin, Vicodin, Lortab or others) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	3.1%	N/A	
Have you used other prescription drugs (like Ritalin, Adderall, or Xanax) to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	4.1%	N/A	
Have you used anything you could buy in a store ("over the counter drugs") to get high during the past 30 days?	Yes	1.4%	N/A	
During the past 30 days have you used prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU?	Yes	5.7%	7.1%	
How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they: Use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Great Risk	63.2%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

Appendix 5: Prescription and Over-the-Counter Drugs Data Comparison Tables

Table I. Illinois 12th Grade vs. National 12th Grade¹

Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?	Wrong & Very Wrong	84.5%	N/A	
How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	70.2%	N/A	
How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to: use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?	Wrong & Very Wrong	94.7%	N/A	
If you wanted to get prescription drugs not prescribed to you, how easy would it be for you to get some?	Sort of easy & Very easy	41.2%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I bought them from someone	Yes	52.2%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from somewhere (from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians OR from someone else's home)	Yes	22.8%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from home without the knowledge of my parents/guardians	Yes	20.3%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - I took them from someone else's home	Yes	7.0%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone gave them to me (my parents OR someone other than my parents)	Yes	60.6%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - My parents gave them to me	Yes	18.7%	N/A	
In the past year, did you get any prescription drugs NOT PRESCRIBED TO YOU from any of the following sources? AMONG PRESCRIPTION DRUG USERS ONLY - Someone other than my parents gave them to me	Yes	47.7%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

Appendix 6: Other Illicit Drugs Data Comparison Tables

Table A. IYS 2014 Results by Grade						
Question Wording	What % Represents	2014				
		6th grade	8th grade	10th grade	12th grade	
Used any illicit drugs (excluding marijuana) in the past year	1 or more times	N/A	2.0%	4.8%	8.8%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...meth (methamphetamine) in the past year?	1 or more	N/A	0.3%	0.9%	0.7%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...MDMA ("ecstasy") in the past year?	1 or more	N/A	0.8%	2.4%	5.5%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...LSD or other psychedelics in the past year?	1 or more	N/A	0.6%	2.8%	4.9%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...cocaine or crack in the past year?	1 or more	N/A	0.8%	1.2%	2.7%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...heroin in the past year?	1 or more	N/A	0.6%	0.7%	0.9%	
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you sold illegal drugs?	1 or more times	N/A	2.3%	7.2%	7.6%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table B. IYS 6th Grade Results 2008-2014					
Question Wording	What % Represents	6th Grade			
		2008	2010	2012 ¹	2014
Used any illicit drugs (excluding marijuana) in the past year	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...meth (methamphetamine) in the past year?	1 or more	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...MDMA ("ecstasy") in the past year?	1 or more	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...LSD or other psychedelics in the past year?	1 or more	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...cocaine or crack in the past year?	1 or more	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...heroin in the past year?	1 or more	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you sold illegal drugs?	1 or more times	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

¹ There are no 6th grade estimates available in 2012 due to the lack of 6th grade participation in Chicago
 N/A other than 2012: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

