# Data User's Guide

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#### I. Data Edits

Editing consists of checking responses for range, height/weight plausibility, and logical consistency. Data deemed invalid are set to missing.

## 1. Single Question Edits

- If the response to a question does not correspond to one of the possible responses, the response for that question is invalid and is set to missing. This can occur if the only response options for a question are "A" or "B" and the response recorded is "C", "D", "E", "F", "G", or "H", for example.
- If more than one response is selected for a question, the response for that question will be considered invalid and set to missing. The one exception is the race question (Q5), which can have multiple responses.

## 2. Height, Weight, and Body Mass Index (BMI) Edits

Self-reported height and weight are required questions on the high school surveys. Height and weight are not recommended for use on middle school surveys.

#### a. Height/Weight Edits:

*Height* is read as a three-column character variable. It is not compressed or justified by the scanning program. The possible responses for the first column range from "3" to "7" and indicate feet; the possible responses for the second and third columns range from "00" to "11" and indicate inches. The height in feet and inches is converted to height in meters using the formula below.

$$Height(in\ m) = [(feet \times 12) + inches] \times 0.0254\ m/in$$

- If either feet or inches is not filled in or is unreadable, then *Height* is set to missing.
- If Weight is missing or set to missing, then Height is set to missing.

Weight is read as a three-column character variable. It is not compressed or justified by the scanning program. The first column indicates 100s of pounds ranging from "0" to "3"; the second column indicates 10s of pounds and ranges from "0" to "9"; the third column indicates single pounds and ranges from "0" to "9". The weight in pounds is then converted to weight in kilograms using the following formula:

Weight (in kg) = Weight (in lbs) 
$$\times$$
 0.4536 kg/lb

- If the first column is left blank, it is assumed to be a "0".
- If the first column is unreadable, all columns are set to missing and Weight is set to missing.
- If column two or column three is left blank or is unreadable, all columns are set to missing and *Weight* is set to missing.
- If *Height* is missing or set to missing, then *Weight* is set to missing.

#### b. BMI Edits:

BMI is calculated using *Height* and *Weight* in the following formula:

$$BMI = kg/m^2 = Weight (in kg)/[Height (in m)^2]$$

- If Height or Weight are missing, BMI is set to missing
- If age or sex is missing, *Height*, *Weight*, and BMI are set to missing because the biologically implausible limits (see section 2c) are based on age and sex.

## c. Biologically Implausible Value Edits:

When the basic edits for BMI are complete, further edits are applied to *Height*, *Weight*, and BMI to ensure the results are biologically plausible. *Height*, *Weight*, and BMI are set to missing when an observation lies outside the following limits developed by the Division of Nutrition, Physical Activity and Obesity, CDC.

Age	Males	Females	
≤ 10	Weight: 13.61-90.72 kg Height: 0.94-1.68 m BMI: 11.5 –41	Weight: 13.61-90.72 kg Height: 0.94-1.73 m BMI: 11-40	
11-12	Weight: 20.41-136.08 kg Height: 1.02-1.83 m BMI: 11.5-41	Weight: 15.88-136.08 kg Height: 1.02-1.83 m BMI: 11-40	
13-14	Weight: 27.22-181.44 kg Height: 1.27-1.98 m BMI: 13-55	Weight: 27.22-181.44 kg Height: 1.27-1.98 m BMI: 13-55	
≥ 15	Weight: 31.75-181.44 kg Height: 1.27-2.11 m BMI: 13-55	Weight: 27.22-181.44 kg Height: 1.27-1.98 m BMI: 13-55	

## 3. Logical Consistency Edits

The majority of the edit criteria compare two questions at a time to ensure logical consistency. If responses from two questions conflict logically, both questions are set to blank. (Exception – data from demographic questions are not set to missing in this case.)

For modified questionnaires, there may be additional edit criteria for site-added questions. Site-added questions are only edited among themselves. If necessary, demographic variables also may be used to edit against the site-added questions. However, no other standard variables are used to cross-edit with site-added questions, maintaining the integrity of internal consistency among standard questions.

Lists of the logical edits used for the 2011 high school and middle school questionnaires follow. If the edit criteria are met, data from the questions are changed to missing, unless they are demographic questions.

## 2011 High School YRBS Edit Criteria

## **Weapon Carrying**

- 1. If q12=a and q13=b,c,d,e
- 2. If q12=b and q13=c,d,e
- 3. If q12=c and q13=d,e
- 4. If q12=d and q13=e
- 5. If q12=a and q14=b,c,d,e
- 6. If q12=b and q14=c,d,e
- 7. If q12=c and q14=d,e
- 8. If q12=d and q14=e

#### **Fighting**

- 9. If q17=a and q18=b,c,d,e
- 10. If q17=b and q18=c,d,e
- 11. If q17=c and q18=d,e
- 12. If q17=d and q18=e
- 13. If q17=a and q19=b,c,d,e,f,g,h
- 14. If q17=b and q19=c,d,e,f,g,h
- 15. If q17=c and q19=d,e,f,g,h
- 16. If q17=d and q19=e,f,g,h
- 17. If q17=e and q19=f,g,h
- 18. If q17=f and q19=g,h
- 19. If q17=g and q19=h

#### Suicide

- 20. If q27=a and q28=b,c
- 21. If q28=a and q27=b,c,d,e

#### Tobacco Use

- 22. If q1=a and q30=e,f,g
- 23. If q1=b and q30=f,g
- 24. If q1=c and q30=f,g
- 25. If q1=d and q30=g
- 26. If q1=e and q30=g
- 27. If q29=b and q30=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 28. If q29=b and q31=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 29. If q29=b and q32=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 30. If q29=b and q33=b,c,d,e,f,g,h
- 31. If q29=b and q34=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 32. If q29=b and q35=a
- 33. If q29=b and q36=b
- 34. If q30=a and q32=c,d,e,f,g
- 35. If q30=a and q35=a
- 36. If q30=a and q36=b
- 37. If q31=a and q32=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 38. If q31=a and q33=b,c,d,e,f,g,h
- 39. If q31=a and q34=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 40. If q31=b and q34=c,d,e,f,g
- 41. If q31=c and q34=d,e,f,g
- 42. If q31=d and q34=e,f,g
- 43. If q31=e and q34=f,g
- 44. If q31=f and q34=g
- 45. If q32=a and q31=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 46. If q32=a and q33=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

- 47. If q32=a and q34=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 48. If q33=a and q31=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 49. If q33=a and q32=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 50. If q33=a and q34=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 51. If q36=a and q31=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 52. If q36=a and q32=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 53. If q36=a and q33=b,c,d,e,f,g,h
- 54. If q36=a and q34=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 55. If q37=a and q38=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 56. If q37=b and q38=c,d,e,f,g
- 57. If q37=c and q38=d,e,f,g
- 58. If q37=d and q38=e,f,g
- 59. If q37=e and q38=f,g
- 60. If q37=f and q38=g

#### Alcohol Use

- 61. If q1=a and q41=e,f,g
- 62. If q1=b and q41=f,g
- 63. If q1=c and q41=f,g
- 64. If q1=d and q41=g
- 65. If q1=e and q41=g
- 66. If q40=a and q11=b,c,d,e
- 67. If q40=a and q42=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 68. If q40=b and q42=c,d,e,f,g
- 69. If q40=c and q42=e,f,g
- 70. If q40=d and q42=f,g
- 71. If q40=a and q43=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 72. If q40=b and q43=d,e,f,g
- 73. If q40=c and q43=f,g
- 74. If q40=d and q43=g
- 75. If q40=a and q44=b,c,d,e,f,g,h
- 76. If q40=a and q45=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 77. If q40=b and q45=c,d,e,f,g
- 78. If q40=c and q45=e,f,g
- 79. If q40=d and q45=f,g
- 80. If q42=a and q11=b,c,d,e
- 81. If q42=a and q43=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 82. If q42=b and q43=d,e,f,g
- 83. If q42=c and q43=e,f,g
- 84. If q42=d and q43=f,g
- 85. If q42=e and q43=g
- 86. If q42=a and q44=b,c,d,e,f,g,h
- 87. If q42=a and q45=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 88. If q42=b and q45=c,d,e,f,g
- 89. If q42=c and q45=d,e,f,g
- 90. If q42=d and q45=e,f,g
- 91. If q42=e and q45=f,g
- 92. If q42=f and q45=g
- 93. If q44=a and q11=b,c,d,e
- 94. If q44=a and q42=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 95. If q44=a and q43=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 96. If q44=a and q45=b,c,d,e,f,g

## Marijuana Use

97. If q1=a and q47=e,f,g 98. If q1=b and q47=f,g

99. If q1=c and q47=f,g

100.If q1=d and q47=g

101.If q1=e and q47=g

102.If q46=a and q47=b,c,d,e,f,g

103.If q46=a and q48=b,c,d,e,f

104.If q46=b and q48=c,d,e,f

105.If q46=c and q48=d,e,f

106.If q46=d and q48=e,f

107.If q46=e and q48=f

108.If q46=a and q49=b,c,d,e,f

109.If q46=b and q49=c,d,e,f

110.If q46=c and q49=d,e,f

111.If q46=d and q49=e,f

112.If q46=e and q49=f

113.If q47=a and q46=b,c,d,e,f,g

114.If q47=a and q48=b,c,d,e,f

115.If q47=a and q49=b,c,d,e,f

116.If q48=a and q49=b,c,d,e,f

117.If q48=b and q49=c,d,e,f

118.If q48=c and q49=d,e,f

119.If q48=d and q49=e,f

120.If q48=e and q49=f

## Cocaine and Other Drug Use

121.If q50=a and q51=b,c,d,e,f

122.If q50=b and q51=c,d,e,f

123.If q50=c and q51=d,e,f

124.If q50=d and q51=e,f

125.If q50=e and q51=f

#### Sexual Behaviors

126.If q1=a and q61=d,e,f,g,h

127.If q1=b and q61=e,f,g,h

128.If q1=c and q61=f,g,h

129.If q1=d and q61=g,h

130.If q1=e and q61=h

131.If q60=a and q61=a

132.If q60=b and q61=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

133.If q60=a and q62=a

134.If q60=b and q62=b,c,d,e,f,g

135.If q60=a and q63=a

136.If q60=b and q63=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

137.If q60=a and q64=a

138.If q60=b and q64=b,c

139.If q60=a and q65=a

140.If q60=b and q65=b,c

141.If q60=a and q66=a

142.If q60=b and q66=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

143.If q61=a and q62=b,c,d,e,f,g

144.If q61=a and q63=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

145.If q61=a and q64=b,c

146.If q61=a and q65=b,c

147.If q61=a and q66=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

148.If q62=a and q61=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

149.If q62=a and q63=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

150.If q62=b and q63=d,e,f,g,h

151.If q62=c and q63=e,f,g,h

152.If q62=d and q63=f,g,h

153.If q62=e and q63=g,h

154.If q62=f and q63=h

155.If q62=a and q64=b,c

156.If q62=a and q65=b,c

157.If q62=a and q66=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

158.If q63=a and q61=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

159.If q63=a and q62=b,c,d,e,f,g

160.If q63=a and q64=b,c

161.If q63=a and q65=b,c

162.If q63=a and q66=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

163.If q64=a and q61=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

164.If q64=a and q62=b,c,d,e,f,g

165.If q64=a and q63=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

166.If q64=a and q65=b,c

167.If q64=a and q66=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

168.If q65=a and q61=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

169.If q65=a and q62=b,c,d,e,f,g

170.If q65=a and q63=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

171.If q65=a and q64=b,c

172.If q65=a and q66=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

173.If q65=c and q66=d

174.If q66=a and q61=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

175.If q66=a and q62=b,c,d,e,f,g

176.If q66=a and q63=b,c,d,e,f,g,h

177.If q66=a and q64=b,c

178.If q66=a and q65=b,c

## Sex and Alcohol or Drugs

179.If q64=b and q40=a and q46=a and q50=a and q52=a and q53=a and q54=q and q55=a

