

# **New York State Expanded Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System**

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## Introduction

The New York State Expanded Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (Expanded BRFSS) is a random digit dialed telephone survey of adults (18 years of age and older) that is representative of the non-institutionalized civilian population with landline telephones living in New York State. The goal of the Expanded BRFSS is to collect county-specific data on preventive health practices, risk behaviors, injuries and preventable chronic and infectious diseases. Topics assessed by the Expanded BRFSS include tobacco use, physical inactivity, diet, use of cancer screening services and other factors linked to the leading causes of morbidity and mortality. For each topic, health indicators are based on answers to one or more questions in the survey. The survey results are weighted to more accurately represent the adult population living in each county. Weighting procedures adjust for the differential selection probabilities by race, age and gender. More detailed information on weighting procedures is available in the technical brief.

Survey data collection occurred in 58 geographic areas of New York State, including each of the 57 counties outside of New York City and New York City (5 counties) as a single area. A standard questionnaire was used in all areas. Data collection for the 2009 Expanded BRFSS took place during the period of July 2008 through June 2009. The goal was to complete about 650 interviews in each area. The final number of interviews varies because of the sampling design of the survey and differential response rates. More detailed information on the sampling design is available in the technical brief.

The New York State Department of Health contracted with RTI International, which is responsible for the data collection, sampling, weighting and creation of the statistical reports. RTI International subcontracted with Clearwater Research Inc. for data collection and additional expertise in sample design and data quality control.

This report presents both crude estimates and estimates that have been age-adjusted to the Year 2000 US Standard Population when they represent the entire adult population of an area. Estimates for specific age groups are not age-adjusted. Age adjustment is a statistical process applied to rates that allows communities with different age structures to be compared. Counties can compare their data with results from New York State as a whole and with other counties. Confidence intervals at the 95% level associated with each health indicator give an estimated range of values which is likely to include the actual prevalence of the indicator. Confidence intervals are similar to margins of error. When the confidence intervals of two estimates of the same indicator from different areas do not overlap, they may be said to be statistically significantly different, i.e., these differences are unlikely related to chance and are considered true differences. If there is any value that is included in both intervals, the two estimates are not statistically significantly different.

The survey results for each of the 69 health indicators included in the survey are typically provided by gender, age, race and ethnicity, education and income in the Expanded BRFSS county reports. The estimates for some of these groupings may be suppressed in geographic areas with low proportions of adult respondents in these groupings.

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**Table 1. Suffolk County and New York State adult US Census Bureau population estimates,<sup>1</sup> 2007**

	Suffolk County		New York State	
	Adult Population <sup>1</sup>	Percent	Adult Population <sup>1</sup>	Percent
<b>Total</b>	1,094,538	100	14,884,315	100
<b>Gender</b>				
Male	532,778	48.7	7,103,791	47.7
Female	561,760	51.3	7,780,524	52.3
<b>Age (years)</b>				
18-34	289,806	26.5	4,497,479	30.2
35-44	219,293	20.0	2,844,115	19.1
45-54	230,399	21.0	2,854,316	19.2
55-64	169,609	15.5	2,142,000	14.4
≥ 65	185,431	16.9	2,546,405	17.1
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>				
White Non-Hispanic	845,326	77.2	9,343,884	62.8
Black Non-Hispanic	75,324	6.9	2,156,941	14.5
Hispanic	131,522	12.0	2,258,717	15.2
Other Non-Hispanic	42,366	3.9	1,124,773	7.6

<sup>1</sup> Source: National Center for Health Statistics. Postcensal estimates of the resident population of the United States for July 1, 2000-July 1, 2007, by year, county, age, bridged race, Hispanic origin, and sex (Vintage 2007). Prepared under a collaborative arrangement with the U.S. Census Bureau; released August 7, 2008. Available from: [http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged\\_race.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nvss/bridged_race.htm) as of November 25, 2009.

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**Table 2a. Fair or poor general health among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	130,100	11.9	(9.1 - 14.7)	38,124	2,531,400	17.1	(15.1 - 19.0)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	47,600	8.9	(5.5 - 12.4)	14,599	1,069,700	15.1	(12.4 - 17.8)
Female	411	82,600	14.7	(10.4 - 19.0)	23,525	1,461,700	18.8	(16.1 - 21.6)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,940	535,800	12.0	(7.2 - 16.8)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,985	289,200	10.0	(6.8 - 13.3)
45-54	130	27,600	12.0	(5.6 - 18.4)	7,819	507,800	17.9	(14.0 - 21.8)
55-64	138	22,900	13.5	(7.4 - 19.6)	8,757	424,700	19.9	(16.0 - 23.9)
≥ 65	239	49,400	26.6	(20.5 - 32.8)	12,623	773,900	30.5	(26.8 - 34.2)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	588	94,300	11.2	(8.5 - 13.8)	35,811	1,226,600	13.2	(11.7 - 14.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	739	457,300	21.3	(14.8 - 27.9)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	861	684,100	30.4	(22.2 - 38.6)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	713	163,400	14.5	(5.1 - 24.0)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	205	76,800	23.0	(15.7 - 30.2)	15,682	1,466,500	26.3	(22.6 - 30.0)
Some College	172	23,200	7.7	(3.4 - 12.0)	9,904	508,500	14.3	(10.9 - 17.8)
≥ College Degree	284	30,200	6.7	(3.5 - 9.8)	12,457	493,500	8.8	(6.5 - 11.1)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,633	1,269,200	36.3	(30.1 - 42.4)
\$25,000-\$49,999	129	27,200	15.4	(8.3 - 22.5)	9,649	447,600	15.4	(11.9 - 18.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	87	15,100	10.2	(3.5 - 16.8)	5,769	237,800	12.1	(8.0 - 16.2)
≥ \$75,000	274	29,600	5.5	(2.4 - 8.7)	8,562	218,300	4.9	(3.6 - 6.1)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as reporting fair or poor general health

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have fair or poor health (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 2b. Fair or poor general health among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	11.2	(8.4 - 14.0)	38,124	16.7	(14.8 - 18.6)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	8.2	(5.1 - 11.3)	14,599	15.3	(12.6 - 18.0)
Female	411	14.0	(9.6 - 18.5)	23,525	18.0	(15.2 - 20.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	588	10.3	(7.8 - 12.8)	35,811	12.9	(11.4 - 14.4)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	739	20.8	(14.2 - 27.3)
Hispanic	*	*	*	861	29.9	(21.8 - 37.9)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	713	13.8	(4.8 - 22.8)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	205	21.8	(14.5 - 29.1)	15,682	25.8	(22.1 - 29.5)
Some College	172	7.2	(2.9 - 11.5)	9,904	14.1	(10.7 - 17.6)
≥ College Degree	284	6.1	(3.1 - 9.1)	12,457	8.5	(6.3 - 10.8)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,633	35.9	(29.7 - 42.0)
\$25,000-\$49,999	129	15.0	(7.7 - 22.2)	9,649	15.0	(11.6 - 18.5)
\$50,000-\$74,999	87	9.4	(3.1 - 15.7)	5,769	11.8	(7.7 - 16.0)
≥ \$75,000	274	5.1	(2.1 - 8.2)	8,562	4.7	(3.5 - 6.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as reporting fair or poor general health

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 3a. Poor physical health 14 or more days within the past month among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	653	93,300	8.6	(6.2 - 11.0)	37,327	1,472,900	10.1	(8.7 - 11.6)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	248	42,300	8.0	(4.5 - 11.6)	14,325	604,200	8.7	(7.0 - 10.5)
Female	405	51,000	9.2	(6.0 - 12.3)	23,002	868,600	11.4	(9.2 - 13.6)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,891	268,100	6.1	(2.7 - 9.5)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,948	232,100	8.1	(5.2 - 11.1)
45-54	129	28,000	12.2	(5.4 - 18.9)	7,764	350,900	12.5	(9.4 - 15.6)
55-64	135	15,400	9.4	(4.2 - 14.6)	8,621	271,200	13.0	(10.3 - 15.8)
≥ 65	234	36,700	20.2	(14.3 - 26.0)	12,103	350,600	14.5	(12.1 - 16.9)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	578	70,900	8.5	(6.1 - 10.9)	35,073	929,700	10.2	(8.8 - 11.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	724	208,200	9.9	(4.8 - 14.9)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	835	250,300	11.5	(6.5 - 16.4)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	695	84,600	7.6	(1.3 - 13.9)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	202	45,900	13.9	(8.5 - 19.2)	15,178	692,800	12.9	(10.6 - 15.3)
Some College	167	24,000	8.1	(3.4 - 12.8)	9,751	362,500	10.3	(7.4 - 13.2)
≥ College Degree	282	22,500	5.0	(2.2 - 7.8)	12,327	359,300	6.4	(4.8 - 8.1)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	87	21,300	17.4	(7.8 - 27.0)	9,294	625,600	18.4	(13.6 - 23.3)
\$25,000-\$49,999	126	18,300	10.5	(4.3 - 16.7)	9,495	279,100	9.8	(7.3 - 12.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	86	19,600	13.4	(4.1 - 22.7)	5,733	186,400	9.5	(5.8 - 13.2)
≥ \$75,000	274	23,600	4.4	(1.8 - 7.0)	8,510	219,100	4.9	(3.6 - 6.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as 14 or more days within the past month when physical health was not good

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults with poor physical health 14 or more days within the past month (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 3b. Poor physical health 14 or more days within the past month among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	653	7.9	(5.6 - 10.1)	37,327	9.9	(8.4 - 11.4)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	248	7.5	(4.2 - 10.7)	14,325	8.7	(6.9 - 10.5)
Female	405	8.3	(5.2 - 11.3)	23,002	11.0	(8.7 - 13.2)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	578	7.8	(5.6 - 10.1)	35,073	9.9	(8.5 - 11.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	724	9.7	(4.6 - 14.9)
Hispanic	*	*	*	835	11.3	(6.3 - 16.2)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	695	7.6	(1.2 - 14.0)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	202	12.3	(7.4 - 17.2)	15,178	12.7	(10.2 - 15.1)
Some College	167	7.5	(2.9 - 12.1)	9,751	10.1	(7.2 - 12.9)
≥ College Degree	282	4.8	(2.0 - 7.6)	12,327	6.3	(4.7 - 8.0)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	87	14.9	(6.0 - 23.8)	9,294	18.4	(13.5 - 23.4)
\$25,000-\$49,999	126	9.5	(3.8 - 15.1)	9,495	9.4	(7.0 - 11.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	86	13.3	(3.6 - 23.0)	5,733	9.0	(5.3 - 12.6)
≥ \$75,000	274	3.9	(1.7 - 6.2)	8,510	4.9	(3.5 - 6.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as 14 or more days within the past month when physical health was not good

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 4a. Poor mental health 14 or more days within the past month among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	655	138,800	12.8	(8.4 - 17.2)	37,528	1,473,200	10.1	(8.6 - 11.5)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	248	54,800	10.4	(4.8 - 16.0)	14,407	555,200	7.9	(6.3 - 9.6)
Female	407	84,000	15.0	(8.4 - 21.7)	23,121	918,000	12.0	(9.7 - 14.3)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,889	496,700	11.2	(7.4 - 15.1)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,947	254,100	8.9	(6.7 - 11.1)
45-54	129	31,800	13.9	(6.7 - 21.2)	7,749	347,200	12.3	(9.0 - 15.6)
55-64	136	17,000	10.1	(4.7 - 15.5)	8,623	211,300	10.1	(7.9 - 12.3)
≥ 65	234	9,300	5.2	(1.7 - 8.6)	12,320	163,900	6.7	(4.7 - 8.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	582	77,000	9.2	(5.8 - 12.5)	35,266	899,200	9.8	(8.4 - 11.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	722	227,800	10.9	(5.4 - 16.4)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	845	263,700	11.8	(6.8 - 16.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	695	82,500	7.4	(1.4 - 13.5)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	203	67,600	20.3	(11.3 - 29.3)	15,335	665,000	12.2	(10.0 - 14.5)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,771	404,500	11.5	(8.3 - 14.8)
≥ College Degree	280	31,700	7.0	(2.4 - 11.7)	12,342	346,600	6.2	(4.5 - 7.9)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,398	611,500	17.9	(13.0 - 22.8)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,547	260,300	9.0	(6.7 - 11.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,726	187,300	9.6	(6.0 - 13.1)
≥ \$75,000	273	56,900	10.7	(6.1 - 15.2)	8,520	276,500	6.2	(4.6 - 7.7)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as 14 or more days within the past month when mental health was not good

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults with poor mental health 14 or more days within the past month (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 4b. Poor mental health 14 or more days within the past month among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	655	13.1	(8.2 - 18.0)	37,528	10.2	(8.7 - 11.7)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	248	10.1	(4.3 - 15.9)	14,407	7.9	(6.3 - 9.6)
Female	407	16.0	(8.3 - 23.7)	23,121	12.2	(9.8 - 14.6)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	582	9.2	(5.4 - 12.9)	35,266	10.0	(8.5 - 11.4)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	722	11.1	(5.5 - 16.7)
Hispanic	*	*	*	845	11.5	(6.5 - 16.4)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	695	7.6	(1.5 - 13.7)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	203	20.7	(11.2 - 30.3)	15,335	12.3	(10.0 - 14.6)
Some College	*	*	*	9,771	11.8	(8.5 - 15.1)
≥ College Degree	280	7.2	(1.8 - 12.7)	12,342	6.3	(4.6 - 8.0)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,398	18.2	(13.2 - 23.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,547	9.4	(6.9 - 11.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,726	9.5	(5.9 - 13.1)
≥ \$75,000	273	10.2	(5.6 - 14.8)	8,520	6.2	(4.6 - 7.7)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as 14 or more days within the past month when mental health was not good

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 5a. Poor physical or mental health 14 or more days within the past month among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	650	207,900	19.2	(14.6 - 23.9)	37,005	2,385,900	16.5	(14.8 - 18.2)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	247	86,900	16.5	(10.4 - 22.7)	14,231	937,700	13.6	(11.4 - 15.8)
Female	403	121,000	21.7	(15.0 - 28.5)	22,774	1,448,200	19.1	(16.5 - 21.7)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,859	602,600	13.8	(9.7 - 17.9)
35-44	96	27,200	12.4	(3.5 - 21.3)	4,924	388,300	13.7	(10.4 - 17.0)
45-54	130	48,600	21.1	(12.8 - 29.4)	7,722	551,000	19.6	(15.8 - 23.4)
55-64	135	27,200	16.5	(9.7 - 23.2)	8,545	395,500	19.2	(16.1 - 22.3)
≥ 65	230	41,700	23.4	(17.1 - 29.7)	11,955	448,500	18.8	(15.9 - 21.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	576	130,200	15.6	(11.8 - 19.5)	34,778	1,485,700	16.3	(14.8 - 17.8)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	715	343,700	16.5	(10.3 - 22.7)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	832	412,900	19.0	(12.6 - 25.3)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	680	143,500	13.0	(5.0 - 21.0)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	202	97,400	29.4	(19.9 - 38.8)	15,018	1,077,200	20.3	(17.3 - 23.2)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,672	615,500	17.6	(14.1 - 21.1)
≥ College Degree	279	46,000	10.2	(5.2 - 15.2)	12,244	634,200	11.4	(9.2 - 13.6)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,199	924,000	27.3	(21.9 - 32.8)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,425	456,000	16.1	(13.0 - 19.2)
\$50,000-\$74,999	87	25,000	16.8	(7.1 - 26.6)	5,696	312,000	16.0	(11.4 - 20.5)
≥ \$75,000	274	68,400	12.8	(8.0 - 17.5)	8,475	447,600	10.0	(8.1 - 12.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as 14 or more days within the past month when physical or mental health prevented usual activities, such as self-care, work or recreation

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults with poor physical or mental health 14 or more days within the past month (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 5b. Poor physical or mental health 14 or more days within the past month among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	650	19.1	(14.0 - 24.2)	37,005	16.4	(14.7 - 18.2)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	247	16.0	(9.7 - 22.3)	14,231	13.6	(11.4 - 15.8)
Female	403	22.0	(14.3 - 29.7)	22,774	19.0	(16.3 - 21.6)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	576	15.2	(11.1 - 19.4)	34,778	16.3	(14.7 - 17.8)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	715	16.7	(10.3 - 23.0)
Hispanic	*	*	*	832	18.5	(12.2 - 24.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	680	13.1	(5.0 - 21.3)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	202	29.0	(19.1 - 38.9)	15,018	20.1	(17.1 - 23.1)
Some College	*	*	*	9,672	17.6	(14.1 - 21.1)
≥ College Degree	279	10.5	(4.7 - 16.2)	12,244	11.4	(9.2 - 13.7)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,199	27.6	(22.1 - 33.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,425	16.1	(12.9 - 19.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,696	15.6	(11.0 - 20.1)
≥ \$75,000	274	12.2	(7.4 - 16.9)	8,475	10.0	(8.0 - 12.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as 14 or more days within the past month when physical or mental health prevented usual activities, such as self-care, work or recreation

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 6a. Health insurance among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	1,013,000	92.6	(89.3 - 95.8)	38,119	12,854,200	86.6	(84.2 - 89.0)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	497,400	93.4	(89.1 - 97.6)	14,597	5,881,100	83.0	(78.9 - 87.1)
Female	410	515,500	91.8	(87.0 - 96.7)	23,522	6,973,100	89.9	(87.2 - 92.6)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	60	252,700	87.2	(77.5 - 96.9)	3,910	3,302,100	74.3	(67.8 - 80.7)
35-44	96	206,700	94.3	(86.9 - 100)	4,986	2,560,300	88.9	(84.7 - 93.1)
45-54	130	216,800	94.1	(89.6 - 98.6)	7,831	2,530,100	88.9	(84.6 - 93.2)
55-64	138	154,400	91.0	(85.5 - 96.6)	8,764	1,986,700	92.8	(90.2 - 95.5)
≥ 65	238	182,300	98.5	(96.1 - 100)	12,628	2,475,000	97.8	(96.7 - 98.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	587	808,900	95.7	(93.4 - 98.1)	35,811	8,591,200	92.2	(90.6 - 93.8)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	736	1,781,600	82.7	(75.3 - 90.1)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	204	292,100	87.5	(79.7 - 95.2)	15,673	4,448,900	79.7	(74.9 - 84.5)
Some College	172	277,900	91.8	(85.0 - 98.7)	9,906	3,004,600	85.0	(80.1 - 89.8)
≥ College Degree	284	439,000	96.8	(94.3 - 99.3)	12,459	5,361,700	95.3	(93.3 - 97.2)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,640	2,437,200	69.7	(62.5 - 76.8)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,662	2,384,000	82.2	(76.1 - 88.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	87	140,100	94.5	(88.9 - 100)	5,772	1,855,700	94.0	(91.2 - 96.7)
≥ \$75,000	274	521,300	97.2	(94.3 - 100)	8,567	4,388,400	97.5	(96.6 - 98.5)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having any kind of health care coverage, including health insurance, prepaid plans such as health maintenance organizations, or government plans such as Medicare

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have health insurance (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 6b. Health insurance among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	92.5	(89.0 - 96.1)	38,119	86.7	(84.4 - 89.1)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	94.0	(89.8 - 98.1)	14,597	83.6	(79.7 - 87.5)
Female	410	91.2	(85.5 - 96.8)	23,522	89.6	(86.8 - 92.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	587	95.9	(93.3 - 98.5)	35,811	92.1	(90.5 - 93.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	736	82.5	(75.0 - 90.0)
Hispanic	*	*	*	860	68.7	(59.0 - 78.4)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	204	87.3	(78.9 - 95.7)	15,673	80.1	(75.4 - 84.7)
Some College	172	91.3	(83.5 - 99.2)	9,906	84.6	(79.7 - 89.4)
≥ College Degree	284	97.1	(94.9 - 99.3)	12,459	95.4	(93.6 - 97.2)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,640	70.2	(63.2 - 77.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,662	81.9	(76.0 - 87.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	87	94.7	(89.5 - 99.9)	5,772	94.0	(91.3 - 96.7)
≥ \$75,000	274	97.2	(94.1 - 100)	8,567	97.5	(96.6 - 98.5)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having any kind of health care coverage, including health insurance, prepaid plans such as health maintenance organizations, or government plans such as Medicare

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 7a. Health insurance among adults aged 18-64<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	417	821,700	91.3	(87.4 - 95.2)	25,165	10,251,300	84.2	(81.3 - 87.1)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	163	416,600	92.6	(87.7 - 97.6)	10,078	4,839,900	80.3	(75.5 - 85.0)
Female	254	405,000	89.9	(83.9 - 96.0)	15,087	5,411,400	88.0	(84.7 - 91.3)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	60	252,700	87.2	(77.5 - 96.9)	3,910	3,302,100	74.3	(67.8 - 80.7)
35-44	96	206,700	94.3	(86.9 - 100)	4,981	2,556,600	88.9	(84.7 - 93.1)
45-54	129	214,700	94.1	(89.5 - 98.6)	7,791	2,472,900	88.7	(84.3 - 93.0)
55-64	132	147,500	90.6	(84.9 - 96.4)	8,483	1,919,700	92.8	(90.1 - 95.5)
≥ 65	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	355	631,100	94.7	(91.7 - 97.6)	23,354	6,582,200	90.3	(88.3 - 92.4)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	567	1,464,100	80.2	(71.6 - 88.7)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	9,037	3,191,500	74.6	(68.6 - 80.6)
Some College	125	243,400	90.8	(83.1 - 98.5)	7,031	2,540,400	82.9	(77.4 - 88.4)
≥ College Degree	194	367,600	96.2	(93.3 - 99.1)	9,068	4,502,400	94.5	(92.2 - 96.8)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	4,918	1,707,200	62.6	(54.1 - 71.2)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	6,180	1,783,000	77.7	(70.3 - 85.1)
\$50,000-\$74,999	61	117,800	93.5	(87.0 - 100)	4,554	1,553,400	92.9	(89.7 - 96.1)
≥ \$75,000	223	474,100	97.0	(93.8 - 100)	7,324	3,987,600	97.3	(96.3 - 98.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having any kind of health care coverage, including health insurance, prepaid plans such as health maintenance organizations, or government plans such as Medicare among adults aged 18-64

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults aged 18-64 who have health insurance (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 7b. Health insurance among adults aged 18-64<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	417	91.2	(87.0 - 95.5)	25,165	84.3	(81.5 - 87.2)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	163	93.2	(88.3 - 98.1)	10,078	80.5	(75.9 - 85.1)
Female	254	89.4	(82.6 - 96.1)	15,087	87.9	(84.6 - 91.2)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	355	94.9	(91.6 - 98.2)	23,354	90.3	(88.3 - 92.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	567	80.0	(71.3 - 88.6)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	9,037	75.1	(69.3 - 80.9)
Some College	125	90.2	(81.3 - 99.0)	7,031	82.6	(77.1 - 88.1)
≥ College Degree	194	96.5	(93.9 - 99.2)	9,068	94.6	(92.5 - 96.8)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	4,918	63.2	(54.9 - 71.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	6,180	77.5	(70.2 - 84.7)
\$50,000-\$74,999	61	93.7	(87.5 - 100)	4,554	93.0	(89.8 - 96.2)
≥ \$75,000	223	96.9	(93.6 - 100)	7,324	97.3	(96.3 - 98.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having any kind of health care coverage, including health insurance, prepaid plans such as health maintenance organizations, or government plans such as Medicare among adults aged 18-64

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 8a. No health insurance among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	81,100	7.4	(4.2 - 10.7)	38,119	1,989,300	13.4	(11.0 - 15.8)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	35,300	6.6	(2.4 - 10.9)	14,597	1,207,400	17.0	(12.9 - 21.1)
Female	410	45,800	8.2	(3.3 - 13.0)	23,522	781,900	10.1	(7.4 - 12.8)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,910	1,144,100	25.7	(19.3 - 32.2)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,986	319,200	11.1	(6.9 - 15.3)
45-54	*	*	*	*	7,831	316,500	11.1	(6.8 - 15.4)
55-64	138	15,200	9.0	(3.4 - 14.5)	8,764	153,300	7.2	(4.5 - 9.8)
≥ 65	*	*	*	*	12,628	56,200	2.2	(1.2 - 3.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	587	36,000	4.3	(1.9 - 6.6)	35,811	727,100	7.8	(6.2 - 9.4)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	736	372,800	17.3	(9.9 - 24.7)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	204	41,900	12.5	(4.8 - 20.3)	15,673	1,134,400	20.3	(15.5 - 25.1)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,906	531,400	15.0	(10.2 - 19.9)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	*	12,459	266,300	4.7	(2.8 - 6.7)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,640	1,061,200	30.3	(23.2 - 37.5)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,662	516,700	17.8	(11.7 - 23.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,772	119,100	6.0	(3.3 - 8.8)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	8,567	111,100	2.5	(1.5 - 3.4)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having no kind of health care coverage, including health insurance, prepaid plans such as health maintenance organizations, or government plans such as Medicare

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have no health insurance (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 8b. No health insurance among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	7.5	(3.9 - 11.0)	38,119	13.3	(10.9 - 15.6)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	6.0	(1.9 - 10.2)	14,597	16.4	(12.5 - 20.3)
Female	410	8.8	(3.2 - 14.5)	23,522	10.4	(7.7 - 13.2)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	587	4.1	(1.5 - 6.7)	35,811	7.9	(6.3 - 9.5)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	736	17.5	(10.0 - 25.0)
Hispanic	*	*	*	860	31.3	(21.6 - 41.0)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	204	12.7	(4.3 - 21.1)	15,673	19.9	(15.3 - 24.6)
Some College	*	*	*	9,906	15.4	(10.6 - 20.3)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	12,459	4.6	(2.8 - 6.4)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,640	29.8	(22.9 - 36.8)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,662	18.1	(12.1 - 24.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,772	6.0	(3.3 - 8.7)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	8,567	2.5	(1.5 - 3.4)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having no kind of health care coverage, including health insurance, prepaid plans such as health maintenance organizations, or government plans such as Medicare