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Table C. IYS 8th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Used any illicit drugs (excluding marijuana) in the past year	1 or more times	3.4%	3.8%	2.3%	2.0%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...meth (methamphetamine) in the past year?	1 or more	0.5%	0.7%	0.7%	0.3%	.039*
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...MDMA ("ecstasy") in the past year?	1 or more	1.6%	1.8%	1.2%	0.8%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...LSD or other psychedelics in the past year?	1 or more	0.9%	0.9%	0.7%	0.6%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...cocaine or crack in the past year?	1 or more	1.7%	1.9%	1.1%	0.8%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...heroin in the past year?	1 or more	0.9%	0.7%	0.7%	0.6%	
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you sold illegal drugs?	1 or more times	3.8%	4.4%	3.3%	2.3%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Table D. IYS 10th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Used any illicit drugs (excluding marijuana) in the past year	1 or more times	5.1%	6.1%	3.4%	4.8%	.032*
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...meth (methamphetamine) in the past year?	1 or more	0.3%	0.4%	0.6%	0.9%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...MDMA ("ecstasy") in the past year?	1 or more	2.0%	3.4%	2.3%	2.4%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...LSD or other psychedelics in the past year?	1 or more	2.0%	2.3%	1.5%	2.8%	.006*
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...cocaine or crack in the past year?	1 or more	2.9%	2.8%	1.3%	1.2%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...heroin in the past year?	1 or more	0.7%	0.6%	0.4%	0.7%	
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you sold illegal drugs?	1 or more times	8.6%	8.9%	7.5%	7.2%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Table E. IYS 12th Grade Results 2008-2014						
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade				Statistical Significance 2012-2014
		2008	2010	2012	2014	
Used any illicit drugs (excluding marijuana) in the past year	1 or more times	8.2%	8.8%	7.9%	8.8%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...meth (methamphetamine) in the past year?	1 or more	0.5%	1.0%	0.8%	0.7%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...MDMA ("ecstasy") in the past year?	1 or more	3.3%	5.8%	5.3%	5.5%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...LSD or other psychedelics in the past year?	1 or more	3.4%	5.1%	4.4%	4.9%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...cocaine or crack in the past year?	1 or more	5.5%	3.1%	3.4%	2.7%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...heroin in the past year?	1 or more	0.8%	1.1%	0.9%	0.9%	
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you sold illegal drugs?	1 or more times	9.6%	11.3%	9.1%	7.6%	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

* Statistically significant change ($p < .05$) from 2012 to 2014

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Table F. IYS 2014 Results by Community Type¹								
Question Wording	What % Represents	Grades Represented ²		Suburban Chicago	Chicago	Other Urban and Suburban	Rural	Community Type Different from all Others (p<.05 level)
		8th	HS					
Used any illicit drugs (excluding marijuana) in the past year	1 or more times	x	x	5.9%	4.7%	4.3%	3.1%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...meth (methamphetamine) in the past year?	1 or more	x	x	0.7%	0.3%	0.7%	0.8%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...MDMA ("ecstasy") in the past year?	1 or more	x	x	3.4%	1.7%	2.6%	2.2%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...LSD or other psychedelics in the past year?	1 or more	x	x	3.1%	2.7%	2.4%	1.5%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...cocaine or crack in the past year?	1 or more	x	x	1.5%	1.5%	1.6%	1.3%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...heroin in the past year?	1 or more	x	x	0.7%	1.4%	0.5%	0.4%	
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you sold illegal drugs?	1 or more times	x	x	5.5%	6.6%	6.0%	4.2%	

¹ See Appendix 9: Illinois Community Types for a detailed description of how community types are defined

² Data in this table are based on the combination of grade levels marked in the "Grades Represented" columns.

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Table G. Illinois 8th Grade vs. National 8th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	8th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Used any illicit drugs (excluding marijuana) in the past year	1 or more times	2.0%	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...meth (methamphetamine) in the past year?	1 or more	0.3%	1.0%	IL lower than nat'l average
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...MDMA ("ecstasy") in the past year?	1 or more	0.8%	1.1%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...LSD or other psychedelics in the past year?	1 or more	0.6%	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...cocaine or crack in the past year?	1 or more	0.8%	1.0%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...heroin in the past year?	1 or more	0.6%	0.5%	
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you sold illegal drugs?	1 or more times	2.3%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

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Table H. Illinois 10 th Grade vs. National 10 th Grade ¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	10th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Used any illicit drugs (excluding marijuana) in the past year	1 or more times	4.8%	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...meth (methamphetamine) in the past year?	1 or more	0.9%	1.0%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...MDMA ("ecstasy") in the past year?	1 or more	2.4%	3.6%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...LSD or other psychedelics in the past year?	1 or more	2.8%	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...cocaine or crack in the past year?	1 or more	1.2%	1.9%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...heroin in the past year?	1 or more	0.7%	0.6%	
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you sold illegal drugs?	1 or more times	7.2%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

Appendix 6: Other Illicit Drugs Data Comparison Tables

Table I. Illinois 12th Grade vs. National 12th Grade¹				
Question Wording	What % Represents	12th Grade		Statistical Significance (p<.05)
		IYS 2014	MTF 2013	
Used any illicit drugs (excluding marijuana) in the past year	1 or more times	8.8%	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...meth (methamphetamine) in the past year?	1 or more	0.7%	0.9%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...MDMA ("ecstasy") in the past year?	1 or more	5.5%	4.0%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...LSD or other psychedelics in the past year?	1 or more	4.9%	N/A	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...cocaine or crack in the past year?	1 or more	2.7%	2.6%	
On how many occasions (if any) have you used...heroin in the past year?	1 or more	0.9%	0.6%	
How many times in the past year (12 months) have you sold illegal drugs?	1 or more times	7.6%	N/A	

N/A: Data not available because question was not included on that group's survey

¹ Data source for US data is Monitoring the Future (MTF) 2013. For more information, see Appendix 8 - Monitoring the Future Methodology.