#### 2011 Middle School YRBS Edit Criteria

## **Fighting**

1. If q11=b and q12=a

#### **Tobacco Use**

- 2. If q1=a and q19=e,f,g
- 3. If q1=b and q19=f,g
- 4. If q1=c and q19=g
- 5. If q18=b and q19=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 6. If q18=b and q20=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 7. If q18=b and q21=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 8. If q18=b and q22=b,c,d,e,f,g,h
- 9. If q18=b and q23=a
- 10. If q19=a and q21=c,d,e,f,g
- 11. If q19=a and q23=a
- 12. If q20=a and q21=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 13. If q20=a and q22=b,c,d,e,f,g,h
- 14. If q21=a and q20=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 15. If q21=a and q22=b,c,d,e,f,g,h
- 16. If q22=a and q20=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 17. If q22=a and q21=b,c,d,e,f,g

#### Alcohol Use

- 18. If q1=a and q27=e,f,g
- 19. If q1=b and q27=f,g
- 20. If q1=c and q27=g
- 21. If q26=a and q27=a

22. If q26=b and q27=b,c,d,e,f,g

## Marijuana Use

- 23. If q1=a and q29=e,f,g
- 24. If q1=b and q29=f,g
- 25. If q1=c and q29=g
- 26. If q28=a and q29=a
- 27. If q28=b and q29=b,c,d,e,f,g

#### **Sexual Behaviors**

- 28. If q1=a and q35=e,f,g
- 29. If q1=b and q35=f,g
- 30. If q1=c and q35=g
- 31. If q34=a and q35=a
- 32. If q34=b and q35=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 33. If q34=a and q36=a
- 34. If q34=b and q36=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 35. If q34=a and q37=a
- 36. If q34=b and q37=b,c
- 37. If q35=a and q36=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 38. If q35=a and q37=b,c
- 39. If q36=a and q35=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 40. If q36=a and q37=b,c
- 41. If q37=a and q35=b,c,d,e,f,g
- 42. If q37=a and q36=b,c,d,e,f,g

**Please note:** Site-added questions are not edited against standard questions. Some sites have added standard high school questions to the middle school questionnaire. These questions are considered site-added for the middle school questionnaire and are not edited the same as they are in the high school questionnaire.

#### 4. Subversion of Records

Records are marked "subverted" under the following conditions:

When there are more than 50 total questions and if a student answers 20 or less questions or answers with b, c, d, e, f, g, or h 15 or more times in a row, all values except the demographic variables are set to missing.

When there are 50 or fewer total questions and if a student answers 15 or less questions or answers with b, c, d, e, f, g, or h 12 or more times in a row, all values except the demographic variables are set to missing.

Subverting records eliminates records that are judged too incomplete overall to be valid for analysis.

#### II. Variables

## 1. Race/Ethnicity

**Please note:** the following description of creating the race/ethnicity variable is based on the standard response options for Q5. Sites may modify the response options to better represent their population. Data from sites that modify Q5 are processed in a manner comparable to the standard question.

Race/ethnicity (*raceeth*) for the 2011 YRBS is computed from two questions:

4. Are you Hispanic or Latino?

A. Yes

B. No

5. What is your race? (Select one or more responses.)

A. American Indian or Alaska Native

B. Asian

C. Black or African American

D. Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

E. White

Ethnicity (Q4) is scanned as a single column variable with either A or B as valid responses. Race (Q5) is the only YRBS question that permits the selection of more than one response. It is a "check all that apply" type question and is scanned as an eight-column character variable. If the student selected "A", then the first column contains an "A". If they selected "B", then the second column contains a "B", and so on.

Prior to 2007, a single question was used to ascertain race/ethnicity. To maintain comparability, Q4 and Q5 are combined to create the two-column *raceeth* variable. If the student selected "B" for Q4 and only one response option for Q5 then *raceeth* is set to a number between "1" and "5" depending on the Q5 option selected. If they selected "A" for Q4 and no response for Q5, *raceeth* is set to "6" indicating "Hispanic/Latino". If they selected "A" for Q4 and one or more responses for Q5, then *raceeth* is set to "7" indicating "Multiple – Hispanic/Latino". If they selected "B" for Q4 and more than one response for Q5, then *raceeth* is set to "8" indicating "Multiple – Non-Hispanic/Latino". *Raceeth* is set to "missing" if they answered "B" to Q4 and left Q5 blank, or they left Q4 blank regardless of the response for Q5, or if Q4 or Q5 is out of range.

Ethnicity	Race	Raceeth (Values and Labels*)
В	A	1 (American Indian/Alaskan Native)
В	В	2 (Asian)
В	С	3 (Black or African American)
В	D	4 (Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander)
В	Е	5 (White)
A	Missing	6 (Hispanic/Latino)
A	1 or more responses	7 (Multiple– Hispanic/Latino)
В	2 or more responses	8 (Multiple– Non-Hispanic/Latino)
В	Missing	Missing
Missing	Missing or Any response	Missing
Out of range	Any response	Missing
Any response	Out of range	Missing

<sup>\*</sup>The labels are based on standard response options. Labels will vary if the site modified the Q5 response options. The site may modify the *Race* question by adding response options up to a total of 8. The values for "Hispanic/Latino", "Multiple – Hispanic/Latino", and "Multiple Non-Hispanic/Latino" will vary according to how many response options are included in Q5. For example, if a site has 7 response options for Q5, then the values for "Hispanic/Latino", "Multiple – Hispanic/Latino", and "Multiple Non-Hispanic/Latino" would be 8, 9, and 10, respectively.

## 2. Percentile, Overweight, and Obese

Age (Q1), Sex (Q2), and BMI are used to determine *Overweight*\* (QNOWT) and *Obese*\* (QNOBESE). The student is considered overweight, and QNOWT is set to "1", when BMI percentile is at or above the 85<sup>th</sup> percentile and below the 95<sup>th</sup> percentile for BMI by age and sex. The student is considered obese, and QNOBESE is set to "1", when BMI percentile is at or above the 95<sup>th</sup> percentile for BMI by age and sex. If BMI is missing, then QNOWT and QNOBESE are set to missing. QNOWT and QNOBESE are mutually exclusive. The BMI percentile for age and sex (BMIPCT), QNOWT, and QNOBESE variables are included in the edited data set.

The "SAS Program for the 2000 CDC Growth Charts" developed by the CDC's Division of Nutrition, Physical Activity, and Obesity has been used to calculate BMI and BMI percentile for age and sex, and to generate QNOWT and QNOBESE. This program and technical documentation for its use are posted at:

# $\underline{http://www.cdc.gov/nccdphp/dnpa/growthcharts/resources/sas.htm}$

and are available for use by anyone who would like to regenerate the variables. Please note the units required by the SAS program are specified in the documentation available at the web site referenced above. YRBS data for height are stored in meters but the program requires height in centimeters. The program requires age in months but YRBS only has age in years. Therefore, age in months is approximated by adding six months to the age in years reported by the respondent. That is, if a YRBS respondent reports that they are 14 years of age, their age in months is calculated as (14 years \* 12 months) + 6 months = 174 months.

#### 3. Dichotomous

There are two types of dichotomous variables - **QN#** and **QNword**. The dichotomous variables present the percentage of students answering the predetermined response(s) of interest (ROI). Students answering the ROI(s) are in the numerator. The denominator is either all students or a subset of students who have indicated they participate in a selected activity or behavior. Students must have provided valid data to be included in any dichotomous variable calculations. Therefore students with missing responses or who had their answers subverted are not included. The variables are created and added to the master datasets during editing. The results are presented in the summary tables and graphs in your YRBS report.

a. QN# Variables: Each standard question will have a corresponding dichotomous variable. The name of the dichotomous variable corresponds to the original question number. For example, the dichotomous variable for Q10 is named QN10. The table below provides the question and response options used for each standard Q# variable and related QN# variable. The bolded responses indicate the ROIs for that question. The ROIs are set to "1" for the QN# variables; the remaining responses are set to "2" or to "missing" for the QN# variable. The numerator and denominator are further defined below the responses. The summary text appearing in the title of the tables for each QN# variable is also listed. Site-added questions and the corresponding QN#s are not included in this document.

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<sup>\*</sup> Note: YRBS reports prior to 2009 used the terms "overweight" to describe those youth with a BMI ≥95th percentile for age and sex and "at risk for overweight" for those with a BMI ≥85th percentile and <95th percentile. However, the terms "obese" and "overweight" were used in 2009 and forward in accordance with the 2007 recommendations from the Expert Committee on the Assessment, Prevention, and Treatment of Child and Adolescent Overweight and Obesity convened by the American Medical Association (AMA) and cofunded by AMA in collaboration with the Health Resources and Services Administration and the CDC.

# i. 2011 Standard High School YRBS Questions and Dichotomous Variables

A. 12 ye B. 13 ye C. 14 ye D. 15 ye	old are you? ars old or younger ars old				
	ars old ars old or older				
Variable label: Dependence:	How old are you Required by QN32, QNOWT, and QNOBESE				
Q2. What A. Fema B. Male	is your sex? le				
Variable label: Dependence:	What is your sex Required by QNOWT and QNOBESE				
A. 9th g B. 10th C. 11th D. 12th	grade grade				
Variable label:	In what grade are you				
Q4. Are y A. Yes B. No Variable label:	ou Hispanic or Latino?				
Q5. What A. Amer B. Asiar C. Black D. Nativ	25. What is your race? (Select one or more responses.) A. American Indian or Alaska Native B. Asian C. Black or African American D. Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander				
Variable label:	What is your race				
Q6. How	Q6. How tall are you without your shoes on?				
Variable label: Dependence:	How tall are you Required by QNOWT and QNOBESE				
Q7. How much do you weigh without your shoes on?					
Variable label: Dependence:	How much do you weigh Required by QNOWT and QNOBESE				

Q8. When you rode a bicycle during the past 12 months, how often did you wear a helmet?

I did not ride a bicycle during the past 12 months A.

В. Never wore a helmet

C. Rarely wore a helmet

D. Sometimes wore a helmet

E. Most of the time wore a helmet

F. Always wore a helmet

Variable label: How often wear bicycle helmet

QN8\*: Numerator: Students who answered B or C for Q8

> Denominator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q8

Among students who rode a bicycle during the past 12 months, the percentage who Summary text:

never or rarely wore a bicycle helmet

QN variable label: Never/rarely wore bicycle helmet

Q9. How often do you wear a seat belt when riding in a car driven by someone else?

A. Never

В. Rarely C.

Sometimes

D. Most of the time E. Always

Variable label: How often wore a seat belt

ON9: Numerator: Students who answered A or B for Q9

Students who answered A, B, C, D, or E for Q9 Denominator:

Summary text: Percentage of students who never or rarely wore a seat belt when riding in a car driven

by someone else

ON variable label: Never/rarely wore seat belt

Q10. During the past 30 days, how many times did you ride in a car or other vehicle driven by someone who

had been drinking alcohol?