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 9a. No health insurance among adults aged 18-64<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	417	78,400	8.7	(4.8 - 12.6)	25,165	1,928,400	15.8	(12.9 - 18.7)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	163	33,100	7.4	(2.4 - 12.3)	10,078	1,190,200	19.7	(15.0 - 24.5)
Female	254	45,300	10.1	(4.0 - 16.1)	15,087	738,200	12.0	(8.7 - 15.3)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,910	1,144,100	25.7	(19.3 - 32.2)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,981	319,200	11.1	(6.9 - 15.3)
45-54	*	*	*	*	7,791	316,100	11.3	(7.0 - 15.7)
55-64	132	15,200	9.4	(3.6 - 15.1)	8,483	148,900	7.2	(4.5 - 9.9)
≥ 65	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	355	35,500	5.3	(2.4 - 8.3)	23,354	703,100	9.7	(7.6 - 11.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	567	361,800	19.8	(11.3 - 28.4)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	9,037	1,087,700	25.4	(19.4 - 31.4)
Some College	*	*	*	*	7,031	522,800	17.1	(11.6 - 22.6)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	*	9,068	261,200	5.5	(3.2 - 7.8)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	4,918	1,018,000	37.4	(28.8 - 45.9)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	6,180	511,100	22.3	(14.9 - 29.7)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	4,554	118,800	7.1	(3.9 - 10.3)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	7,324	110,700	2.7	(1.7 - 3.7)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having no kind of health care coverage, including health insurance, prepaid plans such as health maintenance organizations, or government plans such as Medicare among adults aged 18-64

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults aged 18-64 who have no health insurance (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 9b. No health insurance among adults aged 18-64<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	417	8.8	(4.5 - 13.0)	25,165	15.7	(12.8 - 18.5)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	163	6.8	(1.9 - 11.7)	10,078	19.5	(14.9 - 24.1)
Female	254	10.6	(3.9 - 17.4)	15,087	12.1	(8.8 - 15.4)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	355	5.1	(1.8 - 8.4)	23,354	9.7	(7.7 - 11.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	567	20.0	(11.4 - 28.7)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	9,037	24.9	(19.1 - 30.7)
Some College	*	*	*	7,031	17.4	(11.9 - 22.9)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	9,068	5.4	(3.2 - 7.5)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	4,918	36.8	(28.4 - 45.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	6,180	22.5	(15.3 - 29.8)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	4,554	7.0	(3.8 - 10.2)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	7,324	2.7	(1.7 - 3.7)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having no kind of health care coverage, including health insurance, prepaid plans such as health maintenance organizations, or government plans such as Medicare among adults aged 18-64

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 10a. Adults with regular health care provider<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	960,900	88.0	(83.6 - 92.3)	38,135	12,324,300	83.0	(80.4 - 85.6)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	251	448,300	84.5	(77.1 - 91.9)	14,593	5,494,300	77.6	(73.2 - 82.0)
Female	411	512,600	91.2	(86.6 - 95.9)	23,542	6,830,000	87.8	(85.1 - 90.5)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,929	2,931,600	65.8	(59.2 - 72.5)
35-44	96	200,200	91.3	(84.0 - 98.6)	4,988	2,471,000	86.1	(81.9 - 90.3)
45-54	130	214,900	93.3	(88.7 - 97.8)	7,823	2,529,300	88.6	(84.6 - 92.7)
55-64	138	156,800	92.4	(87.5 - 97.3)	8,770	2,002,000	93.6	(91.7 - 95.4)
≥ 65	238	174,700	95.4	(92.8 - 97.9)	12,625	2,390,400	94.1	(92.2 - 96.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	588	749,800	88.7	(84.1 - 93.3)	35,821	8,227,700	88.2	(86.4 - 89.9)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	740	1,753,200	81.3	(72.6 - 89.9)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	860	1,453,100	64.7	(54.7 - 74.6)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,692	4,249,200	75.9	(70.9 - 80.8)
Some College	172	273,700	90.4	(83.8 - 97.0)	9,904	2,935,000	82.8	(77.2 - 88.4)
≥ College Degree	284	420,300	92.7	(88.6 - 96.8)	12,456	5,046,100	89.8	(87.1 - 92.6)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,644	2,554,200	72.7	(65.9 - 79.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,655	2,243,100	77.3	(70.0 - 84.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	87	136,600	92.1	(83.2 - 100)	5,771	1,767,500	89.5	(85.2 - 93.9)
≥ \$75,000	274	480,700	89.6	(84.8 - 94.5)	8,560	4,122,800	91.9	(90.2 - 93.7)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having one or more persons respondent thinks of as a personal doctor or health care provider

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have at least one person they think of as their personal doctor or health care provider (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 10b. Adults with regular health care provider<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	87.1	(82.1 - 92.0)	38,135	83.0	(80.4 - 85.5)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	251	83.4	(75.2 - 91.6)	14,593	78.1	(73.9 - 82.3)
Female	411	90.6	(85.0 - 96.1)	23,542	87.4	(84.6 - 90.1)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	588	87.7	(82.4 - 93.0)	35,821	88.0	(86.2 - 89.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	740	81.4	(73.0 - 89.8)
Hispanic	*	*	*	860	65.2	(55.5 - 75.0)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,692	75.8	(71.0 - 80.6)
Some College	172	90.2	(82.6 - 97.7)	9,904	82.9	(77.5 - 88.3)
≥ College Degree	284	92.2	(87.6 - 96.8)	12,456	89.8	(87.1 - 92.4)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,644	72.9	(66.1 - 79.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,655	77.4	(70.5 - 84.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	87	92.4	(83.1 - 100)	5,771	89.6	(85.3 - 94.0)
≥ \$75,000	274	88.8	(83.5 - 94.2)	8,560	91.6	(89.8 - 93.4)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having one or more persons respondent thinks of as a personal doctor or health care provider

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 11a. Cost prevented visit to doctor within the past year among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	141,100	12.9	(8.6 - 17.2)	38,143	2,034,800	13.7	(11.6 - 15.8)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	68,500	12.9	(6.1 - 19.6)	14,607	903,300	12.7	(9.5 - 16.0)
Female	411	72,600	12.9	(7.4 - 18.4)	23,536	1,131,500	14.6	(11.8 - 17.4)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,939	947,300	21.2	(15.6 - 26.9)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,987	347,900	12.1	(8.0 - 16.2)
45-54	130	34,900	15.2	(7.6 - 22.7)	7,825	382,200	13.5	(9.9 - 17.1)
55-64	138	16,500	9.7	(3.9 - 15.6)	8,766	236,800	11.1	(8.0 - 14.2)
≥ 65	239	11,900	6.4	(2.3 - 10.6)	12,626	120,600	4.8	(2.5 - 7.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	588	72,700	8.6	(5.2 - 12.0)	35,833	984,600	10.6	(8.9 - 12.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	738	280,000	13.1	(7.2 - 19.0)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	859	597,900	26.5	(17.3 - 35.7)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	713	172,300	15.3	(5.7 - 24.9)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,696	996,600	17.8	(13.8 - 21.9)
Some College	172	38,600	12.8	(4.8 - 20.8)	9,911	512,400	14.5	(10.4 - 18.6)
≥ College Degree	284	23,500	5.2	(2.3 - 8.1)	12,453	466,900	8.3	(6.0 - 10.6)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,639	854,500	24.3	(18.4 - 30.3)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,656	532,900	18.4	(12.5 - 24.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,776	202,700	10.3	(6.0 - 14.5)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	8,561	192,000	4.3	(2.9 - 5.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as needing to see a doctor within the past year but not being able to because of cost

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who did not see a doctor because of cost within the past year (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 11b. Cost prevented visit to doctor within the past year among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	13.1	(8.4 - 17.7)	38,143	13.8	(11.7 - 15.9)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	12.5	(5.7 - 19.4)	14,607	12.5	(9.4 - 15.6)
Female	411	13.6	(7.2 - 19.9)	23,536	15.0	(12.1 - 17.9)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	588	8.9	(5.0 - 12.7)	35,833	10.8	(9.2 - 12.5)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	738	13.2	(7.2 - 19.3)
Hispanic	*	*	*	859	26.1	(17.2 - 35.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	713	14.8	(5.5 - 24.2)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,696	17.8	(13.8 - 21.7)
Some College	172	13.5	(4.3 - 22.7)	9,911	15.3	(11.0 - 19.5)
≥ College Degree	284	4.9	(2.1 - 7.7)	12,453	8.2	(6.0 - 10.5)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,639	24.5	(18.6 - 30.4)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,656	18.7	(12.9 - 24.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,776	10.4	(6.1 - 14.7)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	8,561	4.4	(3.1 - 5.8)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as needing to see a doctor within the past year but not being able to because of cost

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 12a. Visited a doctor for routine checkup within the past year among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	785,100	71.8	(66.5 - 77.1)	38,026	10,809,300	72.9	(70.6 - 75.3)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	251	348,600	65.5	(56.9 - 74.1)	14,592	4,738,400	66.9	(63.0 - 70.9)
Female	411	436,600	77.7	(71.9 - 83.5)	23,434	6,070,900	78.5	(75.9 - 81.0)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,921	2,747,400	61.7	(55.6 - 67.9)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,973	1,883,100	65.5	(60.2 - 70.7)
45-54	130	166,800	72.4	(63.5 - 81.3)	7,808	2,174,100	76.6	(73.2 - 80.0)
55-64	138	140,600	82.9	(76.1 - 89.7)	8,751	1,728,600	81.4	(78.7 - 84.2)
≥ 65	238	168,300	91.0	(87.1 - 95.0)	12,573	2,276,000	90.0	(87.5 - 92.5)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	587	601,600	71.2	(65.7 - 76.7)	35,721	6,746,200	72.4	(70.6 - 74.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	736	1,688,900	78.8	(70.4 - 87.3)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	857	1,550,900	69.3	(60.0 - 78.5)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,640	4,150,600	74.7	(70.7 - 78.7)
Some College	171	234,000	77.5	(68.9 - 86.0)	9,880	2,524,000	71.3	(66.1 - 76.5)
≥ College Degree	284	330,700	72.9	(66.1 - 79.7)	12,428	4,042,900	71.9	(68.5 - 75.3)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,616	2,469,200	70.4	(64.2 - 76.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,631	2,068,400	71.3	(65.3 - 77.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,765	1,466,000	74.8	(69.6 - 80.0)
≥ \$75,000	274	388,100	72.4	(65.8 - 79.0)	8,547	3,176,500	70.7	(67.3 - 74.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having visited a doctor for a routine checkup (general physical exam, not an exam for a specific injury, illness or condition) within the past year

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have visited a doctor for a routine checkup within the past year (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 12b. Visited a doctor for routine checkup within the past year among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	70.6	(64.8 - 76.3)	38,026	72.7	(70.3 - 75.0)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	251	63.9	(54.8 - 73.0)	14,592	67.1	(63.3 - 70.9)
Female	411	76.9	(70.3 - 83.5)	23,434	77.7	(75.1 - 80.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	587	69.8	(63.8 - 75.9)	35,721	71.9	(70.1 - 73.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	736	79.3	(71.3 - 87.4)
Hispanic	*	*	*	857	69.2	(60.1 - 78.2)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,640	74.4	(70.4 - 78.4)
Some College	171	77.0	(67.6 - 86.5)	9,880	70.9	(65.9 - 76.0)
≥ College Degree	284	71.9	(64.6 - 79.3)	12,428	71.7	(68.3 - 75.0)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,616	70.2	(64.1 - 76.2)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,631	71.1	(65.3 - 76.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,765	74.5	(69.2 - 79.8)
≥ \$75,000	274	71.5	(64.5 - 78.6)	8,547	70.3	(66.9 - 73.8)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having visited a doctor for a routine checkup (general physical exam, not an exam for a specific injury, illness or condition) within the past year

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 13a. Visited a doctor for routine checkup within the past 2 years among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	947,800	86.6	(82.5 - 90.8)	38,026	12,726,600	85.9	(83.9 - 87.9)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	251	446,700	83.9	(77.0 - 90.9)	14,592	5,791,900	81.8	(78.2 - 85.4)
Female	411	501,000	89.2	(84.7 - 93.7)	23,434	6,934,700	89.6	(87.9 - 91.3)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,921	3,535,400	79.4	(73.9 - 85.0)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,973	2,355,600	81.9	(78.0 - 85.7)
45-54	130	206,900	89.8	(84.6 - 95.0)	7,808	2,507,900	88.4	(85.6 - 91.2)
55-64	138	157,200	92.7	(87.7 - 97.7)	8,751	1,924,800	90.7	(88.6 - 92.7)
≥ 65	238	179,000	96.8	(94.8 - 98.8)	12,573	2,402,900	95.0	(93.5 - 96.5)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	587	745,400	88.2	(84.5 - 92.0)	35,721	8,070,000	86.6	(85.4 - 87.9)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	736	1,914,500	89.4	(82.3 - 96.5)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	857	1,832,800	81.9	(73.7 - 90.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,640	4,713,700	84.8	(81.2 - 88.4)
Some College	171	274,300	90.8	(85.7 - 96.0)	9,880	2,990,500	84.5	(79.6 - 89.4)
≥ College Degree	284	401,800	88.6	(83.7 - 93.5)	12,428	4,928,300	87.6	(85.3 - 89.9)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,616	2,911,700	83.0	(77.4 - 88.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	128	157,600	89.5	(80.0 - 99.0)	9,631	2,375,500	81.9	(76.1 - 87.7)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,765	1,733,500	88.4	(84.9 - 91.9)
≥ \$75,000	274	465,700	86.9	(81.8 - 91.9)	8,547	3,907,000	87.0	(84.8 - 89.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having visited a doctor for a routine checkup (general physical exam, not an exam for a specific injury, illness or condition) within the past 2 years

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have visited a doctor for a routine checkup within the past 2 years (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 13b. Visited a doctor for routine checkup within the past 2 years among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	86.0	(81.5 - 90.5)	38,026	85.7	(83.7 - 87.6)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	251	83.3	(75.9 - 90.6)	14,592	81.9	(78.4 - 85.3)
Female	411	88.6	(83.4 - 93.7)	23,434	89.1	(87.4 - 90.9)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	587	87.5	(83.3 - 91.7)	35,721	86.2	(85.0 - 87.5)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	736	89.6	(83.0 - 96.3)
Hispanic	*	*	*	857	81.8	(73.8 - 89.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,640	84.6	(81.1 - 88.1)
Some College	171	90.6	(84.9 - 96.2)	9,880	84.4	(79.8 - 89.0)
≥ College Degree	284	88.0	(82.6 - 93.3)	12,428	87.3	(85.0 - 89.6)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,616	83.2	(77.8 - 88.5)
\$25,000-\$49,999	128	90.1	(80.4 - 99.8)	9,631	81.9	(76.3 - 87.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,765	88.1	(84.4 - 91.8)
≥ \$75,000	274	85.9	(80.3 - 91.5)	8,547	86.4	(84.2 - 88.7)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having visited a doctor for a routine checkup (general physical exam, not an exam for a specific injury, illness or condition) within the past 2 years

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 14a. Dentist visit within the past year among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	786,200	71.9	(67.0 - 76.8)	38,026	10,540,400	71.1	(68.6 - 73.6)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	251	373,300	70.2	(62.6 - 77.7)	14,573	4,845,800	68.4	(64.5 - 72.2)
Female	411	412,900	73.5	(67.2 - 79.8)	23,453	5,694,600	73.6	(70.4 - 76.8)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,924	2,789,700	62.6	(56.3 - 69.0)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,979	2,181,000	75.8	(70.9 - 80.7)
45-54	130	159,500	69.2	(59.6 - 78.8)	7,814	2,149,300	75.8	(71.9 - 79.7)
55-64	137	133,600	79.1	(71.4 - 86.8)	8,742	1,690,500	79.2	(75.9 - 82.6)
≥ 65	239	130,200	70.2	(63.5 - 76.9)	12,567	1,729,800	68.5	(64.7 - 72.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	587	634,100	75.1	(70.4 - 79.7)	35,721	6,959,900	74.7	(72.7 - 76.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	735	1,405,800	66.2	(57.9 - 74.5)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	862	1,425,600	63.1	(53.7 - 72.5)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,613	3,620,700	65.1	(60.7 - 69.5)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,880	2,504,700	70.8	(66.1 - 75.5)
≥ College Degree	283	380,900	84.1	(79.0 - 89.3)	12,453	4,402,400	78.2	(74.6 - 81.8)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,594	1,972,200	56.2	(49.8 - 62.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,649	1,896,000	65.8	(59.5 - 72.1)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,763	1,482,400	75.2	(69.4 - 81.0)
≥ \$75,000	274	408,200	76.1	(69.2 - 83.1)	8,564	3,707,900	82.4	(79.5 - 85.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having visited a dentist or a dental clinic for any reason within the past year

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have visited a dentist or a dental clinic for any reason within the past year (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 14b. Dentist visit within the past year among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	71.7	(66.5 - 76.9)	38,026	71.1	(68.6 - 73.5)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	251	70.6	(62.9 - 78.3)	14,573	68.3	(64.6 - 72.1)
Female	411	72.8	(65.7 - 79.9)	23,453	73.6	(70.4 - 76.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	587	74.7	(69.6 - 79.8)	35,721	74.4	(72.4 - 76.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	735	66.6	(58.3 - 74.9)
Hispanic	*	*	*	862	63.6	(54.4 - 72.9)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,613	65.3	(60.9 - 69.6)
Some College	*	*	*	9,880	70.4	(65.7 - 75.1)
≥ College Degree	283	84.4	(79.0 - 89.8)	12,453	78.1	(74.6 - 81.7)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,594	56.4	(50.1 - 62.8)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,649	65.8	(59.6 - 72.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,763	75.0	(69.1 - 80.8)
≥ \$75,000	274	75.5	(68.2 - 82.7)	8,564	82.1	(79.1 - 85.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having visited a dentist or a dental clinic for any reason within the past year

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 15a. Had teeth cleaned within the past year among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	620	734,300	70.0	(64.6 - 75.3)	34,070	9,985,900	71.7	(69.1 - 74.3)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	232	340,900	66.8	(58.4 - 75.2)	13,173	4,616,400	69.0	(65.0 - 73.1)
Female	388	393,400	73.0	(66.3 - 79.6)	20,897	5,369,500	74.2	(70.8 - 77.5)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,860	2,746,400	63.0	(56.5 - 69.5)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,875	2,112,100	75.5	(70.7 - 80.3)
45-54	129	146,300	63.8	(53.8 - 73.7)	7,438	2,022,600	73.3	(69.1 - 77.4)
55-64	130	123,800	79.0	(71.3 - 86.7)	7,906	1,560,900	77.7	(73.8 - 81.6)
≥ 65	206	120,100	76.2	(69.5 - 82.9)	9,991	1,543,900	77.1	(73.7 - 80.5)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	549	592,600	73.6	(68.6 - 78.7)	31,982	6,601,500	75.4	(73.4 - 77.4)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	680	1,227,200	61.6	(52.1 - 71.0)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	789	1,421,300	66.6	(57.1 - 76.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	12,740	3,388,600	67.7	(63.1 - 72.3)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,145	2,286,800	68.5	(62.9 - 74.1)
≥ College Degree	277	372,700	83.2	(78.0 - 88.5)	12,128	4,298,500	78.3	(74.8 - 81.7)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	7,525	1,861,800	60.3	(53.5 - 67.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	8,709	1,681,700	62.6	(55.4 - 69.8)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,534	1,447,800	76.3	(70.7 - 81.8)
≥ \$75,000	272	384,900	72.1	(64.9 - 79.4)	8,448	3,617,500	80.8	(77.8 - 83.8)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had teeth cleaned by a dentist or dental hygienist within the past year

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have had their teeth cleaned by a dentist or dental hygienist within the past year (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 15b. Had teeth cleaned within the past year among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	620	69.8	(64.1 - 75.5)	34,070	71.7	(69.1 - 74.2)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	232	68.0	(59.4 - 76.5)	13,173	69.2	(65.3 - 73.1)
Female	388	71.5	(63.9 - 79.1)	20,897	73.9	(70.5 - 77.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	549	73.3	(67.7 - 78.8)	31,982	75.1	(73.0 - 77.1)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	680	62.0	(52.7 - 71.4)
Hispanic	*	*	*	789	66.9	(57.5 - 76.2)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	12,740	67.7	(63.2 - 72.3)
Some College	*	*	*	9,145	68.1	(62.6 - 73.6)
≥ College Degree	277	83.9	(78.5 - 89.3)	12,128	78.3	(74.9 - 81.7)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	7,525	60.2	(53.4 - 67.0)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	8,709	62.7	(55.7 - 69.7)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,534	76.4	(70.9 - 81.9)
≥ \$75,000	272	71.5	(63.9 - 79.2)	8,448	80.4	(77.4 - 83.4)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had teeth cleaned by a dentist or dental hygienist within the past year

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 16a. Permanent teeth extracted due to decay or gum disease among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	654	508,800	46.9	(41.6 - 52.2)	37,652	7,426,500	50.4	(47.8 - 52.9)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	250	244,800	46.1	(37.8 - 54.4)	14,457	3,367,000	47.8	(43.9 - 51.6)
Female	404	264,000	47.7	(40.9 - 54.5)	23,195	4,059,500	52.7	(49.5 - 56.0)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	60	38,500	13.3	(4.3 - 22.3)	3,921	1,121,600	25.4	(19.7 - 31.0)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,964	1,250,000	43.6	(37.9 - 49.2)
45-54	130	123,700	53.7	(44.0 - 63.4)	7,780	1,595,300	56.1	(51.4 - 60.7)
55-64	135	113,200	67.9	(58.7 - 77.0)	8,648	1,382,800	65.5	(61.6 - 69.4)
≥ 65	234	153,200	84.5	(79.2 - 89.7)	12,339	2,076,900	83.0	(80.6 - 85.4)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	580	438,300	52.3	(46.8 - 57.8)	35,364	4,425,700	47.9	(46.0 - 49.9)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	727	1,244,700	58.2	(48.9 - 67.4)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	853	1,220,500	54.2	(44.9 - 63.5)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,427	3,436,000	61.9	(57.2 - 66.6)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,798	1,726,200	49.3	(44.3 - 54.2)
≥ College Degree	282	190,100	42.1	(34.7 - 49.4)	12,351	2,242,600	40.1	(36.5 - 43.6)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,483	2,171,900	62.3	(55.8 - 68.8)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,552	1,577,400	54.7	(48.3 - 61.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,744	1,000,700	51.5	(45.6 - 57.4)
≥ \$75,000	271	204,500	38.5	(31.5 - 45.5)	8,516	1,738,200	38.8	(35.3 - 42.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had at least one permanent tooth extracted because of tooth decay or gum disease

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have had at least one permanent tooth extracted because of tooth decay or gum disease (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 16b. Permanent teeth extracted due to decay or gum disease among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	654	44.3	(38.7 - 49.8)	37,652	49.4	(46.9 - 51.9)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	250	44.7	(36.2 - 53.2)	14,457	47.9	(44.1 - 51.7)
Female	404	43.8	(36.6 - 51.1)	23,195	50.7	(47.4 - 54.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	580	49.2	(43.3 - 55.1)	35,364	46.5	(44.5 - 48.5)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	727	57.7	(48.6 - 66.9)
Hispanic	*	*	*	853	53.8	(44.6 - 62.9)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,427	61.3	(56.7 - 66.0)
Some College	*	*	*	9,798	47.9	(43.0 - 52.9)
≥ College Degree	282	39.4	(32.0 - 46.8)	12,351	39.0	(35.5 - 42.5)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,483	61.6	(55.2 - 68.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,552	54.2	(48.0 - 60.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,744	49.9	(44.0 - 55.9)
≥ \$75,000	271	36.4	(29.4 - 43.5)	8,516	37.7	(34.2 - 41.1)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had at least one permanent tooth extracted because of tooth decay or gum disease

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 17a. Had all permanent teeth extracted due to decay or gum disease among adults aged 65 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	234	27,100	14.9	(9.4 - 20.4)	12,339	491,200	19.6	(16.0 - 23.3)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	84	12,300	15.9	(7.2 - 24.5)	4,352	167,200	16.4	(11.8 - 20.9)
Female	150	14,800	14.2	(7.1 - 21.4)	7,987	324,000	21.8	(16.6 - 27.0)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
≥ 65	234	27,100	14.9	(9.4 - 20.4)	12,339	491,200	19.6	(16.0 - 23.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	222	23,500	14.0	(8.4 - 19.5)	11,885	322,600	16.8	(14.3 - 19.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	104	15,000	17.8	(9.3 - 26.3)	6,358	314,100	25.3	(19.9 - 30.7)
Some College	*	*	*	*	2,736	90,600	20.2	(12.1 - 28.2)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	*	3,214	80,500	10.1	(3.6 - 16.5)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	4,558	199,600	26.9	(19.3 - 34.4)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	3,365	123,900	21.4	(13.1 - 29.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	1,179	21,400	7.3	(3.8 - 10.8)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	1,187	9,600	2.5	(1.0 - 4.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having all permanent teeth extracted because of tooth decay or gum disease among adults aged 65 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults aged 65 and older who have had all permanent teeth extracted because of tooth decay or gum disease (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 17b. Had all permanent teeth extracted due to decay or gum disease among adults aged 65 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	234	15.0	(9.4 - 20.5)	12,339	19.4	(15.7 - 23.2)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	84	15.8	(7.2 - 24.4)	4,352	16.5	(11.5 - 21.4)
Female	150	14.2	(7.1 - 21.3)	7,987	22.1	(16.6 - 27.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	222	14.0	(8.4 - 19.6)	11,885	16.6	(13.9 - 19.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	104	18.3	(9.5 - 27.1)	6,358	24.9	(19.3 - 30.5)
Some College	*	*	*	2,736	21.0	(12.1 - 29.9)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	3,214	10.0	(3.6 - 16.3)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	4,558	27.3	(19.1 - 35.5)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	3,365	21.0	(12.9 - 29.1)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	1,179	7.6	(3.6 - 11.5)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	1,187	2.2	(0.9 - 3.5)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having all permanent teeth extracted because of tooth decay or gum disease among adults aged 65 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 18a. Flu shot within the past 12 months<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	660	402,200	37.0	(31.8 - 42.1)	38,079	6,255,900	42.3	(39.9 - 44.8)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	251	188,400	35.7	(27.8 - 43.6)	14,579	2,798,900	39.6	(35.8 - 43.5)
Female	409	213,800	38.2	(31.4 - 44.9)	23,500	3,456,900	44.8	(41.6 - 47.9)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-49	229	162,500	25.6	(17.8 - 33.5)	12,505	2,685,300	31.1	(27.3 - 34.9)
50-64	193	105,300	39.1	(31.0 - 47.1)	12,972	1,662,900	46.0	(42.6 - 49.5)
≥ 65	238	134,400	72.6	(66.3 - 79.0)	12,602	1,907,700	75.2	(72.0 - 78.4)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	586	316,600	37.5	(32.5 - 42.5)	35,770	4,029,000	43.3	(41.4 - 45.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	738	907,000	42.1	(33.1 - 51.1)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	860	882,900	39.6	(30.4 - 48.9)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,663	2,457,800	44.3	(39.8 - 48.8)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,898	1,377,700	38.9	(34.0 - 43.9)
≥ College Degree	283	164,700	36.4	(29.2 - 43.6)	12,436	2,404,400	43.0	(39.5 - 46.4)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,635	1,656,800	47.6	(41.2 - 54.0)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,647	1,200,600	41.4	(35.6 - 47.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,763	792,300	40.2	(34.3 - 46.2)
≥ \$75,000	274	166,700	31.1	(24.4 - 37.8)	8,548	1,776,100	39.6	(36.3 - 42.8)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a flu shot within the past 12 months