Appendix 7: Illinois Youth Survey Methodology

Sampling Design

Since 2008, the Illinois Youth Survey (IYS) has used a multi-stage stratified cluster sampling design with probability proportional to grade level enrollment size in selecting schools. Probability Proportional to Size (PPS) sampling is highly recommended when the size of the sampling unit (i.e., grade-level enrollment) varies greatly between schools and to ensure that every student in the sampling unit has an equal chance of being included in the sample. All Illinois public schools with student enrollment in 6th, 8th, 10th, or 12th grades were initially included in the statewide sampling frame. Schools with less than 15 students in 6th, 8th, 10th, and 12th grades and schools with no grade configuration, and other special types of schools (e.g., vocational schools, special education schools, department of corrections, or other state-funded public schools) were ultimately excluded from the sampling frame.

Illinois has a very diverse student distribution across four distinct geographic community types (see Appendix 9 – Illinois Community Types). About 50% of Illinois public school students come from Suburban Chicago counties, 19% from the City of Chicago, about 18% from Other Urban/Suburban Counties, and about 12% from Rural counties. The sampling design was created to ensure the sample reflects the true student distribution across community types and grade levels. The sampling frame was therefore stratified by community type and grade level, resulting in 12 primary sampling units (PSU): three grade groupings (6th, 8th, and 10th/12th combined) within each of the four community types (Chicago, Suburban Chicago, Other Urban/Suburban, and Rural). Grades 10 and 12 were combined to improve the participation rate, since a majority of high schools have both 10th and 12th grade students.

After these 12 PSUs were identified, each eligible Illinois school was assigned to at least one PSU. Some schools were assigned to more than one PSU (e.g., an eligible school from the Rural region with more than 15 students each in grades 6, 8, 10, and 12 would be assigned to the Rural 6th grade PSU, the Rural 8th grade PSU, and the Rural 10th/12th grade PSU.) When all eligible schools were assigned to one or more appropriate PSUs, PPS sampling was used to select schools from each of the 12 PSUs. PPS sampling assigns each school a probability of being selected based on its grade-level enrollment, such that schools with higher grade-level enrollment are more likely to be selected than schools with lower grade-level enrollment, ensuring a good mix of small, medium, and large schools.

Because not all schools that are asked to participate in the IYS State Sample will agree to do so, it is necessary to oversample. Historically, about 34% of invited schools from the state sample agree to participate. For this reason, 495 schools were targeted from the 2014 statewide sample with the expectation that at least 168 of these schools would participate in order to sufficiently represent Illinois youth.

Data Collection and Cleaning

Schools are asked to survey all students at each grade level selected in the state sample. Surveys are administered in classrooms by school personnel or community-based partners rather than researchers. Survey administration instructions are included in writing and through an online tutorial according to the University of Illinois Institutional Review Board approved protocol. Schools can opt to administer via paper-based or online surveys and survey questions are available in both English and Spanish.

Validation procedures are conducted at both the record (student) and item (question) level. A survey is completely invalidated and excluded if any of the following apply:

- less than 40% of the survey questions are completed
- reported any use of a fabricated drug included in the drug questions
- responds to a question about honesty of responses with either of the following - “honest once in a while” or “not honest at all”

At the item level, when there are clear discrepancies between responses, both responses are set to missing. For example if use of alcohol is reported in the past month but not in the past year, the responses to both items are recoded to “missing” and are excluded from any analysis and reporting specific to the affected items.

Selection and Weighting

After the data collection and cleaning was complete, 50 students were randomly selected, at grade level, from each school represented in the sample. For participating sample schools that had fewer than 50 students in the targeted grade, all students were selected. These student-level data were used to create the state sample data set.

