



Healthy Youth Survey Data Points

The results presented in this report come from the 2002 Healthy Youth Survey. As in all surveys, the data are subject to sampling variability and other sources of error.

The Spokane County response rate for 6th graders was 62% and for 8th graders it was 44%. Response rates between 40 and 69% are probably representative of students in this grade in all of Spokane County.

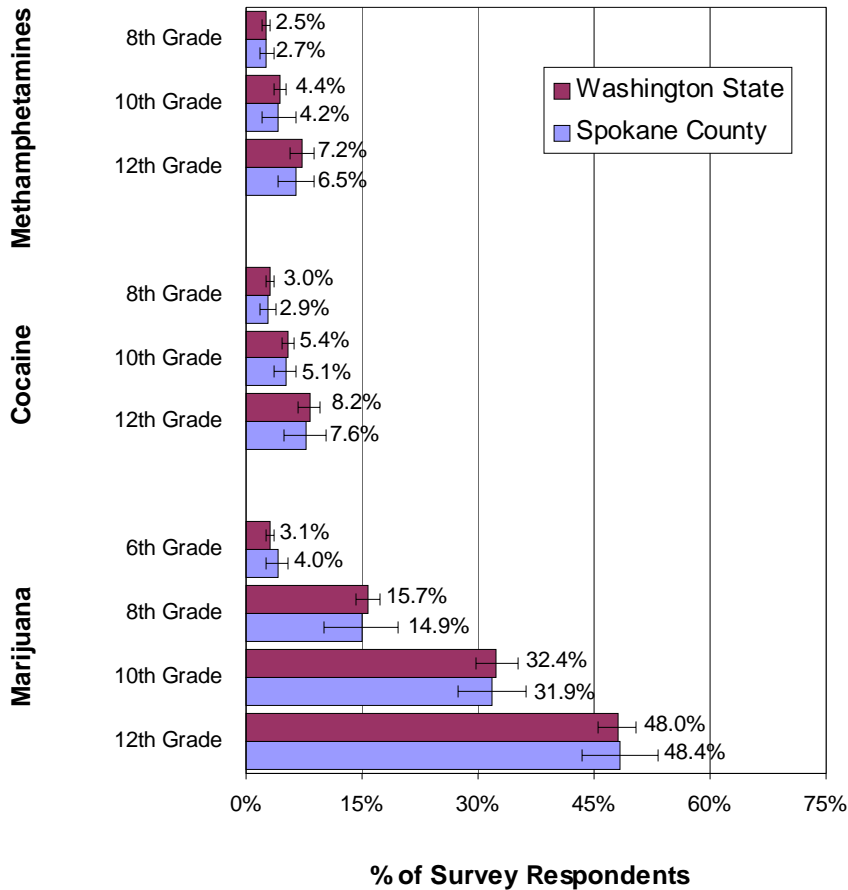
The Spokane County response rate for 10th graders was 35% and for 12th graders it was 29%. Response rates less than 40% are quite low and should not be interpreted as representative of students in the county as a whole. The data on 10th and 12th graders IS representative of the students who took the survey, and may be representative of sections of Spokane County.

In 2004, when the Healthy Youth survey is fielded again, our hope is that all schools selected for the Spokane County sample will participate fully.