A. 0 times

В. 1 time

C. 2 or 3 times

D. 4 or 5 times

E. 6 or more times

Variable label: How often ride w/drinking driver 30 days

ON10: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, or E for Q10

> Students who answered A, B, C, D, or E for Q10 Denominator:

Summary text: Percentage of students who rode one or more times during the past 30 days in a car or

other vehicle driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol

QN variable label: Rode 1+ times with drinking driver

Q11. During the past 30 days, how many times did you drive a car or other vehicle when you had been drinking alcohol? A. 0 times В. 1 time 2 or 3 times C. D. 4 or 5 times E. 6 or more times Variable label: How often drive while drinking 30 days QN11: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, or E for Q11 Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, or E for Q11 Summary text: Percentage of students who drove a car or other vehicle one or more times during the past 30 days when they had been drinking alcohol QN variable label: Drove 1+ times when drinking Q12. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club? A. 0 days В. 1 day C. 2 or 3 days 4 or 5 days D. E. 6 or more days Variable label: Carried weapon 30 days ON12: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, or E for Q12 Students who answered A, B, C, D, or E for Q12 Denominator: Summary text: Percentage of students who carried a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on one or more of the past 30 days ON variable label: Carried weapon 1+ times past 30 days Q13. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a gun? 0 days В. 1 day 2 or 3 days C. D. 4 or 5 days E. 6 or more days Variable label: Carried gun 30 days ON13: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, or E for Q13 Students who answered A, B, C, D, or E for Q13 Denominator: Percentage of students who carried a gun on one or more of the past 30 days Summary text: ON variable label: Carried gun 1+ past 30 days O14. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you carry a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on school property? A. 0 days В. 1 day 2 or 3 days C. D. 4 or 5 days E. 6 or more days Variable label: Carried weapon at school 30 days QN14: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, or E for Q14 Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, or E for Q14 Percentage of students who carried a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on school Summary text:

property on one or more of the past 30 days

Carried weapon school 1+ past 30 days

ON variable label:

Q15. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you not go to school because you felt you would be unsafe at school or on your way to or from school? A. В. 1 day 2 or 3 days C. D. 4 or 5 days Ε. 6 or more days Variable label: How many days feel unsafe@school 30 days QN15: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, or E for Q15 Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, or E for Q15 Percentage of students who did not go to school on one or more of Summary text: the past 30 days because they felt they would be unsafe at school or on their way to or from school ON variable label: Missed school b/c unsafe 1+ 30 days Q16. During the past 12 months, how many times has someone threatened or injured you with a weapon such as a gun, knife, or club on school property? A. 0 times В. 1 time 2 or 3 times C. D. 4 or 5 times 6 or 7 times E. F. 8 or 9 times G. 10 or 11 times H. 12 or more times Variable label: How many times threatened@school 12 mos ON16: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q16 Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q16 Denominator: Percentage of students who had been threatened or injured with a weapon such as a gun, Summary text: knife, or club on school property one or more times during the past 12 months QN variable label: Threatened at school 1+ times 12 mos Q17. During the past 12 months, how many times were you in a physical fight?

A. 0 times В. 1 time C. 2 or 3 times D. 4 or 5 times E. 6 or 7 times F. 8 or 9 times G. 10 or 11 times H. 12 or more times

Variable label: How many times in fight 12 mos

QN17: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q17
Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q17

Summary text: Percentage of students who were in a physical fight one or more times during the past

12 months

QN variable label: Fought 1+ times 12 mos

Q18. During the past 12 months, how many times were you in a physical fight in which you were injured and had

to be treated by a doctor or nurse?

A. 0 times

B. 1 time

C. 2 or 3 times

D. 2 or 3 times 4 or 5 times

E. 6 or more times

Variable label: How many times injured in fight 12 mos

QN18: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, or E for Q18

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, or E for Q18

Summary text: Percentage of students who were in a physical fight one or more times during the past

12 months in which they were injured and had to be treated by a doctor or nurse

QN variable label: Injured/treated 1+ times 12 mos

Q19. During the past 12 months, how many times were you in a physical fight on school property?

A. 0 times

B. 1 time

C. 2 or 3 times

D. 4 or 5 times

E. 6 or 7 times

F. 8 or 9 times

G. 10 or 11 times

H. 12 or more times

Variable label: How many times in fight @ school 12 mos

ON19: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for O19

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for O19

Summary text: Percentage of students who were in a physical fight on school property one or more

times during the past 12 months

QN variable label: Fought school 1+ times 12 mos

**Q20.** During the past 12 months, did your boyfriend or girlfriend ever hit, slap, or physically hurt you on

purpose?

A. Yes

Variable label: Did boyfriend/girlfriend hit/slap 12 mo

QN20: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q20

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q20

Summary text: Percentage of students who were ever hit, slapped, or physically hurt on purpose by

their boyfriend or girlfriend during the past 12 months

QN variable label: Hit by bf/gf 12 mos

**Q21.** Have you ever been physically forced to have sexual intercourse when you did not want to?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Have you been forced to have sex

No

QN21: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q21

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q21

Summary text: Percentage of students who had ever been physically forced to have sexual

intercourse when they did not want to

QN variable label: Forced to have sex

Q22. During the past 12 months, have you ever been bullied on school property?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Have you been bullied @ school 12 mos

QN22: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q22

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q22

Summary text: Percentage of students who had ever been bullied on school property during the past 12

months

QN variable label: Bullied at school 12 mos

Q23. During the past 12 months, have you ever been electronically bullied? (Include being bullied through e-

mail, chat rooms, instant messaging, Web sites, or texting.)

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever been electronically bullied 12 mos

QN23: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q23
Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q23

Summary text: Percentage of students who had ever been electronically bullied during the past 12

months

QN variable label: Electronically bullied 12 mos

Q24. During the past 12 months, did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in

**a row** that you stopped doing some usual activities?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever feel sad or hopeless 12 mos

QN24: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q24

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q24

Summary text: Percentage of students who felt so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or

more in a row that they stopped doing some usual activities during the past 12 months

QN variable label: Sad 2 wks past 12 mos

**Q25.** During the past 12 months, did you ever **seriously** consider attempting suicide?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever considered suicide 12 mos

QN25: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q25

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q25

Summary text: Percentage of students who seriously considered attempting suicide during the past 12

months

QN variable label: Considered suicide 12 mos

**Q26.** During the past 12 months, did you make a plan about how you would attempt suicide?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever make suicide plan 12 mos

QN26: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q26

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q26

Summary text: Percentage of students who made a plan about how they would attempt suicide during

the past 12 months

QN variable label: Made suicide plan 12 mos

Q27. During the past 12 months, how many times did you actually attempt suicide?

0 times A. 1 time В. 2 or 3 times C. 4 or 5 times D. E. 6 or more times

Variable label: How many times attempt suicide 12 mos

ON27: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, or E for Q27

Students who answered A, B, C, D, or E for Q27 Denominator:

Percentage of students who actually attempted suicide one or more times during the past Summary text:

12 months

QN variable label: Attempted suicide 1+ times 12 mos

Q28. If you attempted suicide during the past 12 months, did any attempt result in an injury, poisoning, or

overdose that had to be treated by a doctor or nurse? I did not attempt suicide during the past 12 months

В. Yes No

Variable label: Ever injured from suicide attempt 12 mos

ON28: Numerator: Students who answered B for Q28

> Denominator: Students who answered A, B, or C for Q28

Summary text: Percentage of students who made a suicide attempt during the past 12 months that

resulted in an injury, poisoning, or overdose that had to be treated by a doctor or nurse

QN variable label: Suicide attempt w/injury 12 mos

O29. Have you ever tried cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs?

Yes A. B. No

Variable label: Ever smoked

ON29: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q29

> Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q29

Percentage of students who ever tried cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs Summary text:

ON variable label: Ever tried cigarettes

Q30. How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?

I have never smoked a whole cigarette A.

В. 8 years old or younger

C. 9 or 10 years old D.

11 or 12 years old E.

13 or 14 years old

15 or 16 years old F. G. 17 years old or older

Variable label: How old when first smoked

ON30: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, or D for Q30

> Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q30

Percentage of students who smoked a whole cigarette for the first time before age 13 Summary text:

QN variable label: Smoked cigarette before 13

Q31. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes?

A. 0 days
B. 1 or 2 days
C. 3 to 5 days
D. 6 to 9 days
E. 10 to 19 days
F. 20 to 29 days
G. All 30 days

Variable label: How many days smoked 30 days

Dependence: Required by QN32, QN33, QN36, QNFRCIG, and QNANYTOB

QN31: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q31

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q31

Summary text: Percentage of students who smoked cigarettes on one or more of the past 30 days

ON variable label: Smoked 1+ past 30 days

Q32. During the past 30 days, on the days you smoked, how many cigarettes did you smoke per day?

A. I did not smoke cigarettes during the past 30 days

B. Less than 1 cigarette per day

C. 1 cigarette per day
D. 2 to 5 cigarettes per day
E. 6 to 10 cigarettes per day
F. 11 to 20 cigarettes per day

G. More than 20 cigarettes per day

Variable label: How many cigarettes/day 30 days

ON32\*: Numerator: Students who answered F or G for O32

Denominator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q31 and answered B, C, D, E, F, or G

for O32

Summary text: Among students who reported current cigarette use, the percentage who smoked more

than 10 cigarettes per day on the days they smoked during the past 30 days

QN variable label: Smoked >10 cigarettes/day past 30 days

Dependence: Depends on Q31

Q33. During the past 30 days, how did you usually get your own cigarettes? (Select only one response.)

A. I did not smoke cigarettes during the past 30 days

B. I bought them in a store such as a convenience store, supermarket, discount store, or gas station

C. I bought them from a vending machine

D. I gave someone else money to buy them for me
E. I borrowed (or bummed) them from someone else
F. A person 18 years old or older gave them to me
G. I took them from a store or family member

H. I got them some other way

Variable label: How did you get cigarettes past 30 days

ON33\*: Numerator: Students who answered B for O33

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q1 and answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for

Q31 and answered B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q33

Summary text: Among students who were less than 18 years of age and who reported current cigarette

use, the percentage who usually got their own cigarettes by buying them in a store or

gas station during the past 30 days

QN variable label: Got cigarettes in store 30 days
Dependence: Depends on Q1 and Q31

**Q34.** During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes **on school property**?

A. 0 days
B. 1 or 2 days
C. 3 to 5 days
D. 6 to 9 days
E. 10 to 19 days
F. 20 to 29 days
G. All 30 days

Variable label: How many days smoke @ school 30 days

QN34: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q34

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q34

Summary text: Percentage of students who smoked cigarettes on school property on one or more of the

past 30 days

QN variable label: Smoked at school 1+ past 30 days

Q35. Have you ever smoked cigarettes daily, that is, at least one cigarette every day for 30 days?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Have you ever smoked daily

QN35: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q35
Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q35

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever smoked cigarettes daily, that is, at least one cigarette

every day for 30 days

QN variable label: Smoked daily for 30 days

Q36. During the past 12 months, did you ever try to quit smoking cigarettes?

A. I did not smoke during the past 12 months

B. Yes C. No

Variable label: Tried to quit smoking past 12 months

ON36\*: Numerator: Students who answered B for O36

Denominator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q31 and answered B or C for Q36 Summary text: Among students who reported current cigarette use, the percentage who ever tried to

quit smoking cigarettes during the past 12 months

QN variable label: Among smokers, tried to quit smoking

Dependence: Depends on Q31

Q37. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip, such as Redman,

Levi Garrett, Beechnut, Skoal, Skoal Bandits, or Copenhagen?

