

TABLE 2. Asthma Indicators by Onset (Child or Adult) among adults with current asthma in Arizona: BRFSS 2005.

Indicator	Total			Child Onset			Adult Onset			P*
	n	%	se	n	%	se	n	%	se	
Preventive Medication (30 days)	356			132			224			0.30 **
No days	122	30.8	4.1	48	26.7	6.1	74	35.0	5.2	0.63 ***
Any days	234	69.2	4.1	84	73.3	6.1	150	65.0	5.2	
1 to 14 days	73	25.3	4.3	27	29.7	6.8	46	20.7	4.8	
15 to 24 days	6	2.2	1.1	3	2.5	1.7	3	1.9	1.3	
25 to 30 days	155	41.7	4.6	54	41.1	7.3	101	42.4	5.5	
Rescue Inhaler (30 days)	353			131			222			0.87 **
Never	145	40.4	4.7	61	39.6	7.6	84	41.2	5.7	0.43 ***
Any times	208	59.6	4.7	70	60.4	7.6	138	58.8	5.7	
1 to 4 times	97	34.1	4.7	33	40.4	7.7	64	27.5	4.9	
5 to 14 times	46	13.5	3.0	18	11.0	3.7	28	16.0	4.8	
15 to 59 times	35	6.3	1.5	11	4.5	1.8	24	8.2	2.6	
60 or more times	30	5.7	1.4	8	4.5	2.1	22	7.1	1.9	
Attack	360			132			228			0.92 **
Did not have attack	156	41.3	4.6	59	40.9	7.7	97	41.8	5.3	
Had attack	204	58.7	4.6	73	59.1	7.7	131	58.2	5.3	
Emergency Department Visits	361			132			229			0.74 **
No visit	305	85.5	3.8	112	84.3	6.5	193	86.7	3.7	0.16 ***
Any visit	56	14.5	3.8	20	15.7	6.5	36	13.3	3.7	
One visit	32	10.4	3.5	13	14.1	6.6	19	6.6	2.4	
Two or more visits	24	4.1	1.6	7	1.6	0.7	17	6.7	3.0	
Urgent Doctor Visits	357			129			228			0.49 **
No visit	254	67.2	4.5	91	70.2	7.2	163	64.0	5.6	0.77 ***
Any visit	103	32.8	4.5	38	29.8	7.2	65	36.0	5.6	
One visit	43	13.5	3.1	17	11.9	4.2	26	15.1	4.4	
Two or more visits	60	19.3	4.0	21	17.9	6.7	39	20.9	4.8	
Routine Doctor Visits	355			129			226			0.21 **
No visits	155	39.1	4.6	66	44.7	7.6	89	33.3	5.2	0.45 ***
Any visit	200	60.9	4.6	63	55.3	7.6	137	66.7	5.2	
One visit	94	30.4	4.5	31	26.2	7.1	63	34.6	5.5	
Two visits	42	13.7	3.1	13	10.6	4.5	29	16.8	4.4	
Three or more visits	64	16.8	3.6	19	18.5	6.1	45	15.3	3.6	
Activity Limitation	297			109			188			0.43 **
No days	198	70.4	4.9	71	66.5	8.7	127	74.2	4.8	0.68 ***
Any days	99	29.6	4.9	38	33.5	8.7	61	25.8	4.8	
1-10 days	71	18.9	3.9	29	19.8	6.9	42	17.9	4.0	
> 10 days	28	10.7	3.7	9	13.7	7.0	19	7.9	2.8	
Days with Symptoms	352			131			221			0.18 **
No days	102	28.5	3.9	39	23.5	5.5	63	33.8	5.4	0.48 ***
Any days	250	71.5	3.9	92	76.5	5.5	158	66.2	5.4	
< once a week	56	17.3	3.7	27	19.3	6.0	29	15.1	4.6	
once, or more, a week	112	33.9	4.6	41	38.4	7.4	71	29.0	5.1	
every day	82	20.3	3.5	24	18.8	5.4	58	22.1	4.3	
Days with Sleep Disturbance	358			132			226			0.70 **
No days	231	62.1	4.7	90	63.9	7.6	141	60.3	5.6	0.21 ***
Any days	127	37.9	4.7	42	36.1	7.6	85	39.7	5.6	
1-2 days	46	17.0	4.0	18	19.7	6.9	28	14.1	4.2	
3-10 days	46	11.0	2.6	16	5.9	2.2	30	16.2	4.4	
> 10 days	35	9.9	2.9	8	10.5	5.1	27	9.4	2.7	

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

** chi-square for 2 category Indicator.

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