

Oregon Youth Risk Behavior Survey (YRBS) 1997 Middle School

Question 23. When you bought cigarettes in a store during the past 30 days, were you ever asked to show proof of age?

Unweighted Column Percents

	6th	7th	8th
Total			
I did not smoke cigarettes in past 30 days	86.8	81.8	74.2
I did not buy cigarettes in past 30 days	11.3	14.7	20.5
Yes, I was asked to show proof of age	.3	.2	.7
No, I was not asked to show proof of age	1.7	3.3	4.6
Female			
Total			
I did not smoke cigarettes in past 30 days	86.4	82.5	71.5
I did not buy cigarettes in past 30 days	12.5	14.7	24.3
Yes, I was asked to show proof of age	.0	.1	.4
No, I was not asked to show proof of age	1.0	2.7	3.7
Male			
Total			
I did not smoke cigarettes in past 30 days	87.6	81.2	76.9
I did not buy cigarettes in past 30 days	9.4	14.6	16.7
Yes, I was asked to show proof of age	.5	.3	1.0
No, I was not asked to show proof of age	2.5	3.9	5.4

Total N =
9,373

Unweighted Frequencies

	6th	7th	8th
Total			
I did not smoke cigarettes in past 30 days	1,326	2,888	3,226
I did not buy cigarettes in past 30 days	172	518	892
Yes, I was asked to show proof of age	4	7	30
No, I was not asked to show proof of age	26	118	198

Female			
Total			
I did not smoke cigarettes in past 30 days	682	1,454	1,549
I did not buy cigarettes in past 30 days	99	260	527
Yes, I was asked to show proof of age	0	2	9
No, I was not asked to show proof of age	8	47	81
Male			
Total			
I did not smoke cigarettes in past 30 days	641	1,422	1,670
I did not buy cigarettes in past 30 days	69	256	363
Yes, I was asked to show proof of age	4	5	21
No, I was not asked to show proof of age	18	69	117

Total N =			
9,373			