A. 0 days
B. 1 or 2 days
C. 3 to 5 days
D. 6 to 9 days
E. 10 to 19 days
F. 20 to 29 days
G. All 30 days

Variable label: How many days use snuff past 30 days

Dependence: Required by QNANYTOB

QN37: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q37
Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q37

Summary text: Percentage of students who used chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip on one or more of the

past 30 days

QN variable label: Used snuff/dip 1+ past 30 days

Q38. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip on school property? A. 0 days В. 1 or 2 days 3 to 5 days C. D. 6 to 9 days Ε. 10 to 19 days F. 20 to 29 days G. All 30 days Variable label: Days use snuff school property 30 days ON38: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q38 Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q38 Summary text: Percentage of students who used chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip on school property on one or more of the past 30 days QN variable label: Used snuff/dip at school 1+ 30 days Q39. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars? 0 days A. В. 1 or 2 days 3 to 5 days C. 6 to 9 days D. 10 to 19 days E. F. 20 to 29 days All 30 days G. Variable label: How many days smoke cigars 30 days Dependence: Required by QNANYTOB ON39: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q39 Numerator: Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q39 Percentage of students who smoked cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars on one or more of Summary text: the past 30 days QN variable label: Smoked cigars 1+ past 30 days Q40. During your life, on how many days have you had at least one drink of alcohol? A. 0 days В. 1 or 2 days C. 3 to 9 days D. 10 to 19 days E. 20 to 39 days F. 40 to 99 days G. 100 or more days Variable label: How many days drink alcohol ON40: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q40 Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q40 Denominator: Percentage of students who had at least one drink of alcohol on one or more days during Summary text: ON variable label: Had 1 drink on 1+ days in life

Q41. How old were you when you had your first drink of alcohol other than a few sips?

A. I have never had a drink of alcohol other than a few sips

B. 8 years old or younger

C. 9 or 10 years old
 D. 11 or 12 years old
 E. 13 or 14 years old

F. 15 or 16 years old G. 17 years old or older

Variable label: How old when first drank alcohol

QN41: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, or D for Q41

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q41

Summary text: Percentage of students who had their first drink of alcohol other than a few sips before

age 13 years

QN variable label: Had first drink before 13

Q42. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have at least one drink of alcohol?

A. 0 days

B. 1 or 2 daysC. 3 to 5 days

D. 6 to 9 daysE. 10 to 19 days

F. 20 to 29 days G. All 30 days

Variable label: How many days drink alcohol 30 days

Dependence: Required by QN44

QN42: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q42

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q42

Summary text: Percentage of students who had at least one drink of alcohol on one or more of the past

30 days

QN variable label: Had 1+ drinks past 30 days

Q43. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is,

within a couple of hours?

A. 0 days

B. 1 day

C. 2 days

D. 3 to 5 days

E. 6 to 9 days

F. 10 to 19 days

G. 20 or more days

Variable label: How many days have 5+ drinks 30 days

QN43: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q43

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q43

Summary text: Percentage of students who had five or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a

couple of hours, on one or more of the past 30 days

QN variable label: Five+ drinks 1+ past 30 days

**Q44.** During the past 30 days, how did you **usually** get the alcohol you drank?

A. I did not drink alcohol during the past 30 days

B. I bought it in a store such as a liquor store, convenience store, supermarket, discount store, or gas station

C. I bought it at a restaurant, bar, or club

D. I bought it at a public event such as a concert or sporting event

E. I gave someone else money to buy it for me

F. Someone gave it to me

G. I took it from a store or family member

H. I got it some other way

Variable label: How did you get alcohol past 30 days

QN44\*: Numerator: Students who answered F for Q44

Denominator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q42 and answered B, C, D, E, F, G, or H

for Q44

Summary text: Among students who reported current alcohol use, the percentage who usually got the

alcohol they drank from someone who gave it to them during the past 30 days

QN variable label: Someone gave alcohol to me past 30 days

Dependence: Depends on Q42

**Q45.** During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have at least one drink of alcohol **on school property**?

A. 0 daysB. 1 or 2 days

C. 3 to 5 days

D. 6 to 9 days

E. 10 to 19 days

F. 20 to 29 days

G. All 30 days

Variable label: How many days drink @ school 30 days

QN45: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q45

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q45

Summary text: Percentage of students who had at least one drink of alcohol on school property on one

or more of the past 30 days

QN variable label: Had 1+ drinks at school 1+ 30 days

**Q46.** During your life, how many times have you used marijuana?

A. 0 times

B. 1 or 2 times

C. 3 to 9 times

D. 10 to 19 times

E. 20 to 39 times

F. 40 to 99 times

G. 100 or more times

Variable label: How many times smoke marijuana

QN46: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q46

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q46

Summary text: Percentage of students who used marijuana one or more times during their life

QN variable label: Tried marijuana 1+ times in life

Q47. How old were you when you tried marijuana for the first time? I have never tried marijuana A. В. 8 years old or younger C. 9 or 10 years old D. 11 or 12 years old E. 13 or 14 years old F. 15 or 16 years old G. 17 years old or older Variable label: How old when first tried marijuana QN47: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, or D for Q47 Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q47 Denominator: Summary text: Percentage of students who tried marijuana for the first time before age 13 years QN variable label: Tried marijuana before 13 Q48. During the past 30 days, how many times did you use marijuana? A. 0 times В. 1 or 2 times 3 to 9 times C. D. 10 to 19 times 20 to 39 times E. F. 40 or more times

Variable label: How many times use marijuana 30 days

QN48: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q48
Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q48

Summary text: Percentage of students who used marijuana one or more times during the past 30 days

ON variable label: Used marijuana 1+ times past 30 days

**Q49.** During the past 30 days, how many times did you use marijuana **on school property**?

A. 0 times
B. 1 or 2 times
C. 3 to 9 times
D. 10 to 19 times
E. 20 to 39 times
F. 40 or more times

Variable label: How many times marijuana@school 30 days

QN49: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q49

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q49

Summary text: Percentage of students who used marijuana on school property one or more times

during the past 30 days

QN variable label: Used marijuana school 1+ times 30 day

Q50. During your life, how many times have you used any form of cocaine, including powder, crack, or freebase? A. 0 times В. 1 or 2 times 3 to 9 times C. D. 10 to 19 times Ε. 20 to 39 times F. 40 or more times Variable label: How many times use cocaine ON50: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q50 Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q50 Denominator: Summary text: Percentage of students who used any form of cocaine, including powder, crack, or freebase, one or more times during their life ON variable label: Used cocaine 1+ times in life O51. During the past 30 days, how many times did you use any form of cocaine, including powder, crack, or freebase? A. 0 times В. 1 or 2 times 3 to 9 times C. D. 10 to 19 times 20 to 39 times E. F. 40 or more times Variable label: How many times use cocaine 30 days ON51: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q51 Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q51 Percentage of students who used any form of cocaine, including powder, crack, or Summary text: freebase, one or more times during the past 30 days QN variable label: Used cocaine 1+ times past 30 days O52. During your life, how many times have you sniffed glue, breathed the contents of aerosol spray cans, or inhaled any paints or sprays to get high? A. 0 times В. 1 or 2 times C. 3 to 9 times D. 10 to 19 times E. 20 to 39 times F. 40 or more times Variable label: How many times sniffed glue QN52: Students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q52 Numerator: Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q52 Percentage of students who sniffed glue, breathed the contents of aerosol spray cans, or Summary text:

inhaled any paints or sprays to get high one or more times during their life

Sniffed glue 1+ times in life

ON variable label:

Q53. During your life, how many times have you used **heroin** (also called smack, junk, or China White)? 0 times A. 1 or 2 times В. C. 3 to 9 times D. 10 to 19 times E. 20 to 39 times F. 40 or more times Variable label: How many times used heroin QN53: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q53 Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q53 Percentage of students who used heroin one or more times during their life Summary text: QN variable label: Used heroin 1+ times in life Q54. During your life, how many times have you used methamphetamines (also called speed, crystal, crank, or 0 times 1 or 2 times В. 3 to 9 times C. D. 10 to 19 times 20 to 39 times E. F. 40 or more times Variable label: How many times used methamphetamines ON54: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q54 Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for O54 Summary text: Percentage of students who used methamphetamines one or more times during their life ON variable label: Used meth 1+ times in life Q55. During your life, how many times have you used ecstasy (also called MDMA)? 0 times A. В. 1 or 2 times C. 3 to 9 times D. 10 to 19 times 20 to 39 times E. F. 40 or more times Variable label: Ecstasy one or more time ON55: Students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q55 Numerator: Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q55 Summary text: Percentage of students who used ecstasy one or more times during their life QN variable label: Used ecstasy 1+ times in life **Q56.** During your life, how many times have you taken **steroid pills or shots** without a doctor's prescription? A. 0 times В. 1 or 2 times 3 to 9 times C. D. 10 to 19 times E. 20 to 39 times F. 40 or more times Variable label: How many times used steroids QN56: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q56 Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q56 Summary text: Percentage of students who took steroid pills or shots without a doctor's prescription one or more times during their life QN variable label: Took steroids 1+ times in life

Q57. During your life, how many times have you taken a prescription drug (such as OxyContin, Percocet,

Vicodin, codeine, Adderall, Ritalin, or Xanax) without a doctor's prescription?

A. 0 times
B. 1 or 2 times
C. 3 to 9 times
D. 10 to 19 times
E. 20 to 39 times

40 or more times

F.

Variable label: Times prescription drug wo prescription

QN57: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q57

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q57

Summary text: Percentage of students who have taken a prescription drug (such as OxyContin,

Percocet, Vicodin, codeine, Adderall, Ritalin, or Xanax) without a doctor's prescription

one or more times during their life

QN variable label: Taken prescription drug wo prescription

**Q58.** During your life, how many times have you used a needle to inject any **illegal** drug into your body?

A. 0 timesB. 1 time

C. 2 or more times

Variable label: How many times injected drugs

QN58: Numerator: Students who answered B or C for Q58

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, or C for Q58

Summary text: Percentage of students who used a needle to inject any illegal drug into their body one

or more times during their life

QN variable label: Injected drugs 1+ times in life

Q59. During the past 12 months, has anyone offered, sold, or given you an illegal drug on school property?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Offered drugs @ school 12 mos

QN59: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q59

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q59

Summary text: Percentage of students who were offered, sold, or given an illegal drug by someone on

school property during the past 12 months

QN variable label: Offered/sold drugs at school 12 mos

**Q60.** Have you ever had sexual intercourse?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever had sex

QN60: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q60

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q60

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever had sexual intercourse

QN variable label: Had sex ever

Q61. How old were you when you had sexual intercourse for the first time? I have never had sexual intercourse A. 11 years old or younger В. C. 12 years old D. 13 years old E. 14 years old F. 15 years old 16 years old G. H. 17 years old or older Variable label: How old at first sex ON61: Numerator: Students who answered B or C for Q61 Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q61 Summary text: Percentage of students who had sexual intercourse for the first time before age 13 years ON variable label: Had sex before 13 Q62. During your life, with how many people have you had sexual intercourse? I have never had sexual intercourse A. B. 1 person C. 2 people D. 3 people Ε. 4 people F. 5 people G. 6 or more people Variable label: How many sex partners ON62: Numerator: Students who answered E, F, or G for O62 Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q62 Percentage of students who had sexual intercourse with four or more people during their Summary text: QN variable label: Had sex with 4+ people in life O63. During the past 3 months, with how many people did you have sexual intercourse? A. I have never had sexual intercourse B. I have had sexual intercourse, but not during the past 3 months C. 1 person D. 2 people E. 3 people F. 4 people G. 5 people H. 6 or more people Variable label: How many sex partners 3 mos Dependence: Required by QN64, QN65, QN66, QNDEPO, QNDEPOPL, and QNDUAL ON63: Numerator: Students who answered C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q63 Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q63 Denominator: Percentage of students who had sexual intercourse with one or more people during the Summary text: past three months

Had sex with 1+ people 3 mos

ON variable label:

Q64. Did you drink alcohol or use drugs before you had sexual intercourse the **last time**?