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have had a flu shot within the past 12 months (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 18b. Flu shot within the past 12 months<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	660	36.3	(30.7 - 41.8)	38,079	41.7	(39.2 - 44.1)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	251	35.8	(27.6 - 43.9)	14,579	40.0	(36.2 - 43.8)
Female	409	36.7	(29.2 - 44.3)	23,500	43.1	(40.0 - 46.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	586	36.5	(31.1 - 41.8)	35,770	42.4	(40.4 - 44.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	738	42.3	(33.3 - 51.3)
Hispanic	*	*	*	860	39.0	(29.9 - 48.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,663	43.7	(39.1 - 48.2)
Some College	*	*	*	9,898	37.8	(33.0 - 42.7)
≥ College Degree	283	36.0	(28.3 - 43.7)	12,436	42.5	(39.1 - 46.0)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,635	47.3	(41.0 - 53.7)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,647	40.3	(34.5 - 46.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,763	39.4	(33.4 - 45.4)
≥ \$75,000	274	30.2	(23.3 - 37.1)	8,548	39.1	(35.8 - 42.4)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a flu shot within the past 12 months

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 19a. Flu vaccine that was sprayed in nose within the past 12 months<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	*	*	*	*	38,106	248,300	1.7	(0.6 - 2.8)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	*	*	*	*	14,586	148,000	2.1	(0.0 - 4.2)
Female	*	*	*	*	23,520	100,300	1.3	(0.5 - 2.1)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-49	*	*	*	*	12,535	184,900	2.1	(0.3 - 3.9)
50-64	*	*	*	*	12,968	36,000	1.0	(0.2 - 1.8)
≥ 65	*	*	*	*	12,603	27,400	1.1	(0.4 - 1.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	35,796	66,000	0.7	(0.4 - 1.0)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	740	38,500	1.8	(0.0 - 4.1)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	860	133,700	5.9	(0.0 - 12.3)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,679	172,500	3.1	(0.3 - 5.9)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,897	43,500	1.2	(0.4 - 2.0)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	*	12,449	31,600	0.6	(0.3 - 0.8)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,636	138,400	3.9	(0.0 - 8.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,648	41,500	1.4	(0.0 - 3.1)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,766	13,300	0.7	(0.2 - 1.2)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	8,561	35,300	0.8	(0.3 - 1.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had flu vaccine sprayed in nose within the past 12 months

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have had flu vaccine sprayed in nose within the past 12 months (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 19b. Flu vaccine that was sprayed in nose within the past 12 months<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	*	*	*	38,106	1.7	(0.6 - 2.7)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	*	*	*	14,586	2.0	(0.1 - 3.9)
Female	*	*	*	23,520	1.4	(0.5 - 2.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	35,796	0.7	(0.4 - 1.0)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	740	1.9	(0.0 - 4.4)
Hispanic	*	*	*	860	5.9	(0.0 - 11.9)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,679	3.1	(0.4 - 5.8)
Some College	*	*	*	9,897	1.2	(0.4 - 2.0)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	12,449	0.6	(0.3 - 0.8)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,636	3.8	(0.0 - 7.7)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,648	1.5	(0.0 - 3.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,766	0.7	(0.1 - 1.2)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	8,561	0.8	(0.3 - 1.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had flu vaccine sprayed in nose within the past 12 months

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 20a. Flu shot or flu vaccine sprayed in nose within the past 12 months<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	659	405,900	37.3	(32.1 - 42.5)	38,059	6,302,300	42.7	(40.2 - 45.1)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	251	189,800	36.0	(28.1 - 43.9)	14,568	2,822,700	40.0	(36.1 - 43.9)
Female	408	216,100	38.6	(31.9 - 45.3)	23,491	3,479,500	45.1	(42.0 - 48.2)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-49	229	166,200	26.2	(18.4 - 34.1)	12,501	2,726,400	31.6	(27.8 - 35.4)
50-64	193	105,300	39.1	(31.0 - 47.1)	12,964	1,664,200	46.1	(42.7 - 49.5)
≥ 65	237	134,400	72.8	(66.5 - 79.1)	12,594	1,911,700	75.4	(72.2 - 78.6)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	585	318,000	37.7	(32.7 - 42.7)	35,750	4,048,700	43.6	(41.7 - 45.5)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	738	910,000	42.2	(33.2 - 51.2)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	860	903,300	40.6	(31.3 - 49.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,651	2,480,100	44.7	(40.2 - 49.3)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,895	1,387,300	39.2	(34.3 - 44.1)
≥ College Degree	283	166,200	36.7	(29.5 - 44.0)	12,431	2,418,300	43.2	(39.8 - 46.7)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,626	1,675,100	48.2	(41.8 - 54.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,643	1,208,300	41.7	(35.8 - 47.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,761	795,600	40.4	(34.5 - 46.3)
≥ \$75,000	274	168,100	31.4	(24.6 - 38.1)	8,548	1,791,200	39.9	(36.6 - 43.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a flu shot or flu vaccine sprayed in nose within the past 12 months

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have had a flu shot or flu vaccine sprayed in nose within the past 12 months (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 20b. Flu shot or flu vaccine sprayed in nose within the past 12 months<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	659	36.6	(31.1 - 42.2)	38,059	42.0	(39.6 - 44.5)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	251	36.0	(27.8 - 44.2)	14,568	40.4	(36.6 - 44.2)
Female	408	37.2	(29.7 - 44.8)	23,491	43.5	(40.3 - 46.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	585	36.6	(31.2 - 42.0)	35,750	42.6	(40.7 - 44.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	738	42.4	(33.4 - 51.4)
Hispanic	*	*	*	860	40.0	(30.9 - 49.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,651	44.1	(39.6 - 48.6)
Some College	*	*	*	9,895	38.1	(33.2 - 43.0)
≥ College Degree	283	36.3	(28.5 - 44.0)	12,431	42.8	(39.4 - 46.3)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,626	48.0	(41.6 - 54.3)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,643	40.5	(34.8 - 46.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,761	39.6	(33.6 - 45.6)
≥ \$75,000	274	30.4	(23.5 - 37.3)	8,548	39.4	(36.1 - 42.7)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a flu shot or flu vaccine sprayed in nose within the past 12 months

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 21a. Flu shot among adults aged 65 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	238	134,400	72.6	(66.3 - 79.0)	12,602	1,907,700	75.2	(72.0 - 78.4)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	*	*	*	*	4,417	772,900	74.6	(69.3 - 79.8)
Female	152	79,100	74.7	(66.9 - 82.5)	8,185	1,134,800	75.6	(71.6 - 79.6)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
≥ 65	238	134,400	72.6	(66.3 - 79.0)	12,602	1,907,700	75.2	(72.0 - 78.4)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	226	123,900	72.3	(65.9 - 78.7)	12,137	1,487,100	76.0	(73.5 - 78.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	107	65,500	75.1	(65.8 - 84.4)	6,518	930,800	74.0	(68.9 - 79.2)
Some College	*	*	*	*	2,790	317,800	69.7	(62.7 - 76.7)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	*	3,261	654,000	80.5	(76.4 - 84.6)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	4,665	545,300	72.4	(65.6 - 79.3)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	3,422	430,600	72.8	(67.0 - 78.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	1,198	301,000	77.5	(70.9 - 84.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a flu shot during the past 12 months among adults aged 65 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults aged 65 and older who have had a flu shot within the past 12 months (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 21b. Flu shot among adults aged 65 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	238	72.3	(65.8 - 78.7)	12,602	75.0	(71.5 - 78.5)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	*	*	*	4,417	74.4	(68.7 - 80.1)
Female	152	74.8	(67.1 - 82.6)	8,185	75.5	(71.3 - 79.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	226	71.7	(65.1 - 78.4)	12,137	75.9	(73.0 - 78.8)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	107	75.0	(65.5 - 84.5)	6,518	73.3	(67.5 - 79.1)
Some College	*	*	*	2,790	70.0	(62.7 - 77.2)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	3,261	80.7	(76.2 - 85.1)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	4,665	72.6	(65.1 - 80.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	3,422	71.4	(65.0 - 77.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	*	*
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	1,198	78.0	(70.8 - 85.1)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a flu shot during the past 12 months among adults aged 65 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 22a. Pneumonia shot or pneumococcal vaccine<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	597	225,700	23.6	(19.1 - 28.1)	35,303	3,456,800	26.1	(23.9 - 28.3)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	215	102,500	22.9	(15.0 - 30.7)	13,052	1,542,200	25.2	(21.5 - 28.8)
Female	382	123,200	24.3	(19.3 - 29.3)	22,251	1,914,600	26.9	(24.2 - 29.6)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-49	197	61,300	11.4	(4.5 - 18.2)	10,943	1,097,000	14.6	(11.3 - 17.9)
50-64	176	39,200	16.2	(10.7 - 21.7)	12,179	758,000	23.0	(19.8 - 26.2)
≥ 65	224	125,200	71.9	(65.2 - 78.6)	12,181	1,601,700	65.7	(61.7 - 69.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	531	184,500	25.0	(20.9 - 29.1)	33,225	2,358,700	28.7	(26.9 - 30.5)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	685	584,400	28.4	(19.5 - 37.3)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	769	408,000	19.5	(12.6 - 26.4)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	624	105,600	12.2	(2.3 - 22.2)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	184	85,000	28.7	(20.1 - 37.3)	14,700	1,535,300	30.4	(26.4 - 34.3)
Some College	158	39,500	15.3	(10.0 - 20.7)	9,151	836,200	27.2	(21.9 - 32.5)
≥ College Degree	253	100,300	25.2	(17.3 - 33.2)	11,375	1,070,700	21.4	(18.6 - 24.1)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,082	1,050,900	33.1	(27.6 - 38.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,033	797,500	30.3	(24.1 - 36.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	84	25,900	17.9	(9.8 - 26.1)	5,320	378,800	21.8	(17.4 - 26.1)
≥ \$75,000	247	81,400	17.8	(10.7 - 24.8)	7,773	648,700	16.3	(14.1 - 18.5)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a pneumonia shot or pneumococcal vaccine

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have ever had a pneumonia shot or pneumococcal vaccine (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 22b. Pneumonia shot or pneumococcal vaccine<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	597	23.1	(18.4 - 27.8)	35,303	25.4	(23.2 - 27.6)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	215	23.9	(15.8 - 32.1)	13,052	25.8	(22.3 - 29.4)
Female	382	22.3	(17.2 - 27.5)	22,251	25.1	(22.4 - 27.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	531	24.5	(20.1 - 28.8)	33,225	27.7	(25.9 - 29.5)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	685	27.9	(19.1 - 36.7)
Hispanic	*	*	*	769	19.6	(12.8 - 26.5)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	624	11.3	(2.0 - 20.7)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	184	27.6	(18.8 - 36.4)	14,700	29.5	(25.6 - 33.5)
Some College	158	14.4	(9.1 - 19.7)	9,151	26.2	(21.0 - 31.3)
≥ College Degree	253	25.2	(16.9 - 33.5)	11,375	21.0	(18.3 - 23.8)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,082	32.3	(26.9 - 37.8)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,033	29.0	(23.0 - 35.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	84	17.4	(9.2 - 25.6)	5,320	21.2	(16.8 - 25.7)
≥ \$75,000	247	18.1	(10.7 - 25.5)	7,773	16.2	(13.9 - 18.5)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a pneumonia shot or pneumococcal vaccine

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 23a. Pneumonia shot or pneumococcal vaccine among adults aged 65 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	224	125,200	71.9	(65.2 - 78.6)	12,181	1,601,700	65.7	(61.7 - 69.7)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	*	*	*	*	4,180	606,400	62.1	(55.5 - 68.7)
Female	149	78,600	75.5	(67.6 - 83.4)	8,001	995,300	68.0	(63.1 - 73.0)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
≥ 65	224	125,200	71.9	(65.2 - 78.6)	12,181	1,601,700	65.7	(61.7 - 69.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	214	120,300	73.7	(67.2 - 80.2)	11,735	1,281,300	68.2	(64.9 - 71.5)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	103	61,000	72.8	(62.8 - 82.8)	6,345	806,200	65.6	(59.5 - 71.7)
Some College	*	*	*	*	2,694	289,500	66.8	(60.1 - 73.4)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	*	3,111	501,100	65.6	(58.5 - 72.7)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	4,533	497,100	67.7	(59.9 - 75.5)
\$25,000-\$49,999	63	35,000	82.3	(72.9 - 91.7)	3,324	344,300	61.5	(53.3 - 69.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	1,138	236,300	64.5	(55.2 - 73.8)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a pneumonia shot or pneumococcal vaccine among adults aged 65 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults aged 65 and older who have ever had a pneumonia shot or pneumococcal vaccine (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 23b. Pneumonia shot or pneumococcal vaccine among adults aged 65 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	224	71.6	(64.8 - 78.4)	12,181	64.7	(60.4 - 69.1)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	*	*	*	4,180	61.5	(54.3 - 68.6)
Female	149	75.7	(67.9 - 83.5)	8,001	67.6	(62.4 - 72.9)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	214	73.1	(66.4 - 79.8)	11,735	67.1	(63.2 - 70.9)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	6,345	64.2	(57.4 - 71.0)
Some College	*	*	*	2,694	65.8	(58.4 - 73.3)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	3,111	65.3	(57.7 - 72.9)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	4,533	66.0	(57.0 - 74.9)
\$25,000-\$49,999	63	82.3	(72.9 - 91.7)	3,324	60.3	(51.9 - 68.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	*	*
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	*	*

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a pneumonia shot or pneumococcal vaccine among adults aged 65 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 24a. Ever had a mammogram among women aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	341	340,000	92.4	(88.0 - 96.8)	19,491	4,328,800	91.8	(89.7 - 94.0)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	341	340,000	92.4	(88.0 - 96.8)	19,491	4,328,800	91.8	(89.7 - 94.0)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
40-49	*	*	*	*	3,851	1,287,500	85.0	(79.7 - 90.3)
50-64	109	113,600	92.9	(87.2 - 98.7)	7,452	1,641,700	96.0	(94.1 - 97.9)
≥ 65	152	103,400	97.7	(95.8 - 99.6)	8,188	1,399,600	94.1	(90.5 - 97.6)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	310	282,600	93.4	(88.7 - 98.1)	18,548	2,976,100	93.9	(92.7 - 95.1)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	342	746,600	93.8	(87.3 - 100)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	333	447,600	91.8	(84.6 - 99.0)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	112	90,300	91.3	(84.4 - 98.1)	8,266	1,698,700	91.0	(87.4 - 94.5)
Some College	95	116,000	95.4	(90.5 - 100)	5,322	1,055,500	93.6	(90.2 - 97.0)
≥ College Degree	132	129,600	90.4	(81.1 - 99.7)	5,872	1,560,700	91.6	(87.5 - 95.6)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	5,691	1,023,400	93.5	(89.7 - 97.4)
\$25,000-\$49,999	80	57,500	90.3	(80.4 - 100)	4,857	860,300	89.5	(83.6 - 95.5)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	2,648	547,100	94.6	(92.2 - 96.9)
≥ \$75,000	115	151,200	92.9	(85.1 - 100)	3,582	1,185,100	92.2	(88.2 - 96.1)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a mammogram among women aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of women aged 40 and older who have ever had a mammogram (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 24b. Ever had a mammogram among women aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	341	92.1	(87.1 - 97.1)	19,491	91.1	(88.7 - 93.6)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	341	92.1	(87.1 - 97.1)	19,491	91.1	(88.7 - 93.6)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	310	93.0	(87.4 - 98.5)	18,548	93.3	(92.0 - 94.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	342	93.1	(85.7 - 100)
Hispanic	*	*	*	333	91.0	(82.8 - 99.2)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	112	91.2	(84.4 - 97.9)	8,266	90.2	(86.1 - 94.2)
Some College	95	95.6	(90.9 - 100)	5,322	92.9	(88.9 - 96.9)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	5,872	90.9	(86.6 - 95.3)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	5,691	93.0	(88.5 - 97.4)
\$25,000-\$49,999	80	90.9	(81.5 - 100)	4,857	88.8	(82.5 - 95.1)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	2,648	94.3	(91.7 - 96.8)
≥ \$75,000	115	92.2	(83.0 - 100)	3,582	91.2	(86.8 - 95.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a mammogram among women aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 25a. Had mammogram within the past 2 years among women aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	339	295,600	80.6	(75.3 - 86.0)	19,376	3,760,000	80.3	(77.8 - 82.9)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	339	295,600	80.6	(75.3 - 86.0)	19,376	3,760,000	80.3	(77.8 - 82.9)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
40-49	*	*	*	*	3,842	1,122,700	74.4	(68.5 - 80.2)
50-64	108	99,700	82.0	(73.6 - 90.4)	7,428	1,487,900	87.2	(84.5 - 89.8)
≥ 65	152	82,200	77.7	(70.3 - 85.1)	8,106	1,149,400	78.5	(74.2 - 82.9)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	308	242,600	80.5	(74.9 - 86.2)	18,438	2,531,500	80.2	(78.3 - 82.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	339	667,100	85.6	(77.5 - 93.8)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	332	419,700	86.1	(77.5 - 94.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	112	75,800	76.7	(67.5 - 85.8)	8,204	1,486,900	80.5	(76.4 - 84.6)
Some College	94	103,400	85.5	(77.4 - 93.5)	5,297	929,400	83.0	(78.8 - 87.1)
≥ College Degree	131	112,300	78.7	(68.8 - 88.6)	5,845	1,334,800	78.6	(73.9 - 83.2)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	5,650	882,300	80.8	(75.9 - 85.7)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	4,846	732,300	76.3	(69.7 - 82.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	2,641	494,200	85.6	(81.9 - 89.4)
≥ \$75,000	114	136,200	84.0	(75.2 - 92.7)	3,572	1,025,900	80.0	(75.2 - 84.8)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a mammogram within the past 2 years among women aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of women aged 40 and older who have had a mammogram within the past 2 years (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 25b. Had mammogram within the past 2 years among women aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	339	80.5	(74.8 - 86.2)	19,376	79.7	(76.9 - 82.5)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	339	80.5	(74.8 - 86.2)	19,376	79.7	(76.9 - 82.5)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	308	80.1	(73.8 - 86.3)	18,438	79.7	(77.6 - 81.8)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	339	85.3	(76.5 - 94.2)
Hispanic	*	*	*	332	85.2	(75.6 - 94.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	112	76.2	(67.0 - 85.4)	8,204	80.1	(75.6 - 84.7)
Some College	94	86.5	(79.0 - 93.9)	5,297	82.3	(77.7 - 86.9)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	5,845	77.8	(72.9 - 82.8)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	5,650	80.8	(75.4 - 86.2)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	4,846	75.7	(68.7 - 82.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	2,641	85.5	(81.6 - 89.4)
≥ \$75,000	114	83.4	(73.5 - 93.3)	3,572	79.0	(73.8 - 84.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a mammogram within the past 2 years among women aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 26a. Had mammogram within the past 2 years among women aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	260	181,900	80.0	(74.3 - 85.7)	15,534	2,637,300	83.2	(80.7 - 85.7)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	260	181,900	80.0	(74.3 - 85.7)	15,534	2,637,300	83.2	(80.7 - 85.7)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
50-64	108	99,700	82.0	(73.6 - 90.4)	7,428	1,487,900	87.2	(84.5 - 89.8)
≥ 65	152	82,200	77.7	(70.3 - 85.1)	8,106	1,149,400	78.5	(74.2 - 82.9)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	248	168,900	80.4	(74.9 - 86.0)	14,887	1,907,000	82.3	(80.3 - 84.4)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	249	385,600	89.9	(83.2 - 96.7)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	220	286,700	93.9	(89.1 - 98.6)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	100	62,900	76.2	(66.2 - 86.1)	7,026	1,094,500	83.3	(80.0 - 86.6)
Some College	*	*	*	*	4,124	646,700	87.3	(84.2 - 90.3)
≥ College Degree	97	72,200	84.5	(77.1 - 91.9)	4,356	890,500	80.6	(75.1 - 86.1)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	4,991	649,100	81.0	(76.8 - 85.2)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	3,913	533,300	78.6	(70.9 - 86.2)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	1,943	359,300	89.6	(86.3 - 93.0)
≥ \$75,000	65	59,600	85.5	(76.7 - 94.4)	2,303	601,300	84.6	(79.3 - 89.9)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a mammogram within the past 2 years among women aged 50 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of women aged 50 and older who have had a mammogram within the past 2 years (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 26b. Had mammogram within the past 2 years among women aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	260	80.0	(74.4 - 85.5)	15,534	83.1	(80.3 - 85.8)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	260	80.0	(74.4 - 85.5)	15,534	83.1	(80.3 - 85.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	248	80.3	(74.8 - 85.8)	14,887	82.1	(79.9 - 84.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	249	90.4	(83.6 - 97.2)
Hispanic	*	*	*	220	94.1	(89.3 - 99.0)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	100	75.8	(66.0 - 85.6)	7,026	83.6	(80.1 - 87.0)
Some College	*	*	*	4,124	87.3	(84.1 - 90.5)
≥ College Degree	97	84.7	(77.4 - 92.0)	4,356	79.9	(73.9 - 86.0)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	4,991	81.3	(76.9 - 85.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	3,913	78.1	(69.9 - 86.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	1,943	90.2	(87.1 - 93.4)
≥ \$75,000	65	85.7	(76.8 - 94.5)	2,303	83.9	(77.9 - 89.9)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a mammogram within the past 2 years among women aged 50 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 27a. Ever had a Pap test among women<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	406	524,200	93.8	(89.7 - 97.9)	23,381	7,045,300	92.1	(90.0 - 94.3)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	406	524,200	93.8	(89.7 - 97.9)	23,381	7,045,300	92.1	(90.0 - 94.3)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	2,377	1,896,600	85.2	(79.3 - 91.0)
35-44	61	109,200	98.7	(96.1 - 100)	3,023	1,301,500	92.6	(87.7 - 97.5)
45-54	76	108,700	95.1	(89.1 - 100)	4,657	1,420,300	98.3	(97.0 - 99.6)
55-64	83	84,300	96.3	(90.3 - 100)	5,187	1,071,200	97.2	(95.0 - 99.3)
≥ 65	151	98,800	93.7	(87.9 - 99.6)	8,137	1,355,700	92.3	(88.5 - 96.1)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	356	407,500	97.1	(94.9 - 99.2)	21,976	4,439,700	94.2	(92.1 - 96.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	481	1,231,600	91.2	(84.0 - 98.4)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	533	984,500	90.1	(85.3 - 94.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	9,526	2,540,500	88.3	(83.8 - 92.7)
Some College	112	180,200	96.7	(91.8 - 100)	6,462	1,782,200	93.5	(90.4 - 96.6)
≥ College Degree	164	216,700	97.8	(94.8 - 100)	7,345	2,643,200	95.0	(92.2 - 97.9)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	58	64,500	99.3	(97.9 - 100)	6,526	1,717,200	93.7	(90.9 - 96.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	87	87,900	94.7	(87.6 - 100)	5,787	1,378,400	91.0	(85.6 - 96.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	52	67,700	93.5	(84.8 - 100)	3,310	933,900	96.0	(91.8 - 100)
≥ \$75,000	149	239,500	96.5	(92.6 - 100)	4,570	1,943,300	95.4	(92.6 - 98.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a Pap test among women

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of women who have ever had a Pap test (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 27b. Ever had a Pap test among women<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	406	93.7	(89.3 - 98.2)	23,381	91.8	(89.6 - 94.0)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	406	93.7	(89.3 - 98.2)	23,381	91.8	(89.6 - 94.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	356	97.4	(95.4 - 99.3)	21,976	94.0	(91.8 - 96.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	481	90.8	(83.5 - 98.1)
Hispanic	*	*	*	533	89.7	(84.6 - 94.7)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	9,526	87.8	(83.2 - 92.4)
Some College	112	96.5	(91.1 - 100)	6,462	93.1	(89.7 - 96.4)
≥ College Degree	164	98.1	(95.4 - 100)	7,345	94.9	(92.0 - 97.7)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	58	99.4	(98.2 - 100)	6,526	93.3	(90.1 - 96.5)
\$25,000-\$49,999	87	95.4	(89.1 - 100)	5,787	91.1	(85.7 - 96.5)
\$50,000-\$74,999	52	94.5	(87.0 - 100)	3,310	96.0	(91.9 - 100)
≥ \$75,000	149	96.5	(92.3 - 100)	4,570	95.0	(91.9 - 98.1)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a Pap test among women