When using a multi-stage stratified cluster design, it is important to realize that the PPS selection results in differential probabilities of school selection and not every school selected would participate in the survey. To account for differential probabilities of school selection due to the nature of the PPS selection and to ensure accurate survey estimates, a sampling weight for each school/grade combination sampled was calculated. All selected students were weighted as well for being selected randomly from each school/grade combination. The sampling weights were then adjusted for absenteeism in a given school year, and further adjusted for their race, gender, and low-income status in a post-stratification weighting step. The final adjustments were made to bring the sample back to the sampling frame with respect to community type representation. The weighting helps in order to reduce any sorts of selection biases in terms of selecting schools and students and to reduce other departures between the sample and the reference population. However, weighting cannot correct all types of survey error (questionnaire design, data collection, nonresponse effect).

Sample Characteristics

Number of Students in the Sampling Frame and Sample

Illinois Community Type	Total # of students in the sampling frame (state)	Student distribution in the sampling frame (state)	Actual # of students in the UNWEIGHTED sample
	(N)	(% of Total)	
Suburban Chicago	307,585	52.7%	4,482
Chicago	93,759	16.1%	1,141
Other Urban/Suburban	118,575	20.3%	2,463
Rural	63,870	10.9%	1,470
Total	583,789	100.0%	9,916

Grade	Total # of students in the sampling frame	Student distribution in the sampling frame	Actual # of students in the UNWEIGHTED sample
	(N)	(% of Total)	
6th	148,717	25.5%	2,059
8th	146,818	25.1%	2,640
10th	150,608	25.8%	2,822
12th	137,646	23.6%	2,395
Total	583,789	100.0%	9,916

Number of Students in the Final Weighted Sample by Community Type and Grade						
Illinois Community Type	Grade					Sample distribution by community type
	6th	8th	10th	12th	Total	%
Suburban Chicago	1,032	1,241	1,575	1,412	5,260	53.0%
Chicago	269	433	503	338	1,544	15.6%
Other Urban/Suburban	385	529	616	493	2,024	20.4%
Rural	326	395	185	181	1,088	11.0%
Total	2,013	2,598	2,880	2,425	9,916	100.0%
Sample distribution by grade	20.3%	26.2%	29.0%	24.5%	100.0%	

Number of Schools in the Sampling Frame and Sample

Illinois Community Type	Total # of schools in the sampling frame	School distribution	Actual # of distinct schools in the sample
	(N)	(% of Total)	
Suburban Chicago	771	32.9%	68
Chicago	509	21.7%	19
Other Urban/Suburban	547	23.4%	38
Rural	515	22.0%	25
Total	2,342	100.0%	150¹

Grade	Total # of schools in the sampling frame ²	School distribution	Actual # of schools in the sample
	(N)	(% of Total)	
6th	1,480	36.1%	44
8th	1,277	31.2%	55
10th	673	16.4%	57
12th	668	16.3%	48
Total	4,098	100.0%	204¹

¹ Some schools contribute multiple grade levels to the sample, therefore the total sum of schools by grade (N=204) is greater than the total of distinct schools (N=150).

² The number of schools per grade in this column is not unique, as schools may contain multiple grades. This is why more schools are listed by grade than by Illinois Community Type (above).

Analysis Procedures

The multi-stage stratified cluster sampling required the use of specialized survey data analysis software that can accurately incorporate the sampling design into the calculation of the standard errors of the estimates. To ensure that statistical tests would be calculated appropriately, STATA v10.0 software was utilized and multiple t-tests (Adjusted Wald tests) were employed to determine whether statistical differences exist between data estimates for 2012 and 2014, Illinois Community Types, gender, and race categories.

P-Values and Statistical Significance Thresholds

STATA v10.0 was used to conduct all statistical tests (e.g., 54% of 12th graders in 2012 vs. 57% of 12th graders in 2014). The difference between two estimates can be called “statistically significant” when it is very unlikely that you would see that difference due solely to chance. To determine the threshold for that likelihood, scientific studies often refer to a “p value” that quantifies how likely the difference is due to chance rather than an actual difference between the two groups. If $p < .05$, it means that there is a very limited chance (<5%) that the difference is due solely to chance.