Lifetime Illicit Drug Use

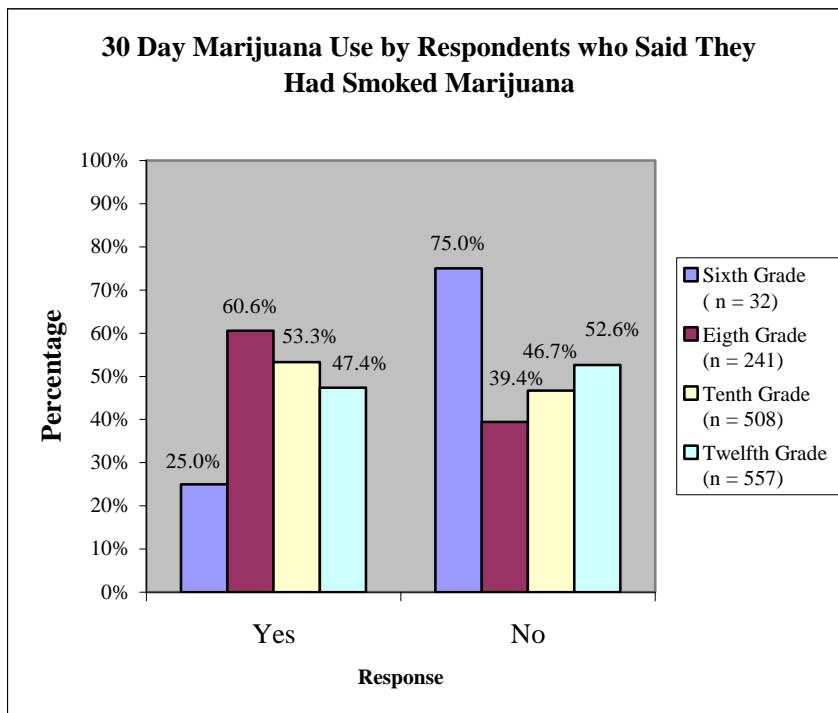
All student participants

Lifetime Illicit Drug Use by Grade
Healthy Youth Survey 2002

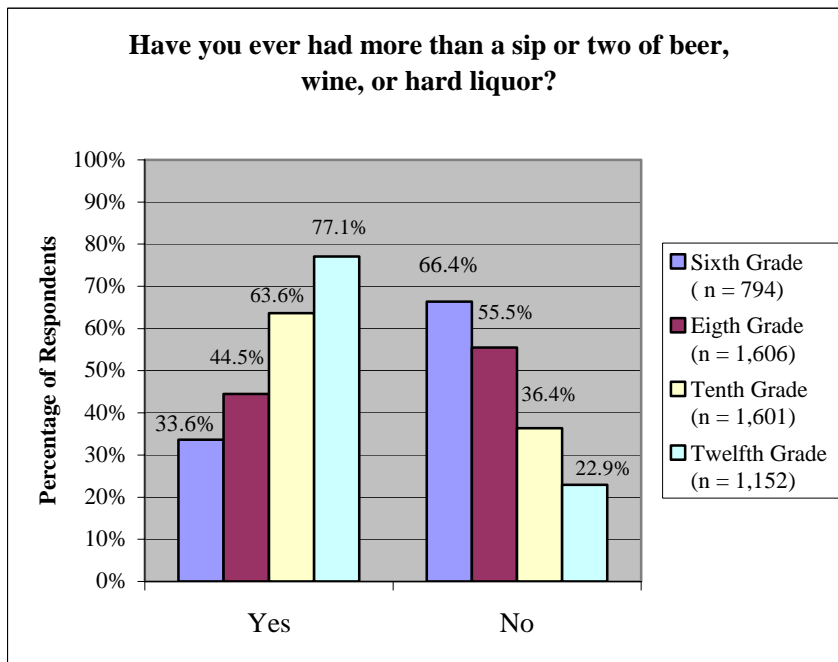


30-Day Marijuana Use

For those who have used marijuana

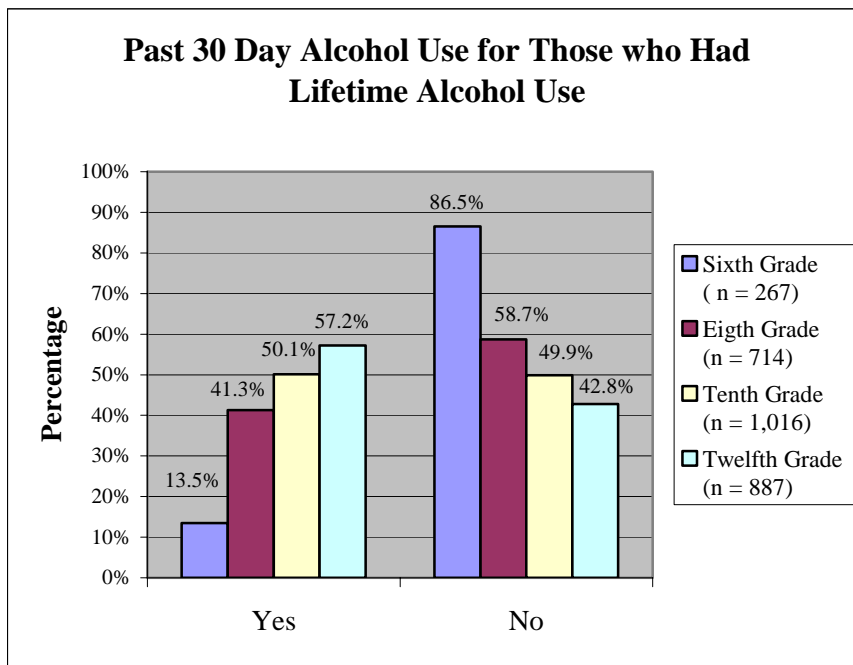