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 28a. Had a Pap test within the past 3 years among women<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	405	468,500	83.9	(79.0 - 88.8)	23,109	6,205,600	82.2	(79.8 - 84.6)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	405	468,500	83.9	(79.0 - 88.8)	23,109	6,205,600	82.2	(79.8 - 84.6)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	2,371	1,818,400	81.8	(75.5 - 88.1)
35-44	61	96,800	87.5	(78.0 - 96.9)	3,012	1,220,300	86.9	(81.8 - 92.0)
45-54	76	103,600	90.6	(83.6 - 97.7)	4,640	1,311,500	92.0	(89.8 - 94.3)
55-64	83	79,800	91.3	(83.4 - 99.2)	5,152	924,300	84.5	(81.0 - 88.0)
≥ 65	150	68,600	65.4	(56.6 - 74.2)	7,934	931,100	66.4	(61.8 - 71.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	355	360,700	86.0	(81.9 - 90.1)	21,720	3,807,100	81.5	(79.2 - 83.8)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	473	1,142,800	86.7	(79.1 - 94.3)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	527	894,900	83.6	(76.3 - 91.0)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	9,384	2,132,600	76.0	(71.1 - 81.0)
Some College	112	167,100	89.7	(83.2 - 96.2)	6,401	1,594,300	84.0	(80.4 - 87.5)
≥ College Degree	164	201,300	90.9	(85.6 - 96.1)	7,281	2,406,000	86.9	(83.7 - 90.1)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	6,441	1,453,900	82.0	(77.9 - 86.0)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	5,740	1,182,000	78.3	(72.6 - 83.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	52	65,500	90.6	(81.2 - 99.9)	3,296	825,000	85.0	(78.0 - 91.9)
≥ \$75,000	149	222,200	89.6	(83.5 - 95.6)	4,555	1,810,200	89.0	(85.7 - 92.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a Pap test within the past 3 years among women

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of women who have had a Pap test within the past 3 years (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 28b. Had a Pap test within the past 3 years among women<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	405	84.3	(79.0 - 89.6)	23,109	82.7	(80.2 - 85.1)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	-	-	-	-	-	-
Female	405	84.3	(79.0 - 89.6)	23,109	82.7	(80.2 - 85.1)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	355	86.8	(82.5 - 91.0)	21,720	82.3	(80.0 - 84.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	473	87.0	(79.3 - 94.6)
Hispanic	*	*	*	527	83.4	(75.9 - 90.9)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	9,384	76.4	(71.3 - 81.5)
Some College	112	90.1	(83.3 - 96.9)	6,401	84.2	(80.5 - 88.0)
≥ College Degree	164	91.5	(86.3 - 96.6)	7,281	87.5	(84.3 - 90.6)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	6,441	82.7	(78.5 - 86.9)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	5,740	79.2	(73.5 - 84.8)
\$50,000-\$74,999	52	91.9	(83.8 - 100)	3,296	85.7	(78.7 - 92.8)
≥ \$75,000	149	89.4	(82.9 - 96.0)	4,555	88.9	(85.5 - 92.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a Pap test within the past 3 years among women

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 29a. Ever had a digital rectal exam among men aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	209	243,600	74.3	(66.8 - 81.8)	12,033	3,176,500	73.8	(69.7 - 77.8)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	209	243,600	74.3	(66.8 - 81.8)	12,033	3,176,500	73.8	(69.7 - 77.8)
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Age (years)</b>								
40-44	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
45-54	*	*	*	*	3,098	922,800	66.8	(59.9 - 73.8)
55-64	54	77,400	95.1	(90.0 - 100)	3,504	865,600	87.1	(82.5 - 91.7)
≥ 65	83	68,200	90.4	(84.3 - 96.5)	4,348	953,900	92.9	(91.0 - 94.9)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	195	226,600	75.8	(68.2 - 83.4)	11,411	2,452,100	80.3	(77.7 - 82.9)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	5,013	931,600	64.1	(57.3 - 71.0)
Some College	*	*	*	*	2,695	674,200	75.5	(67.8 - 83.2)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	*	4,302	1,568,000	80.5	(74.0 - 87.0)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	2,573	573,300	65.9	(56.0 - 75.9)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	3,168	530,100	74.6	(67.2 - 82.1)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
≥ \$75,000	99	139,800	78.5	(68.5 - 88.5)	3,309	1,351,100	78.0	(72.6 - 83.5)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a digital rectal exam among men aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of men aged 40 and older who have ever had a digital rectal exam (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 29b. Ever had a digital rectal exam among men aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	209	74.4	(66.9 - 81.9)	12,033	73.7	(69.6 - 77.8)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	209	74.4	(66.9 - 81.9)	12,033	73.7	(69.6 - 77.8)
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	195	75.6	(67.9 - 83.3)	11,411	79.9	(77.2 - 82.5)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	5,013	64.7	(57.8 - 71.7)
Some College	*	*	*	2,695	75.0	(67.1 - 82.9)
≥ College Degree	99	80.3	(70.4 - 90.2)	4,302	80.3	(73.8 - 86.8)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	2,573	66.9	(56.9 - 76.9)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	3,168	74.8	(67.3 - 82.2)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	*	*
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	3,309	77.5	(72.0 - 83.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a digital rectal exam among men aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 30a. Had digital rectal exam within the past 2 years among men aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	205	174,000	54.3	(46.2 - 62.4)	11,923	2,380,300	55.8	(51.8 - 59.8)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	205	174,000	54.3	(46.2 - 62.4)	11,923	2,380,300	55.8	(51.8 - 59.8)
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Age (years)</b>								
40-44	*	*	*	*	1,078	246,800	27.5	(18.5 - 36.5)
45-54	*	*	*	*	3,074	650,000	47.6	(40.8 - 54.4)
55-64	*	*	*	*	3,467	673,500	68.1	(62.4 - 73.8)
≥ 65	82	56,200	75.4	(65.9 - 84.8)	4,304	809,900	79.7	(75.0 - 84.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	192	160,200	54.8	(46.5 - 63.2)	11,305	1,875,600	62.2	(59.2 - 65.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	4,963	718,700	49.6	(43.2 - 56.1)
Some College	*	*	*	*	2,665	511,500	58.5	(50.8 - 66.3)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	*	4,277	1,148,400	59.4	(52.8 - 66.0)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	2,553	388,000	45.0	(35.0 - 55.0)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	3,139	422,400	60.5	(53.0 - 68.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	3,295	978,300	56.9	(51.1 - 62.7)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a digital rectal exam within the past 2 years among men aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of men aged 40 and older who have had a digital rectal exam within the past 2 years (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 30b. Had digital rectal exam within the past 2 years among men aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	205	55.4	(47.4 - 63.4)	11,923	55.9	(51.7 - 60.0)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	205	55.4	(47.4 - 63.4)	11,923	55.9	(51.7 - 60.0)
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	192	55.7	(47.4 - 64.0)	11,305	62.0	(58.9 - 65.1)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	4,963	50.5	(43.7 - 57.3)
Some College	*	*	*	2,665	58.3	(50.4 - 66.2)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	4,277	59.2	(52.4 - 65.9)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	*	*
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	3,139	60.8	(53.1 - 68.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	*	*
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	3,295	56.5	(50.5 - 62.4)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a digital rectal exam within the past 2 years among men aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 31a. Ever had a prostate specific antigen test among men aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	200	216,100	68.7	(60.8 - 76.6)	11,557	2,822,600	67.6	(63.9 - 71.2)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	200	216,100	68.7	(60.8 - 76.6)	11,557	2,822,600	67.6	(63.9 - 71.2)
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Age (years)</b>								
40-44	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
45-54	*	*	*	*	2,938	760,600	57.4	(50.6 - 64.3)
55-64	*	*	*	*	3,373	811,400	83.4	(78.8 - 88.1)
≥ 65	80	66,800	93.4	(88.4 - 98.5)	4,215	905,400	90.4	(87.1 - 93.6)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	188	202,900	69.6	(61.5 - 77.7)	10,950	1,965,400	67.0	(63.9 - 70.1)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	4,775	829,200	59.0	(52.4 - 65.6)
Some College	*	*	*	*	2,584	535,000	61.9	(53.7 - 70.2)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	*	4,176	1,455,700	76.8	(72.5 - 81.1)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	3,048	444,100	64.1	(56.0 - 72.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	3,188	1,211,100	72.3	(67.6 - 77.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a prostate specific antigen test among men aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of men aged 40 and older who have ever had a prostate specific antigen test (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 31b. Ever had a prostate specific antigen test among men aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	200	69.0	(61.1 - 76.9)	11,557	67.4	(63.7 - 71.1)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	200	69.0	(61.1 - 76.9)	11,557	67.4	(63.7 - 71.1)
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	188	69.7	(61.6 - 77.8)	10,950	66.6	(63.4 - 69.8)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	4,775	59.7	(52.9 - 66.4)
Some College	*	*	*	2,584	61.4	(53.0 - 69.9)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	4,176	76.3	(71.9 - 80.7)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	*	*
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	3,048	64.2	(56.1 - 72.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	*	*
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	3,188	71.5	(66.6 - 76.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a prostate specific antigen test among men aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 32a. Had prostate specific antigen test within the past 2 years among men aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	198	190,200	60.7	(52.6 - 68.8)	11,437	2,493,800	59.9	(56.0 - 63.9)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	198	190,200	60.7	(52.6 - 68.8)	11,437	2,493,800	59.9	(56.0 - 63.9)
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Age (years)</b>								
40-44	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
45-54	*	*	*	*	2,917	659,400	49.9	(42.8 - 57.0)
55-64	*	*	*	*	3,326	719,700	74.5	(69.4 - 79.7)
≥ 65	78	60,100	85.9	(78.4 - 93.4)	4,166	830,000	83.3	(78.4 - 88.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	187	177,800	61.1	(52.7 - 69.4)	10,836	1,762,200	60.4	(57.3 - 63.5)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	4,727	734,200	52.4	(45.7 - 59.1)
Some College	*	*	*	*	2,558	483,800	56.3	(48.2 - 64.4)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	*	4,133	1,273,200	67.4	(61.6 - 73.3)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	3,021	410,800	59.6	(51.5 - 67.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	3,170	1,080,100	64.6	(59.1 - 70.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a prostate specific antigen test within the past 2 years among men aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of men aged 40 and older who have had a prostate specific antigen test within the past 2 years (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 32b. Had prostate specific antigen test within the past 2 years among men aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	198	61.3	(53.2 - 69.4)	11,437	59.8	(55.8 - 63.9)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	198	61.3	(53.2 - 69.4)	11,437	59.8	(55.8 - 63.9)
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	187	61.6	(53.3 - 69.9)	10,836	60.1	(56.9 - 63.4)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	4,727	52.9	(45.9 - 59.9)
Some College	*	*	*	2,558	56.0	(47.7 - 64.2)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	4,133	67.1	(61.2 - 73.1)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	*	*
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	3,021	59.8	(51.7 - 67.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	*	*
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	3,170	63.9	(58.3 - 69.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a prostate specific antigen test within the past 2 years among men aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 33a. Prostate cancer among men aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	210	8,500	2.6	(0.8 - 4.4)	12,133	178,200	4.1	(3.0 - 5.2)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	210	8,500	2.6	(0.8 - 4.4)	12,133	178,200	4.1	(3.0 - 5.2)
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Age (years)</b>								
40-44	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
45-54	*	*	*	*	3,120	6,100	0.4	(0.0 - 0.9)
55-64	*	*	*	*	3,532	31,600	3.1	(1.5 - 4.8)
≥ 65	*	*	*	*	4,388	140,400	13.6	(9.7 - 17.4)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	196	8,500	2.8	(0.9 - 4.8)	11,502	143,700	4.7	(3.5 - 5.8)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	184	23,500	5.1	(0.0 - 11.0)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	197	7,700	1.6	(0.0 - 3.7)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	5,065	46,300	3.1	(2.2 - 4.1)
Some College	*	*	*	*	2,709	39,200	4.4	(1.3 - 7.5)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	*	4,336	92,500	4.7	(3.0 - 6.5)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	2,597	35,800	4.1	(2.2 - 6.0)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	3,196	29,600	4.1	(2.9 - 5.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	2,007	20,300	2.8	(1.2 - 4.4)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	3,322	56,500	3.2	(1.7 - 4.8)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever been told by a health professional that respondent had prostate cancer among men aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of men aged 40 and older who have ever been told they had prostate cancer (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 33b. Prostate cancer among men aged 40 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	210	3.1	(1.0 - 5.2)	12,133	4.5	(3.2 - 5.7)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	210	3.1	(1.0 - 5.2)	12,133	4.5	(3.2 - 5.7)
Female	-	-	-	-	-	-
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	196	3.4	(1.1 - 5.6)	11,502	5.1	(3.8 - 6.4)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	184	5.7	(0.0 - 12.8)
Hispanic	*	*	*	197	1.8	(0.0 - 4.4)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	5,065	3.3	(2.3 - 4.3)
Some College	*	*	*	2,709	5.0	(1.1 - 9.0)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	4,336	5.2	(3.1 - 7.2)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	2,597	4.5	(2.2 - 6.7)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	3,196	4.3	(3.0 - 5.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	2,007	3.0	(1.1 - 5.0)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	3,322	3.5	(1.6 - 5.4)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever been told by a health professional that respondent had prostate cancer among men aged 40 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 34a. Home blood stool test ever used among adults aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	428	159,300	35.4	(30.0 - 40.8)	25,322	2,288,500	38.0	(35.5 - 40.4)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	165	89,000	40.3	(31.5 - 49.0)	9,571	1,081,900	38.9	(35.1 - 42.6)
Female	263	70,300	30.6	(24.4 - 36.9)	15,751	1,206,600	37.2	(34.0 - 40.4)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
50-64	191	82,600	30.8	(23.3 - 38.4)	12,834	1,192,000	34.0	(30.8 - 37.2)
≥ 65	236	74,500	41.3	(34.3 - 48.3)	12,472	1,093,400	43.6	(39.8 - 47.4)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	407	146,900	35.4	(29.9 - 40.8)	24,213	1,754,500	39.1	(37.1 - 41.1)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	152	61,000	39.9	(30.3 - 49.5)	11,146	823,500	34.9	(30.5 - 39.2)
Some College	99	23,800	21.4	(12.8 - 30.1)	6,261	480,300	37.0	(32.6 - 41.4)
≥ College Degree	176	74,500	40.2	(31.8 - 48.6)	7,851	973,700	41.6	(37.8 - 45.3)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	7,222	505,000	35.4	(29.7 - 41.2)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	6,609	467,600	40.3	(35.2 - 45.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	3,500	313,000	38.2	(32.6 - 43.9)
≥ \$75,000	135	60,700	34.0	(24.5 - 43.4)	4,647	657,800	37.3	(33.0 - 41.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever used a home blood stool test among adults aged 50 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults aged 50 and older who have ever used a home blood stool test (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 34b. Home blood stool test ever used among adults aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	428	35.9	(30.6 - 41.2)	25,322	38.1	(35.5 - 40.8)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	165	40.6	(32.1 - 49.0)	9,571	39.4	(35.3 - 43.5)
Female	263	31.0	(24.8 - 37.3)	15,751	36.9	(33.5 - 40.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	407	35.9	(30.4 - 41.3)	24,213	38.9	(36.7 - 41.1)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	152	39.7	(30.3 - 49.1)	11,146	35.1	(30.3 - 39.9)
Some College	99	22.2	(13.4 - 31.0)	6,261	36.6	(32.0 - 41.3)
≥ College Degree	176	40.9	(32.6 - 49.3)	7,851	41.9	(37.9 - 46.0)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	7,222	35.9	(29.5 - 42.4)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	6,609	40.2	(34.8 - 45.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	3,500	38.1	(31.9 - 44.3)
≥ \$75,000	135	34.6	(25.3 - 44.0)	4,647	37.5	(32.9 - 42.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever used a home blood stool test among adults aged 50 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 35a. Home blood stool test used within the past year among adults aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	423	63,400	14.2	(10.2 - 18.1)	25,074	863,300	14.4	(12.6 - 16.2)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	165	41,000	18.6	(11.9 - 25.2)	9,508	444,400	16.0	(13.2 - 18.9)
Female	258	22,400	9.9	(5.5 - 14.2)	15,566	418,900	13.1	(10.8 - 15.4)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
50-64	191	37,800	14.1	(8.5 - 19.7)	12,759	454,400	13.0	(10.6 - 15.5)
≥ 65	231	23,400	13.2	(8.3 - 18.0)	12,299	406,400	16.4	(13.7 - 19.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	402	56,700	13.7	(9.7 - 17.8)	23,971	634,300	14.3	(12.8 - 15.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	396	136,000	18.6	(9.4 - 27.8)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	349	53,400	9.9	(2.5 - 17.2)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	151	21,600	14.1	(7.5 - 20.8)	11,026	288,600	12.3	(9.4 - 15.3)
Some College	*	*	*	*	6,208	212,500	16.4	(12.5 - 20.4)
≥ College Degree	174	32,500	17.6	(10.8 - 24.5)	7,778	352,400	15.2	(12.5 - 17.9)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	7,157	196,300	13.9	(10.1 - 17.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	98	10,500	12.2	(4.0 - 20.4)	6,562	221,500	19.2	(14.1 - 24.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	3,469	111,900	13.7	(10.1 - 17.4)
≥ \$75,000	135	20,300	11.4	(5.0 - 17.7)	4,623	205,100	11.7	(8.8 - 14.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having used a home blood stool test within the past year among adults aged 50 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults aged 50 and older who have used a home blood stool test within the past year (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 35b. Home blood stool test used within the past year among adults aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	423	14.2	(10.3 - 18.0)	25,074	14.6	(12.6 - 16.7)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	165	18.1	(11.8 - 24.5)	9,508	16.4	(13.2 - 19.6)
Female	258	9.9	(5.6 - 14.3)	15,566	12.9	(10.4 - 15.4)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	402	13.7	(9.7 - 17.6)	23,971	14.2	(12.7 - 15.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	349	10.2	(1.7 - 18.7)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	151	14.3	(7.7 - 20.9)	11,026	12.7	(9.2 - 16.1)
Some College	*	*	*	6,208	16.6	(12.3 - 20.9)
≥ College Degree	174	17.8	(11.0 - 24.5)	7,778	15.3	(12.4 - 18.3)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	70	16.9	(7.1 - 26.7)	7,157	14.3	(9.8 - 18.7)
\$25,000-\$49,999	98	11.2	(3.8 - 18.7)	6,562	19.3	(13.8 - 24.8)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	3,469	13.8	(9.8 - 17.7)
≥ \$75,000	135	11.4	(5.2 - 17.6)	4,623	11.8	(8.6 - 15.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having used a home blood stool test within the past year among adults aged 50 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 36a. Home blood stool test used within the past 2 years among adults aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	423	86,100	19.2	(14.7 - 23.7)	25,074	1,218,000	20.4	(18.3 - 22.5)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	165	54,000	24.4	(16.9 - 32.0)	9,508	593,100	21.4	(18.3 - 24.5)
Female	258	32,100	14.1	(9.2 - 19.1)	15,566	624,900	19.5	(16.6 - 22.4)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
50-64	191	52,100	19.5	(13.0 - 25.9)	12,759	629,900	18.1	(15.4 - 20.7)
≥ 65	231	31,800	17.9	(12.3 - 23.4)	12,299	585,500	23.6	(20.2 - 27.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	402	75,700	18.3	(13.9 - 22.8)	23,971	877,500	19.7	(18.2 - 21.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	151	34,100	22.3	(14.1 - 30.6)	11,026	454,600	19.4	(15.6 - 23.3)
Some College	97	11,600	10.5	(4.0 - 17.0)	6,208	262,200	20.3	(16.3 - 24.2)
≥ College Degree	174	40,500	22.0	(14.6 - 29.4)	7,778	491,400	21.2	(18.1 - 24.2)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	7,157	263,900	18.6	(14.6 - 22.7)
\$25,000-\$49,999	98	17,800	20.6	(10.7 - 30.5)	6,562	285,900	24.8	(19.6 - 30.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	3,469	167,500	20.6	(15.6 - 25.5)
≥ \$75,000	135	29,500	16.5	(8.8 - 24.2)	4,623	294,900	16.8	(13.7 - 20.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having used a home blood stool test within the past 2 years among adults aged 50 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults aged 50 and older who have used a home blood stool test within the past 2 years (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 36b. Home blood stool test used within the past 2 years among adults aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	423	19.1	(14.7 - 23.5)	25,074	20.5	(18.2 - 22.8)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	165	23.8	(16.6 - 30.9)	9,508	21.7	(18.3 - 25.1)
Female	258	14.1	(9.1 - 19.0)	15,566	19.4	(16.3 - 22.5)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	402	18.2	(13.8 - 22.6)	23,971	19.7	(18.0 - 21.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	151	22.2	(14.1 - 30.2)	11,026	19.5	(15.4 - 23.7)
Some College	97	10.1	(4.0 - 16.2)	6,208	20.4	(16.1 - 24.7)
≥ College Degree	174	21.8	(14.6 - 29.0)	7,778	21.4	(18.1 - 24.7)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	7,157	18.9	(14.2 - 23.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	98	19.5	(10.2 - 28.7)	6,562	24.8	(19.3 - 30.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	3,469	20.6	(15.3 - 25.9)
≥ \$75,000	135	16.2	(8.8 - 23.5)	4,623	16.9	(13.4 - 20.4)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having used a home blood stool test within the past 2 years among adults aged 50 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 37a. Ever had sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy among adults aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	428	287,200	63.7	(58.0 - 69.3)	25,357	4,019,100	66.6	(64.1 - 69.1)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	165	136,200	61.7	(52.6 - 70.7)	9,582	1,894,100	68.0	(64.2 - 71.7)
Female	263	151,000	65.6	(58.6 - 72.6)	15,775	2,125,000	65.5	(62.1 - 68.8)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
50-54	*	*	*	*	4,179	718,900	50.6	(44.6 - 56.5)
55-64	137	113,600	67.2	(58.0 - 76.4)	8,695	1,493,500	71.0	(67.3 - 74.8)
≥ 65	235	132,300	73.5	(67.3 - 79.7)	12,466	1,802,000	72.1	(68.6 - 75.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	406	271,800	65.5	(59.8 - 71.2)	24,248	3,093,900	68.8	(66.8 - 70.8)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	152	84,800	55.2	(45.4 - 65.1)	11,121	1,445,100	61.2	(56.7 - 65.8)
Some College	*	*	*	*	6,287	835,300	64.3	(59.7 - 69.0)
≥ College Degree	176	138,900	75.0	(67.3 - 82.7)	7,884	1,732,400	73.7	(70.0 - 77.4)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	7,220	892,600	62.7	(56.8 - 68.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	6,619	697,300	60.1	(54.6 - 65.7)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	3,514	613,700	74.2	(68.9 - 79.6)
≥ \$75,000	135	129,200	72.2	(62.8 - 81.7)	4,665	1,294,400	73.3	(69.2 - 77.5)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy among adults aged 50 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults aged 50 and older who have ever had a sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 37b. Ever had sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy among adults aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	428	64.2	(58.7 - 69.7)	25,357	66.6	(63.9 - 69.3)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	165	62.7	(54.1 - 71.3)	9,582	68.5	(64.5 - 72.5)
Female	263	65.8	(58.9 - 72.7)	15,775	64.8	(61.2 - 68.4)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	406	65.6	(60.0 - 71.3)	24,248	68.7	(66.5 - 70.8)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	152	56.4	(46.8 - 66.0)	11,121	61.3	(56.4 - 66.2)
Some College	*	*	*	6,287	63.8	(58.8 - 68.8)
≥ College Degree	176	75.7	(68.2 - 83.1)	7,884	74.0	(70.2 - 77.9)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	7,220	63.0	(56.7 - 69.3)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	6,619	59.7	(53.8 - 65.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	3,514	74.4	(68.3 - 80.5)
≥ \$75,000	135	72.5	(63.3 - 81.7)	4,665	73.6	(69.3 - 78.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever had a sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy among adults aged 50 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 38a. Sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy within the past 10 years among adults aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	427	279,000	62.1	(56.4 - 67.8)	25,169	3,855,800	64.6	(62.1 - 67.1)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	164	131,100	59.8	(50.7 - 68.8)	9,521	1,835,400	66.4	(62.6 - 70.1)
Female	263	147,900	64.3	(57.3 - 71.2)	15,648	2,020,400	63.1	(59.8 - 66.4)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
50-54	*	*	*	*	4,169	700,500	49.3	(43.3 - 55.3)
55-64	136	108,000	64.5	(55.1 - 73.9)	8,652	1,455,100	69.4	(65.7 - 73.2)
≥ 65	235	129,700	72.1	(65.8 - 78.4)	12,331	1,695,700	69.5	(65.9 - 73.1)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	405	264,200	63.9	(58.1 - 69.7)	24,069	2,981,500	66.6	(64.6 - 68.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	152	82,900	54.0	(44.2 - 63.8)	11,017	1,360,400	59.0	(54.5 - 63.5)
Some College	*	*	*	*	6,251	807,100	62.4	(57.8 - 67.1)
≥ College Degree	176	136,900	73.9	(66.1 - 81.6)	7,841	1,682,500	71.7	(68.0 - 75.4)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	7,163	858,900	61.0	(55.1 - 67.0)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	6,584	664,900	57.7	(52.2 - 63.2)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	3,501	602,600	73.1	(67.7 - 78.5)
≥ \$75,000	135	126,600	70.8	(61.3 - 80.3)	4,655	1,260,400	71.5	(67.3 - 75.7)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy within the past 10 years among adults aged 50 and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults aged 50 and older who have had a sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy within the past 10 years (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 38b. Sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy within the past 10 years among adults aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	427	62.7	(57.2 - 68.3)	25,169	64.6	(61.9 - 67.3)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	164	61.1	(52.5 - 69.8)	9,521	66.9	(62.9 - 70.9)
Female	263	64.4	(57.5 - 71.3)	15,648	62.4	(58.9 - 66.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	405	64.2	(58.5 - 69.8)	24,069	66.5	(64.3 - 68.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	152	55.3	(45.7 - 64.9)	11,017	59.0	(54.1 - 63.9)
Some College	*	*	*	6,251	61.9	(56.9 - 66.9)
≥ College Degree	176	74.6	(67.1 - 82.1)	7,841	72.1	(68.2 - 75.9)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	7,163	61.3	(54.9 - 67.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	6,584	57.2	(51.4 - 63.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	3,501	73.3	(67.2 - 79.4)
≥ \$75,000	135	71.2	(61.9 - 80.5)	4,655	71.8	(67.4 - 76.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had a sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy within the past 10 years among adults aged 50 and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 39a. Home blood stool test within the past year or sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy within the past 10 years among adults aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	419	289,400	65.8	(60.1 - 71.6)	24,792	4,049,200	69.1	(66.7 - 71.6)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	161	138,800	64.4	(55.4 - 73.5)	9,418	1,945,200	70.7	(67.0 - 74.3)
Female	258	150,600	67.2	(60.2 - 74.2)	15,374	2,104,100	67.8	(64.6 - 71.1)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
50-54	*	*	*	*	4,132	751,200	54.1	(48.0 - 60.1)
55-64	129	111,400	69.9	(60.5 - 79.2)	8,366	1,487,600	73.7	(70.0 - 77.4)
≥ 65	235	134,800	74.9	(68.8 - 81.0)	12,294	1,810,500	74.0	(70.6 - 77.4)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	399	276,700	68.1	(62.4 - 73.7)	23,726	3,091,400	70.4	(68.4 - 72.4)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	151	90,200	59.2	(49.3 - 69.1)	10,872	1,461,600	64.2	(59.8 - 68.7)
Some College	*	*	*	*	6,170	873,300	68.4	(63.9 - 72.8)
≥ College Degree	170	136,600	77.3	(69.7 - 84.9)	7,708	1,709,000	74.6	(70.9 - 78.3)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	7,092	923,300	66.0	(60.1 - 71.9)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	6,526	730,000	64.2	(58.9 - 69.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	3,467	621,500	76.6	(71.4 - 81.9)
≥ \$75,000	133	127,500	73.0	(63.6 - 82.4)	4,615	1,292,500	73.8	(69.8 - 77.9)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having used a home blood stool test within the past year or a sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy within the past 10 years among adults aged 50 years and older

