

Table L2_1
Child Lifetime Asthma Prevalence Rate (Percent)
by Sex and State or Territory: BRFSS 2008

State	Male Sample Size	Male Prevalence	Male Standard Error	Male 95% CI *		Female Sample Size	Female Prevalence	Female Standard Error	Female 95% CI *
Total **	39,629	16.0	0.35	(15.3 - 16.6)		36,651	11.0	0.30	(10.4 - 11.5)
AZ	770	16.1	2.73	(11.4 - 22.2)		739	7.9	1.76	(5.0 - 12.1)
CA	1,927	15.0	1.02	(13.1 - 17.1)		1,784	9.5	0.84	(8.0 - 11.3)
CT	860	18.4	1.81	(15.1 - 22.2)		768	14.8	1.80	(11.6 - 18.7)
DC	475	23.4	2.64	(18.6 - 28.9)		420	14.2	2.40	(10.1 - 19.6)
GA	874	18.9	1.95	(15.4 - 23.1)		783	13.2	1.56	(10.5 - 16.6)
HI	1,064	22.4	1.58	(19.5 - 25.7)		962	14.9	1.52	(12.1 - 18.1)
ID	810	11.1	1.43	(8.5 - 14.2)		788	6.5	1.08	(4.7 - 9.0)
IL	755	12.7	1.45	(10.1 - 15.8)		789	11.4	1.44	(8.9 - 14.6)
IN	718	16.2	1.90	(12.8 - 20.3)		686	9.7	1.29	(7.4 - 12.5)
IA	891	9.4	1.06	(7.6 - 11.7)		796	9.1	1.13	(7.1 - 11.6)
KS	1,219	14.5	1.14	(12.4 - 16.9)		1,198	10.0	0.98	(8.2 - 12.1)
KY	1,096	14.7	1.39	(12.2 - 17.6)		1,078	13.3	1.31	(10.9 - 16.0)
ME	834	16.3	1.42	(13.6 - 19.2)		816	11.7	1.25	(9.5 - 14.4)
MD	1,468	16.9	1.29	(14.6 - 19.6)		1,375	11.6	1.15	(9.5 - 14.0)
MA	976	17.9	1.75	(14.7 - 21.6)		842	10.1	1.49	(7.6 - 13.5)
MI	1,291	18.8	1.55	(15.9 - 22.0)		1,170	12.8	1.10	(10.8 - 15.1)
MS	968	17.9	1.62	(15.0 - 21.3)		923	10.4	1.34	(8.0 - 13.3)
MO	674	16.8	1.99	(13.3 - 21.1)		664	11.9	1.74	(8.9 - 15.8)
MT	885	12.1	1.38	(9.6 - 15.1)		787	8.5	1.23	(6.4 - 11.2)
NE	2,282	9.3	1.02	(7.5 - 11.5)		2,221	6.6	0.82	(5.1 - 8.4)
NV	746	13.0	1.71	(10.0 - 16.7)		627	9.8	1.84	(6.8 - 14.1)
NH	941	14.7	1.42	(12.1 - 17.7)		867	9.3	1.10	(7.4 - 11.7)
NJ	1,775	16.4	1.21	(14.1 - 18.9)		1,580	9.7	0.97	(8.0 - 11.8)
NM	988	13.9	1.42	(11.3 - 16.9)		868	8.6	1.06	(6.8 - 10.9)
NY	1,029	17.6	1.53	(14.8 - 20.8)		993	14.6	1.55	(11.8 - 17.9)
ND	648	10.0	1.36	(7.6 - 13.0)		641	5.1	0.83	(3.7 - 7.0)

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OH	1,684	14.7	1.17	(12.5 - 17.1)		1,562	12.6	1.11	(10.6 - 14.9)
OK	1,205	16.3	1.27	(13.9 - 18.9)		1,033	11.2	1.14	(9.2 - 13.6)
OR	617	9.5	1.33	(7.2 - 12.4)		545	10.2	1.52	(7.6 - 13.6)
PA	1,628	16.9	1.57	(14.0 - 20.2)		1,537	10.6	1.13	(8.5 - 13.0)
RI	684	20.3	1.76	(17.1 - 24.0)		589	13.8	1.73	(10.8 - 17.6)
TX	1,643	17.8	1.43	(15.2 - 20.8)		1,560	10.7	1.13	(8.6 - 13.1)
UT	1,261	11.1	1.17	(9.0 - 13.6)		989	8.6	1.19	(6.5 - 11.2)
VT	914	17.8	1.47	(15.1 - 20.9)		841	11.1	1.27	(8.9 - 13.9)
VA	678	16.9	2.04	(13.3 - 21.3)		653	12.4	1.92	(9.1 - 16.7)
WV	472	17.6	2.03	(13.9 - 21.9)		484	11.8	1.66	(8.9 - 15.5)
WI	711	12.8	1.84	(9.6 - 16.8)		658	7.7	1.42	(5.4 - 11.0)
WY	1,168	11.3	1.05	(9.4 - 13.5)		1,035	5.4	0.77	(4.1 - 7.2)
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PR	578	34.0	2.32	(29.6 - 38.7)		538	24.2	2.14	(20.2 - 28.6)

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