I have never had sexual intercourse Α.

В. C.

Variable label: Did you use alcohol/drugs @ last sex

ON64\*: Numerator: Students who answered B for Q64

> Students who answered C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q63 and answered B or C for Q64 Denominator: Among students who had sexual intercourse during the past three months, the Summary text:

percentage who drank alcohol or used drugs before last sexual intercourse

ON variable label: Of current sex, used alcohol last time

Dependence: Depends on Q63

**Q65.** The **last time** you had sexual intercourse, did you or your partner use a condom?

I have never had sexual intercourse A.

В. Nο

Variable label: Did you use condom @ last sex Dependence: Required by QNDUAL

ON65\*: Numerator: Students who answered B for O65

> Denominator: Students who answered C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q63 and answered B or C for Q65 Summary text: Among students who had sexual intercourse during the past three months, the

percentage who used a condom during last sexual intercourse

ON variable label: Of current sex, used condom last time

Dependence: Depends on Q63

**Q66.** The last time you had sexual intercourse, what one method did you or your partner use to prevent pregnancy? (Select only one response.)

I have never had sexual intercourse

B. No method was used to prevent pregnancy

C. Birth control pills

D. Condoms

E. Depo-Provera (or any injectable birth control), Nuva Ring (or any birth control ring), Implanon (or any implant), or any IUD

F. Withdrawal

G. Some other method

H. Not sure

Variable label: What birth control @ last sex

Dependence: Required by QNDEPO, QNDEPOPL, and QNDUAL

ON66\*: Numerator: Students who answered C for Q66

> Denominator: Students who answered C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q63 and answered B, C, D, E, F, G, or

H for O66

Among students who had sexual intercourse during the past three months, the Summary text:

percentage who used birth control pills to prevent pregnancy before last sexual

intercourse

ON variable label: Of current sex, used birth ctrl last sex

Dependence: Depends on O63

**Q67.** How do **you** describe your weight?

A. Very underweight
B. Slightly underweight
C. About the right weight
D. Slightly overweight
E. Very overweight

Variable label: How do you describe your weight

QN67: Numerator: Students who answered D or E for Q67

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, or E for Q67

Summary text: Percentage of students who described themselves as slightly or very overweight

QN variable label: Slightly/very overweight

**Q68.** Which of the following are you trying to do about your weight?

A. Lose weightB. Gain weight

C. Stay the same weight

D. I am not trying to do anything about my weight

Variable label: What are you trying to do about weight

QN68: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q68

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, or D for Q68
Summary text: Percentage of students who were trying to lose weight

QN variable label: Trying to lose weight

Q69. During the past 30 days, did you go without eating for 24 hours or more (also called fasting) to lose

weight or to keep from gaining weight?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Did you fast to lose weight 30 days

QN69: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q69

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q69

Summary text: Percentage of students who went without eating for 24 hours or more to lose weight or

to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days

QN variable label: Fasted to lose weight past 30 days

Q70. During the past 30 days, did you take any diet pills, powders, or liquids without a doctor's advice to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight? (Do not include meal replacement products such as Slim Fast.)

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Did you take pill to lose weight 30 days

QN70: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q70

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q70

Summary text: Percentage of students who took any diet pills, powders, or liquids without a doctor's

advice to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight during the past 30 days

QN variable label: Took pills to lose weight past 30 days

Q71. During the past 30 days, did you vomit or take laxatives to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Did you vomit to lose weight 30 days

QN71: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q71

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q71

Summary text: Percentage of students who vomited or took laxatives to lose weight or to keep from

gaining weight during the past 30 days

QN variable label: Vomited to lose weight past 30 days

Q72. During the past 7 days, how many times did you drink 100% fruit juices such as orange juice, apple juice,

or grape juice? (Do not count punch, Kool-Aid, sports drinks, or other fruit-flavored drinks.)

A. I did not drink 100% fruit juice during the past 7 days

B. 1 to 3 times during the past 7 daysC. 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days

D. 1 time per dayE. 2 times per dayF. 3 times per day

G. 4 or more times per day

Variable label: How many times fruit juice 7 days
Dependence: Required by QNFRVG and QNFRUIT

QN72: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q72

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q72
Summary text: Percentage of students who drank 100% fruit juices one or more times during the past

seven days

QN variable label: Drank fruit juice past 7 days

Q73. During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat **fruit**? (Do **not** count fruit juice.)

A. I did not eat fruit during the past 7 days
B. 1 to 3 times during the past 7 days
C. 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days

D. 1 time per dayE. 2 times per dayF. 3 times per day

G. 4 or more times per day

Variable label: How many times fruit 7 days

Dependence: Required by QNFRVG and QNFRUIT

QN73: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q73

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q73

Summary text: Percentage of students who ate fruit one or more times during the past seven days

QN variable label: Ate fruit past 7 days

**Q74.** During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat **green salad**?

A. I did not eat green salad during the past 7 days

B. 1 to 3 times during the past 7 days
C. 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days

D. 1 time per dayE. 2 times per dayF. 3 times per day

G. 4 or more times per day

Variable label: How many time green salad 7 days
Dependence: Required by QNFRVG and QNVEG

QN74: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q74

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q74

Summary text: Percentage of students who ate green salad one or more times during the past seven

days

QN variable label: At green salad past 7 days

Q75. During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat **potatoes**? (Do **not** count french fries, fried potatoes, or

potato chips.)

A. I did not eat potatoes during the past 7 days
B. 1 to 3 times during the past 7 days
C. 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days

D. 1 time per dayE. 2 times per dayF. 3 times per day

G. 4 or more times per day

Variable label: How many times potatoes 7 days
Dependence: Required by QNFRVG and QNVEG

QN75: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q75

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q75

Summary text: Percentage of students who ate potatoes one or more times during the past seven days

QN variable label: Ate potatoes past 7 days

**Q76.** During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat **carrots**?

A. I did not eat carrots during the past 7 daysB. 1 to 3 times during the past 7 days

C. 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days

D. 1 time per dayE. 2 times per dayF. 3 times per day

G. 4 or more times per day

Variable label: How many times carrots 7 days
Dependence: Required by QNFRVG and QNVEG

ON76: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for O76

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q76

Summary text: Percentage of students who ate carrots one or more times during the past seven days

QN variable label: Ate carrots past 7 days

Q77. During the past 7 days, how many times did you eat **other vegetables**? (Do **not** count green salad, potatoes, or carrots.)

I did not eat other vegetables during the past 7 days

B. 1 to 3 times during the past 7 days
C. 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days

D. 1 time per dayE. 2 times per dayF. 3 times per day

A.

A.

G. 4 or more times per day

Variable label: How many times other vegetables 7 days
Dependence: Required by QNFRVG and QNVEG

QN77: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q77

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for O77

Summary text: Percentage of students who ate other vegetables one or more times during the past

seven days

QN variable label: Ate vegetables past 7 days

Q78. During the past 7 days, how many times did you drink a can, bottle, or glass of soda or pop, such as Coke,

Pepsi, or Sprite? (Do **not** count diet soda or diet pop.) I did not drink soda or pop during the past 7 days

B. 1 to 3 times during the past 7 daysC. 4 to 6 times during the past 7 days

D. 1 time per dayE. 2 times per dayF. 3 times per day

G. 4 or more times per day

Variable label: How many times drink soda past 7 days

QN78: Numerator: Students who answered D, E, F, or G for Q78

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q78 Summary text: Percentage of students who drank a can, bottle, or glass

: Percentage of students who drank a can, bottle, or glass of soda or pop one or more

times per day during the past seven days

QN variable label: Drank soda 1+ times/day past 7 days

**Q79.** During the past 7 days, on how many days were you physically active for a total of **at least 60 minutes per day**? (Add up all the time you spent in any kind of physical activity that increased your heart rate and made you breathe hard some of the time.)

A. 0 days B. 1 day C. 2 days D. 3 days E. 4 days F. 5 days G. 6 days H. 7 days

Variable label: Days active 60 min plus past 7 days

Dependence: Required by QNPA0DAY and QNPA7DAY

QN79: Numerator: Students who answered F, G, or H for Q79

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q79

Summary text: Percentage of students who were physically active for a total of at least 60 minutes per

day on five or more of the past seven days

QN variable label: Active 60 min on 5+ past 7 days

O80. On an average school day, how many hours do you watch TV?

I do not watch TV on an average school day A.

В. Less than 1 hour per day

C. 1 hour per day D. 2 hours per day

E. 3 hours per day F. 4 hours per day

G. 5 or more hours per day

Variable label: How many hours watch TV

ON80: Numerator: Students who answered E, F, or G for Q80

Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q80 Denominator:

Percentage of students who watched three or more hours per day of TV on an average Summary text:

school day

ON variable label: Watched 3+ hours of TV average day

**O81.** On an average school day, how many hours do you play video or computer games or use a computer for something that is not school work? (Include activities such as Xbox, PlayStation, Nintendo DS, iPod touch,

Facebook, and the Internet.)

A. I do not play video or computer games or use a computer for something that is not school work

B. Less than 1 hour per day

1 hour per day C. D. 2 hours per day

E. 3 hours per day F. 4 hours per day

5 or more hours per day G.

Variable label: How many hours/day play video games

ON81: Numerator: Students who answered E, F, or G for Q81

> Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q81

Percentage of students who played video or computer games or used a computer for Summary text:

something that was not school work three or more hours per day on an average school

day

QN variable label: Played video games 3+ hours/day

O82. In an average week when you are in school, on how many days do you go to physical education (PE)

classes? 0 days

В. 1 day C. 2 days D. 3 days

E. 4 days F. 5 days

Variable label: How many days go to PE class Dependence: Required by QNDLYPE

ON82: Numerator: Students who answered B. C. D. E. or F for O82

> Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q82 Denominator:

Summary text: Percentage of students who attended physical education (PE) classes on one or more

days in an average week when they were in school

QN variable label: Attended PE class 1+ days average week

**Q83.** During the past 12 months, on how many sports teams did you play? (Count any teams run by your school

or community groups.)