Using Confidence Intervals

For comparisons between IYS and national data, no statistical tests could be applied because CPRD did not have access to the raw national data. IYS and Monitoring the Future (MTF) estimates were compared to assure that the estimates were actually different. Any summary percent (e.g., the % of 12th graders who have used alcohol in the last year) is really just an estimate. This is best illustrated using an example of public opinion polls. Results of national polls often report something like “40% of polled voters prefer John Smith (+/-3%, $p < .05$).” This means 40% of the people responded that way, but if many random samples from the same overall population of voters were polled, you would get a range of 37%-43% voting for John Smith. The reported “ $p < 0.05$ ” on “+/-3%” tells us that 95% of the time the true average would fall somewhere within that range. Published confidence intervals for MTF estimates were compared with confidence intervals for IYS estimates and if the intervals did not overlap, the finding was determined to be statistically significant.

Highlights Reported

In this publication, those differences that reached statistical significance ($p < 0.5$) are highlighted by summarizing them with bullet points in the text of the report, in addition to presenting data in chart or table form. Because the sampling design changed in 2008, it is not recommended to compare IYS data collected in or after 2008 with data collected before 2008 when observing and interpreting trends.

Appendix 8: *Monitoring the Future (MTF) Methodology*

Overview of MTF

Monitoring the Future (MTF) is an ongoing study of the behaviors, attitudes, and values of American secondary school students, college students, and young adults. Each year, a total of approximately 50,000 students in 8th, 10th and 12th grades are surveyed (12th graders since 1975, and 8th and 10th graders since 1991). In addition, annual follow-up questionnaires are mailed to a sample of each graduating class for a number of years after their initial participation. The MTF Study has been funded by a series of research grants from the National Institute on Drug Abuse, a part of the National Institutes of Health. The MTF Survey is conducted by the Survey Research Center in the Institute for Social Research at the University of Michigan. Information for this appendix was downloaded from <http://monitoringthefuture.org/>.

Sampling Procedures

The data from students are collected during the spring of each year. Overall, 41,675 students from 389 public and private schools participated in the 2013 MTF survey. The sample provides an accurate representative cross section of students at each grade level throughout the 48 continental United States.

A multi-stage random sampling procedure is used for securing the nationwide sample of students each year at each grade level:

Stage 1: The selection of particular geographic areas.

Stage 2: The selection (with probability proportionate to size) of one or more schools in each area.

Stage 3: The selection of classes within each school.

Within each school, up to 350 students may be included. In schools with fewer students, the usual procedure is to include all of them in the data collection. In larger schools, a subset of students is selected either by randomly sampling entire classrooms or by some other random method that is judged to be unbiased. Sampling weights are used when the data are analyzed to correct for unequal probabilities of selection that occurred at any stage of sampling.

Survey Administration

About three weeks prior to the questionnaire administration date, parents of the target respondents are sent a letter by first-class mail, usually from the principal, announcing and describing the MTF study and providing parents an opportunity to decline participation of their son or daughter if they wish. A flyer outlining the study in more detail is enclosed with the letter. Copies of the flyers are also given to the students by teachers in the target classrooms in advance of the date of administration. The flyers make clear that participation is entirely voluntary. Local Institute for Social Research representatives and their assistants conduct the actual questionnaire administrations following standardized procedures detailed in an instruction manual. The questionnaires are administered in classrooms during a normal class period whenever possible; however, circumstances in some schools require the use of larger group administrations. Teachers are asked to remain present in the classroom to help maintain order, but to remain at their desks so that they cannot see students' answers.

Rationale for Use of MTF for National Comparisons to IYS

Several national surveys of youth substance use exist. We have chosen the MTF survey as the best comparison to the Illinois Youth Survey for the following reasons:

- MTF uses a multi-stage random sampling procedure (similar to IYS).
- MTF uses similar survey administration methods (school settings).
- MTF contains the most IYS comparable items of all national surveys.

IYS and MTF Comparison Analysis Method

For data on youth substance use, which includes 95% confidence intervals, CPRD compared the IYS interval with the MTF interval. If the two intervals did not overlap, we indicated a statistical difference between the two values at $p < .05$. MTF estimates for these measures may be found on Pages 59-71 of <http://www.monitoringthefuture.org/pubs/monographs/mtf-overview2013.pdf>. Although results from MTF collected in 2014 were available, confidence intervals used for comparison were not yet published at the time of this report, requiring the use of data collected in 2013.