Lifetime alcohol use – all student participants



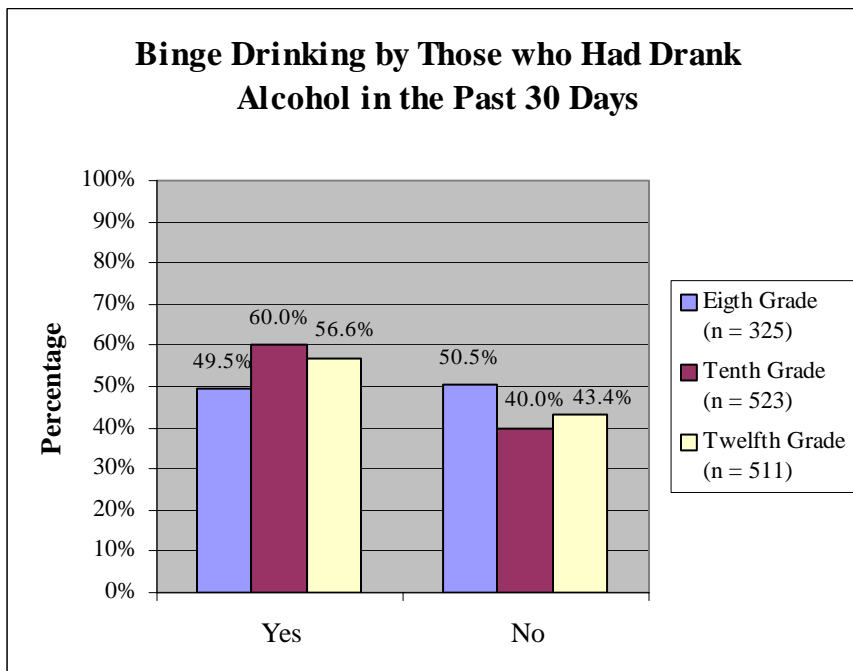
30-Day Alcohol Use

For those who have used alcohol



Binge drinking in the past 2 weeks

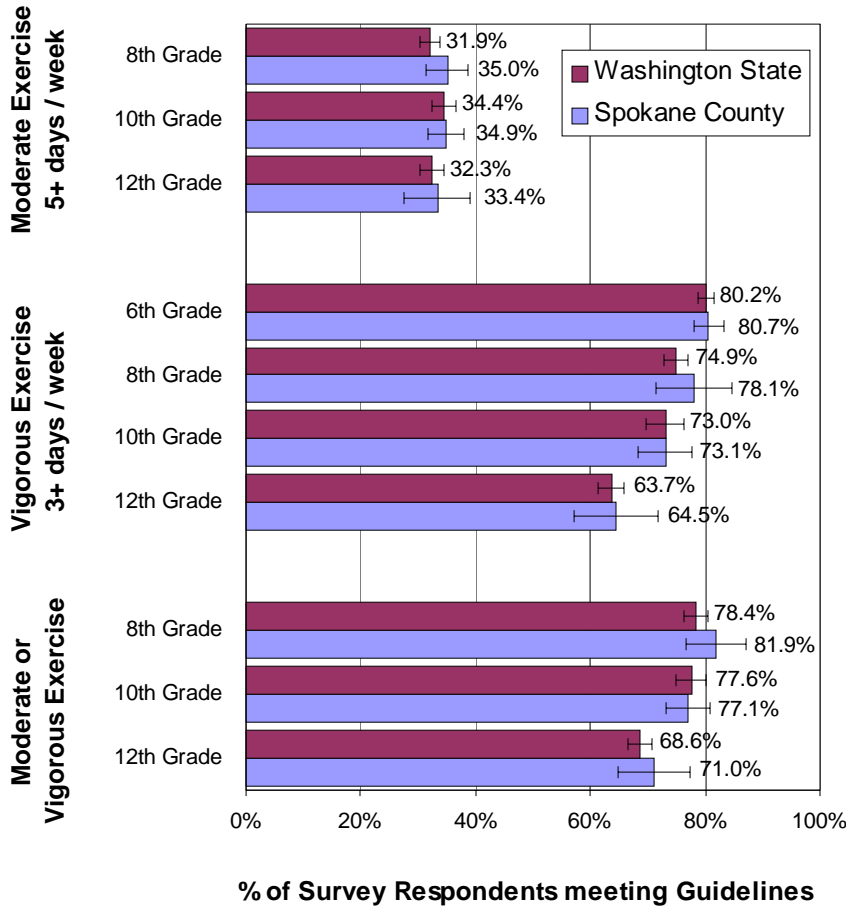
By those who had drunk in the past 30 days