A. 0 teamsB. 1 teamC. 2 teams

D. 3 or more teams

Variable label: On how many sports team 12 mos

QN83: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, or D for Q83

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, or D for Q83

Summary text: Percentage of students who played on one or more sports teams during the past 12

months

QN variable label: Played on 1+ sports teams past 12 mos

**Q84.** Have you ever been taught about AIDS or HIV infection in school?

A. Yes
B. No
C. Not sure

Variable label: Ever taught about AIDS/HIV @ school

QN84: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q84

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, or C for Q84

Summary text: Percentage of students who had ever been taught in school about AIDS or HIV

infection

QN variable label: Taught about AIDS/HIV @ school

**Q85.** Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have asthma?

A. Yes
B. No
C. Not sure

Variable label: Ever been told you have asthma

Dependence: Required by QN86

QN85: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q85

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, or C for Q85

Summary text: Percentage of students who had ever been told by a doctor or nurse that they had asthma

QN variable label: Told by doctor/nurse they had asthma

**Q86.** Do you still have asthma? A. I have never had asthma

B. YesC. NoD. Not sure

Variable label: Do you still have asthma

QN86\*: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q85 and answered B for Q86

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, or C for Q85 and answered A, B, C, or D for Q86

Summary text: Percentage of students who had been told by a doctor or nurse that they had asthma and

who still have asthma

QN variable label: With current asthma Dependence: Depends on Q85

# ii. 2011 Standard Middle School YRBS Questions and Dichotomous Variables

Q1.	How old are you?	?			
A.	10 years old or younger				
В.	11 years old				
C.	12 years old				
D.	13 years old				
E.	14 years old				
F.	15 years old				
G.	16 years old or ol	der			
	<b>,</b>				
Variable	label:	How old are you			
Q2.	What is your sex?	?			
A.	Female				
B.	Male				
Variable	label:	What is your sex			
Q3.	In what grade are	you?			
A.	6th grade				
B.	7th grade				
C.	8th grade				
D.	Ungraded or othe	er grade			
Variable	label:	In what grade are you			
Q4.	Are you Hispanic	c or Latino?			
A.	Yes	of Emilio.			
B.	No				
В.	110				
Variable	label:	Are you Hispanic/Latino			
Q5.	What is your race	e? (Select one or more responses.)			
Ä.	American Indian				
B.	Asian				
C.	Black or African	American			
D.	Native Hawaiian	or Other Pacific Islander			
E.	White				
Variable	labal	What is your race			
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Q6.	When you ride a	bicycle, how often do you wear a helmet?			
A.	I do not ride a bio	cycle			
В.	Never wear a he	lmet			
C.	Rarely wear a ho	elmet			
D.	Sometimes wear	a helmet			
E.	Most of the time	wear a helmet			
F.	F. Always wear a helmet				
Variable	label:	How often wear bicycle helmet			
QN6*:	Numerator:	Students who answered B or C for Q6			
Q110 .	Denominator:	Students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q6			
	Summary text:	Among students who rode a bicycle, the percentage who never or rarely wore a bicycle			
	Summary text.	helmet			
ON varia	able label:	Never/rarely wore bicycle helmet			
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**Q7. When you rollerblade or ride a skateboard**, how often do you wear a helmet?

A. I do not rollerblade or ride a skateboard

B. Never wear a helmet

C. Rarely wear a helmet

D. Sometimes wear a helmet

E. Most of the time wear a helmet

F. Always wear a helmet

Variable label: How often wear helmet rollerblading

QN7\*: Numerator: Students who answered B or C for Q7

Denominator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q7

Summary text: Among students who used rollerblades or rode a skateboard, the percentage who never

or rarely wore a helmet

QN variable label: Never/rarely wore skate helmet

**Q8.** How often do you wear a seat belt when **riding in** a car?

A. Never

B. Rarely C. Sometic

Sometimes

D. Most of the time

E. Always

Variable label: How often wear seat belt

QN8: Numerator: Students who answered A or B for Q8

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, or E for Q8

Summary text: Percentage of students who never or rarely wore a seat belt when riding in a car

QN variable label: Never/rarely wore seat belt

**Q9.** Have you ever ridden in a car driven by someone who had been drinking alcohol?

A. Yes
B. No
C. Not sure

Variable label: Ever ridden with drinking driver

QN9: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q9

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, or C for O9

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever rode in a car driven by someone who had been

drinking alcohol

QN variable label: Rode with drinking driver

**Q10.** Have you ever carried **a weapon**, such as a gun, knife, or club?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever carried a weapon

QN10: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q10

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q10

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever carried a weapon, such as a gun, knife, or club

QN variable label: Carried a weapon

Q11. Have you ever been in a physical fight?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever been in a fight

QN11: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q11

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q11

Summary text: Percentage of students who have ever been in a physical fight

QN variable label: Been in a physical fight

Q12. Have you ever been in a physical fight in which you were hurt and had to be treated by a doctor or nurse?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever been injured in a fight

QN12: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q12
Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q12

Summary text: Percentage of students who were ever in a physical fight in which they were hurt and

had to be treated by a doctor or nurse

QN variable label: In fight and had to be treated

Q13. Have you ever been bullied on school property?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever been bullied at school

QN13: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q13

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q13

Summary text: Percentage of students who had ever been bullied on school property

QN variable label: Been bullied at school

Q14. Have you ever been electronically bullied? (Include being bullied through e-mail, chat rooms, instant

messaging, Web sites, or texting.)

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever been electronically bullied

QN14: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q14

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q14

Summary text: Percentage of students who had ever been electronically bullied

QN variable label: Been electronically bullied

Q15. Have you ever **seriously** thought about killing yourself?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever seriously thought about suicide

QN15: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q15

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q15

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever seriously thought about killing themselves

QN variable label: Thought about suicide

**Q16.** Have you ever made a **plan** about how you would kill yourself?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever made a suicide plan

QN16: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q16

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q16

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever made a plan about how they would kill themselves

QN variable label: Made suicide plan

Q17. Have you ever **tried** to kill yourself?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever tried to commit suicide

QN17: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q17
Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q17

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever tried to kill themselves

QN variable label: Tried to commit suicide

Q18. Have you ever tried cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever smoked

QN18: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q18

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q18

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever tried cigarette smoking, even one or two puffs

QN variable label: Ever tried cigarettes

Q19. How old were you when you smoked a whole cigarette for the first time?

A. I have never smoked a whole cigarette

B. 8 years old or younger

C. 9 years old
D. 10 years old
E. 11 years old
F. 12 years old
G. 13 years old or older

Variable label: How old when first smoked cig

QN19: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, or D for Q19

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q19

Summary text: Percentage of students who smoked a whole cigarette for the first time before age 11

years

QN variable label: Smoke first cig before 11

**Q20.** During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigarettes?

A. 0 days
B. 1 or 2 days
C. 3 to 5 days
D. 6 to 9 days
E. 10 to 19 days
F. 20 to 29 days
G. All 30 days

Variable label: How many days smoked 30 days

Dependence: Required by QN21, QN22, QNFRCIG, and QNANYTOB

QN20: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q20

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q20

Summary text: Percentage of students who smoked cigarettes on one or more of the past 30 days

ON variable label: Smoked 1+ past 30 days

Q21. During the past 30 days, on the days you smoked, how many cigarettes did you smoke per day?

A. I did not smoke cigarettes during the past 30 days

B. Less than 1 cigarette per day

C. 1 cigarette per day
D. 2 to 5 cigarettes per day
E. 6 to 10 cigarettes per day
F. 11 to 20 cigarettes per day

G. More than 20 cigarettes per day

Variable label: How many cigarettes/day 30 days

ON21\*: Numerator: Students who answered F or G for O21

Denominator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q20 and answered B, C, D, E, F, or G

for O21

Summary text: Among students who reported current cigarette use, the percentage who smoked more

than 10 cigarettes per day on the days they smoked during the past 30 days

QN variable label: Smoked >10 cigarettes/day past 30 days

Dependence: Depends on Q20

Q22. During the past 30 days, how did you usually get your own cigarettes? (Select only one response.)

A. I did not smoke cigarettes during the past 30 days

B. I bought them in a store such as a convenience store, supermarket, discount store, or gas station

C. I bought them from a vending machine

D. I gave someone else money to buy them for me
E. I borrowed (or bummed) them from someone else
F. A person 18 years old or older gave them to me
G. I took them from a store or family member

H. I got them some other way

Variable label: How did you get cigarettes past 30 days

ON22\*: Numerator: Students who answered B for O22

Denominator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q20 and answered B, C, D, E, F, G, or H

for O22

Summary text: Among students who reported current cigarette use, the percentage who usually got

their own cigarettes by buying them in a store or gas station during the past 30 days

QN variable label: Bought cigarettes in store/gas station

Dependence: Depends on Q20

Q23. Have you ever smoked cigarettes daily, that is, at least one cigarette every day for 30 days?

Yes Α. B. No

Variable label: Have you ever smoked daily

QN23: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q23

> Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q23

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever smoked cigarettes daily, that is, at least one cigarette

every day for 30 days

QN variable label: Smoked daily for 30 days

Q24. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you use **chewing tobacco**, **snuff**, **or dip**, such as Redman,

Levi Garrett, Beechnut, Skoal, Skoal Bandits, or Copenhagen?

A. 0 days

1 or 2 days В.

C. 3 to 5 days

6 to 9 days D.

10 to 19 days E. F. 20 to 29 days

All 30 days G.

Variable label: How many days use snuff past 30 days

Required by QNANYTOB Dependence:

ON24: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q24 Numerator:

Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q24 Denominator:

Summary text: Percentage of students who used chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip on one or more of the

past 30 days

ON variable label: Used snuff/dip 1+ past 30 days

Q25. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you smoke cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars?

0 days A.

1 or 2 days B.

C. 3 to 5 days 6 to 9 days D.

10 to 19 days E.

20 to 29 days F.

G. All 30 days

Variable label: How many days smoke cigars 30 days

Required by QNANYTOB Dependence:

ON25: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q25 Numerator:

Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q25 Denominator:

Percentage of students who smoked cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars on one or more of Summary text:

the past 30 days

ON variable label: Smoked cigars 1+ past 30 days

Q26. Have you ever had a drink of alcohol, other than a few sips?

Yes A. В. No

Ever had a drink of alcohol Variable label:

QN26: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q26

> Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q26

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever had a drink of alcohol, other than a few sips

QN variable label: Drank alcohol ever

**Q27.** How old were you when you had your first drink of alcohol other than a few sips?

A. I have never had a drink of alcohol other than a few sips

B. 8 years old or younger

C. 9 years old
D. 10 years old
E. 11 years old
F. 12 years old
G. 13 years old or older

Variable label: How old when had first drink

QN27: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, or D for Q27

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q27

Summary text: Percentage of students who had their first drink of alcohol other than a few sips before

age 11 years

QN variable label: Had first drink before age 11

Q28. Have you ever used marijuana?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever use marijuana

QN28: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q28
Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q28

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever used marijuana

QN variable label: Ever used marijuana

**Q29.** How old were you when you tried marijuana for the first time?

A. I have never tried marijuanaB. 8 years old or younger

C. 9 years old
 D. 10 years old
 E. 11 years old
 F. 12 years old

G. 13 years old or older

Variable label: How old when first tried marijuana

QN29: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, or D for Q29

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q29

Summary text: Percentage of students who tried marijuana for the first time before age 11 years

QN variable label: Tried marijuana before age 11

Q30. Have you ever used any form of cocaine, including powder, crack, or freebase?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever used cocaine

QN30: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q30

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q30

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever used any form of cocaine, including powder, crack, or

freebase

QN variable label: Used cocaine ever

Q31. Have you ever sniffed glue, breathed the contents of spray cans, or inhaled any paints or sprays to get high?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever sniffed glue

QN31: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q31

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q31

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever sniffed glue, breathed the contents of spray cans, or

inhaled any paints or sprays to get high

QN variable label: Ever used inhalants

Q32. Have you ever taken **steroid pills or shots** without a doctor's prescription?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Have you ever taken steroids

QN32: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q32
Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q32

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever taken steroid pills or shots without a doctor's

prescription

QN variable label: Ever taken steroids

Q33. Have you ever taken a prescription drug (such as OxyContin, Percocet, Vicodin, codeine, Adderall,

Ritalin, or Xanax) without a doctor's prescription?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Have you ever taken a prescription drug

QN33: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q33

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q33

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever taken a prescription drug (such as OxyContin,

Percocet, Vicodin, codeine, Adderall, Ritalin, or Xanax) without a doctor's prescription

QN variable label: Ever taken a prescription drug

**Q34.** Have you ever had sexual intercourse?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever had sex
Dependence: Required by QN37

QN34: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q34

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for O34

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever had sexual intercourse

QN variable label: Had sex ever

Q35. How old were you when you had sexual intercourse for the first time?