Only items that can be directly compared between MTF and IYS are statistically compared and reported.

For more information, see <http://www.drugabuse.gov/DrugPages/MTF.html> (NIDA) or <http://monitoringthefuture.org/> (University of Michigan).

Appendix 9: Illinois Community Types

The sampling design assures that youth in the state sample are representative of the state's diverse community types. These community types have been defined based on the "urbanicity" of the school's setting. Each county in Illinois is assigned a type based on the Federal definitions of Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs)¹. Schools are assigned to a county based on the Illinois State Board of Education's county designation for the applicable school district. Because Cook County is a blend of the City of Chicago and suburban communities, the City of Chicago schools are considered a separate community type. The four types of communities in Illinois are defined as follows:

Chicago: the City of Chicago.

Suburban Chicago: Counties within the Chicago MSA (excluding the City of Chicago).

Urban/Suburban: Counties that are part of all other MSAs in Illinois EXCEPT the counties of the Chicago MSA.

Rural: Counties that are not part of a defined MSA.

Composition of Each Illinois Community Type

City of Chicago

City of Chicago; does not include remainder of Cook County

Suburban Chicago Metro Area (excluding City of Chicago)

Cook County (excl. Chicago)	Grundy County	Lake County
DeKalb County	Kane County	McHenry County
DuPage County	Kendall County	Will County

Other Urban/Suburban (excluding Chicago Metro Area)

Alexander County ²	Jersey County	Piatt County
Bond County	Kankakee County	Rock Island County
Boone County	Macon County	Sangamon County
Calhoun County	Macoupin County	St. Clair County
Champaign County	Madison County	Stark County
Clinton County	Marshall County	Tazewell County
Crawford County ²	McLean County	Vermilion County
DeWitt County ²	Menard County	Williamson County ²
Ford County	Mercer County	Winnebago County
Henry County	Monroe County	Woodford County
Jackson County ²	Peoria County	

¹ Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs), as defined in 2006 by the Federal Office of Management and Budget, are a county or group of counties that have at least one urbanized area of 50,000 or more population with a high degree of social and economic integration. http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/inforeg_statpolicy/#ms.

² Prior to the 2010 census, the counties of Alexander, Crawford, DeWitt, Jackson, and Williamson were not part of a Metropolitan Statistical Area (MSA) and were classified as "Rural" in data collection through 2012. Updated data from the 2010 census was not yet available when the 2012 sample was drawn.