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults aged 50 and older who have used a home blood stool test in the past year or sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy within the past 10 years (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 39b. Home blood stool test within the past year or sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy within the past 10 years among adults aged 50 and older<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	419	66.4	(60.9 - 71.9)	24,792	69.3	(66.7 - 71.9)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	161	65.5	(57.0 - 74.1)	9,418	71.5	(67.6 - 75.4)
Female	258	67.3	(60.4 - 74.2)	15,374	67.2	(63.7 - 70.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	399	68.2	(62.6 - 73.8)	23,726	70.3	(68.1 - 72.4)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	151	60.4	(50.8 - 70.0)	10,872	64.5	(59.8 - 69.3)
Some College	*	*	*	6,170	68.2	(63.4 - 72.9)
≥ College Degree	170	77.8	(70.4 - 85.1)	7,708	75.0	(71.2 - 78.8)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	7,092	66.4	(60.2 - 72.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	6,526	63.8	(58.2 - 69.5)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	3,467	76.7	(70.6 - 82.7)
≥ \$75,000	133	73.3	(64.2 - 82.4)	4,615	74.4	(70.2 - 78.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having used a home blood stool test within the past year or a sigmoidoscopy or colonoscopy within the past 10 years among adults aged 50 years and older

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 40a. High blood pressure among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	273,600	25.0	(21.1 - 28.9)	38,125	3,974,800	26.8	(24.9 - 28.7)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	154,200	29.0	(22.3 - 35.6)	14,611	1,960,500	27.7	(24.7 - 30.7)
Female	411	119,400	21.2	(17.0 - 25.5)	23,514	2,014,300	26.0	(23.6 - 28.3)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,935	312,200	7.0	(4.2 - 9.8)
35-44	96	42,500	19.4	(10.0 - 28.8)	4,984	426,200	14.8	(11.6 - 18.1)
45-54	130	48,700	21.2	(13.2 - 29.1)	7,825	862,400	30.3	(25.9 - 34.8)
55-64	138	65,800	38.8	(29.5 - 48.1)	8,765	890,800	41.6	(37.6 - 45.7)
≥ 65	239	112,000	60.4	(53.4 - 67.3)	12,616	1,483,200	58.5	(54.7 - 62.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	588	254,700	30.1	(25.6 - 34.6)	35,814	2,650,900	28.4	(26.9 - 30.0)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	736	558,500	26.2	(19.6 - 32.8)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	863	538,100	23.8	(17.0 - 30.6)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	205	98,100	29.3	(21.5 - 37.2)	15,688	1,851,200	33.1	(29.4 - 36.9)
Some College	172	67,500	22.3	(15.1 - 29.5)	9,906	851,100	24.1	(20.9 - 27.3)
≥ College Degree	284	107,100	23.6	(17.8 - 29.4)	12,452	1,253,400	22.3	(19.7 - 24.9)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,640	1,153,000	32.8	(27.6 - 38.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	129	47,500	26.9	(17.3 - 36.5)	9,657	807,800	27.9	(23.7 - 32.1)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,773	507,600	25.8	(21.4 - 30.1)
≥ \$75,000	274	106,700	19.9	(14.6 - 25.2)	8,560	942,500	21.0	(18.4 - 23.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever been told by a health professional that respondent has high blood pressure

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have ever been told by a health professional that they have high blood pressure (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 40b. High blood pressure among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	23.3	(19.4 - 27.2)	38,125	25.7	(23.8 - 27.5)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	28.1	(21.4 - 34.8)	14,611	27.7	(24.7 - 30.7)
Female	411	18.8	(14.7 - 22.9)	23,514	23.8	(21.5 - 26.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	588	28.2	(23.7 - 32.8)	35,814	27.2	(25.6 - 28.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	736	24.9	(18.4 - 31.3)
Hispanic	*	*	*	863	23.3	(16.6 - 30.0)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	712	19.3	(9.5 - 29.1)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	205	27.8	(19.9 - 35.7)	15,688	32.1	(28.4 - 35.8)
Some College	172	21.1	(13.8 - 28.4)	9,906	22.8	(19.7 - 25.9)
≥ College Degree	284	21.6	(15.9 - 27.2)	12,452	21.2	(18.6 - 23.8)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,640	31.8	(26.7 - 37.0)
\$25,000-\$49,999	129	25.1	(15.4 - 34.8)	9,657	26.9	(22.8 - 30.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,773	24.8	(20.4 - 29.2)
≥ \$75,000	274	18.3	(13.1 - 23.4)	8,560	19.9	(17.3 - 22.5)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever been told by a health professional that respondent has high blood pressure

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 41a. Blood pressure medication among adults with high blood pressure<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	237	223,700	81.7	(74.6 - 88.9)	15,288	3,145,800	79.2	(76.0 - 82.4)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	*	*	*	*	6,080	1,432,100	73.1	(67.6 - 78.5)
Female	140	107,100	89.7	(83.8 - 95.7)	9,208	1,713,700	85.2	(82.1 - 88.2)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
35-44	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
45-54	*	*	*	*	2,315	645,500	74.9	(66.8 - 82.9)
55-64	52	61,200	93.0	(85.5 - 100)	4,045	782,300	87.8	(84.5 - 91.1)
≥ 65	141	100,400	89.7	(83.7 - 95.7)	7,675	1,383,400	93.4	(91.1 - 95.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	227	208,100	81.7	(74.2 - 89.2)	14,442	2,117,300	79.9	(77.5 - 82.4)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	89	85,200	86.9	(77.5 - 96.2)	7,354	1,482,800	80.2	(74.7 - 85.6)
Some College	*	*	*	*	3,868	632,000	74.3	(67.8 - 80.7)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	*	4,035	1,013,200	80.9	(76.8 - 84.9)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	4,898	948,200	82.3	(75.7 - 88.9)
\$25,000-\$49,999	53	42,900	90.3	(80.9 - 99.8)	4,088	668,300	82.8	(77.6 - 88.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	1,971	391,500	77.2	(67.7 - 86.6)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	2,397	683,700	72.5	(66.1 - 78.9)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as currently taking medicine for high blood pressure among adults with high blood pressure

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults with high blood pressure who are taking medicine for high blood pressure (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 41b. Blood pressure medication among adults with high blood pressure<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	237	80.3	(72.4 - 88.2)	15,288	78.5	(75.2 - 81.7)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	*	*	*	6,080	73.3	(67.9 - 78.7)
Female	140	89.4	(83.2 - 95.5)	9,208	84.0	(80.7 - 87.2)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	227	80.1	(71.8 - 88.4)	14,442	79.0	(76.5 - 81.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	89	86.8	(77.1 - 96.6)	7,354	79.7	(74.3 - 85.2)
Some College	*	*	*	3,868	72.5	(65.7 - 79.3)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	4,035	80.4	(76.1 - 84.6)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	4,898	81.6	(75.0 - 88.3)
\$25,000-\$49,999	53	90.3	(81.0 - 99.6)	4,088	82.1	(76.7 - 87.5)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	1,971	76.4	(66.7 - 86.1)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	2,397	71.6	(64.8 - 78.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as currently taking medicine for high blood pressure among adults with high blood pressure

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 42a. Ever had blood cholesterol checked among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	649	911,400	86.0	(81.1 - 90.8)	37,450	11,496,600	80.3	(77.7 - 83.0)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	248	439,700	84.4	(76.5 - 92.3)	14,389	5,288,400	77.7	(73.3 - 82.0)
Female	401	471,700	87.5	(81.7 - 93.2)	23,061	6,208,200	82.7	(79.6 - 85.8)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,684	2,296,400	55.3	(48.7 - 61.9)
35-44	93	199,800	92.9	(85.3 - 100)	4,883	2,264,200	81.6	(76.6 - 86.5)
45-54	129	209,700	91.6	(85.6 - 97.6)	7,731	2,539,400	91.0	(87.0 - 94.9)
55-64	137	160,700	95.6	(91.4 - 99.8)	8,718	2,014,900	95.4	(93.5 - 97.2)
≥ 65	235	177,400	97.2	(94.3 - 100)	12,434	2,381,700	95.9	(94.3 - 97.6)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	578	755,400	91.6	(87.1 - 96.0)	35,198	7,832,600	86.3	(84.8 - 87.9)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	720	1,588,900	77.8	(68.4 - 87.2)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	842	1,224,600	56.8	(46.8 - 66.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,342	3,795,700	70.6	(65.6 - 75.6)
Some College	165	262,800	91.9	(85.0 - 98.8)	9,732	2,599,800	77.4	(71.7 - 83.2)
≥ College Degree	281	418,000	92.8	(88.4 - 97.2)	12,296	5,008,300	91.3	(88.9 - 93.6)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,437	2,277,500	68.4	(61.5 - 75.3)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,492	2,053,000	71.9	(64.5 - 79.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,721	1,736,100	90.0	(87.7 - 92.3)
≥ \$75,000	266	473,000	91.8	(86.8 - 96.8)	8,460	4,019,300	92.2	(90.8 - 93.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as ever having blood cholesterol checked

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have ever had blood cholesterol checked (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 42b. Ever had blood cholesterol checked among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	649	84.8	(79.4 - 90.2)	37,450	79.9	(77.3 - 82.5)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	248	83.7	(75.2 - 92.3)	14,389	78.0	(73.9 - 82.1)
Female	401	85.8	(79.1 - 92.5)	23,061	81.6	(78.4 - 84.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	578	90.6	(85.4 - 95.8)	35,198	85.6	(84.0 - 87.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	720	77.5	(68.2 - 86.7)
Hispanic	*	*	*	842	57.2	(47.4 - 67.0)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,342	70.2	(65.2 - 75.1)
Some College	165	90.2	(81.7 - 98.7)	9,732	76.7	(71.1 - 82.3)
≥ College Degree	281	92.5	(87.7 - 97.3)	12,296	90.9	(88.6 - 93.2)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,437	68.1	(61.3 - 74.9)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,492	71.6	(64.4 - 78.7)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,721	89.6	(87.2 - 92.0)
≥ \$75,000	266	91.0	(85.4 - 96.5)	8,460	91.7	(90.1 - 93.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as ever having blood cholesterol checked

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 43a. Blood cholesterol checked within the past 5 years among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	645	876,000	83.5	(78.5 - 88.5)	37,201	11,035,200	77.8	(75.1 - 80.4)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	247	425,800	81.8	(73.8 - 89.8)	14,307	5,020,700	74.5	(70.2 - 78.9)
Female	398	450,300	85.2	(79.3 - 91.2)	22,894	6,014,600	80.7	(77.6 - 83.8)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,647	2,179,800	53.3	(46.7 - 59.9)
35-44	93	193,700	90.1	(81.9 - 98.2)	4,862	2,161,200	78.0	(72.8 - 83.2)
45-54	129	205,500	89.8	(83.6 - 96.1)	7,697	2,408,600	86.6	(82.4 - 90.8)
55-64	136	157,500	94.3	(89.8 - 98.8)	8,677	1,957,900	93.3	(91.4 - 95.3)
≥ 65	233	172,600	95.3	(92.0 - 98.6)	12,318	2,327,800	94.8	(93.1 - 96.6)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	575	721,200	88.5	(83.8 - 93.2)	34,960	7,486,600	83.4	(81.8 - 85.0)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	719	1,561,700	76.5	(67.1 - 85.9)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	838	1,184,000	55.6	(45.6 - 65.6)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,215	3,612,500	68.3	(63.2 - 73.3)
Some College	165	259,000	90.6	(83.6 - 97.6)	9,673	2,524,200	75.4	(69.8 - 81.1)
≥ College Degree	279	391,400	88.8	(83.5 - 94.0)	12,236	4,806,500	88.1	(85.5 - 90.6)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,350	2,214,800	66.9	(60.1 - 73.8)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,454	1,936,600	68.8	(61.5 - 76.1)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,701	1,640,400	85.9	(82.4 - 89.5)
≥ \$75,000	266	458,800	89.1	(83.7 - 94.5)	8,435	3,872,400	89.2	(87.5 - 90.9)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had blood cholesterol checked within the past 5 years

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have had blood cholesterol checked within the past 5 years (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 43b. Blood cholesterol checked within the past 5 years among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	645	82.1	(76.5 - 87.7)	37,201	77.3	(74.7 - 79.9)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	247	81.0	(72.3 - 89.7)	14,307	74.8	(70.7 - 79.0)
Female	398	83.2	(76.2 - 90.2)	22,894	79.5	(76.3 - 82.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	575	87.2	(81.8 - 92.7)	34,960	82.6	(81.0 - 84.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	719	76.2	(66.9 - 85.5)
Hispanic	*	*	*	838	55.9	(46.1 - 65.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,215	67.8	(62.9 - 72.8)
Some College	165	89.0	(80.4 - 97.5)	9,673	74.7	(69.1 - 80.2)
≥ College Degree	279	87.9	(82.0 - 93.8)	12,236	87.5	(85.0 - 90.1)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,350	66.6	(59.8 - 73.4)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,454	68.5	(61.4 - 75.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,701	85.4	(81.7 - 89.0)
≥ \$75,000	266	88.1	(82.2 - 94.1)	8,435	88.5	(86.7 - 90.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having had blood cholesterol checked within the past 5 years

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 44a. Cardiovascular disease among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	650	84,600	7.8	(5.8 - 9.9)	37,810	1,135,000	7.7	(6.5 - 8.8)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	248	58,800	11.2	(7.3 - 15.0)	14,477	664,600	9.4	(7.5 - 11.4)
Female	402	25,900	4.7	(2.9 - 6.4)	23,333	470,400	6.1	(4.8 - 7.4)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,930	100,800	2.3	(0.0 - 4.8)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,971	103,400	3.6	(1.5 - 5.7)
45-54	*	*	*	*	7,768	131,300	4.6	(2.9 - 6.4)
55-64	138	20,500	12.1	(5.6 - 18.5)	8,699	224,200	10.6	(8.3 - 12.9)
≥ 65	229	49,000	27.6	(20.9 - 34.2)	12,442	575,300	23.0	(19.9 - 26.1)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	577	80,300	9.6	(7.1 - 12.1)	35,522	772,200	8.3	(7.4 - 9.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	728	140,700	6.6	(3.3 - 9.9)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	854	163,300	7.3	(2.0 - 12.5)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	706	58,800	5.2	(0.9 - 9.5)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	197	37,700	11.6	(6.9 - 16.2)	15,486	590,800	10.7	(8.2 - 13.2)
Some College	169	20,800	6.9	(3.3 - 10.6)	9,849	227,100	6.4	(4.7 - 8.1)
≥ College Degree	282	25,200	5.6	(2.9 - 8.3)	12,393	314,600	5.6	(4.3 - 6.9)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	85	16,100	13.4	(5.6 - 21.2)	9,505	448,100	12.9	(9.1 - 16.7)
\$25,000-\$49,999	126	20,400	11.7	(5.2 - 18.1)	9,571	179,300	6.2	(4.8 - 7.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	86	14,200	9.6	(3.1 - 16.1)	5,751	166,900	8.5	(5.5 - 11.4)
≥ \$75,000	272	24,600	4.6	(2.2 - 7.0)	8,538	183,500	4.1	(2.9 - 5.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever been told by a health professional that respondent had a heart attack or angina or a stroke

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults with cardiovascular disease (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 44b. Cardiovascular disease among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	650	7.4	(5.5 - 9.4)	37,810	7.6	(6.4 - 8.7)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	248	10.9	(7.2 - 14.6)	14,477	9.7	(7.8 - 11.7)
Female	402	4.1	(2.5 - 5.6)	23,333	5.6	(4.3 - 6.9)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	577	9.1	(6.7 - 11.5)	35,522	8.2	(7.2 - 9.1)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	728	6.8	(3.2 - 10.4)
Hispanic	*	*	*	854	7.0	(2.0 - 12.0)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	706	5.5	(0.9 - 10.0)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	197	11.1	(6.5 - 15.6)	15,486	10.5	(8.0 - 13.0)
Some College	169	6.4	(2.9 - 9.9)	9,849	6.4	(4.5 - 8.2)
≥ College Degree	282	5.3	(2.8 - 7.8)	12,393	5.5	(4.2 - 6.9)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	85	13.0	(4.9 - 21.1)	9,505	12.8	(9.0 - 16.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	126	10.9	(4.7 - 17.2)	9,571	6.0	(4.7 - 7.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	86	9.7	(3.2 - 16.3)	5,751	8.5	(5.4 - 11.6)
≥ \$75,000	272	4.3	(2.1 - 6.4)	8,538	4.0	(2.7 - 5.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever been told by a health professional that respondent had a heart attack or angina or a stroke

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 45a. Coronary heart disease among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	651	69,900	6.5	(4.6 - 8.3)	37,838	929,400	6.3	(5.3 - 7.3)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	248	49,100	9.3	(5.9 - 12.8)	14,479	598,600	8.5	(6.6 - 10.4)
Female	403	20,800	3.7	(2.2 - 5.3)	23,359	330,800	4.3	(3.4 - 5.2)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,932	63,400	1.4	(0.0 - 3.6)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,973	95,300	3.3	(1.2 - 5.4)
45-54	*	*	*	*	7,778	108,300	3.8	(2.1 - 5.6)
55-64	138	18,700	11.0	(4.7 - 17.4)	8,703	188,600	8.9	(6.7 - 11.1)
≥ 65	229	41,800	23.5	(17.1 - 29.9)	12,452	473,800	18.9	(16.1 - 21.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	578	65,600	7.8	(5.6 - 10.1)	35,552	636,700	6.9	(6.0 - 7.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	728	113,100	5.3	(2.3 - 8.4)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	853	128,000	5.7	(1.1 - 10.3)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	705	51,500	4.6	(0.5 - 8.7)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	198	32,600	10.0	(5.6 - 14.4)	15,485	474,500	8.6	(6.3 - 10.8)
Some College	169	17,100	5.7	(2.5 - 8.8)	9,860	193,000	5.5	(3.9 - 7.1)
≥ College Degree	282	19,300	4.3	(2.0 - 6.6)	12,411	259,700	4.6	(3.4 - 5.8)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	86	14,800	12.3	(4.8 - 19.8)	9,507	372,300	10.7	(7.3 - 14.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	126	15,100	8.6	(3.3 - 13.9)	9,585	136,300	4.7	(3.8 - 5.7)
\$50,000-\$74,999	86	13,400	9.0	(2.6 - 15.5)	5,755	154,600	7.8	(4.9 - 10.7)
≥ \$75,000	272	19,500	3.7	(1.5 - 5.8)	8,541	151,800	3.4	(2.3 - 4.5)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever been told by a health professional that respondent had a heart attack or angina

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults with coronary heart disease (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 45b. Coronary heart disease among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	651	6.2	(4.4 - 7.9)	37,838	6.3	(5.2 - 7.3)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	248	9.2	(5.9 - 12.6)	14,479	8.8	(6.9 - 10.8)
Female	403	3.2	(1.9 - 4.6)	23,359	3.9	(3.0 - 4.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	578	7.5	(5.3 - 9.6)	35,552	6.8	(5.9 - 7.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	728	5.6	(2.2 - 9.0)
Hispanic	*	*	*	853	5.4	(1.1 - 9.6)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	705	4.8	(0.4 - 9.2)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	198	9.6	(5.3 - 13.9)	15,485	8.5	(6.2 - 10.7)
Some College	169	5.3	(2.3 - 8.4)	9,860	5.5	(3.7 - 7.2)
≥ College Degree	282	4.1	(2.0 - 6.2)	12,411	4.7	(3.4 - 5.9)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	86	11.8	(4.1 - 19.5)	9,507	10.7	(7.2 - 14.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	126	8.2	(3.1 - 13.3)	9,585	4.7	(3.6 - 5.7)
\$50,000-\$74,999	86	9.1	(2.7 - 15.5)	5,755	8.0	(4.8 - 11.1)
≥ \$75,000	272	3.4	(1.5 - 5.3)	8,541	3.3	(2.1 - 4.5)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever been told by a health professional that respondent had a heart attack or angina

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 46a. Ever diagnosed with diabetes among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	105,400	9.6	(7.3 - 12.0)	38,174	1,382,700	9.3	(8.0 - 10.5)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	53,200	10.0	(6.4 - 13.6)	14,626	530,400	7.5	(6.2 - 8.8)
Female	411	52,200	9.3	(6.3 - 12.3)	23,548	852,300	11.0	(8.9 - 13.0)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,941	150,200	3.4	(1.0 - 5.8)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,987	165,100	5.7	(3.6 - 7.9)
45-54	130	17,400	7.6	(2.7 - 12.4)	7,830	279,000	9.8	(6.7 - 12.8)
55-64	138	28,500	16.8	(10.1 - 23.5)	8,771	332,900	15.5	(12.3 - 18.8)
≥ 65	239	45,100	24.3	(18.0 - 30.6)	12,645	455,600	17.9	(15.0 - 20.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	588	90,000	10.7	(7.9 - 13.4)	35,862	809,300	8.7	(7.8 - 9.5)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	739	261,000	12.1	(6.6 - 17.6)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	862	227,300	10.1	(5.4 - 14.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	711	85,100	7.6	(2.3 - 12.8)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	205	38,600	11.5	(7.1 - 16.0)	15,709	730,000	13.0	(10.5 - 15.6)
Some College	172	26,000	8.6	(4.3 - 12.9)	9,918	303,500	8.6	(5.9 - 11.2)
≥ College Degree	284	40,800	9.0	(5.4 - 12.6)	12,464	337,500	6.0	(4.8 - 7.2)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	89	22,300	18.1	(8.4 - 27.7)	9,652	543,400	15.5	(11.4 - 19.5)
\$25,000-\$49,999	129	24,600	13.9	(7.2 - 20.7)	9,667	291,000	10.0	(7.5 - 12.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,777	151,000	7.6	(5.0 - 10.3)
≥ \$75,000	274	32,100	6.0	(3.2 - 8.8)	8,565	220,800	4.9	(3.8 - 6.1)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever been told by a doctor that respondent had diabetes, excluding pre-diabetes and women with diabetes only when pregnant

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have diabetes (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 46b. Ever diagnosed with diabetes among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	9.0	(6.7 - 11.3)	38,174	9.0	(7.8 - 10.3)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	9.6	(6.0 - 13.1)	14,626	7.5	(6.1 - 8.9)
Female	411	8.4	(5.4 - 11.4)	23,548	10.4	(8.4 - 12.4)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	588	10.0	(7.3 - 12.7)	35,862	8.4	(7.5 - 9.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	739	11.4	(6.0 - 16.7)
Hispanic	*	*	*	862	10.1	(5.4 - 14.9)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	711	7.7	(2.3 - 13.0)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	205	10.9	(6.5 - 15.2)	15,709	12.6	(10.0 - 15.2)
Some College	172	8.3	(3.8 - 12.8)	9,918	8.3	(5.6 - 10.9)
≥ College Degree	284	8.1	(4.7 - 11.6)	12,464	5.9	(4.7 - 7.2)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	89	16.0	(6.9 - 25.2)	9,652	15.2	(11.1 - 19.2)
\$25,000-\$49,999	129	13.2	(6.5 - 19.9)	9,667	9.7	(7.1 - 12.2)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,777	7.6	(4.9 - 10.2)
≥ \$75,000	274	5.6	(2.8 - 8.5)	8,565	4.7	(3.6 - 5.9)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having ever been told by a doctor that respondent had diabetes, excluding pre-diabetes and women with diabetes only when pregnant

