

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

Indicator	Total			Child Onset			Adult Onset			P*
	n	%	se	n	%	se	n	%	se	
<b>Preventive Medication (30 days)</b>	<b>594</b>			<b>212</b>			<b>382</b>			<b>&lt;0.01 **</b>
No days	216	40.8	2.9	97	50.9	5.1	119	32.2	2.7	<b>&lt;0.01 ***</b>
Any days	378	59.2	2.9	115	49.1	5.1	263	67.8	2.7	
1 to 14 days	126	23.2	2.4	40	21.7	4.4	86	24.5	2.6	
15 to 24 days	29	4.3	0.9	6	2.3	1.0	23	6.1	1.4	
25 to 30 days	223	31.7	2.3	69	25.1	3.5	154	37.2	2.8	
<b>Rescue Inhaler (30 days)</b>	<b>588</b>			<b>207</b>			<b>381</b>			<b>&lt;.0001 **</b>
Never	307	56.6	2.7	126	69.0	4.0	181	46.3	2.9	<b>&lt;0.01 ***</b>
Any times	281	43.4	2.7	81	31.0	4.0	200	53.7	2.9	
1 to 4 times	152	24.4	2.1	47	18.5	3.1	105	29.4	2.7	
5 to 14 times	58	8.7	1.3	12	4.3	1.3	46	12.4	2.1	
15 to 59 times	53	7.8	1.2	17	6.9	2.0	36	8.6	1.5	
60 or more times	18	2.5	0.6	5	1.3	0.6	13	3.3	1.0	
<b>Attack</b>	<b>601</b>			<b>213</b>			<b>388</b>			<b>0.22 **</b>
Did not have attack	291	50.3	2.8	106	54.1	5.0	185	47.0	2.9	
Had attack	310	49.7	2.8	107	45.9	5.0	203	53.0	2.9	
<b>Emergency Department Visits</b>	<b>597</b>			<b>212</b>			<b>385</b>			<b>0.63 **</b>
No visit	523	87.0	2.0	186	85.9	3.7	337	87.9	2.0	<b>0.05 ***</b>
Any visit	74	13.0	2.0	26	14.1	3.7	48	12.1	2.0	
One visit	32	6.4	1.7	17	9.9	3.6	15	3.4	1.0	
Two or more visits	42	6.6	1.2	9	4.2	1.6	33	8.7	1.8	
<b>Urgent Doctor Visits</b>	<b>595</b>			<b>211</b>			<b>384</b>			<b>0.67 **</b>
No visit	457	76.1	2.9	176	77.6	5.6	281	74.9	2.6	<b>0.32 ***</b>
Any visit	138	23.9	2.9	35	22.4	5.6	103	25.1	2.6	
One visit	53	10.9	2.7	16	12.6	5.4	37	9.5	1.8	
Two or more visits	85	13.0	1.9	19	9.8	3.2	66	15.6	2.1	
<b>Routine Doctor Visits</b>	<b>590</b>			<b>210</b>			<b>380</b>			<b>0.94 **</b>
No visits	279	47.8	2.8	104	47.6	5.1	175	48.0	2.9	<b>0.05 ***</b>
Any visit	311	52.2	2.8	106	52.4	5.1	205	52.0	2.9	
One visit	172	33.4	2.9	69	39.0	5.4	103	28.6	2.7	
Two visits	59	8.4	1.2	15	5.9	1.7	44	10.5	1.7	
Three or more visits	80	10.4	1.3	22	7.5	1.9	58	12.9	1.8	
<b>Activity Limitation</b>	<b>581</b>			<b>209</b>			<b>372</b>			<b>0.07 **</b>
No days	457	81.3	2.0	172	85.3	3.1	285	77.9	2.5	<b>0.16 ***</b>
Any days	124	18.7	2.0	37	14.7	3.1	87	22.1	2.5	
1-10 days	97	15.7	1.9	29	12.6	3.0	68	18.4	2.4	
> 10 days	27	3.0	0.7	8	2.1	0.9	19	3.7	1.0	
<b>Days with Symptoms</b>	<b>586</b>			<b>210</b>			<b>376</b>			<b>0.64 **</b>
No days	148	25.2	2.3	60	26.4	4.1	88	24.2	2.5	<b>0.18 ***</b>
Any days	438	74.8	2.3	150	73.6	4.1	288	75.8	2.5	
< once a week	152	27.3	2.3	62	29.3	4.2	90	25.5	2.6	
once, or more, a week	175	28.6	2.4	55	22.9	3.8	120	33.5	2.8	
every day	111	18.9	2.9	33	21.4	5.7	78	16.8	2.0	
<b>Days with Sleep Disturbance</b>	<b>594</b>			<b>212</b>			<b>382</b>			<b>0.04 **</b>
No days	398	70.4	2.3	152	75.7	3.7	246	65.9	2.8	<b>0.15 ***</b>
Any days	196	29.6	2.3	60	24.3	3.7	136	34.1	2.8	
1-2 days	104	15.7	1.8	31	14.1	3.1	73	17.1	2.0	
3-10 days	57	8.8	1.4	16	6.7	1.8	41	10.5	2.0	
> 10 days	35	5.1	1.0	13	3.5	1.1	22	6.5	1.6	

\* 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.