

BEHAVIORAL RISK FACTOR SURVEY TABLES

	2008	2007	2006	2005	2004	2003	2002	2001
Estimated Alcohol Use in Past 30 Days								
Ages 18 and Older, U.S. Median	54.4	54.8	55.4	56.2	57.1	59.4	58.1	55.8
Ages 18 and Older, MO	51.9	51.9	50.7	51.8	51.8	53.5	53.6	49.6

Estimated Binge Drinking * in Past 30 Days

Ages 18 and Older, U.S. Median	15.6	15.8	15.4
Ages 18 and Older, MO	15.3	16.2	16.5

* 5 or more drinks on one occasion for males

* 4 or more drinks on one occasion for females

Heavy Drinking ** in Past 30 Days

Ages 18 and Older, U.S. Median	5.1	5.2	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.8	5.9	5.1
Ages 18 and Older, MO	5.3	4.6	6.2	5.0	6.0	5.5	6.1	4.8

** More than 2 drinks per day for males

** More than 1 drink per day for females

Estimated Tobacco Smoking in Past 30 Days

Ages 18 and Older, U.S. Median	18.3	19.8	20.1	20.6	20.9	22.0	23.2	23.2
Ages 18 and Older, MO	24.9	24.5	23.2	23.4	24.1	27.2	26.5	25.9

Estimated Former Smokers

Ages 18 and Older, U.S. Median	25.2	24.6	24.7	24.8	24.1	25.2	24.7	24.7
Ages 18 and Older, MO	25.0	23.4	26.8	24.2	24.2	24.3	25.5	24.5

Values shown are estimates, in percent. Apparent differences in values between years--and between U.S. and Missouri--may not be statistically significant.

Data Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Behavior Risk Factor Surveillance System.