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 47a. Ever diagnosed with asthma (lifetime) among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	139,000	12.7	(8.9 - 16.5)	38,096	2,225,100	15.0	(13.2 - 16.8)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	68,700	12.9	(6.4 - 19.4)	14,601	875,800	12.4	(10.1 - 14.7)
Female	411	70,300	12.5	(8.4 - 16.7)	23,495	1,349,300	17.4	(14.6 - 20.1)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,931	825,100	18.5	(13.8 - 23.3)
35-44	96	34,400	15.7	(7.6 - 23.8)	4,972	431,700	15.1	(11.2 - 19.1)
45-54	130	10,700	4.6	(1.5 - 7.8)	7,819	365,900	12.8	(9.7 - 16.0)
55-64	138	23,800	14.1	(8.0 - 20.1)	8,756	316,700	14.8	(11.9 - 17.7)
≥ 65	239	21,100	11.4	(7.0 - 15.8)	12,618	285,700	11.2	(8.6 - 13.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	588	106,200	12.6	(9.0 - 16.1)	35,783	1,365,700	14.6	(13.0 - 16.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	737	367,000	17.2	(10.2 - 24.2)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	863	317,100	14.1	(9.0 - 19.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	205	55,600	16.6	(7.8 - 25.4)	15,675	831,600	14.9	(12.0 - 17.8)
Some College	172	47,200	15.6	(8.0 - 23.2)	9,893	587,500	16.6	(13.1 - 20.1)
≥ College Degree	284	36,300	8.0	(4.3 - 11.7)	12,444	739,000	13.2	(10.4 - 15.9)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,643	708,900	20.2	(14.9 - 25.5)
\$25,000-\$49,999	129	15,800	8.9	(3.7 - 14.2)	9,641	389,800	13.4	(10.0 - 16.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,762	257,800	13.2	(10.0 - 16.5)
≥ \$75,000	274	67,100	12.5	(7.4 - 17.6)	8,562	577,900	12.8	(10.4 - 15.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as adults having ever been told by a health professional that they had asthma

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have lifetime asthma (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 47b. Ever diagnosed with asthma (lifetime) among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	13.0	(8.8 - 17.1)	38,096	15.2	(13.3 - 17.0)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	13.2	(6.4 - 20.0)	14,601	12.6	(10.3 - 14.9)
Female	411	12.7	(8.0 - 17.5)	23,495	17.5	(14.8 - 20.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	588	12.9	(8.9 - 17.0)	35,783	14.9	(13.2 - 16.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	737	17.1	(10.1 - 24.1)
Hispanic	*	*	*	863	14.5	(9.3 - 19.7)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	205	16.8	(7.6 - 25.9)	15,675	15.1	(12.1 - 18.0)
Some College	172	16.1	(7.4 - 24.8)	9,893	16.9	(13.4 - 20.4)
≥ College Degree	284	8.2	(4.1 - 12.3)	12,444	13.3	(10.6 - 16.0)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,643	20.3	(15.0 - 25.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	129	9.1	(3.3 - 14.9)	9,641	13.7	(10.2 - 17.2)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,762	13.5	(10.0 - 17.0)
≥ \$75,000	274	13.1	(7.4 - 18.9)	8,562	13.0	(10.6 - 15.4)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as adults having ever been told by a health professional that they had asthma

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 48a. Current asthma among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	660	81,800	7.5	(4.7 - 10.3)	37,933	1,415,000	9.6	(8.1 - 11.0)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	251	33,200	6.3	(2.0 - 10.5)	14,546	440,700	6.3	(4.8 - 7.7)
Female	409	48,700	8.7	(5.1 - 12.3)	23,387	974,300	12.6	(10.2 - 15.0)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,909	467,200	10.5	(6.8 - 14.3)
35-44	95	17,900	8.3	(2.7 - 13.9)	4,947	246,800	8.7	(5.8 - 11.6)
45-54	*	*	*	*	7,787	240,000	8.4	(6.1 - 10.8)
55-64	*	*	*	*	8,726	231,100	10.8	(8.1 - 13.5)
≥ 65	238	18,200	9.9	(5.9 - 13.9)	12,564	229,900	9.1	(6.5 - 11.6)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	586	68,500	8.2	(5.2 - 11.1)	35,629	888,400	9.6	(8.2 - 11.0)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	736	246,900	11.6	(5.7 - 17.5)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	859	186,800	8.3	(4.4 - 12.2)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	709	93,000	8.3	(1.4 - 15.2)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	203	29,100	8.8	(2.9 - 14.8)	15,594	595,100	10.7	(8.2 - 13.2)
Some College	172	24,100	8.0	(2.5 - 13.4)	9,861	322,000	9.1	(7.0 - 11.3)
≥ College Degree	283	28,600	6.3	(2.8 - 9.8)	12,394	430,900	7.7	(5.8 - 9.7)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,600	489,200	14.0	(9.7 - 18.3)
\$25,000-\$49,999	128	12,300	7.0	(2.4 - 11.7)	9,590	268,400	9.3	(6.2 - 12.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,741	143,400	7.4	(5.1 - 9.6)
≥ \$75,000	273	36,800	6.9	(3.0 - 10.8)	8,541	339,200	7.6	(5.8 - 9.4)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as adults having ever been told by a health professional that they had asthma and still have asthma

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who currently have asthma (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 48b. Current asthma among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	660	7.8	(4.7 - 10.9)	37,933	9.7	(8.2 - 11.2)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	251	6.4	(2.0 - 10.9)	14,546	6.4	(4.9 - 7.9)
Female	409	9.2	(4.8 - 13.5)	23,387	12.7	(10.2 - 15.1)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	586	8.6	(5.2 - 12.0)	35,629	9.7	(8.3 - 11.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	736	11.5	(5.6 - 17.3)
Hispanic	*	*	*	859	8.6	(4.5 - 12.6)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	709	8.3	(1.3 - 15.3)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	203	8.8	(2.6 - 15.1)	15,594	10.8	(8.3 - 13.3)
Some College	172	8.5	(1.9 - 15.1)	9,861	9.4	(7.2 - 11.6)
≥ College Degree	283	6.7	(2.8 - 10.7)	12,394	7.8	(5.8 - 9.7)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,600	14.1	(9.7 - 18.4)
\$25,000-\$49,999	128	7.0	(2.1 - 12.0)	9,590	9.5	(6.3 - 12.7)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,741	7.5	(5.0 - 10.1)
≥ \$75,000	273	7.6	(2.9 - 12.2)	8,541	7.7	(5.9 - 9.5)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as adults having ever been told by a health professional that they had asthma and still have asthma

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 49a. Chronic joint symptoms among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	661	472,900	43.3	(38.0 - 48.6)	38,099	6,377,100	42.9	(40.5 - 45.3)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	230,600	43.3	(35.0 - 51.6)	14,595	3,033,600	42.8	(39.0 - 46.6)
Female	409	242,300	43.3	(36.7 - 49.9)	23,504	3,343,500	43.0	(40.0 - 46.0)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,933	1,261,300	28.3	(22.6 - 34.0)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,984	1,110,900	38.6	(33.1 - 44.0)
45-54	130	110,100	47.8	(38.0 - 57.6)	7,817	1,456,500	51.2	(46.4 - 55.9)
55-64	137	98,500	58.3	(48.8 - 67.8)	8,751	1,167,400	54.6	(50.4 - 58.8)
≥ 65	239	111,200	60.0	(53.0 - 66.9)	12,614	1,381,000	54.3	(50.5 - 58.1)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	586	384,200	45.6	(40.3 - 50.9)	35,785	4,267,600	45.8	(43.8 - 47.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	740	890,500	41.3	(32.5 - 50.0)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	860	827,500	36.7	(27.7 - 45.6)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,676	2,450,000	43.8	(39.4 - 48.1)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,900	1,598,300	45.1	(40.1 - 50.1)
≥ College Degree	283	160,800	35.5	(28.6 - 42.5)	12,440	2,313,100	41.1	(37.8 - 44.5)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,641	1,483,000	42.2	(36.3 - 48.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,647	1,332,100	45.9	(39.8 - 52.1)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,768	894,200	45.3	(39.5 - 51.1)
≥ \$75,000	274	211,400	39.4	(32.1 - 46.8)	8,549	1,874,200	41.7	(38.4 - 45.1)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as adults having symptoms of pain, aching or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days and began more than 3 months ago

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have chronic joint symptoms (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 49b. Chronic joint symptoms among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	661	41.4	(35.9 - 47.0)	38,099	42.1	(39.7 - 44.5)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	42.5	(33.9 - 51.1)	14,595	42.6	(38.8 - 46.3)
Female	409	40.4	(33.2 - 47.5)	23,504	41.6	(38.6 - 44.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	586	43.5	(37.8 - 49.2)	35,785	44.7	(42.7 - 46.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	740	40.2	(31.5 - 48.9)
Hispanic	*	*	*	860	36.6	(27.8 - 45.4)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,676	43.1	(38.8 - 47.5)
Some College	*	*	*	9,900	43.9	(39.0 - 48.8)
≥ College Degree	283	33.2	(26.2 - 40.3)	12,440	40.3	(37.0 - 43.7)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,641	41.6	(35.7 - 47.4)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,647	45.0	(39.0 - 51.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,768	44.3	(38.4 - 50.2)
≥ \$75,000	274	38.0	(30.3 - 45.6)	8,549	40.8	(37.4 - 44.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as adults having symptoms of pain, aching or stiffness in or around a joint during the past 30 days and began more than 3 months ago

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 50a. Arthritis among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	315,800	28.9	(24.6 - 33.2)	38,013	4,102,800	27.7	(25.9 - 29.6)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	139,500	26.2	(19.7 - 32.7)	14,555	1,642,700	23.3	(20.7 - 25.8)
Female	410	176,200	31.5	(26.0 - 37.0)	23,458	2,460,100	31.8	(29.2 - 34.4)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,927	312,100	7.0	(4.9 - 9.1)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,972	412,500	14.5	(11.3 - 17.6)
45-54	130	78,200	33.9	(24.3 - 43.5)	7,789	869,100	30.7	(26.6 - 34.8)
55-64	138	88,100	52.0	(42.5 - 61.5)	8,729	999,300	47.0	(42.9 - 51.1)
≥ 65	239	105,300	56.8	(49.8 - 63.8)	12,596	1,509,800	59.6	(55.8 - 63.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	588	283,700	33.6	(28.9 - 38.2)	35,710	2,967,700	31.9	(30.3 - 33.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	737	588,100	27.3	(20.2 - 34.4)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	856	380,700	17.1	(11.8 - 22.5)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	710	166,300	14.8	(7.8 - 21.8)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	205	112,400	33.6	(24.8 - 42.4)	15,652	1,742,700	31.3	(27.8 - 34.8)
Some College	171	90,000	29.9	(21.4 - 38.5)	9,874	902,000	25.5	(22.3 - 28.6)
≥ College Degree	284	112,400	24.8	(19.2 - 30.4)	12,407	1,437,800	25.6	(22.9 - 28.4)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,618	1,112,500	32.0	(27.1 - 36.9)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,624	821,900	28.4	(24.2 - 32.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,753	542,500	27.5	(23.2 - 31.9)
≥ \$75,000	274	109,900	20.5	(15.1 - 25.9)	8,536	1,012,800	22.6	(19.8 - 25.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as adults having ever been told by a health professional that they have some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus or fibromyalgia (excluding back or neck)

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have ever been told by a health professional they have some form of arthritis (excluding back or neck) (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 50b. Arthritis among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	26.3	(22.2 - 30.5)	38,013	26.6	(24.8 - 28.5)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	25.0	(18.6 - 31.4)	14,555	23.5	(20.9 - 26.1)
Female	410	27.6	(22.2 - 33.0)	23,458	29.5	(27.0 - 32.1)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	588	30.8	(26.1 - 35.4)	35,710	30.4	(28.7 - 32.0)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	737	26.5	(19.3 - 33.6)
Hispanic	*	*	*	856	17.2	(11.8 - 22.6)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	710	14.9	(7.7 - 22.0)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	205	31.1	(22.3 - 39.9)	15,652	30.4	(26.9 - 33.8)
Some College	171	27.0	(18.6 - 35.5)	9,874	24.1	(21.0 - 27.1)
≥ College Degree	284	22.5	(17.1 - 27.9)	12,407	24.7	(21.9 - 27.5)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,618	31.2	(26.3 - 36.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,624	27.3	(23.2 - 31.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,753	26.3	(21.9 - 30.7)
≥ \$75,000	274	18.5	(13.4 - 23.5)	8,536	21.6	(18.8 - 24.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as adults having ever been told by a health professional that they have some form of arthritis, rheumatoid arthritis, gout, lupus or fibromyalgia (excluding back or neck)

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 51a. Activity limitations because of physical, mental or emotional problems among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	250,100	22.9	(18.6 - 27.2)	37,998	3,053,000	20.6	(18.7 - 22.5)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	119,400	22.4	(16.3 - 28.5)	14,566	1,318,400	18.6	(15.7 - 21.5)
Female	410	130,700	23.4	(17.3 - 29.4)	23,432	1,734,600	22.4	(19.8 - 25.0)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,929	580,000	13.0	(8.2 - 17.9)
35-44	96	33,600	15.3	(6.9 - 23.8)	4,973	418,600	14.5	(11.0 - 18.1)
45-54	130	55,400	24.0	(15.2 - 32.9)	7,812	620,200	21.7	(18.3 - 25.2)
55-64	137	55,300	33.0	(24.3 - 41.7)	8,739	651,600	30.5	(26.5 - 34.6)
≥ 65	239	79,600	42.9	(35.8 - 50.0)	12,545	782,700	31.1	(27.7 - 34.6)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	587	208,700	24.7	(20.5 - 29.0)	35,688	2,037,200	21.9	(20.3 - 23.5)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	735	429,700	20.1	(13.5 - 26.7)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	863	448,200	19.8	(11.9 - 27.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	712	137,900	12.3	(5.2 - 19.3)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	204	92,500	27.8	(19.7 - 35.9)	15,626	1,359,600	24.4	(20.6 - 28.1)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,875	700,800	19.8	(16.5 - 23.2)
≥ College Degree	284	75,100	16.6	(11.6 - 21.5)	12,415	924,800	16.5	(14.2 - 18.7)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,603	1,055,800	30.1	(24.7 - 35.5)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,628	630,900	21.8	(16.6 - 27.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,760	408,100	20.7	(16.1 - 25.2)
≥ \$75,000	274	86,500	16.1	(11.1 - 21.1)	8,544	583,300	13.0	(11.1 - 14.9)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as activity limitations because of physical, mental or emotional problems

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who are limited in any activities because of physical, mental or emotional problems (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 51b. Activity limitations because of physical, mental or emotional problems among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	21.6	(17.1 - 26.2)	37,998	20.1	(18.2 - 22.0)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	21.8	(15.7 - 28.0)	14,566	18.6	(15.8 - 21.4)
Female	410	21.5	(14.8 - 28.1)	23,432	21.5	(18.9 - 24.1)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	587	23.1	(18.8 - 27.4)	35,688	21.3	(19.7 - 22.9)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	735	19.9	(13.2 - 26.5)
Hispanic	*	*	*	863	19.1	(11.5 - 26.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	712	12.4	(5.3 - 19.6)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	204	26.2	(18.0 - 34.4)	15,626	23.8	(20.1 - 27.4)
Some College	*	*	*	9,875	19.3	(16.0 - 22.6)
≥ College Degree	284	15.4	(10.5 - 20.3)	12,415	16.1	(13.9 - 18.3)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,603	29.7	(24.3 - 35.2)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,628	21.2	(16.1 - 26.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,760	20.1	(15.6 - 24.6)
≥ \$75,000	274	14.6	(9.9 - 19.3)	8,544	12.7	(10.8 - 14.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as activity limitations because of physical, mental or emotional problems

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 52a. Have health problem that requires the use of special equipment among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	71,400	6.5	(4.5 - 8.6)	38,171	1,169,400	7.9	(6.9 - 8.9)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	35,000	6.6	(3.5 - 9.7)	14,617	460,700	6.5	(5.3 - 7.7)
Female	411	36,300	6.5	(3.7 - 9.2)	23,554	708,700	9.1	(7.6 - 10.7)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,940	68,800	1.5	(0.7 - 2.4)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,989	122,500	4.3	(2.4 - 6.1)
45-54	*	*	*	*	7,836	182,500	6.4	(4.7 - 8.1)
55-64	138	12,500	7.4	(2.6 - 12.2)	8,773	219,600	10.3	(7.8 - 12.8)
≥ 65	239	34,400	18.5	(12.9 - 24.2)	12,633	576,100	22.7	(19.0 - 26.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	588	57,300	6.8	(4.6 - 8.9)	35,853	802,000	8.6	(7.6 - 9.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	739	235,800	10.9	(6.4 - 15.5)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	864	104,100	4.6	(2.1 - 7.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	715	27,600	2.5	(0.8 - 4.1)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	205	32,600	9.8	(5.3 - 14.2)	15,711	604,200	10.8	(8.7 - 12.8)
Some College	172	21,500	7.1	(2.5 - 11.8)	9,914	260,000	7.3	(5.5 - 9.1)
≥ College Degree	284	17,200	3.8	(1.7 - 5.9)	12,463	298,900	5.3	(4.1 - 6.5)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	89	16,300	13.2	(5.1 - 21.3)	9,656	430,500	12.2	(9.6 - 14.8)
\$25,000-\$49,999	129	12,800	7.2	(2.1 - 12.3)	9,663	238,900	8.2	(5.9 - 10.5)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,775	103,000	5.2	(3.6 - 6.8)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	8,566	136,000	3.0	(2.1 - 4.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having any health problem that requires the use of special equipment such as a cane, a wheelchair, a special bed, or a special telephone

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have any health problem that requires the use of special equipment (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 52b. Have health problem that requires the use of special equipment among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	6.0	(4.0 - 8.0)	38,171	7.6	(6.6 - 8.6)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	6.2	(3.2 - 9.2)	14,617	6.8	(5.5 - 8.0)
Female	411	5.8	(3.2 - 8.4)	23,554	8.4	(6.9 - 9.9)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	588	6.3	(4.2 - 8.3)	35,853	8.3	(7.3 - 9.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	739	10.5	(6.1 - 15.0)
Hispanic	*	*	*	864	4.5	(2.1 - 6.9)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	715	2.2	(0.7 - 3.8)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	205	8.9	(4.7 - 13.2)	15,711	10.3	(8.3 - 12.3)
Some College	172	6.7	(2.1 - 11.2)	9,914	7.1	(5.2 - 8.9)
≥ College Degree	284	3.5	(1.5 - 5.6)	12,463	5.3	(4.1 - 6.6)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	89	11.6	(4.1 - 19.0)	9,656	11.9	(9.4 - 14.5)
\$25,000-\$49,999	129	6.5	(1.9 - 11.2)	9,663	7.7	(5.5 - 10.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,775	5.1	(3.4 - 6.8)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	8,566	2.9	(2.0 - 3.9)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having any health problem that requires the use of special equipment such as a cane, a wheelchair, a special bed, or a special telephone

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 53a. Disability among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	264,600	24.2	(19.9 - 28.6)	38,016	3,394,200	22.9	(20.9 - 24.9)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	128,100	24.0	(17.8 - 30.3)	14,568	1,469,700	20.7	(17.8 - 23.7)
Female	410	136,500	24.4	(18.3 - 30.5)	23,448	1,924,600	24.8	(22.1 - 27.5)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,931	590,300	13.3	(8.4 - 18.1)
35-44	96	33,600	15.3	(6.9 - 23.8)	4,974	447,900	15.6	(11.9 - 19.3)
45-54	130	58,200	25.2	(16.3 - 34.2)	7,811	643,900	22.6	(19.1 - 26.0)
55-64	137	57,300	34.2	(25.4 - 43.0)	8,740	702,100	33.0	(28.9 - 37.0)
≥ 65	239	89,200	48.1	(41.0 - 55.2)	12,560	1,010,000	39.9	(36.1 - 43.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	587	220,800	26.2	(21.9 - 30.5)	35,703	2,253,400	24.2	(22.6 - 25.9)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	736	511,700	23.8	(16.8 - 30.8)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	864	484,300	21.4	(13.4 - 29.5)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	713	144,800	12.9	(5.8 - 19.9)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	204	97,500	29.3	(21.1 - 37.6)	15,638	1,544,200	27.6	(23.7 - 31.4)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,876	755,200	21.4	(17.9 - 24.8)
≥ College Degree	284	82,500	18.2	(13.1 - 23.3)	12,419	1,021,300	18.2	(15.9 - 20.5)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,613	1,179,100	33.6	(28.0 - 39.2)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,629	699,000	24.2	(18.9 - 29.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,757	430,100	21.8	(17.2 - 26.4)
≥ \$75,000	274	90,600	16.9	(11.8 - 21.9)	8,546	632,700	14.1	(12.1 - 16.1)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having activity limitations due to physical, mental or emotional problems or have health problems that require the use of special equipment

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults with a disability (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 53b. Disability among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	22.9	(18.3 - 27.5)	38,016	22.3	(20.4 - 24.3)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	23.5	(17.1 - 29.8)	14,568	20.9	(18.0 - 23.8)
Female	410	22.4	(15.7 - 29.1)	23,448	23.6	(21.0 - 26.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	587	24.5	(20.1 - 28.9)	35,703	23.6	(21.9 - 25.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	736	23.5	(16.5 - 30.5)
Hispanic	*	*	*	864	20.6	(12.9 - 28.3)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	713	12.9	(5.8 - 20.1)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	204	27.7	(19.3 - 36.1)	15,638	26.8	(23.0 - 30.6)
Some College	*	*	*	9,876	20.9	(17.4 - 24.3)
≥ College Degree	284	16.9	(11.9 - 21.9)	12,419	17.9	(15.5 - 20.3)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,613	33.2	(27.6 - 38.8)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,629	23.5	(18.3 - 28.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,757	21.2	(16.6 - 25.8)
≥ \$75,000	274	15.3	(10.5 - 20.1)	8,546	13.8	(11.7 - 15.8)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having activity limitations due to physical, mental or emotional problems or have health problems that require the use of special equipment

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 54a. Current smoking among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	660	191,400	17.5	(12.9 - 22.1)	38,029	2,483,500	16.8	(15.1 - 18.6)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	100,300	18.8	(11.1 - 26.5)	14,559	1,356,400	19.3	(16.3 - 22.2)
Female	408	91,100	16.3	(11.1 - 21.5)	23,470	1,127,100	14.6	(12.7 - 16.6)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,929	993,500	22.3	(17.5 - 27.1)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,977	421,100	14.8	(11.6 - 17.9)
45-54	129	52,900	23.0	(14.9 - 31.1)	7,807	508,800	18.3	(15.4 - 21.3)
55-64	137	22,200	13.1	(6.5 - 19.7)	8,744	314,500	14.7	(12.1 - 17.3)
≥ 65	238	10,300	5.6	(2.6 - 8.5)	12,572	245,600	9.7	(7.2 - 12.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	585	148,600	17.6	(12.8 - 22.4)	35,729	1,615,500	17.3	(15.9 - 18.8)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	735	284,100	13.6	(8.9 - 18.2)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	858	350,900	15.8	(9.6 - 21.9)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,654	1,237,300	22.4	(19.1 - 25.6)
Some College	170	56,400	18.7	(11.0 - 26.4)	9,875	670,600	19.1	(15.5 - 22.8)
≥ College Degree	284	43,900	9.7	(4.9 - 14.4)	12,421	563,300	10.0	(7.5 - 12.5)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,626	835,100	24.1	(19.1 - 29.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,629	558,100	19.4	(15.6 - 23.2)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,756	338,100	17.3	(13.0 - 21.7)
≥ \$75,000	274	75,400	14.1	(8.7 - 19.4)	8,549	468,700	10.4	(8.6 - 12.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having smoked at least 100 cigarettes in lifetime and currently smoking every day or some days

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adult current smokers (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 54b. Current smoking among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	660	17.7	(12.7 - 22.7)	38,029	17.0	(15.3 - 18.8)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	18.6	(10.5 - 26.8)	14,559	19.2	(16.3 - 22.1)
Female	408	16.7	(10.9 - 22.6)	23,470	15.0	(13.0 - 17.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	585	17.8	(12.5 - 23.2)	35,729	17.7	(16.2 - 19.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	735	13.5	(8.8 - 18.2)
Hispanic	*	*	*	858	15.9	(9.8 - 22.0)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,654	22.8	(19.5 - 26.0)
Some College	170	19.2	(10.6 - 27.8)	9,875	19.4	(15.8 - 22.9)
≥ College Degree	284	9.8	(4.8 - 14.9)	12,421	10.0	(7.6 - 12.5)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,626	24.1	(19.2 - 29.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,629	19.9	(16.0 - 23.7)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,756	17.8	(13.3 - 22.3)
≥ \$75,000	274	14.5	(8.6 - 20.3)	8,549	10.6	(8.6 - 12.5)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having smoked at least 100 cigarettes in lifetime and currently smoking every day or some days