Physical Activity

All Student Participants

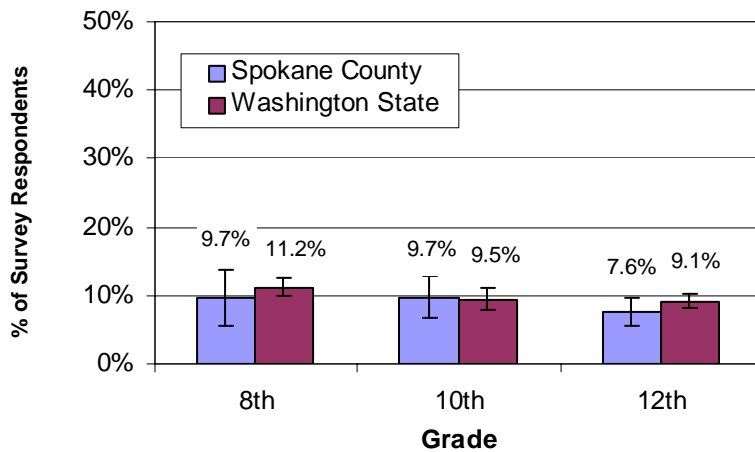
Physical Activity Guidelines by Grade
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Body Mass Index

All student participants

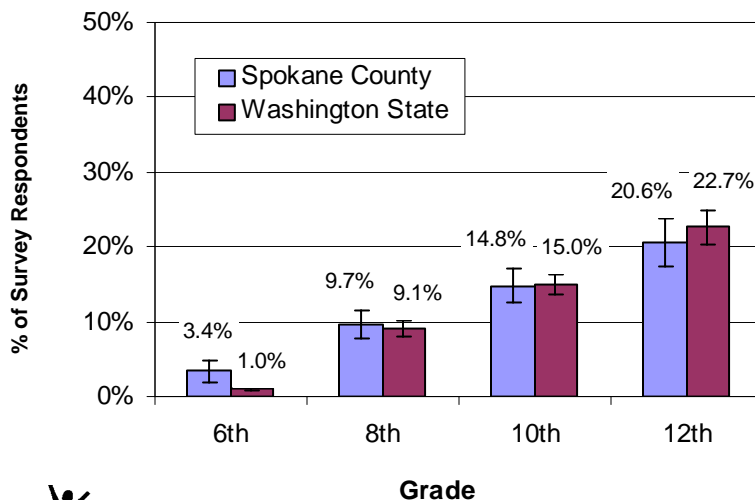
Overweight Adolescents by Grade
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Cigarette Smoking