A. I have never had sexual intercourse

B. 8 years old or younger

C. 9 years old
D. 10 years old
E. 11 years old
F. 12 years old
G. 13 years old or older

Variable label: How old at first sex

QN35: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, or D for Q35

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q35

Summary text: Percentage of students who had sexual intercourse for the first time before age 11 years

QN variable label: Had sex first time before age 11

**Q36.** With how many people have you ever had sexual intercourse?

I have never had sexual intercourse

B. 1 person
 C. 2 people
 D. 3 people
 E. 4 people
 F. 5 people

G. 6 or more people

Variable label: With how many people had sex

QN36: Numerator: Students who answered D, E, F, or G for Q36

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q36

Summary text: Percentage of students who ever had sexual intercourse with three or more people

QN variable label: Had sex with 3+ people

Q37. The last time you had sexual intercourse, did you or your partner use a condom?

A. I have never had sexual intercourse

B. Yes C. No

Variable label: Did you use condom @ last sex

QN37\*: Numerator: Students who answered B for Q37

Denominator: Students who answered A for Q34 and answered B or C for Q37

Summary text: Among students who ever had sexual intercourse, the percentage who used a condom

during last sexual intercourse

QN variable label: Of those had sex, used condom last sex

Dependence: Depends on Q34

Q38. How do you describe your weight?

A. Very underweight
B. Slightly underweight
C. About the right weight
D. Slightly overweight

E. Very overweight

Variable label: How do you describe your weight

QN38: Numerator: Students who answered D or E for Q38

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, or E for Q38

Summary text: Percentage of students who described themselves as slightly or very overweight

QN variable label: Slightly/very overweight

Q39. Which of the following are you trying to do about your weight?

A. Lose weight B. Gain weight

C. Stay the same weight

D. I am not trying to do anything about my weight

Variable label: What are you trying to do about weight

QN39: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q39

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, or D for Q39

Summary text: Percentage of students who were trying to lose weight

QN variable label: Trying to lose weight

Q40. Have you ever gone without eating for 24 hours or more (also called fasting) to lose weight or to keep

from gaining weight?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever fasted to lose weight

QN40: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q40

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q40

Summary text: Percentage of students who had ever gone without eating for 24 hours or more to lose

weight or to keep from gaining weight

QN variable label: Fasted to lose weight

Q41. Have you ever taken any diet pills, powders, or liquids without a doctor's advice to lose weight or to keep

from gaining weight? (Do **not** include meal replacement products such as Slim Fast.)

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever taken pills to lose weight

QN41: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q41

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q41

Summary text: Percentage of students who had ever taken any diet pills, powders, or liquids without a

doctor's advice to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight

QN variable label: Took diet pills to lose weight

Q42. Have you ever vomited or taken laxatives to lose weight or to keep from gaining weight?

A. Yes B. No

Variable label: Ever vomit to lose weight

QN42: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q42

Denominator: Students who answered A or B for Q42

Summary text: Percentage of students who had ever vomited or taken laxatives to lose weight or to

keep from gaining weight

QN variable label: Vomited/took laxatives to lose weight

O43. During the past 7 days, on how many days were you physically active for a total of at least 60 minutes per day? (Add up all the time you spent in any kind of physical activity that increased your heart rate and made you breathe hard some of the time.) A. 0 days 1 day В. 2 days C. D. 3 days E. 4 days F. 5 days G. 6 days H. 7 days Variable label: Days active 60 min plus past 7 days Dependence: Required by QNPA0DAY and QNPA7DAY ON43: Students who answered F. G. or H for O43 Numerator: Denominator: Students who answered A. B. C. D. E. F. G. or H for O43 Summary text: Percentage of students who were physically active for a total of at least 60 minutes per day on five or more of the past seven days QN variable label: Active 60 min on 5+ past 7 days O44. On an average school day, how many hours do you watch TV? I do not watch TV on an average school day A. В. Less than 1 hour per day C. 1 hour per day D. 2 hours per day 3 hours per day E. 4 hours per day F. G. 5 or more hours per day Variable label: How many hours watch TV QN44: Numerator: Students who answered E, F, or G for Q44 Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q44 Percentage of students who watched three or more hours per day of TV on an average Summary text: school day QN variable label: Watched 3+ hours of TV average day O45. On an average school day, how many hours do you play video or computer games or use a computer for something that is not school work? (Include activities such as Xbox, PlayStation, Nintendo DS, iPod touch, Facebook, and the Internet.) A. I do not play video or computer games or use a computer for something that is not school work Less than 1 hour per day B. C. 1 hour per day D. 2 hours per day E. 3 hours per day F. 4 hours per day G. 5 or more hours per day Variable label: How many hours/day play video games ON45: Numerator: Students who answered E. F. or G for O45 Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q45 Summary text: Percentage of students who played video or computer games or used a computer for something that was not school work three or more hours per day on an average school

Played video games 3+ hours/day

QN variable label:

Q46. In an average week when you are in school, on how many days do you go to physical education (PE)

classes?

A. 0 days
B. 1 day
C. 2 days
D. 3 days
E. 4 days
F. 5 days

Variable label: How many days go to PE class Dependence: Required by QNDLYPE

QN46: Numerator: Percentage of students who answered B, C, D, E, or F for Q46

Denominator: Percentage of students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q46

Summary text: Percentage of students who attended physical education (PE) classes on one or more

days in an average week when they were in school

QN variable label: Attended PE class 1+ days average week

**Q47.** During the past 12 months, on how many sports teams did you play? (Count any teams run by your school

or community groups.)

A. 0 teamsB. 1 teamC. 2 teams

D. 3 or more teams

Variable label: On how many sports team 12 mos

QN47: Numerator: Students who answered B, C, or D for Q47

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, or D for Q47

Summary text: Percentage of students who played on one or more sports teams during the past 12

months

QN variable label: Play on 1+ sports teams past 12 mos

**Q48.** Have you ever been taught about AIDS or HIV infection in school?

A. Yes
B. No
C. Not sure

Variable label: Ever taught about AIDS/HIV @ school

QN48: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q48

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, or C for Q48

Summary text: Percentage of students who had ever been taught in school about AIDS or HIV

infection

QN variable label: Taught about AIDS/HIV @ school

**Q49.** Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have asthma?

A. Yes
B. No
C. Not sure

Variable label: Ever been told you have asthma

Dependence: Required by QN50

QN49: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q49

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, or C for Q49

Summary text: Percentage of student who had ever been told by a doctor or nurse that they had asthma

QN variable label: Told by doctor/nurse they had asthma

**Q50.** Do you still have asthma? A. I have never had asthma

B. YesC. NoD. Not sure

Variable label: Do you still have asthma

QN50\*: Numerator: Students who answered A for Q49 and answered B for Q50

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, or C for Q49 and answered A, B, C, or D for Q50 Summary text: Percentage of students who had been told by a doctor or nurse that they had asthma and

who still have asthma

QN variable label: With current asthma Dependence: Depends on Q49

**b. Supplemental Dichotomous Variables:** The **QNword** variables are supplemental, dichotomous variables that are calculated based on results from one or more than one question. You will not have the supplemental variables if you modified or deleted any of the questions needed for the calculation. How these variables are derived, including which students are used in the numerator and Denominator, and the SAS program used are detailed in the following table. The values included in the SAS programs are numbers that correspond to the original responses; 1 = A, 2 = B, etc.

## i. 2011 Standard High School YRBS Supplemental (QNword) Variables

QNFR	ACIG:  Numerator: Denominator: Summary text:  QN variable label: Dependence: SAS code:	Students who answered F or G for Q31 Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q31 Percentage of students who smoked cigarettes on 20 or more of the past 30 days Smoked on 20 past 30 days Depends on Q31 if Q31 in ('6','7') then QNFRCIG=1; else if Q31 in ('1','2','3','4','5') then QNFRCIG=2;
QNAN	NYTOB: Numerator: Denominator: Summary text:  QN variable label: Dependence: SAS code:	Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q31, Q37, or Q39 Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q31, Q37, and Q39 Percentage of students who smoked cigarettes or cigars or used chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip on one or more of the past 30 days Used any tobacco past 30 days Depends on Q31, Q37, and Q39 QNANYTOB=2; if Q31 in ('2','3','4','5','6','7') then QNANYTOB=1; if Q37 in ('2','3','4','5','6','7') then QNANYTOB=1; if Q39 in ('2','3','4','5','6','7') then QNANYTOB=1; if Q31=' or Q37=' or Q39=' then QNANYTOB=.;
QNO	Summary text:  Dependence: QN variable label:	Percentage of students who were overweight (i.e., at or above the 85th percentile but below the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex) Depends on Q1, Q2, Q6, and Q7 Overweight  Percentage of students who were obese (i.e., at or above the 95th percentile for body mass index, by age and sex) Depends on Q1, Q2, Q6, and Q7 Obese

ONFRVG: Numerator: Calculated Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q72, Q73, Q74, Q75, Q76, Denominator: and O77 Summary text: Percentage of students who ate fruits and vegetables five or more times per day during the past seven days QN variable label: Ate 5+ fruits/vegetables/day 7 days Dependence: Depends on Q72, Q73, Q74, Q75, Q76, and Q77 SAS code: length qfrvg1 qfrvg2 qfrvg3 qfrvg4 qfrvg5 qfrvg6 8; qfrvgtot=0; array qfv{6} q72 q73 q74 q75 q76 q77; array qfrvg{6} qfrvg1 qfrvg2 qfrvg3 qfrvg4 qfrvg5 qfrvg6; do i=1 to 6; select (qfv{i}); when ('1')  $qfrvg{i}=0$ ; when ('2')  $qfrvg{i}=2/7$ ; when ('3')  $qfrvg{i}=5/7$ ; when ('4') gfrvg $\{i\}=1$ ; when ('5')  $qfrvg\{i\}=2$ ; when ('6')  $qfrvg\{i\}=3$ ; when ('7')  $qfrvg\{i\}=4$ ; otherwise qfrvg{i}=.; end; qfrvgtot=qfrvgtot+qfrvg{i}; end; if qfrvgtot>=5 then QNFRVG=1; else if qfrvgtot ne . then QNFRVG=2; else ONFRVG=.: drop qrfrvg1-qfrvg6 qfrvgtot; **QNFRVG2**: Students with 1 for QNFRUIT and 1 for QNVEG Numerator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q72, Q73, Q74, Q75, Q76, Denominator: and Q77 Summary text: Percentage of students who ate fruits two or more times per day and ate vegetables three or more times per day during the past seven days Ate 2+fruits and 3+vegetables/day 7 days QN variable label: Dependence: Depends on Q72, Q73, Q74, Q75, Q76, and Q77 SAS code: if ONFRUIT=1 AND ONVEG=1 then ONFRVG2=1; Else if QNFRUIT in (1,2) and QNVEG in (1,2) then QNFRVG2=2;