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 55a. Everyday smoking among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	660	139,700	12.8	(8.4 - 17.1)	38,029	1,626,800	11.0	(9.8 - 12.2)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	74,900	14.1	(6.6 - 21.5)	14,559	848,400	12.0	(10.0 - 14.1)
Female	408	64,900	11.6	(6.9 - 16.2)	23,470	778,400	10.1	(8.7 - 11.5)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,929	559,800	12.6	(9.6 - 15.6)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,977	315,200	11.0	(8.4 - 13.7)
45-54	129	36,500	15.9	(9.0 - 22.7)	7,807	377,000	13.6	(11.1 - 16.0)
55-64	137	10,400	6.2	(2.1 - 10.3)	8,744	203,000	9.5	(7.5 - 11.5)
≥ 65	238	7,200	3.9	(1.3 - 6.4)	12,572	171,700	6.8	(4.8 - 8.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	585	108,800	12.9	(8.3 - 17.5)	35,729	1,158,100	12.4	(11.2 - 13.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	735	197,700	9.4	(5.6 - 13.3)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	858	176,200	7.9	(4.2 - 11.6)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	707	94,900	8.5	(3.3 - 13.7)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,654	881,900	15.9	(13.4 - 18.5)
Some College	170	34,600	11.5	(5.0 - 18.0)	9,875	410,200	11.7	(9.6 - 13.8)
≥ College Degree	284	31,900	7.0	(2.8 - 11.2)	12,421	323,500	5.8	(4.3 - 7.2)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,626	452,800	13.1	(10.3 - 15.8)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,629	425,900	14.8	(11.9 - 17.7)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,756	222,700	11.4	(8.5 - 14.4)
≥ \$75,000	274	52,300	9.8	(5.0 - 14.5)	8,549	320,200	7.1	(5.5 - 8.8)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having smoked at least 100 cigarettes in lifetime and currently smoking every day

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have smoked at least 100 cigarettes in lifetime and currently smoking everyday (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 55b. Everyday smoking among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	660	13.2	(8.4 - 18.0)	38,029	11.3	(10.0 - 12.5)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	14.3	(6.2 - 22.3)	14,559	12.1	(10.1 - 14.1)
Female	408	12.2	(6.9 - 17.4)	23,470	10.5	(9.0 - 12.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	585	13.3	(8.1 - 18.5)	35,729	12.8	(11.5 - 14.1)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	735	9.4	(5.5 - 13.4)
Hispanic	*	*	*	858	8.0	(4.3 - 11.7)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	707	8.5	(3.2 - 13.8)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,654	16.4	(13.8 - 19.0)
Some College	170	12.3	(4.6 - 20.0)	9,875	12.1	(9.9 - 14.3)
≥ College Degree	284	7.2	(2.7 - 11.7)	12,421	5.8	(4.3 - 7.3)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,626	13.4	(10.6 - 16.2)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,629	15.3	(12.3 - 18.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,756	11.7	(8.7 - 14.8)
≥ \$75,000	274	10.1	(4.8 - 15.4)	8,549	7.2	(5.5 - 8.9)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having smoked at least 100 cigarettes in lifetime and currently smoking every day

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 56a. Adults living in homes in which smoking is prohibited<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	892,700	81.8	(77.0 - 86.7)	38,045	11,997,100	80.8	(79.0 - 82.6)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	409,200	76.8	(68.4 - 85.2)	14,577	5,634,400	79.4	(76.6 - 82.2)
Female	410	483,500	86.6	(81.9 - 91.3)	23,468	6,362,800	82.1	(79.9 - 84.3)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,934	3,655,200	82.1	(77.8 - 86.4)
35-44	96	200,000	91.2	(83.1 - 99.3)	4,985	2,479,700	86.1	(82.5 - 89.7)
45-54	129	193,100	85.1	(78.0 - 92.1)	7,808	2,194,400	77.2	(73.5 - 80.8)
55-64	138	139,700	82.4	(75.1 - 89.7)	8,753	1,732,500	81.0	(78.3 - 83.7)
≥ 65	239	154,200	83.1	(78.0 - 88.3)	12,565	1,935,400	76.5	(73.4 - 79.5)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	588	720,500	85.2	(81.4 - 89.1)	35,737	7,426,900	79.8	(78.3 - 81.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	738	1,692,100	78.6	(71.9 - 85.3)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	863	2,003,900	88.7	(84.1 - 93.3)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	205	248,500	74.3	(64.3 - 84.3)	15,647	4,307,200	77.1	(74.0 - 80.2)
Some College	172	236,900	78.3	(69.3 - 87.3)	9,883	2,795,400	78.9	(75.0 - 82.8)
≥ College Degree	283	403,300	89.6	(82.9 - 96.3)	12,437	4,817,300	85.7	(83.3 - 88.2)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	89	104,800	84.8	(76.2 - 93.5)	9,608	2,627,700	74.9	(70.0 - 79.7)
\$25,000-\$49,999	129	148,900	84.3	(74.5 - 94.0)	9,640	2,314,500	79.8	(76.0 - 83.5)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,766	1,551,300	78.7	(74.0 - 83.4)
≥ \$75,000	273	424,400	79.7	(71.9 - 87.4)	8,556	3,883,200	86.5	(84.3 - 88.7)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having a rule that prohibits smoking anywhere inside the home

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who live in a home with a rule that prohibits smoking anywhere inside the home (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 56b. Adults living in homes in which smoking is prohibited<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	662	81.9	(76.7 - 87.0)	38,045	80.9	(79.2 - 82.7)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	77.0	(68.4 - 85.6)	14,577	79.4	(76.7 - 82.2)
Female	410	86.5	(81.1 - 91.9)	23,468	82.3	(80.0 - 84.5)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	588	85.4	(81.1 - 89.7)	35,737	79.9	(78.4 - 81.4)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	738	78.6	(71.8 - 85.4)
Hispanic	*	*	*	863	88.9	(84.4 - 93.4)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,647	76.9	(73.8 - 80.0)
Some College	*	*	*	9,883	79.1	(75.2 - 83.0)
≥ College Degree	283	89.7	(82.9 - 96.6)	12,437	86.0	(83.5 - 88.5)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	89	85.7	(76.9 - 94.5)	9,608	74.9	(70.1 - 79.7)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,640	79.8	(76.1 - 83.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,766	78.6	(73.8 - 83.3)
≥ \$75,000	273	79.5	(71.3 - 87.6)	8,556	86.6	(84.3 - 88.9)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having a rule that prohibits smoking anywhere inside the home

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 57a. Binge drinking within the past month among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	653	213,400	19.8	(15.2 - 24.4)	37,745	2,602,000	17.7	(15.7 - 19.8)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	248	125,700	24.0	(16.3 - 31.7)	14,420	1,712,400	24.5	(20.9 - 28.1)
Female	405	87,700	15.8	(10.7 - 20.9)	23,325	889,600	11.6	(9.5 - 13.7)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,895	1,254,300	28.5	(22.8 - 34.2)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,934	584,800	20.6	(16.5 - 24.7)
45-54	126	43,900	19.5	(11.5 - 27.6)	7,738	467,600	16.6	(13.3 - 19.9)
55-64	138	18,500	10.9	(4.8 - 17.0)	8,663	207,200	9.8	(7.9 - 11.8)
≥ 65	*	*	*	*	12,515	88,100	3.5	(2.5 - 4.5)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	578	157,700	19.0	(14.4 - 23.6)	35,453	1,761,900	19.2	(17.5 - 20.8)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	728	247,000	11.6	(6.3 - 17.0)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	854	460,600	20.5	(11.3 - 29.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	710	132,500	12.1	(3.4 - 20.7)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,491	945,800	17.4	(13.2 - 21.6)
Some College	168	60,700	20.5	(12.2 - 28.9)	9,819	636,600	18.1	(14.6 - 21.5)
≥ College Degree	280	78,700	17.7	(11.8 - 23.5)	12,358	1,018,700	18.2	(15.3 - 21.1)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,557	469,100	13.5	(8.5 - 18.5)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,575	534,300	18.5	(13.0 - 24.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,726	378,200	19.2	(14.1 - 24.3)
≥ \$75,000	269	131,500	25.1	(18.2 - 32.0)	8,501	1,011,400	22.6	(19.7 - 25.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as men having 5 or more drinks or women having 4 or more drinks on 1 or more occasion within the past month

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adult binge drinkers within the past month (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 57b. Binge drinking within the past month among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	653	20.7	(15.7 - 25.6)	37,745	18.1	(16.1 - 20.2)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	248	24.7	(16.6 - 32.9)	14,420	24.5	(21.0 - 27.9)
Female	405	16.8	(11.0 - 22.6)	23,325	12.4	(10.2 - 14.5)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	578	19.9	(14.8 - 24.9)	35,453	19.8	(18.1 - 21.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	728	11.8	(6.4 - 17.1)
Hispanic	*	*	*	854	20.2	(11.3 - 29.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	710	12.1	(3.4 - 20.8)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,491	17.5	(13.5 - 21.5)
Some College	168	21.3	(12.1 - 30.5)	9,819	18.6	(15.1 - 22.0)
≥ College Degree	280	18.3	(11.9 - 24.7)	12,358	18.8	(15.9 - 21.7)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,557	13.4	(8.6 - 18.2)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,575	18.9	(13.5 - 24.2)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,726	19.9	(14.8 - 25.1)
≥ \$75,000	269	25.7	(18.4 - 33.1)	8,501	23.2	(20.2 - 26.1)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as men having 5 or more drinks or women having 4 or more drinks on 1 or more occasion within the past month

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 58a. Heavy drinking within the past month among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	644	79,400	7.5	(4.1 - 10.8)	37,553	718,700	4.9	(4.2 - 5.6)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	242	52,200	10.1	(4.1 - 16.2)	14,330	333,300	4.8	(3.9 - 5.7)
Female	402	27,200	5.0	(2.0 - 8.0)	23,223	385,400	5.0	(4.0 - 6.1)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,866	224,900	5.1	(3.5 - 6.8)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,924	137,200	4.8	(3.0 - 6.7)
45-54	*	*	*	*	7,715	144,600	5.2	(4.1 - 6.2)
55-64	*	*	*	*	8,624	117,400	5.6	(3.9 - 7.3)
≥ 65	233	9,300	5.1	(1.8 - 8.4)	12,424	94,600	3.8	(2.7 - 4.9)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	571	54,300	6.6	(3.7 - 9.5)	35,279	572,400	6.3	(5.4 - 7.1)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	723	58,100	2.8	(0.6 - 4.9)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	848	60,900	2.7	(0.5 - 4.9)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	703	27,200	2.5	(0.8 - 4.2)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	200	40,400	12.3	(3.6 - 21.0)	15,411	228,100	4.2	(3.2 - 5.2)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,759	163,700	4.7	(3.6 - 5.8)
≥ College Degree	278	22,400	5.0	(2.0 - 8.1)	12,306	326,800	5.9	(4.5 - 7.3)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,512	104,200	3.0	(1.8 - 4.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,537	158,700	5.5	(3.9 - 7.2)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,708	95,400	4.9	(3.1 - 6.7)
≥ \$75,000	267	50,600	9.7	(4.4 - 15.0)	8,481	313,900	7.0	(5.4 - 8.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as adult men averaging more than 2 alcoholic drinks per day and adult women averaging more than 1 alcoholic drink per day within the past month

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adult heavy drinkers within the past month (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 58b. Heavy drinking within the past month among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	644	7.8	(4.1 - 11.5)	37,553	5.0	(4.3 - 5.8)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	242	10.9	(4.3 - 17.4)	14,330	4.9	(3.9 - 5.9)
Female	402	4.9	(1.4 - 8.5)	23,223	5.1	(4.0 - 6.2)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	571	6.8	(3.5 - 10.2)	35,279	6.4	(5.5 - 7.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	723	2.9	(0.6 - 5.1)
Hispanic	*	*	*	848	2.8	(0.5 - 5.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	703	2.5	(0.8 - 4.2)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	200	13.1	(3.8 - 22.5)	15,411	4.3	(3.2 - 5.3)
Some College	*	*	*	9,759	4.8	(3.6 - 5.9)
≥ College Degree	278	4.9	(1.7 - 8.2)	12,306	6.0	(4.5 - 7.4)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,512	3.0	(1.9 - 4.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,537	5.8	(4.0 - 7.5)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,708	5.0	(3.1 - 7.0)
≥ \$75,000	267	10.3	(4.4 - 16.1)	8,481	7.0	(5.4 - 8.7)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as adult men averaging more than 2 alcoholic drinks per day and adult women averaging more than 1 alcoholic drink per day within the past month

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 59a. Never or rarely been asked about sexual history during routine check-up among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	623	721,100	70.4	(64.7 - 76.1)	35,193	8,480,600	61.9	(59.2 - 64.5)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	236	382,200	76.5	(67.3 - 85.7)	13,299	4,357,400	67.7	(63.6 - 71.7)
Female	387	339,000	64.6	(57.6 - 71.7)	21,894	4,123,300	56.8	(53.3 - 60.2)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,507	1,804,600	44.3	(37.8 - 50.8)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,531	1,635,300	62.2	(56.6 - 67.8)
45-54	120	168,700	77.1	(68.7 - 85.6)	7,215	1,715,600	65.4	(60.5 - 70.3)
55-64	133	130,200	80.3	(73.2 - 87.4)	8,168	1,416,200	70.7	(66.6 - 74.8)
≥ 65	227	150,000	86.2	(81.0 - 91.3)	11,772	1,908,900	80.3	(76.9 - 83.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	551	573,400	73.6	(67.9 - 79.4)	33,090	5,940,300	68.5	(66.3 - 70.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	683	831,800	40.8	(31.8 - 49.9)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	784	1,071,700	53.4	(43.6 - 63.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	14,264	3,001,200	60.1	(55.4 - 64.9)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,156	1,972,800	60.3	(54.9 - 65.7)
≥ College Degree	269	301,200	69.8	(61.3 - 78.4)	11,706	3,476,000	65.0	(61.2 - 68.7)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	8,772	1,529,400	49.3	(42.6 - 56.0)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	8,932	1,705,000	64.4	(58.0 - 70.7)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,433	1,217,000	64.5	(58.5 - 70.5)
≥ \$75,000	256	338,600	67.9	(59.6 - 76.2)	8,108	2,934,300	68.2	(64.7 - 71.7)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as respondents who never or rarely (hardly ever) were asked about their sexual history, such as about sexual partners and sexual practices, during a routine check-up at a doctor's office or clinic

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who were never or rarely asked about their sexual history during a routine check-up at a doctor's office or clinic (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 59b. Never or rarely been asked about sexual history during routine check-up among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	623	68.7	(62.5 - 75.0)	35,193	61.4	(58.7 - 64.0)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	236	74.8	(64.9 - 84.6)	13,299	67.9	(64.0 - 71.9)
Female	387	63.0	(55.0 - 71.0)	21,894	55.5	(52.0 - 59.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	551	71.8	(65.2 - 78.3)	33,090	67.8	(65.6 - 70.1)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	683	41.1	(32.0 - 50.2)
Hispanic	*	*	*	784	53.0	(43.3 - 62.6)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	14,264	59.5	(54.7 - 64.3)
Some College	*	*	*	9,156	59.7	(54.4 - 65.0)
≥ College Degree	269	67.9	(58.6 - 77.1)	11,706	64.5	(60.8 - 68.2)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	8,772	48.7	(42.0 - 55.4)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	8,932	63.7	(57.5 - 70.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,433	64.2	(58.2 - 70.2)
≥ \$75,000	256	66.4	(57.6 - 75.2)	8,108	67.5	(64.0 - 71.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as respondents who never or rarely (hardly ever) were asked about their sexual history, such as about sexual partners and sexual practices, during a routine check-up at a doctor's office or clinic

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 60a. Believed hardly any or a few people their age in their community have had a sexually transmitted disease among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	381	582,300	81.5	(75.4 - 87.6)	22,788	7,011,100	77.9	(75.2 - 80.5)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	142	308,900	86.2	(77.1 - 95.2)	9,034	3,618,500	81.0	(77.2 - 84.8)
Female	239	273,400	76.8	(68.9 - 84.8)	13,754	3,392,600	74.8	(71.2 - 78.4)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,213	2,362,500	70.8	(65.1 - 76.6)
35-44	63	133,400	87.9	(80.5 - 95.4)	3,513	1,313,400	71.7	(65.6 - 77.7)
45-54	87	123,700	80.1	(70.7 - 89.4)	4,975	1,290,600	80.3	(75.9 - 84.8)
55-64	64	74,700	92.5	(85.3 - 99.8)	4,955	932,200	87.2	(84.1 - 90.3)
≥ 65	116	84,300	95.5	(91.1 - 100)	6,132	1,112,400	95.9	(94.4 - 97.5)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	337	468,700	84.6	(79.1 - 90.2)	21,540	4,875,200	78.3	(75.6 - 80.9)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	491	1,002,400	84.8	(77.8 - 91.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	104	181,700	88.5	(80.8 - 96.3)	8,879	2,581,700	82.1	(77.9 - 86.3)
Some College	*	*	*	*	5,953	1,599,500	77.5	(72.6 - 82.3)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	*	7,928	2,824,800	75.6	(71.8 - 79.5)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	5,491	1,602,900	78.7	(71.9 - 85.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	5,912	1,335,900	78.8	(73.8 - 83.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	52	93,600	89.4	(80.4 - 98.5)	3,717	987,500	76.6	(70.4 - 82.8)
≥ \$75,000	181	308,300	79.2	(70.2 - 88.2)	5,771	2,321,600	77.6	(74.0 - 81.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as respondent estimating there were hardly any (0-1 out of 10) or a few (2-3 out of 10) persons their age in their community who have had a sexually transmitted disease such as gonorrhea, chlamydia, herpes or syphilis

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who believed hardly any or a few people their age in their community have had a sexually transmitted disease (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 60b. Believed hardly any or a few people their age in their community have had a sexually transmitted disease among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	381	80.5	(74.0 - 87.1)	22,788	77.3	(74.7 - 79.9)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	142	86.5	(77.4 - 95.6)	9,034	81.1	(77.4 - 84.8)
Female	239	74.6	(65.5 - 83.8)	13,754	73.6	(70.0 - 77.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	337	83.3	(76.8 - 89.7)	21,540	77.5	(74.9 - 80.1)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	491	84.6	(77.6 - 91.5)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	104	88.2	(79.9 - 96.5)	8,879	81.6	(77.4 - 85.7)
Some College	*	*	*	5,953	76.8	(72.0 - 81.6)
≥ College Degree	*	*	*	7,928	75.1	(71.3 - 79.0)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	5,491	77.9	(71.0 - 84.7)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	5,912	77.9	(72.8 - 83.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	52	90.9	(83.1 - 98.8)	3,717	76.1	(70.0 - 82.3)
≥ \$75,000	181	77.8	(68.3 - 87.3)	5,771	77.0	(73.4 - 80.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as respondent estimating there were hardly any (0-1 out of 10) or a few (2-3 out of 10) persons their age in their community who have had a sexually transmitted disease such as gonorrhea, chlamydia, herpes or syphilis

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 61a. Believed it was at least somewhat acceptable to see and hear discussions about sexually transmitted disease risks in public forums in their community among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	629	979,100	93.1	(90.5 - 95.7)	36,287	12,738,300	89.7	(88.2 - 91.3)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	238	474,600	92.7	(89.0 - 96.4)	13,893	6,104,600	89.4	(87.2 - 91.5)
Female	391	504,500	93.5	(89.9 - 97.1)	22,394	6,633,700	90.1	(87.9 - 92.2)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	59	268,700	94.8	(87.7 - 100)	3,850	4,007,400	91.3	(87.5 - 95.1)
35-44	92	204,200	96.9	(93.8 - 100)	4,875	2,578,600	93.2	(90.4 - 96.0)
45-54	124	214,700	95.6	(91.6 - 99.6)	7,607	2,416,800	90.5	(87.9 - 93.2)
55-64	134	151,200	91.6	(85.6 - 97.5)	8,411	1,876,500	92.2	(90.0 - 94.5)
≥ 65	220	140,200	83.7	(77.9 - 89.4)	11,544	1,858,900	79.7	(76.6 - 82.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	562	751,800	92.4	(89.8 - 95.1)	34,102	8,050,700	89.4	(87.7 - 91.0)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	702	1,822,200	91.9	(88.2 - 95.6)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	820	1,967,200	89.9	(85.2 - 94.7)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	663	898,200	88.6	(79.5 - 97.6)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	193	279,800	87.2	(80.1 - 94.3)	14,507	4,385,300	84.6	(81.9 - 87.2)
Some College	163	273,100	95.3	(92.1 - 98.6)	9,571	3,094,300	90.0	(86.7 - 93.4)
≥ College Degree	271	423,000	96.1	(93.8 - 98.3)	12,142	5,228,800	95.4	(94.0 - 96.7)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,021	2,833,500	86.5	(82.6 - 90.3)
\$25,000-\$49,999	123	162,000	94.5	(90.2 - 98.9)	9,261	2,529,900	89.5	(86.5 - 92.5)
\$50,000-\$74,999	84	133,700	91.7	(85.6 - 97.9)	5,644	1,740,000	91.2	(87.4 - 95.1)
≥ \$75,000	269	506,700	96.6	(94.6 - 98.7)	8,397	4,184,300	94.4	(92.5 - 96.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as believing it was at least somewhat acceptable to see and hear discussions about sexually transmitted disease risks in public forums in their community

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who believed it is at least somewhat acceptable to see and hear discussions about sexually transmitted disease risks in public forums in their community (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 61b. Believed it was at least somewhat acceptable to see and hear discussions about sexually transmitted disease risks in public forums in their community among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	629	93.2	(90.4 - 95.9)	36,287	89.8	(88.3 - 91.4)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	238	92.6	(88.7 - 96.5)	13,893	89.1	(86.9 - 91.3)
Female	391	93.7	(89.7 - 97.6)	22,394	90.5	(88.3 - 92.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	562	92.7	(90.0 - 95.4)	34,102	89.5	(87.8 - 91.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	702	91.7	(87.8 - 95.6)
Hispanic	*	*	*	820	89.6	(84.7 - 94.5)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	663	89.0	(80.5 - 97.6)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	193	86.8	(78.9 - 94.7)	14,507	84.6	(81.8 - 87.4)
Some College	163	95.7	(92.8 - 98.7)	9,571	90.2	(86.9 - 93.5)
≥ College Degree	271	96.2	(94.0 - 98.4)	12,142	95.4	(94.0 - 96.7)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,021	86.5	(82.6 - 90.4)
\$25,000-\$49,999	123	94.7	(90.5 - 98.9)	9,261	89.6	(86.5 - 92.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	84	92.1	(86.3 - 97.9)	5,644	91.1	(86.9 - 95.3)
≥ \$75,000	269	96.8	(94.8 - 98.8)	8,397	94.5	(92.6 - 96.4)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as believing it was at least somewhat acceptable to see and hear discussions about sexually transmitted disease risks in public forums in their community

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 62a. Overweight among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	644	420,000	39.3	(33.9 - 44.7)	36,710	5,213,000	36.4	(34.0 - 38.8)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	250	238,400	44.9	(36.5 - 53.3)	14,502	3,073,200	43.7	(39.9 - 47.6)
Female	394	181,500	33.8	(26.9 - 40.6)	22,208	2,139,800	29.3	(26.4 - 32.2)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,789	1,295,200	30.1	(24.7 - 35.6)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,785	1,052,000	37.5	(31.7 - 43.3)
45-54	126	85,200	37.9	(28.3 - 47.6)	7,495	1,053,300	38.8	(34.1 - 43.4)
55-64	131	77,600	47.9	(38.2 - 57.7)	8,356	798,100	38.8	(34.8 - 42.7)
≥ 65	235	72,600	39.7	(32.7 - 46.8)	12,285	1,014,400	41.5	(37.6 - 45.4)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	570	308,400	37.6	(32.4 - 42.8)	34,501	3,282,200	36.4	(34.4 - 38.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	708	740,000	36.7	(28.3 - 45.1)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	813	781,500	35.6	(27.1 - 44.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,079	1,889,700	35.4	(31.2 - 39.5)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,515	1,314,500	38.7	(33.8 - 43.7)
≥ College Degree	276	165,400	37.5	(30.1 - 44.9)	12,062	1,996,900	36.3	(32.8 - 39.7)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,346	1,170,900	34.0	(28.2 - 39.8)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,368	1,136,000	40.4	(34.6 - 46.2)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,615	738,700	38.3	(32.3 - 44.3)
≥ \$75,000	269	212,500	40.4	(33.0 - 47.7)	8,337	1,659,100	37.5	(34.1 - 40.9)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having a body mass index (BMI) more than 24.9 but less than 30.0. BMI is calculated as weight in kilograms divided by the square of height in meters.

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who are overweight (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 62b. Overweight among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	644	38.7	(32.9 - 44.5)	36,710	36.2	(33.8 - 38.6)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	250	44.4	(35.6 - 53.1)	14,502	43.9	(40.1 - 47.6)
Female	394	33.1	(25.5 - 40.7)	22,208	28.9	(25.9 - 31.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	570	36.6	(31.2 - 42.1)	34,501	36.0	(34.0 - 38.0)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	708	37.0	(28.5 - 45.5)
Hispanic	*	*	*	813	36.0	(27.5 - 44.4)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,079	35.2	(31.1 - 39.4)
Some College	*	*	*	9,515	38.3	(33.3 - 43.2)
≥ College Degree	276	37.1	(29.3 - 44.9)	12,062	36.2	(32.7 - 39.8)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,346	33.8	(28.0 - 39.5)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,368	40.6	(34.8 - 46.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,615	38.6	(32.5 - 44.7)
≥ \$75,000	269	39.0	(31.4 - 46.6)	8,337	37.2	(33.7 - 40.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having a body mass index (BMI) more than 24.9 but less than 30.0. BMI is calculated as weight in kilograms divided by the square of height in meters.