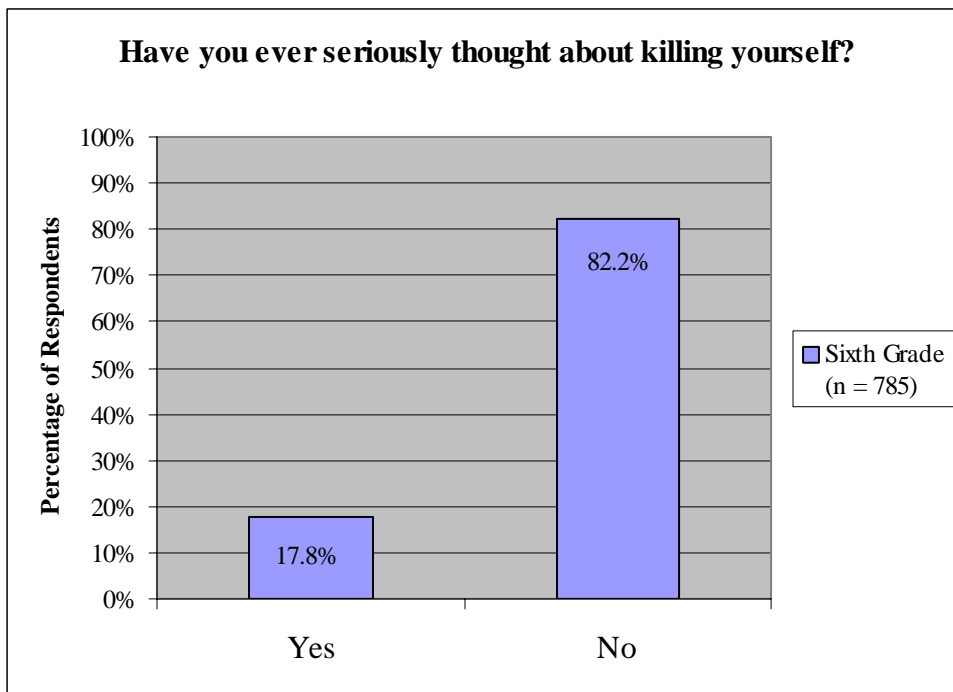
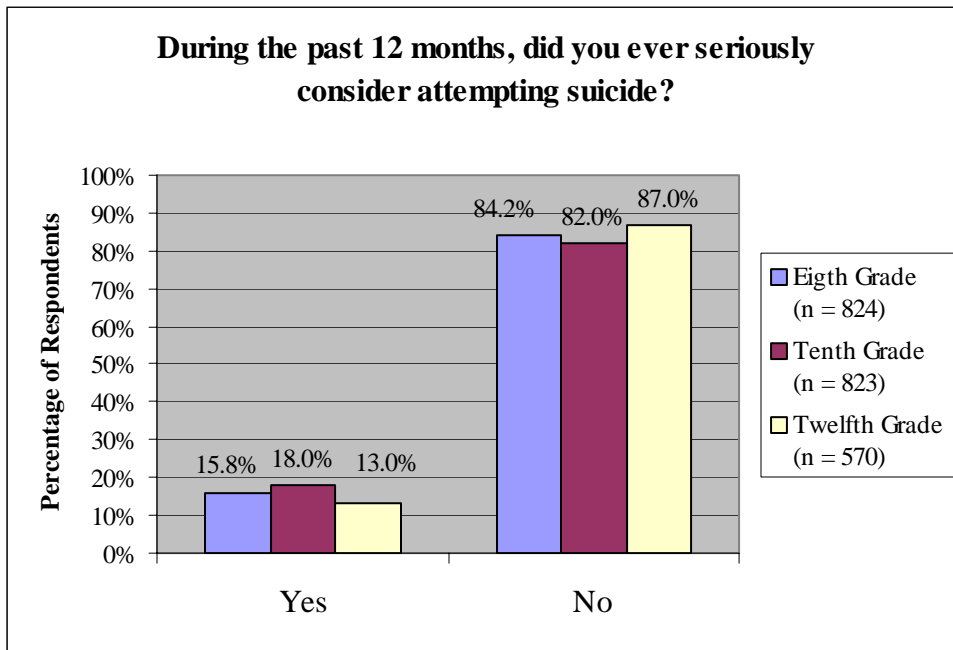
All student participants

Cigarette Smokers by Grade
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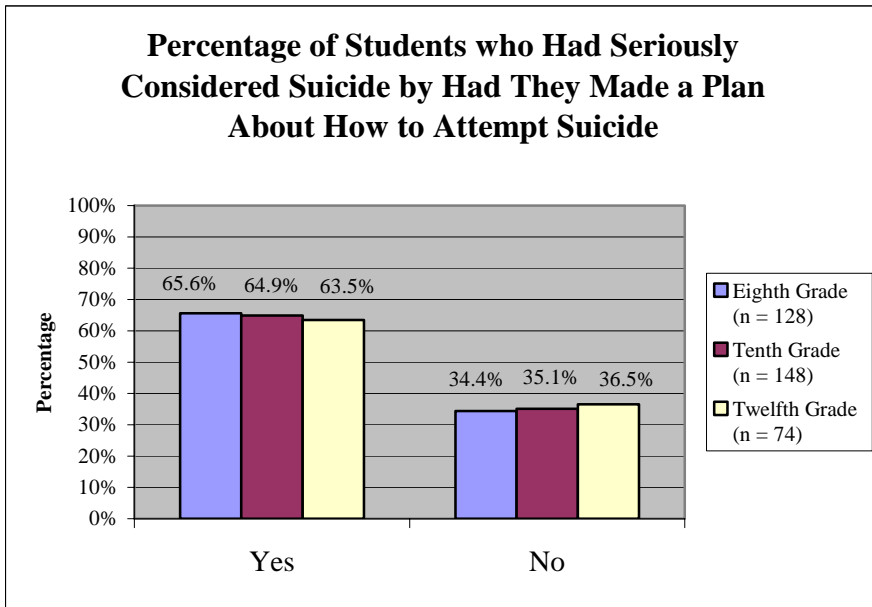
Suicide

