

Alcohol

**Oregon Healthy Teens 2011 - 8th Grade
State Summary Report**

119. How old were you when you had more than a sip or two of beer, wine, or hard liquor (e.g., vodka, whiskey, or gin) for the first time?

| | Total | | Female | | Male | |
|----------------------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| | Count | % | Count | % | Count | % |
| Total | 3727 | 100.0 | 1856 | 100.0 | 1871 | 100.0 |
| I have never drank alcohol | 1810 | 50.4 | 861 | 49.2 | 949 | 51.5 |
| 8 years old or younger | 434 | 11.6 | 217 | 10.2 | 217 | 13.0 |
| 9 years old | 134 | 3.3 | 56 | 2.8 | 78 | 3.8 |
| 10 years old | 225 | 6.1 | 114 | 6.4 | 111 | 5.9 |
| 11 years old | 184 | 4.8 | 87 | 5.0 | 97 | 4.6 |
| 12 years old | 343 | 8.8 | 198 | 10.2 | 145 | 7.5 |
| 13 years old | 471 | 11.8 | 262 | 13.4 | 209 | 10.3 |
| 14 years old | 124 | 3.1 | 60 | 2.7 | 64 | 3.4 |
| 15 years old | 2 | .0 | 1 | .0 | 1 | .0 |

Unweighted counts and weighted percentages exclude missing and/or refused answers.

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120. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have at least one drink of alcohol?

| | Total | | Female | | Male | |
|-----------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| | Count | % | Count | % | Count | % |
| Total | 3717 | 100.0 | 1851 | 100.0 | 1866 | 100.0 |
| 0 days | 2951 | 80.3 | 1429 | 79.0 | 1522 | 81.6 |
| 1 or 2 days | 467 | 11.9 | 270 | 13.8 | 197 | 10.0 |
| 3 to 5 days | 156 | 4.0 | 84 | 4.0 | 72 | 4.1 |
| 6 to 9 days | 74 | 1.6 | 38 | 1.6 | 36 | 1.6 |
| 10 or more days | 69 | 2.2 | 30 | 1.7 | 39 | 2.7 |

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121. During the past 30 days, on how many days did you have 5 or more drinks of alcohol in a row, that is, within a couple of hours?

| | Total | | Female | | Male | |
|----------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| | Count | % | Count | % | Count | % |
| Total | 3697 | 100.0 | 1839 | 100.0 | 1858 | 100.0 |
| 0 days | 3350 | 91.1 | 1666 | 91.9 | 1684 | 90.4 |
| 1 or 2 days | 246 | 6.2 | 130 | 6.1 | 116 | 6.4 |
| 3 to 5 days | 54 | 1.3 | 22 | 1.0 | 32 | 1.7 |
| 6 or more days | 47 | 1.3 | 21 | 1.1 | 26 | 1.6 |

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122. During the past 30 days, what type of alcohol did you usually drink? (Select only one response.)

| | Total | | Female | | Male | |
|--|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| | Count | % | Count | % | Count | % |
| Total | 3566 | 100.0 | 1764 | 100.0 | 1802 | 100.0 |
| I did not drink alcohol during the past 30 days | 2881 | 81.3 | 1394 | 80.6 | 1487 | 82.1 |
| I do not have a usual type | 109 | 2.7 | 54 | 2.1 | 55 | 3.4 |
| Beer | 142 | 4.1 | 59 | 3.4 | 83 | 4.7 |
| Malt beverages, such as Smirnoff Ice, Bacardi Silver, or Hard Lemonade | 75 | 2.5 | 45 | 2.9 | 30 | 2.2 |
| Wine coolers, such as Bartles & Jaymes or Seagrams | 18 | .4 | 13 | .4 | 5 | .3 |
| Wine | 62 | 2.0 | 44 | 2.8 | 18 | 1.1 |
| Liquor, such as vodka, rum, scotch, bourbon, or whiskey | 246 | 6.2 | 134 | 6.8 | 112 | 5.7 |
| Some other type | 33 | .8 | 21 | 1.0 | 12 | .6 |

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123. If you wanted to get some beer, wine, or hard liquor (e.g., vodka, whiskey, or gin), how easy would it be for you to get some?

| | Total | | Female | | Male | |
|--------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| | Count | % | Count | % | Count | % |
| Total | 3619 | 100.0 | 1796 | 100.0 | 1823 | 100.0 |
| Very easy | 1104 | 27.5 | 559 | 28.0 | 545 | 27.0 |
| Sort of easy | 972 | 27.5 | 516 | 29.2 | 456 | 25.8 |
| Sort of hard | 628 | 17.1 | 321 | 18.4 | 307 | 15.9 |
| Very hard | 915 | 27.9 | 400 | 24.4 | 515 | 31.2 |

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