

Table L2.1
Adult Self-Reported Lifetime Asthma Prevalence Rate (Percent)
by Sex and State or Territory: BRFSS 2003

State	Sample Size	Prevalence (percent)	Male Standard Error	Male 95% CI* (percent)		Sample Size	Prevalence (percent)	Female Standard Error	Female 95% CI* (percent)
U.S. Total**	101,611	10.3	0.18	(10.0 - 10.7)		155,701	13.3	0.16	(13.0 - 13.6)
AL	1,185	10.2	1.13	(8.0 - 12.4)		2,154	12.8	0.82	(11.2 - 14.4)
AK	1,225	9.8	1.14	(7.5 - 12.0)		1,433	17.1	1.49	(14.2 - 20.0)
AZ	1,229	11.6	1.28	(9.1 - 14.2)		2,004	13.3	1.10	(11.1 - 15.5)
AR	1,583	9.2	0.84	(7.5 - 10.8)		2,616	13.3	0.77	(11.8 - 14.9)
CA	1,843	11.9	0.89	(10.1 - 13.6)		2,632	14.9	0.82	(13.3 - 16.5)
CO	1,702	10.8	0.91	(9.1 - 12.6)		2,362	14.0	0.84	(12.4 - 15.7)
CT	2,156	10.7	0.77	(9.2 - 12.2)		3,154	13.5	0.68	(12.2 - 14.8)
DE	1,591	9.6	0.99	(7.7 - 11.5)		2,447	13.7	0.90	(11.9 - 15.5)
DC	844	9.8	1.26	(7.4 - 12.3)		1,194	15.2	1.32	(12.7 - 17.8)
FL	2,011	9.1	0.97	(7.2 - 11.1)		3,023	11.0	0.85	(9.3 - 12.6)
GA	2,749	10.7	0.97	(8.8 - 12.6)		4,884	12.9	0.67	(11.6 - 14.2)
HI	1,758	9.9	0.89	(8.2 - 11.7)		2,574	13.2	0.83	(11.6 - 14.8)
ID	1,946	8.4	0.72	(7.0 - 9.8)		3,046	15.0	0.82	(13.4 - 16.6)
IL	2,045	9.2	0.73	(7.8 - 10.6)		3,219	12.9	0.66	(11.6 - 14.2)
IN	2,161	9.4	0.71	(8.0 - 10.8)		3,313	14.4	0.69	(13.1 - 15.8)
IA	2,044	9.3	0.87	(7.6 - 11.1)		2,955	11.1	0.71	(9.7 - 12.5)
KS	1,828	10.4	0.91	(8.6 - 12.2)		2,785	12.7	0.74	(11.2 - 14.1)
KY	2,585	9.4	0.80	(7.8 - 11.0)		5,037	15.5	0.83	(13.9 - 17.1)
LA	1,815	9.2	0.81	(7.7 - 10.8)		3,257	11.1	0.64	(9.8 - 12.3)
ME	939	11.1	1.20	(8.7 - 13.4)		1,445	15.5	1.10	(13.4 - 17.7)
MD	1,776	10.4	0.97	(8.5 - 12.3)		2,657	14.1	0.90	(12.3 - 15.8)
MA	3,022	13.0	0.82	(11.4 - 14.6)		4,547	15.6	0.69	(14.2 - 17.0)
MI	1,401	11.8	1.01	(9.8 - 13.8)		2,145	15.2	0.90	(13.4 - 17.0)
MN	1,628	9.2	0.89	(7.4 - 10.9)		2,246	11.8	0.80	(10.3 - 13.4)
MS	1,571	9.1	0.86	(7.4 - 10.8)		2,845	12.5	0.75	(11.1 - 14.0)
MO	1,728	10.3	1.03	(8.3 - 12.4)		2,522	13.3	0.99	(11.4 - 15.2)
MT	1,739	10.3	1.02	(8.3 - 12.3)		2,279	11.8	0.88	(10.1 - 13.5)
NE	1,955	9.6	0.80	(8.1 - 11.2)		3,015	11.0	0.64	(9.7 - 12.2)
NV	1,436	10.3	1.15	(8.1 - 12.6)		1,533	12.6	1.18	(10.2 - 14.9)
NH	2,053	10.1	0.79	(8.5 - 11.6)		2,983	15.5	0.81	(13.9 - 17.1)

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*CI denotes confidence interval.

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NJ	4,502	8.5	0.51	(7.5 - 9.5)		6,791	13.0	0.52	(12.0 - 14.1)
NM	2,231	9.0	0.72	(7.6 - 10.5)		3,259	11.8	0.68	(10.5 - 13.2)
NY	2,171	10.0	0.75	(8.6 - 11.5)		3,364	13.2	0.69	(11.8 - 14.5)
NC	3,475	10.0	0.83	(8.4 - 11.7)		5,971	12.5	0.65	(11.2 - 13.8)
ND	1,278	8.7	0.88	(6.9 - 10.4)		1,743	11.4	0.87	(9.7 - 13.1)
OH	1,501	9.5	0.98	(7.6 - 11.4)		2,320	12.1	0.84	(10.4 - 13.7)
OK	2,932	10.7	0.71	(9.3 - 12.1)		4,692	12.8	0.58	(11.7 - 13.9)
OR	1,638	13.3	0.94	(11.5 - 15.2)		2,372	16.0	0.85	(14.3 - 17.7)
PA	1,455	10.0	0.92	(8.2 - 11.8)		2,210	13.7	0.83	(12.0 - 15.3)
RI	1,575	12.3	1.09	(10.1 - 14.4)		2,467	16.3	0.87	(14.6 - 18.0)
SC	2,242	8.3	0.72	(6.9 - 9.7)		3,679	11.9	0.62	(10.6 - 13.1)
SD	2,194	10.5	0.92	(8.8 - 12.3)		3,063	10.8	0.70	(9.4 - 12.2)
TN	941	11.1	1.30	(8.5 - 13.7)		1,645	12.5	0.98	(10.6 - 14.4)
TX	2,294	10.1	0.76	(8.6 - 11.6)		3,728	12.4	0.63	(11.1 - 13.6)
UT	1,817	10.1	0.97	(8.2 - 12.0)		2,231	12.4	0.99	(10.5 - 14.4)
VT	1,746	11.0	0.93	(9.2 - 12.8)		2,497	13.3	0.78	(11.8 - 14.8)
VA	2,160	10.8	0.87	(9.1 - 12.5)		3,275	13.4	0.85	(11.7 - 15.0)
WA	7,305	11.6	0.49	(10.6 - 12.5)		11,300	16.1	0.43	(15.2 - 16.9)
WV	1,321	9.6	0.91	(7.8 - 11.4)		2,025	13.9	0.85	(12.2 - 15.6)
WI	1,631	10.0	0.97	(8.1 - 11.9)		2,418	11.9	0.79	(10.3 - 13.4)
WY	1,654	9.9	0.82	(8.3 - 11.5)		2,345	12.6	0.80	(11.1 - 14.2)
Territories									
GU	356	6.8	1.38	(4.1 - 9.5)		449	13.9	1.83	(10.3 - 17.5)
PR	1,525	16.2	1.28	(13.6 - 18.7)		2,641	24.6	1.12	(22.4 - 26.8)
VI	775	9.3	1.58	(6.1 - 12.4)		1,276	9.2	1.18	(6.9 - 11.5)

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