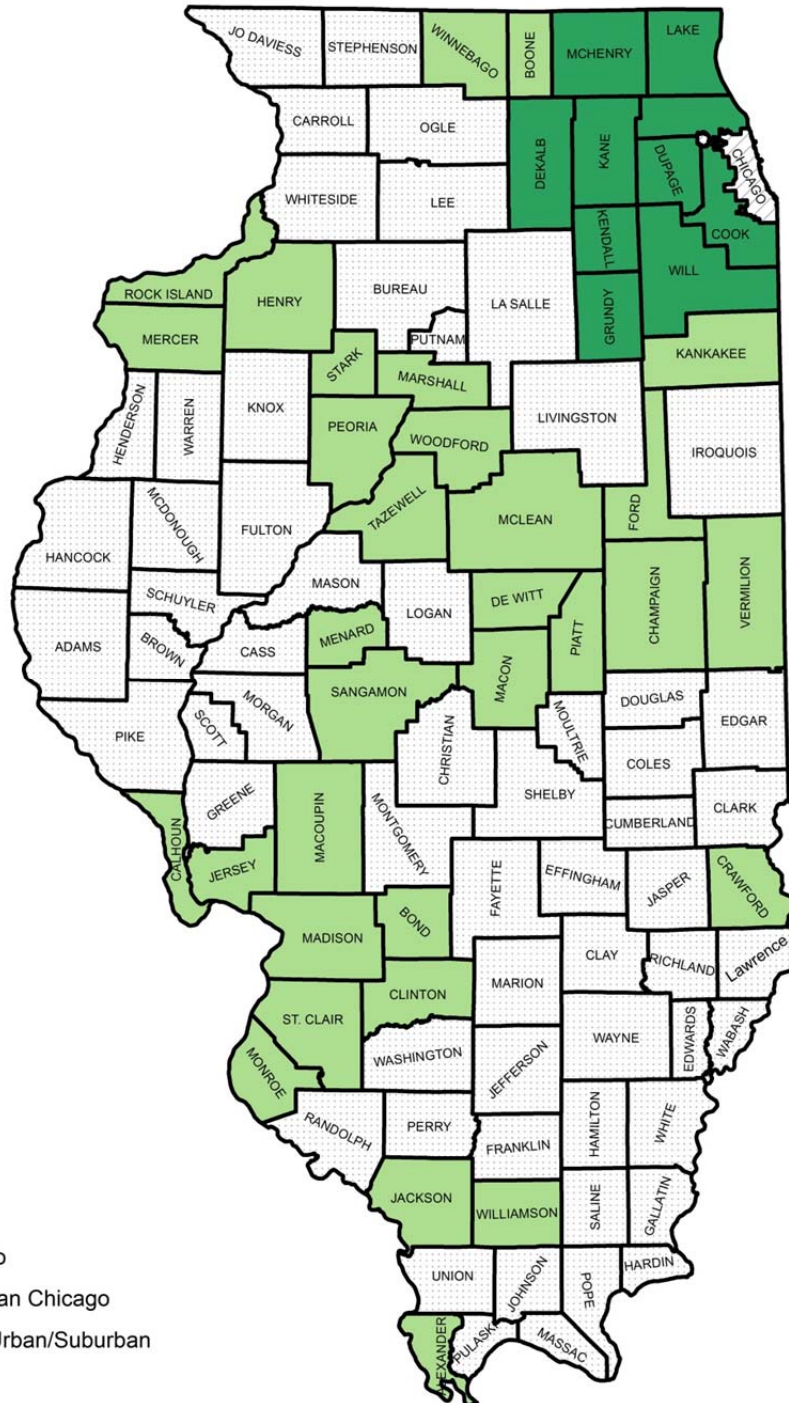
Rural

Adams County
Brown County
Bureau County
Carroll County
Cass County
Christian County
Clark County
Clay County
Coles County
Cumberland County
Douglas County
Edgar County
Edwards County
Effingham County
Fayette County
Franklin County
Fulton County
Gallatin County
Greene County
Hamilton County
Hancock County

Hardin County
Henderson County
Iroquois County
Jasper County
Jefferson County
Jo Daviess County
Johnson County
Knox County
LaSalle County
Lawrence County
Lee County
Livingston County
Logan County
Marion County
Mason County
Massac County
McDonough County
Montgomery County
Morgan County
Moultrie County

Ogle County
Perry County
Pike County
Pope County
Pulaski County
Putnam County
Randolph County
Richland County
Saline County
Schuyler County
Scott County
Shelby County
Stephenson County
Union County
Wabash County
Warren County
Washington County
Wayne County
White County
Whiteside County

ILLINOIS COUNTIES BY COMMUNITY TYPE



Legend



Counties Alexander, Crawford, De Witt, Jackson and Williamson changed from "Rural" to "Other Urban/Suburban"(Census 2010).

Appendix 10: Monitoring the Future National Trends (2007-2014)

