Gambling

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56. Gambling involves betting anything of value (money, a watch, soda, etc.) on a game or event. Please check ALL the different types of gambling that you have bet on, if any, during the last 30 days.

	Total		Female		Male	
	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
Total	5,149	100.0	2,681	100.0	2,468	100.0
I did not gamble in the last 30 days	3,434	65.5	1,946	70.6	1,488	60.1
Playing lottery tickets	215	4.0	107	4.1	108	4.0
Playing Powerball or Megabucks	43	.8	24	.9	19	.6
Playing dice or coin flips	343	7.1	150	6.0	193	8.4
Playing cards (poker, etc.)	554	11.3	221	9.5	333	13.3
Betting on a sports team	427	8.4	157	5.7	270	11.3
Betting on a horse/dog race	22	.5	12	.5	10	.5
Betting on games of personal skill (bowling, video games, dares, etc.)	711	15.0	302	13.2	409	16.8
Gambling on the Internet	73	1.4	28	1.1	45	1.7
Gambling at a casino	9	.2	6	.2	3	.1
Playing Bingo for money	93	1.9	47	2.3	46	1.4
Other	580	12.3	269	11.1	311	13.7

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57. During the last 12 months, have you ever felt bad about the amount you bet, or about what happens when you bet money?

	Total		Female		Male	
	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
Total	5,145	100.0	2,680	100.0	2,465	100.0
I don't bet for money	3,731	70.7	2,129	77.9	1,602	63.0
Yes	224	5.0	77	3.8	147	6.4
No	1,190	24.3	474	18.4	716	30.6

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58. During the last 12 months, have you ever felt that you would like to stop betting money but didn't think you could?

	Total		Female		Male	
	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
Total	5,134	100.0	2,673	100.0	2,461	100.0
I don't bet for money	3,809	72.7	2,163	79.5	1,646	65.3
Yes	156	3.3	63	2.5	93	4.0
No	1,169	24.1	447	18.0	722	30.7

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59. In total, how much money have you bet in any form (lottery, card games, bingo, Internet, sports, with friends) in the past three months?

	Total		Female		Male	
	Count	%	Count	%	Count	%
Total	5,135	100.0	2,684	100.0	2,451	100.0
\$0	3,762	71.4	2,146	78.6	1,616	63.7
\$1 to \$10	839	16.8	369	13.8	470	20.1
\$11 to \$50	322	7.3	109	5.2	213	9.6
\$51 to \$100	97	1.6	25	.7	72	2.7
\$101 or more	115	2.8	35	1.7	80	4.0

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