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 63a. Obesity among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	644	228,000	21.3	(16.8 - 25.9)	36,710	3,327,400	23.2	(21.2 - 25.3)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	250	143,200	27.0	(19.3 - 34.7)	14,502	1,505,800	21.4	(19.0 - 23.9)
Female	394	84,800	15.8	(11.1 - 20.5)	22,208	1,821,600	25.0	(21.8 - 28.1)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,789	730,600	17.0	(12.4 - 21.6)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,785	662,200	23.6	(19.4 - 27.9)
45-54	126	54,200	24.1	(15.2 - 33.0)	7,495	816,800	30.1	(25.3 - 34.8)
55-64	131	35,400	21.9	(13.8 - 29.9)	8,356	563,900	27.4	(23.7 - 31.1)
≥ 65	235	38,300	21.0	(15.0 - 26.9)	12,285	554,000	22.7	(19.2 - 26.1)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	570	176,400	21.5	(17.0 - 26.0)	34,501	2,062,700	22.9	(21.2 - 24.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	708	703,100	34.9	(26.1 - 43.7)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	813	456,400	20.8	(14.3 - 27.2)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	688	105,200	9.6	(4.0 - 15.3)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	202	75,500	22.9	(15.2 - 30.5)	15,079	1,561,600	29.2	(25.3 - 33.2)
Some College	164	52,100	17.8	(9.8 - 25.8)	9,515	792,800	23.4	(19.4 - 27.3)
≥ College Degree	276	100,400	22.8	(14.9 - 30.6)	12,062	915,000	16.6	(14.4 - 18.8)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,346	974,800	28.3	(22.6 - 34.0)
\$25,000-\$49,999	125	23,700	13.7	(6.7 - 20.6)	9,368	584,800	20.8	(17.1 - 24.5)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,615	475,300	24.6	(20.0 - 29.3)
≥ \$75,000	269	116,700	22.2	(14.8 - 29.6)	8,337	867,700	19.6	(17.0 - 22.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having a body mass index (BMI) of 30.0 or greater. BMI is calculated as weight in kilograms divided by the square of height in meters.

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who are obese (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 63b. Obesity among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	644	20.9	(16.1 - 25.6)	36,710	23.1	(21.0 - 25.1)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	250	26.8	(18.8 - 34.7)	14,502	21.5	(19.0 - 24.0)
Female	394	15.0	(10.1 - 19.9)	22,208	24.6	(21.5 - 27.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	570	21.2	(16.5 - 25.9)	34,501	22.8	(21.0 - 24.5)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	708	34.8	(25.9 - 43.6)
Hispanic	*	*	*	813	20.5	(14.1 - 26.9)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	688	9.5	(3.8 - 15.2)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	202	23.0	(14.8 - 31.2)	15,079	29.4	(25.4 - 33.3)
Some College	164	16.5	(8.7 - 24.3)	9,515	23.1	(19.2 - 27.1)
≥ College Degree	276	22.3	(14.2 - 30.4)	12,062	16.4	(14.2 - 18.5)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,346	28.3	(22.6 - 34.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	125	12.2	(5.7 - 18.7)	9,368	21.0	(17.2 - 24.8)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,615	24.0	(19.4 - 28.7)
≥ \$75,000	269	22.1	(14.5 - 29.7)	8,337	19.3	(16.7 - 21.9)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having a body mass index (BMI) of 30.0 or greater. BMI is calculated as weight in kilograms divided by the square of height in meters.

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 64a. Overweight or obesity among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	644	647,900	60.7	(55.3 - 66.0)	36,710	8,540,500	59.6	(57.0 - 62.2)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	250	381,600	71.9	(64.1 - 79.6)	14,502	4,579,100	65.2	(61.0 - 69.4)
Female	394	266,300	49.6	(42.5 - 56.6)	22,208	3,961,400	54.3	(51.0 - 57.6)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,789	2,025,800	47.1	(40.8 - 53.5)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,785	1,714,200	61.1	(55.6 - 66.6)
45-54	126	139,400	62.0	(52.6 - 71.5)	7,495	1,870,100	68.8	(64.6 - 73.1)
55-64	131	113,000	69.8	(61.1 - 78.4)	8,356	1,362,000	66.2	(61.9 - 70.4)
≥ 65	235	110,900	60.7	(53.8 - 67.6)	12,285	1,568,400	64.1	(60.6 - 67.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	570	484,800	59.1	(53.5 - 64.7)	34,501	5,344,900	59.3	(57.2 - 61.3)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	708	1,443,100	71.6	(62.5 - 80.7)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	813	1,237,900	56.4	(46.5 - 66.2)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	15,079	3,451,400	64.6	(59.8 - 69.4)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,515	2,107,300	62.1	(57.0 - 67.2)
≥ College Degree	276	265,800	60.3	(52.7 - 67.8)	12,062	2,911,900	52.9	(49.2 - 56.6)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,346	2,145,700	62.3	(55.7 - 68.9)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,368	1,720,700	61.2	(54.5 - 67.9)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,615	1,214,000	62.9	(57.1 - 68.8)
≥ \$75,000	269	329,200	62.5	(55.3 - 69.7)	8,337	2,526,700	57.1	(53.6 - 60.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having a body mass index (BMI) of 25.0 or greater. BMI is calculated as weight in kilograms divided by the square of height in meters.

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who are overweight or obese (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 64b. Overweight or obesity among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	644	59.6	(53.7 - 65.4)	36,710	59.3	(56.8 - 61.9)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	250	71.2	(62.9 - 79.4)	14,502	65.4	(61.3 - 69.4)
Female	394	48.1	(40.3 - 56.0)	22,208	53.5	(50.1 - 56.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	570	57.8	(51.7 - 63.9)	34,501	58.8	(56.7 - 60.8)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	708	71.8	(63.0 - 80.6)
Hispanic	*	*	*	813	56.5	(46.8 - 66.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	15,079	64.6	(59.9 - 69.3)
Some College	*	*	*	9,515	61.4	(56.4 - 66.5)
≥ College Degree	276	59.4	(51.3 - 67.5)	12,062	52.6	(48.9 - 56.3)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,346	62.1	(55.6 - 68.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,368	61.6	(55.1 - 68.1)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,615	62.6	(56.7 - 68.6)
≥ \$75,000	269	61.1	(53.3 - 68.8)	8,337	56.5	(52.9 - 60.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having a body mass index (BMI) of 25.0 or greater. BMI is calculated as weight in kilograms divided by the square of height in meters.

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 65a. Received advice about weight by a health professional among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	644	240,100	22.5	(18.4 - 26.5)	36,729	3,929,700	27.4	(25.1 - 29.7)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	250	126,900	23.9	(17.6 - 30.2)	14,499	1,654,800	23.6	(20.6 - 26.6)
Female	394	113,200	21.1	(16.0 - 26.1)	22,230	2,274,900	31.0	(27.7 - 34.3)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,796	895,500	20.7	(15.3 - 26.2)
35-44	93	53,600	25.2	(15.2 - 35.2)	4,779	722,700	25.8	(20.9 - 30.6)
45-54	126	70,400	31.3	(22.0 - 40.7)	7,490	910,900	33.5	(29.0 - 38.1)
55-64	131	40,700	25.1	(16.7 - 33.5)	8,351	741,100	36.1	(32.0 - 40.3)
≥ 65	235	51,700	28.3	(21.8 - 34.7)	12,313	659,500	26.9	(23.0 - 30.7)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	570	211,000	25.7	(21.2 - 30.3)	34,502	2,386,200	26.5	(24.6 - 28.4)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	709	615,700	30.4	(22.0 - 38.8)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	830	555,400	25.1	(17.8 - 32.4)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	202	71,600	21.7	(14.4 - 28.9)	15,116	1,469,700	27.5	(23.6 - 31.4)
Some College	164	58,300	19.9	(12.4 - 27.4)	9,515	946,800	27.8	(23.2 - 32.4)
≥ College Degree	276	110,200	25.0	(18.6 - 31.4)	12,041	1,445,500	26.2	(23.0 - 29.4)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,360	1,079,400	31.4	(25.3 - 37.5)
\$25,000-\$49,999	125	32,200	18.6	(10.2 - 27.0)	9,365	696,900	24.6	(19.8 - 29.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,603	507,100	26.3	(21.6 - 31.0)
≥ \$75,000	269	124,400	23.6	(17.6 - 29.7)	8,334	1,207,100	27.3	(24.2 - 30.5)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as being advised by a doctor, nurse or other health professional about their weight (lose, gain or maintain)

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults provided advice by a health professional about their weight (lose, gain or maintain) (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 65b. Received advice about weight by a health professional among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	644	21.7	(17.5 - 25.8)	36,729	27.1	(24.8 - 29.4)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	250	23.4	(17.0 - 29.8)	14,499	23.4	(20.5 - 26.3)
Female	394	19.9	(14.6 - 25.2)	22,230	30.6	(27.3 - 34.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	570	24.9	(20.1 - 29.7)	34,502	26.1	(24.2 - 28.0)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	709	30.4	(21.9 - 38.9)
Hispanic	*	*	*	830	24.9	(17.7 - 32.2)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	202	21.2	(13.6 - 28.7)	15,116	27.3	(23.4 - 31.2)
Some College	164	19.0	(11.5 - 26.5)	9,515	27.4	(22.9 - 32.0)
≥ College Degree	276	23.9	(17.4 - 30.5)	12,041	25.9	(22.7 - 29.0)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,360	31.0	(24.9 - 37.0)
\$25,000-\$49,999	125	16.9	(8.8 - 25.0)	9,365	24.9	(20.0 - 29.8)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,603	25.9	(21.2 - 30.6)
≥ \$75,000	269	22.9	(16.7 - 29.0)	8,334	26.9	(23.7 - 30.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as being advised by a doctor, nurse or other health professional about their weight (lose, gain or maintain)

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 66a. Received advice to lose weight by a health professional among adults provided weight advice<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	168	221,600	92.3	(87.5 - 97.2)	9,724	3,412,900	86.8	(83.9 - 89.8)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	70	111,200	87.6	(78.8 - 96.3)	3,807	1,468,700	88.8	(85.7 - 91.8)
Female	98	110,500	97.6	(95.4 - 99.9)	5,917	1,944,200	85.5	(80.8 - 90.1)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	681	779,700	87.1	(80.6 - 93.6)
35-44	*	*	*	*	1,215	622,100	86.1	(76.9 - 95.2)
45-54	*	*	*	*	2,238	813,300	89.3	(84.4 - 94.2)
55-64	*	*	*	*	2,697	645,500	87.1	(81.2 - 93.0)
≥ 65	66	44,500	86.1	(76.9 - 95.3)	2,893	552,300	83.7	(76.9 - 90.6)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	155	194,000	92.0	(86.6 - 97.3)	9,082	2,076,700	87.0	(84.5 - 89.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	251	483,600	87.1	(78.5 - 95.7)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	56	64,900	90.8	(81.3 - 100)	3,962	1,239,700	84.3	(78.6 - 90.1)
Some College	*	*	*	*	2,633	814,800	86.1	(80.1 - 92.0)
≥ College Degree	73	105,200	95.4	(90.1 - 100)	3,115	1,290,900	89.3	(85.3 - 93.3)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	2,539	922,100	85.4	(78.7 - 92.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	2,482	594,100	85.2	(78.4 - 92.1)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	1,521	446,100	88.0	(83.2 - 92.7)
≥ \$75,000	68	117,700	94.6	(87.7 - 100)	2,270	1,073,200	88.9	(83.7 - 94.1)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as provided advice by a health professional about their weight and advised to lose weight

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults provided advice by a health professional about their weight and advised to lose weight (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 66b. Received advice to lose weight by a health professional among adults provided weight advice<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	168	92.0	(86.9 - 97.1)	9,724	86.9	(83.8 - 89.9)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	70	87.1	(78.0 - 96.3)	3,807	88.7	(85.7 - 91.8)
Female	98	97.7	(95.6 - 99.9)	5,917	85.5	(80.7 - 90.3)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	155	91.7	(86.1 - 97.3)	9,082	87.0	(84.4 - 89.6)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	251	87.6	(79.3 - 95.8)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	56	91.0	(82.0 - 100)	3,962	84.6	(78.7 - 90.5)
Some College	*	*	*	2,633	85.6	(79.5 - 91.7)
≥ College Degree	73	95.0	(89.1 - 100)	3,115	89.4	(85.4 - 93.3)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	2,539	85.7	(79.0 - 92.3)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	2,482	85.3	(78.4 - 92.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	1,521	88.0	(83.1 - 92.8)
≥ \$75,000	68	93.9	(86.3 - 100)	2,270	88.7	(83.1 - 94.2)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as provided advice by a health professional about their weight and advised to lose weight

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 67a. No leisure-time physical activity among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	233,400	21.3	(17.1 - 25.5)	38,128	3,541,700	23.9	(21.6 - 26.1)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	96,200	18.1	(12.0 - 24.2)	14,602	1,482,500	20.9	(17.8 - 24.0)
Female	411	137,200	24.4	(18.7 - 30.2)	23,526	2,059,200	26.6	(23.4 - 29.7)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,938	982,900	22.0	(16.6 - 27.5)
35-44	*	*	*	*	4,988	556,000	19.3	(15.0 - 23.6)
45-54	130	44,700	19.4	(11.4 - 27.4)	7,827	759,000	26.8	(21.7 - 31.9)
55-64	138	31,000	18.3	(11.1 - 25.5)	8,765	464,900	21.7	(18.2 - 25.2)
≥ 65	239	59,200	31.9	(25.3 - 38.6)	12,610	778,800	30.7	(27.3 - 34.2)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	588	170,200	20.1	(15.9 - 24.4)	35,816	1,892,800	20.3	(18.6 - 22.0)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	739	690,000	32.0	(23.4 - 40.6)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	860	600,800	26.7	(19.1 - 34.4)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	205	108,700	32.5	(23.2 - 41.8)	15,683	1,810,200	32.5	(28.4 - 36.5)
Some College	172	54,600	18.1	(10.8 - 25.4)	9,906	814,200	23.0	(18.6 - 27.3)
≥ College Degree	284	69,200	15.3	(9.6 - 20.9)	12,458	841,000	14.9	(11.9 - 18.0)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,640	1,332,200	38.0	(31.7 - 44.3)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,658	648,000	22.3	(18.3 - 26.3)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,773	430,700	21.8	(16.6 - 27.0)
≥ \$75,000	274	73,600	13.7	(8.8 - 18.6)	8,565	560,800	12.5	(10.3 - 14.6)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having not participated in any physical activities or exercises such as running, calisthenics, golf, gardening, or walking for exercise

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have not participated in any physical activities or exercises (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)



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**Table 67b. No leisure-time physical activity among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	21.2	(16.7 - 25.7)	38,128	23.7	(21.5 - 25.9)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	17.8	(11.6 - 24.1)	14,602	20.9	(17.8 - 23.9)
Female	411	24.4	(18.0 - 30.8)	23,526	26.3	(23.1 - 29.5)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	588	20.0	(15.4 - 24.6)	35,816	20.0	(18.3 - 21.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	739	32.0	(23.3 - 40.6)
Hispanic	*	*	*	860	26.9	(19.2 - 34.5)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	205	31.7	(21.9 - 41.4)	15,683	32.3	(28.3 - 36.4)
Some College	172	18.6	(10.3 - 26.9)	9,906	22.8	(18.5 - 27.2)
≥ College Degree	284	15.3	(9.3 - 21.2)	12,458	14.9	(11.8 - 17.9)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,640	37.9	(31.6 - 44.2)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,658	22.0	(18.0 - 26.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,773	21.6	(16.3 - 26.8)
≥ \$75,000	274	13.7	(8.5 - 18.9)	8,565	12.6	(10.3 - 14.9)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having not participated in any physical activities or exercises such as running, calisthenics, golf, gardening, or walking for exercise

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 68a. Consumption of 5 or more servings of fruits and vegetables per day among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	290,500	26.5	(21.8 - 31.3)	38,203	4,023,400	27.0	(24.9 - 29.2)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	252	100,100	18.8	(12.7 - 24.9)	14,634	1,603,900	22.6	(19.4 - 25.8)
Female	411	190,400	33.9	(27.0 - 40.7)	23,569	2,419,500	31.1	(28.2 - 34.0)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	3,940	1,261,700	28.3	(22.7 - 33.9)
35-44	96	47,900	21.9	(12.6 - 31.1)	4,989	688,000	23.9	(19.5 - 28.3)
45-54	130	72,000	31.3	(22.2 - 40.3)	7,837	746,800	26.2	(22.3 - 30.1)
55-64	138	51,800	30.5	(21.9 - 39.1)	8,777	579,100	27.0	(23.6 - 30.5)
≥ 65	239	49,600	26.8	(20.6 - 33.0)	12,660	747,800	29.4	(26.0 - 32.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	588	207,600	24.6	(20.1 - 29.0)	35,884	2,538,000	27.2	(25.4 - 28.9)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	740	572,400	26.5	(19.2 - 33.9)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	864	672,200	29.8	(21.0 - 38.5)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	715	240,800	21.4	(12.0 - 30.8)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	205	52,900	15.8	(8.8 - 22.8)	15,726	1,309,800	23.4	(19.3 - 27.4)
Some College	*	*	*	*	9,924	964,300	27.2	(23.0 - 31.3)
≥ College Degree	284	150,200	33.1	(26.1 - 40.1)	12,471	1,747,500	31.0	(27.9 - 34.1)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	9,667	831,500	23.7	(18.6 - 28.7)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	9,669	917,200	31.6	(25.6 - 37.6)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	5,777	501,000	25.3	(21.4 - 29.3)
≥ \$75,000	274	139,700	26.1	(19.9 - 32.2)	8,569	1,260,100	28.0	(25.0 - 31.0)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having consumed 5 or more servings of fruits and vegetables in an average day

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who consume 5 or more servings of fruits and vegetables per day (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

\* Data do not meet reporting criteria (confidence interval with a half-width greater than 10, denominator less than 50 and/or a numerator less than 10)

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**Table 68b. Consumption of 5 or more servings of fruits and vegetables per day among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	663	26.0	(20.8 - 31.2)	38,203	27.1	(24.9 - 29.2)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	252	18.4	(12.2 - 24.7)	14,634	22.7	(19.6 - 25.9)
Female	411	33.2	(25.5 - 40.8)	23,569	31.0	(28.1 - 34.0)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	588	23.9	(19.1 - 28.7)	35,884	27.1	(25.4 - 28.9)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	740	26.8	(19.4 - 34.2)
Hispanic	*	*	*	864	29.5	(20.9 - 38.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	715	21.8	(12.2 - 31.5)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	205	14.8	(7.8 - 21.9)	15,726	23.3	(19.3 - 27.3)
Some College	*	*	*	9,924	27.1	(22.9 - 31.2)
≥ College Degree	284	32.5	(25.0 - 40.0)	12,471	31.2	(28.0 - 34.3)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	9,667	23.9	(18.8 - 28.9)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	9,669	32.0	(26.0 - 38.0)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	5,777	25.0	(21.0 - 28.9)
≥ \$75,000	274	25.0	(18.7 - 31.3)	8,569	28.0	(24.9 - 31.1)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as having consumed 5 or more servings of fruits and vegetables in an average day

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 69a. Had a fall within the past 3 months among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	495	79,100	13.9	(10.4 - 17.5)	28,783	1,244,800	17.0	(14.9 - 19.0)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	186	31,800	11.9	(6.4 - 17.4)	10,966	489,400	14.4	(11.9 - 16.8)
Female	309	47,300	15.7	(11.2 - 20.3)	17,817	755,300	19.2	(16.1 - 22.3)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
35-44	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
45-54	126	23,300	10.4	(4.3 - 16.5)	7,741	445,500	16.0	(12.0 - 20.0)
55-64	132	24,700	15.2	(8.4 - 22.0)	8,454	336,000	16.5	(13.4 - 19.6)
≥ 65	237	31,100	17.0	(11.6 - 22.4)	12,588	463,300	18.4	(15.2 - 21.6)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	463	71,300	14.0	(10.3 - 17.6)	27,456	869,000	16.6	(15.1 - 18.1)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	424	76,100	11.0	(4.5 - 17.4)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	445	44,300	10.0	(3.1 - 16.8)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	167	33,300	19.1	(11.9 - 26.3)	12,417	493,000	17.3	(13.3 - 21.3)
Some College	125	16,400	10.4	(4.2 - 16.6)	7,232	299,400	18.7	(14.6 - 22.7)
≥ College Degree	202	29,500	12.5	(7.3 - 17.6)	9,086	441,500	15.4	(12.9 - 17.9)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	7,824	423,900	25.0	(18.5 - 31.6)
\$25,000-\$49,999	111	21,500	19.3	(10.4 - 28.2)	7,445	223,600	16.0	(12.8 - 19.2)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	4,141	151,200	14.6	(10.8 - 18.4)
≥ \$75,000	175	28,900	11.8	(6.2 - 17.4)	5,874	287,100	12.5	(10.0 - 15.1)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as respondent unintentionally coming to rest on the ground or another lower level one or more times within the past 3 months

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have had a fall within the past 3 months (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 69b. Had a fall within the past 3 months among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	495	13.9	(10.4 - 17.5)	28,783	17.3	(15.0 - 19.5)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	186	12.5	(6.9 - 18.0)	10,966	15.0	(12.1 - 17.8)
Female	309	15.3	(10.9 - 19.7)	17,817	19.4	(16.0 - 22.8)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	463	14.0	(10.3 - 17.6)	27,456	16.9	(15.2 - 18.7)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	*	*
Hispanic	*	*	*	424	10.7	(4.2 - 17.1)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	445	10.0	(2.9 - 17.0)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	167	19.1	(12.0 - 26.2)	12,417	17.4	(13.0 - 21.7)
Some College	125	9.8	(3.9 - 15.7)	7,232	19.0	(14.7 - 23.2)
≥ College Degree	202	12.8	(7.6 - 18.1)	9,086	16.0	(13.1 - 18.8)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	7,824	25.3	(18.3 - 32.4)
\$25,000-\$49,999	111	19.9	(10.8 - 29.0)	7,445	15.9	(12.6 - 19.2)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	4,141	14.7	(10.6 - 18.8)
≥ \$75,000	175	11.7	(6.2 - 17.2)	5,874	12.9	(9.9 - 15.8)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as respondent unintentionally coming to rest on the ground or another lower level one or more times within the past 3 months

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 70a. Had a fall that caused injury within the past 3 months among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State**

	Suffolk County				New York State			
	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>2</sup>	Est. # of Adults <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	495	21,600	3.8	(2.0 - 5.6)	28,760	335,700	4.6	(3.7 - 5.5)
<b>Gender</b>								
Male	*	*	*	*	10,957	120,000	3.5	(2.5 - 4.6)
Female	309	13,600	4.5	(2.2 - 6.8)	17,803	215,600	5.5	(4.1 - 6.9)
<b>Age (years)</b>								
18-34	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
35-44	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
45-54	*	*	*	*	7,737	115,100	4.1	(2.9 - 5.4)
55-64	*	*	*	*	8,449	90,300	4.4	(2.7 - 6.1)
≥ 65	237	11,700	6.4	(2.8 - 10.0)	12,574	130,300	5.2	(3.4 - 6.9)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>								
White Non-Hispanic	463	21,600	4.2	(2.2 - 6.2)	27,433	270,800	5.2	(4.2 - 6.1)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	458	47,900	4.9	(0.9 - 9.0)
Hispanic	*	*	*	*	424	12,400	1.8	(0.2 - 3.3)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	*	445	4,600	1.0	(0.4 - 1.6)
<b>Education</b>								
≤ High School	*	*	*	*	12,404	148,900	5.2	(3.6 - 6.8)
Some College	*	*	*	*	7,228	85,400	5.3	(3.1 - 7.5)
≥ College Degree	202	10,600	4.5	(1.2 - 7.8)	9,081	101,300	3.5	(2.4 - 4.6)
<b>Income</b>								
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	*	7,812	90,200	5.3	(3.6 - 7.1)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	*	7,442	93,200	6.7	(3.9 - 9.4)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	*	4,139	37,000	3.6	(1.8 - 5.3)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	*	5,872	54,700	2.4	(1.5 - 3.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as as respondent unintentionally coming to rest on the ground or another lower level and caused respondent to limit regular activities for at least a day or to go see a doctor one or more times within the past 3 months

<sup>2</sup> Sample size from survey

<sup>3</sup> Estimated number of adults who have had a fall that caused an injury within the past 3 months (rounded to the nearest hundred)

<sup>4</sup> 95% confidence interval

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**Table 70b. Had a fall that caused injury within the past 3 months among adults<sup>1</sup> in Suffolk County and New York State - Age-Adjusted<sup>2</sup>**

	Suffolk County			New York State		
	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>	n <sup>3</sup>	Percent	(C.I.) <sup>4</sup>
<b>Total</b>	495	4.0	(2.1 - 5.9)	28,760	4.6	(3.6 - 5.5)
<b>Gender</b>						
Male	*	*	*	10,957	3.6	(2.4 - 4.7)
Female	309	4.5	(2.3 - 6.8)	17,803	5.5	(4.1 - 6.9)
<b>Race/Ethnicity</b>						
White Non-Hispanic	463	4.4	(2.3 - 6.5)	27,433	5.2	(4.2 - 6.2)
Black Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	458	4.7	(0.7 - 8.7)
Hispanic	*	*	*	424	1.8	(0.1 - 3.4)
Other Non-Hispanic	*	*	*	445	1.0	(0.4 - 1.6)
<b>Education</b>						
≤ High School	*	*	*	12,404	5.2	(3.5 - 6.8)
Some College	*	*	*	7,228	5.3	(3.1 - 7.5)
≥ College Degree	202	4.8	(1.3 - 8.3)	9,081	3.6	(2.4 - 4.7)
<b>Income</b>						
≤ \$24,999	*	*	*	7,812	5.1	(3.3 - 7.0)
\$25,000-\$49,999	*	*	*	7,442	6.6	(3.9 - 9.2)
\$50,000-\$74,999	*	*	*	4,139	3.7	(1.7 - 5.8)
≥ \$75,000	*	*	*	5,872	2.4	(1.4 - 3.3)

<sup>1</sup> Defined as as respondent unintentionally coming to rest on the ground or another lower level and caused respondent to limit regular activities for at least a day or to go see a doctor one or more times within the past 3 months

<sup>2</sup> Prevalence estimates are age-adjusted to the 2000 US Standard population

<sup>3</sup> Sample size from survey

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