Youth Trend Summary

Youth Variables	Holmes County 2017 (6 th -12 th)	Holmes County 2017 (9 th -12 th)	Ohio 2013 (9 th -12 th)	U.S. 2015 (9 th -12 th)		
Weight Control						
Obese 💚	16%	17%	13%	14%		
Overweight 💓	11%	10%	16%	16%		
Trying to lose weight	48%	51%	47%	46%		
Described themselves as slightly or very overweight	26%	27%	28%	32%		
Went without eating for 24 hours or more	6%	9%	10%	13%*		
Took diet pills, powders, or liquids without a doctor's advice	3%	5%	5%	5%*		
Vomited or took laxatives	1%	1%	5%	4%*		
Watched TV 3 or more hours per day	14%	16%	28%	25%		
Tobacco	Use					
Ever tried cigarettes	23%	34%	52%*	32%		
Current smokers	8%	14%	15%	11%		
Smoked cigarettes on 20 or more days during the past month (of all youth)	2%	3%	7%	3%		
Smoked a whole cigarette for the first time before the age of 13 (of all youth)	7%	8%	14%*	7%		
Current electronic vapor product user	8%	11%	N/A	24%		
Tried to quit smoking (of youth who smoked in the past year)	43%	40%	56%*	45%		
Alcohol Cons	umption					
Ever tried alcohol	38%	56%	71%*	63%		
Current drinker	24%	38%	30%	33%		
Binge drinker (of all youth)	10%	18%	16%	18%		
Drank for the first time before age 13 (of all youth)	14%	13%	13%	17%		
Rode with someone who was drinking	14%	15%	17%	20%		
Drank and drove (of youth drivers)	6%	7%	4%	8%		
Drug L	lse					
Youth who used marijuana in the past month	7%	11%	21%	22%		
Ever used methamphetamines	2%	3%	N/A	3%		
Ever used cocaine	2%	4%	4%	5%		
Ever used heroin	1%	0%	2%	2%		
Ever used steroids	2%	2%	3%	4%		
Ever used inhalants	5%	6%	9%	7%		
Ever used ecstasy/MDMA/Molly	2%	3%	N/A	5%		
Ever been offered, sold, or given an illegal drug by someone on school property in the past year	6%	8%	20%	22%		

*N/A – Not Available**Comparative YRBS data for Ohio is 2011 and U.S. is 2013
Indicates alignment with Ohio SHA

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Sexual Behavior						
Ever had sexual intercourse	15%	29%	43%	41%		
Used a condom at last intercourse	57%	63%	51%	57%		
Used birth control pills at last intercourse	25%	31%	24%	18%		
Did not use any method to prevent pregnancy during last sexual intercourse	8%	10%	12%	14%		
Had four or more sexual partners (of all youth)	2%	5%	12%	12%		
Had sexual intercourse before age 13 (of all youth)	2%	2%	4%	4%		
Mental Health						
Youth who felt sad or hopeless almost every day for 2 or more weeks in a row	21%	24%	26%	30%		
Youth who had seriously considered attempting suicide in the past year	12%	15%	14%	18%		
Youth who had attempted suicide in the past year	5%	3%	6%	9%		
Suicide attempt resulted in an injury, poisoning, or overdose that had to be treated by a doctor or nurse	2%	1%	1%	3%		
Social Determinants of Health						
Texted or emailed while driving a car or other vehicle	21%	33%	46%	42%		
Visited a dentist for a check-up within the past year	71%	70%	75%	74%		
Unintentional Injury and Violence						
Carried a weapon in past month	19%	18%	14%	16%		
Carried a weapon on school property in past month	1%	1%	N/A	4%		
Been in a physical fight in past year 💓	24%	18%	20%	23%		
Been in a physical fight on school property in the past year	9%	7%	6%	8%		
Threatened or injured with a weapon on school property in past year	6%	5%	N/A	6%		
Did not go to school because felt unsafe	4%	2%	5%	6%		
Electronically/cyber bullied in past year	11%	7%	15%	16%		
Bullied on school property in past year	30%	22%	21%	20%		
Hit, slapped, or physically hurt on purpose by their boyfriend or girlfriend in past year	4%	7%	N/A	10%		

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