

TABLE 2. Asthma Indicators by Onset (Child or Adult) among adults with current asthma in New Hampshire: BRFSS 2004.

Indicator	Total			Child Onset			Adult Onset			P*
	n	%	se	n	%	se	n	%	se	
Medication Status (30 days)	474			159			315			0.03 **
No Medication	149	34.5	2.7	61	42.1	5.0	88	29.2	2.9	<0.01 ***
Any Medication	325	65.5	2.7	98	57.9	5.0	227	70.8	2.9	
Less than once a week	41	8.0	1.4	13	7.5	2.3	28	8.4	1.6	
≥ 1 time a week, but not daily	78	17.6	2.1	36	21.9	4.0	42	14.5	2.2	
Once every day	89	20.0	2.3	22	17.8	4.3	67	21.5	2.6	
Two or more times every day	117	19.9	2.0	27	10.7	2.2	90	26.4	2.8	
Attack	474			159			315			0.73 **
Did not have attack	230	47.6	2.8	73	46.4	4.9	157	48.4	3.2	
Had attack	244	52.4	2.8	86	53.6	4.9	158	51.6	3.2	
Emergency Department Visits	478			159			319			0.40 **
No visit	409	86.8	1.8	140	88.6	3.0	269	85.5	2.2	0.10 ***
Any visit	69	13.2	1.8	19	11.4	3.0	50	14.5	2.2	
One visit	39	8.0	1.5	14	8.8	2.7	25	7.5	1.6	
Two or more visits	30	5.2	1.1	5	2.6	1.3	25	7.0	1.5	
Urgent Doctor Visits	475			158			317			<0.01 **
No visit	347	75.8	2.2	124	85.5	2.8	223	68.9	3.1	<0.01 ***
Any visit	128	24.2	2.2	34	14.5	2.8	94	31.1	3.1	
One visit	49	8.1	1.2	12	4.2	1.3	37	10.9	1.9	
Two or more visits	79	16.1	2.0	22	10.3	2.4	57	20.2	2.8	
Routine Doctor Visits	475			160			315			0.03 **
No visits	208	47.2	2.8	76	55.0	4.9	132	41.7	3.1	0.02 ***
Any visit	267	52.8	2.8	84	45.0	4.9	183	58.3	3.1	
One visit	132	27.5	2.4	46	27.0	4.2	86	27.8	2.8	
Two visits	55	10.3	1.5	23	9.3	2.1	32	10.9	2.0	
Three or more visits	80	15.0	1.9	15	8.7	2.4	65	19.6	2.6	
Activity Limitation	475			160			315			0.48 **
No days	365	76.2	2.5	123	74.0	4.9	242	77.9	2.6	0.04 ***
Any days	110	23.8	2.5	37	26.0	4.9	73	22.1	2.6	
1-10 days	87	20.3	2.5	31	24.6	4.9	56	17.3	2.4	
> 10 days	23	3.5	0.8	6	1.4	0.6	17	4.8	1.3	
Days with Symptoms	466			155			311			0.76 **
No days	147	31.0	2.5	50	30.1	4.4	97	31.7	2.9	0.12 ***
Any days	319	69.0	2.5	105	69.9	4.4	214	68.3	2.9	
< once a week	96	21.6	2.3	43	28.6	4.5	53	16.7	2.3	
once, or more, a week	129	29.2	2.6	40	26.5	4.6	89	31.2	3.1	
every day	94	18.2	2.2	22	14.8	4.2	72	20.4	2.5	
Days with Sleep Disturbance	467			160			307			0.07 **
No days	356	77.2	2.4	130	82.4	4.2	226	73.4	2.8	0.02 ***
Any days	111	22.8	2.4	30	17.6	4.2	81	26.6	2.8	
1-2 days	55	11.9	1.8	17	10.0	3.2	38	13.3	2.1	
3-10 days	35	7.3	1.6	10	6.7	3.2	25	7.7	1.6	
> 10 days	21	3.6	0.9	3	0.9	0.5	18	5.6	1.5	

* P: Wald chi-square test for the general association between each Indicator and Onset (Child or Adult).

** chi-square for 2 category Indicator.

*** chi-square for 3 to 5 category Indicator.