All student participants

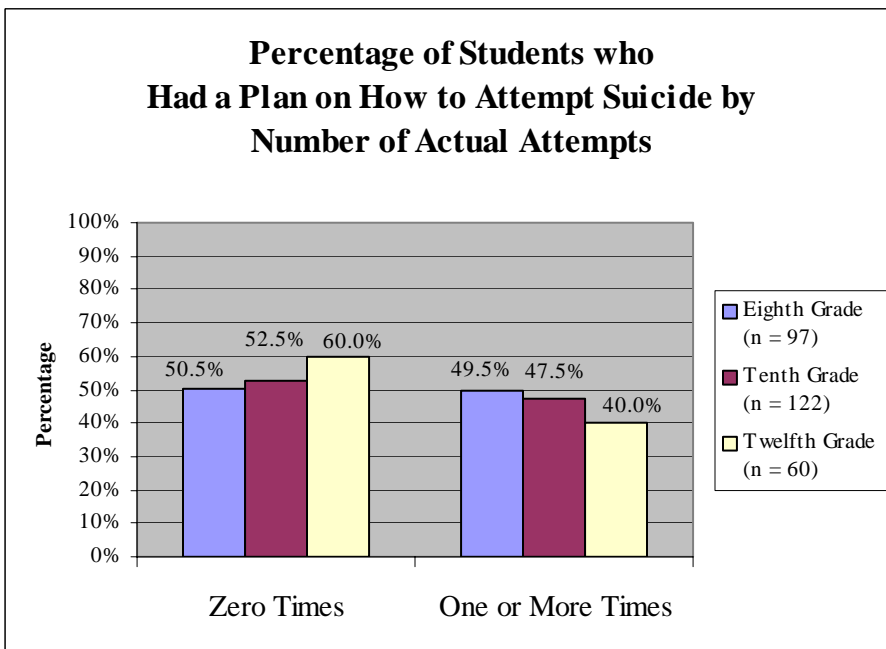


Make a Plan for How to Commit Suicide

Students who said, "Yes" they had seriously considered suicide

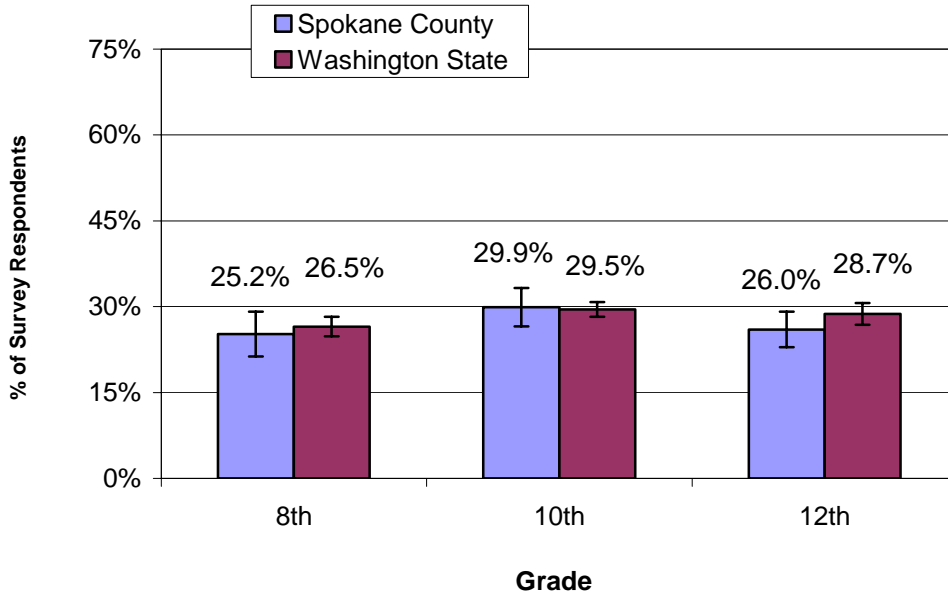


How many times suicide was actually attempted
By those who said, "Yes" they had a plan