Indicator	Grade Level	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Alcohol									
Past year alcohol use	8th	31.8%	32.1%	30.3%	29.3%	26.9%	23.6%	22.1%	20.8%
	10th	56.3%	52.5%	52.8%	52.1%	49.8%	48.5%	47.1%	44.0%
	12th	66.4%	65.5%	66.2%	65.2%	63.5%	63.5%	62.0%	60.2%
Past 30 day alcohol use	8th	15.9%	15.9%	14.9%	13.8%	12.7%	11.0%	10.2%	9.0%
	10th	33.4%	28.8%	30.4%	28.9%	27.2%	27.6%	25.7%	23.5%
	12th	44.4%	43.1%	43.5%	41.2%	40.0%	41.5%	39.2%	37.4%
Tobacco									
Past 30 day cigarette use	8th	7.1%	6.8%	6.5%	7.1%	6.1%	4.9%	4.5%	4.0%
	10th	14.0%	12.3%	13.1%	13.6%	11.8%	10.8%	9.1%	7.2%
	12th	21.6%	20.4%	20.1%	19.2%	18.7%	17.1%	16.3%	13.6%
Past 30 day smokeless tobacco use	8th	3.2%	3.5%	3.7%	4.1%	3.5%	2.8%	2.8%	3.0%
	10th	6.1%	5.0%	6.5%	7.5%	6.6%	6.4%	6.4%	5.3%
	12th	6.6%	6.5%	8.4%	8.5%	8.3%	7.9%	8.1%	8.4%
Marijuana									
Past year marijuana use	8th	10.3%	10.9%	11.8%	13.7%	12.5%	11.4%	12.7%	11.7%
	10th	24.6%	23.9%	26.7%	27.5%	28.8%	28.0%	29.8%	27.3%
	12th	31.7%	32.4%	32.8%	34.8%	36.4%	36.4%	36.4%	35.1%
Past 30 day marijuana use	8th	5.7%	5.8%	6.5%	8.0%	7.2%	6.5%	7.0%	6.5%
	10th	14.2%	13.8%	15.9%	16.7%	17.6%	17.0%	18.0%	16.6%
	12th	18.8%	19.4%	20.6%	21.4%	22.6%	22.9%	22.7%	21.2%
Inhalants									
Past year inhalant use	8th	8.3%	8.9%	8.1%	8.1%	7.0%	6.2%	5.2%	5.3%
	10th	6.6%	5.9%	6.1%	5.7%	4.5%	4.1%	3.5%	3.3%
	12th	3.7%	3.8%	3.4%	3.6%	3.2%	2.9%	2.5%	1.9%
Past 30 day inhalant use	8th	3.9%	4.1%	3.8%	3.6%	3.2%	2.7%	2.3%	2.2%
	10th	2.5%	2.1%	2.2%	2.0%	1.7%	1.4%	1.3%	1.1%
	12th	1.2%	1.4%	1.2%	1.4%	1.0%	0.9%	1.0%	0.7%
Prescription Drugs Without a Prescription									
Past year steroid use (without a doctor's prescription)	8th	0.8%	0.9%	0.8%	0.5%	0.7%	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%
	10th	1.1%	0.9%	0.8%	1.0%	0.9%	0.8%	0.8%	0.8%
	12th	1.4%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.2%	1.3%	1.5%	1.5%
Past year any prescription drug use (without a doctor telling you to use them)	8th	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	10th	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	12th	15.8%	15.4%	14.4%	15.0%	15.2%	14.8%	15.9%	13.9%

Data source: <http://www.monitoringthefuture.org/pubs/monographs/mtf-overview2013.pdf>

Appendix 10: Monitoring the Future National Trends (2007-2014)

Indicator	Grade Level	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Prescription Drugs Without a Prescription (cont.)									
Past 30 day any prescription drug use (without a doctor telling you to use them)	8th	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	10th	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	12th	7.8%	7.2%	7.3%	6.9%	7.2%	7.0%	7.1%	6.4%
Other Illegal Drugs									
Past year MDMA ("ecstasy") use	8th	1.5%	1.7%	1.3%	2.4%	1.7%	1.1%	1.1%	0.9%
	10th	3.5%	2.9%	3.7%	4.7%	4.5%	3.0%	3.6%	2.3%
	12th	4.5%	4.3%	4.3%	4.5%	5.3%	3.8%	4.0%	3.6%
Past year cocaine use	8th	2.0%	1.8%	1.6%	1.6%	1.4%	1.2%	1.0%	1.0%
	10th	3.4%	3.0%	2.7%	2.2%	1.9%	2.0%	1.9%	1.5%
	12th	5.2%	4.4%	3.4%	2.9%	2.9%	2.7%	2.6%	2.6%
Past year methamphetamine use	8th	1.1%	1.2%	1.0%	1.2%	0.8%	1.0%	1.0%	0.6%
	10th	1.6%	1.5%	1.6%	1.6%	1.4%	1.0%	1.0%	0.8%
	12th	1.7%	1.2%	1.2%	1.0%	1.4%	1.1%	0.9%	1.0%
Past year heroin use	8th	0.8%	0.9%	0.7%	0.8%	0.7%	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%
	10th	0.8%	0.8%	0.9%	0.8%	0.8%	0.6%	0.6%	0.5%
	12th	0.9%	0.7%	0.7%	9.0%	0.8%	0.6%	0.6%	0.6%

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