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ONFRUIT:
         Numerator:
                                      Calculated
                                      Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q72 and Q73
         Denominator:
         Summary text:
                                      Percentage of students who ate fruits or drank 100% fruit juices two or more
                                      times per day during the past seven days
         QN variable label:
                                      Ate fruit/drank juice 2+ times/days
         Dependence:
                                      Depends on Q72 and Q73
                                      length qfruit1 qfruit2 8;
         SAS code:
                                      qfrtot=0;
                                      array qfr{2} q72 q73;
                                      array qfruit{2} qfruit1 qfruit2;
                                      do i=1 to 2;
                                       select (qfr{i});
                                         when ('1') qfruit\{i\}=0;
                                         when ('2') qfruit\{i\}=2/7;
                                         when ('3') qfruit\{i\}=5/7;
                                         when ('4') qfruit\{i\}=1;
                                         when ('5') qfruit\{i\}=2;
                                         when ('6') qfruit\{i\}=3;
                                         when ('7') qfruit\{i\}=4;
                                         otherwise qfruit{i}=.;
                                       end;
                                       qfrtot=qfrtot+qfruit{i};
                                      end:
                                      if qfrtot>=2 then QNFRUIT=1;
                                       else if qfrtot ne . then QNFRUIT=2;
                                       else QNFRUIT=.;
                                      drop qrfruit1-qfruit2 qfrtot;
ONVEG:
         Numerator:
                                      Calculated
                                      Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q74, Q75, Q76, and Q77
         Denominator:
                                      Percentage of students who ate vegetables three or more times per day during
         Summary text:
                                      the past seven days
                                      Ate 3+ vegetables/day 7 days
         QN variable label:
         Dependence:
                                      Depends on Q74, Q75, Q76, and Q77
         SAS code:
                                      length qveg1 qveg2 qveg3 qveg4 8;
                                      qvgtot=0;
                                      array qvg{4} q74 q75 q76 q77;
                                      array qveg{4} qveg1 qveg2 qveg3 qveg4;
                                      do i=1 to 4;
                                       select (qvg{i});
                                         when ('1') qveg{i}=0;
                                         when ('2') qveg{i}=2/7;
                                         when ('3') qveg{i}=5/7;
                                         when ('4') qveg\{i\}=1;
                                         when ('5') qveg\{i\}=2;
                                         when ('6') qveg\{i\}=3;
                                         when ('7') qveg\{i\}=4;
                                        otherwise qveg\{i\}=.;
                                       end;
                                       qvgtot=qvgtot+qveg{i};
                                      end:
                                      if qvgtot>=3 then QNVEG=1;
                                       else if qygtot ne . then QNVEG=2;
                                       else QNVEG=.;
                                      drop qveg1-qveg4 qvgtot;
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ONDLYPE: Numerator: Students who answered F for O82 Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q82 Summary text: Percentage of students who attended physical education (PE) classes daily in an average week when they were in school ON variable label: Attended PE classes daily Dependence: Depends on Q82 if Q82='6' then QNDLYPE=1; SAS code: else if Q82 in ('1','2','3','4','5') then QNDLYPE=2; QNDEPO: Students who answered E for Q66 Numerator: Denominator: Students who answered C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q63 and answered B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q66 Among students who had sexual intercourse during the past three months, the Summary text: percentage who used Depo-Provera (or any injectable birth control), Nuva Ring (or any birth control ring), Implanon (or any implant), or any IUD to prevent pregnancy before last sexual intercourse QN variable label: Of current sex, used Depo last sex Depends on Q63 and Q66 Dependence: SAS code: if q63 in ('3','4','5','6','7','8') then do; if q66 in ('5') then QNDEPO=1; else if q66 in ('2','3','4','5','6','8') then QNDEPO=2; end; ONDEPOPL: Numerator: Students who answered C or E for Q66 Students who answered C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q63 and answered B, C, D, E, Denominator: F, G, or H for Q66 Among students who had sexual intercourse during the past three months, the Summary text: percentage who used birth control pills or Depo-Provera (or any injectable birth control), Nuva Ring (or any birth control ring), Implanon (or any implant), or any IUD to prevent pregnancy before last sexual intercourse ON variable label: Of current sex, birth ctrl/Depo last sex Dependence: Depends on Q63 and Q66 if q63 in ('3','4','5','6','7','8') then do; SAS code: if q66 in ('3','5') then QNDEPOPL=1; else if q66 in ('2','3','4','5','6','8') then QNDEPOPL=2; end; **ONDUAL:** Numerator: Students who answered B for Q65 and C or E for Q66 Students who answered C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q63 and answered B or C for Denominator: Q65 and answered B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q66 Among students who had sexual intercourse during the past three months, the Summary text: percentage who used both a condom during last sexual intercourse and birth control pills or Depo-Provera (or any injectable birth control), Nuva Ring (or any birth control ring), Implanon (or any implant), or any IUD to prevent pregnancy before last sexual intercourse QN variable label: Of current sex, condom + birth ctrl/Depo Dependence: Depends on Q63, Q65, and Q66 SAS code: if q63 in ('3','4','5','6','7','8') then do; if q65='2' and q66 in ('3','5') then QNDUAL=1;

else if q65 in(' ') or Q66 in (' ') then QNDUAL=.;

end;

else if q65 in ('3') or q66 in ('2','4','6','7','8') then QNDUAL=2;

QNPA0DAY:

Numerator: Students who answered A for Q79

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q79

Summary text: Percentage of students who were physically active for a total of at least 60

minutes per day on none of the past seven days

QN variable label: Active 60 min on none of past 7 days

Dependence: Depends on Q79

SAS code: if q79='1' then QNPA0DAY=1;

else if q79 in ('2','3','4','5','6','7','8') then QNPA0DAY=2;

else QNPA0DAY=.;

**QNPA7DAY:** 

Numerator: Students who answered H for Q79

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q79

Summary text: Percentage of students who were physically active for a total of at least 60

minutes per day on all seven of the past seven days

QN variable label: Active 60 min on all of past 7 days Dependence: Depends on Q79

SAS code: if q79='8' then QNPA7DAY=1;

else if q79 in ('1','2','3','4','5','6','7') then QNPA7DAY=2;

else QNPA7DAY=.;

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**ONFRCIG:** 

Numerator: Students who answered F or G for Q20

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q20

Summary text: Percentage of students who smoked cigarettes on 20 or more of the

past 30 days

QN variable label: Smoked on 20 past 30 days

Dependence: Depends on Q20

SAS code: if Q20 in ('6','7') then QNFRCIG=1;

else if Q20 in ('1','2','3','4','5') then QNFRCIG=2;

**QNANYTOB:** 

Numerator: Students who answered B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q20, Q24, or Q25
Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, or G for Q20, Q24, or Q25
Summary text: Percentage of students who smoked cigarettes or cigars or used

chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip on one or more of the past 30 days

QN variable label: Used any tobacco past 30 days Dependence: Depends on Q20, Q24, or Q25

SAS code: QNANYTOB=2;

if Q20 in ('2','3','4','5','6','7') then QNANYTOB=1; if Q24 in ('2','3','4','5','6','7') then QNANYTOB=1; if Q25 in ('2','3','4','5','6','7') then QNANYTOB=1; if Q20=' 'or Q24=' 'or Q25=' 'then QNANYTOB=.;

**QNDLYPE:** 

Numerator: Students who answered F for Q46

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, or F for Q46

Summary text: Percentage of students who attended physical education (PE) classes

daily in an average week when they were in school

QN variable label: Attended PE class daily

Dependence: Depends on O46

SAS code: if Q46='6' then QNDLYPE=1;

else if Q46 in ('1','2','3','4','5') then QNDLYPE=2;

QNPA0DAY:

Numerator: Students who answered A for Q43

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q43
Summary text: Percentage of students who were physically active for a total of at

least 60 minutes per day on none of the past seven days

QN variable label: Active 60 min on none of past 7 days

Dependence: Depends on Q43

SAS code: if q43='1' then QNPA0DAY=1;

else if q43 in ('2','3','4','5','6','7','8') then QNPA0DAY=2;

else QNPA0DAY=.;

**QNPA7DAY:** 

Numerator: Students who answered H for Q43

Denominator: Students who answered A, B, C, D, E, F, G, or H for Q43
Summary text: Percentage of students who were physically active for a total of at

least 60 minutes per day on all seven of the past seven days

QN variable label: Active 60 min on all of past 7 days

Dependence: Depends on Q43

SAS code: if q43='8' then ONPA7DAY=1;

else if q43 in ('1','2','3','4','5','6','7') then QNPA7DAY=2;

else QNPA7DAY=.;

## III. Analysis Software Technical Notes

## 1. Software requirements and sample packages

The YRBS uses a multi-stage cluster sample design. Statistical software used to analyze YRBS data should account for this design. Although the point estimates should always match, there will be small differences in the confidence intervals as different methods for calculating standard error are used. Many packages with this capability are available. For more information on five statistical packages (SUDAAN, SAS, STATA, SPSS, and Epi Info) that can be used to analyze the YRBS, please refer to the <u>Software for Analysis of YRBS Data</u> document on the YRBS web site (<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/HealthyYouth/yrbs/data/index.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/HealthyYouth/yrbs/data/index.htm</a>) or in the last tab in this report binder.

# 2. How to use the SAS Format Library

The SAS format library contains the formats used to make SAS output more readable. Formats are linked to the data so that results are displayed as words ("Male" or "Female", for instance) instead of numbers (1 or 2). The SAS YRBS data file is designed to use its companion format library. You should download both the data file and the format library from the YRBS CD included in this report binder if you want to use SAS to analyze YRBS data.

The following example SAS program shows how to use the format library. It assumes that both the data file and the format library have been downloaded to "c:\data". Note that the program contains two libname statements. The first libname statement indicates where the data file is located; the second libname statement indicates where the format library is located.

```
libname mydata 'c:\data'; /* tells SAS where the data are */
libname library 'c:\data'; /* tells SAS where the formats are */
proc freq data=mydata.yrbs2005;
    tables q2;
run;
```

Using the format library is recommended but technically is optional. If you do not want to use the format library, include the following statement at the start of your SAS program:

```
options nofmterr; /* tells SAS to not look for formats */
```

Please note that each year of YRBS data has its own format library. Format libraries are not the same across years of data.

For further information on using format libraries, please consult your SAS documentation.

## 3. Example SAS and SAS-callable SUDAAN Program

Assign the locations for the SAS data and format library; libname yrbsdata 'c:\data\yrbs2011'; libname library 'c:\data\yrbs2011'; Create a temporary SAS dataset retaining only records that have weights greater than zero; data yrbs; set yrbsdata.xxh2011\_yrbs\_data; if weight > 0; Create a numeric analysis variable for Grade; select (q3); when ('1') grade = 1; when ('2') grade = 2; when ('3') grade = 3; when ('4') grade = 4; otherwise; end; run; Sort the data by stratum and PSU – this is a SUDAAN requirement; proc sort data=yrbs; by stratum psu; run; Run the SUDAAN descript procedure analyzing QN10 by grade; proc descript data=yrbs design=wr; nest stratum psu/missunit; weight weight; var qn10; catlevel 1; subgroup grade; levels 4; tables grade; print/style=NCHS; run;