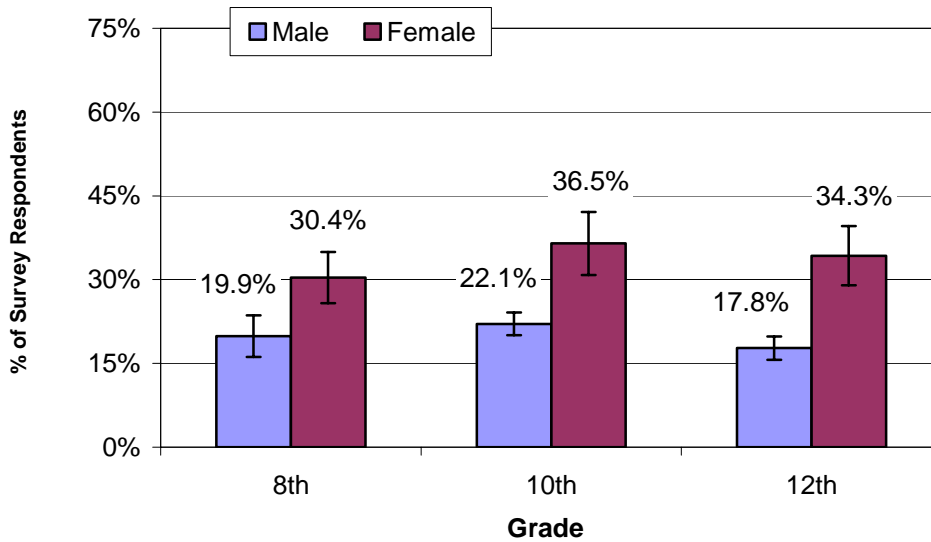


Depressive Episodes

Depressive Episodes by Grade
Healthy Youth Survey 2002



Depressive Episodes by Grade/Gender
Spokane County, Healthy Youth Survey 2002



Bullying

In the last 30 days, how often have you been bullied?

	I have not been bullied	Once	2 to 3 Times	About once a week	Several times a week
Sixth Grade (n = 788)	65.5%	15.9%	9.6%	4.1%	4.9%
Eighth Grade (n = 1,611)	73.6%	11.7%	7.1%	2.4%	5.2%
Tenth Grade (n = 1,606)	76.0%	10.1%	7.5%	2.8%	3.6%
Twelfth Grade (n = 1,150)	86.7%	6.5%	4.0%	1.0%	1.7%

Violence

Have you ever been physically abused by an adult?

	Yes	No
Sixth Grade (n = 693)	13.9%	96.1%
Eighth Grade (n = 582)	15.8%	84.2%
Tenth Grade (n = 650)	16.6%	83.4%
Twelfth Grade (n = 494)	19.2%	80.8%

Not counting TV and movies, have you seen an adult hit, slap, punch, shove, kick, or otherwise physically hurt another adult more than one time?

	Yes	No
Eighth Grade (n = 572)	35.1%	64.9%
Tenth Grade (n = 648)	34.3%	65.7%
Twelfth Grade (n = 493)	34.9%	65.1%

During the past 12 months, did your boyfriend or girlfriend ever hit, slap, or physically hurt you on purpose?

	Yes	No
Eighth Grade (n = 579)	6.7%	93.3%
Tenth Grade (n = 650)	5.8%	94.2%
Twelfth Grade (n = 495)	7.1%	92.9%

* Chi-Square analysis indicates there was no significant difference for participants who said "Yes" they had been abused by an adult, and those who said "Yes" they had seen physical violence and whether they had experienced domestic violence in the past 12 months.

Has anyone ever made offensive racial comments or attacked you based on your race or ethnicity, either at school or on your way to or from school?

	Yes	No	Not Sure
Eighth Grade (n = 590)	16.3%	77.5%	6.3%
Tenth Grade (n = 657)	16.4%	79.3%	4.3%
Twelfth Grade (n = 496)	14.5%	80.0%	5.4%

* A chi-square analysis of the individuals who said "Yes" and gave their race/ethnicity, showed no significant difference between race/ethnicity groups and the expected and observed counts.