

Table 3.56

**High school students reporting involvement in delinquent and risk-related behaviors**

By sex, race, ethnicity, and grade level, United States, 2003

(Percent reporting engaging in or experiencing the behavior)

	Race, ethnicity									
	Total	Sex		Race, ethnicity			Grade level			
		Male	Female	White, non-Hispanic	Black, non-Hispanic	Hispanic	9th grade	10th grade	11th grade	12th grade
Rode with a driver who had been drinking alcohol <sup>a</sup>	30.2%	29.2%	31.1%	28.5%	30.9%	36.4%	28.2%	29.3%	30.5%	33.3%
Drove after drinking alcohol <sup>a</sup>	12.1	15.0	8.9	12.9	9.1	11.7	6.2	9.2	15.3	19.8
Carried a weapon <sup>b</sup>	17.1	26.9	6.7	16.7	17.3	16.5	18.0	15.9	18.2	15.5
Carried a gun <sup>c</sup>	6.1	10.2	1.6	5.9	6.0	5.4	5.8	5.9	6.3	5.7
In a physical fight <sup>d</sup>	33.0	40.5	25.1	30.5	39.7	36.1	38.6	33.5	30.9	26.5
Injured in a physical fight <sup>d,e</sup>	4.2	5.7	2.6	2.9	5.5	5.2	5.0	4.2	3.6	3.1
Physically hurt by a boyfriend or girlfriend on purpose <sup>f</sup>	8.9	8.9	8.8	7.0	13.9	9.3	8.1	8.8	8.1	10.1
Forced to have sexual intercourse	9.0	6.1	11.9	7.3	12.3	10.4	8.0	9.4	9.2	9.1
Seriously considered suicide <sup>f</sup>	16.9	12.8	21.3	16.5	12.5	18.1	16.9	18.3	16.4	15.5
Made a suicide plan <sup>f</sup>	16.5	14.1	18.9	16.2	10.4	17.6	17.7	16.3	16.2	14.9
Attempted suicide <sup>d</sup>	8.5	5.4	11.5	6.9	8.4	10.6	10.1	9.1	7.3	6.1
Suicide attempt required medical attention <sup>f</sup>	2.9	2.4	3.2	1.7	3.7	5.0	3.5	2.6	2.4	2.1

Note: See Note, table 3.55.2005. For survey methodology and sampling procedures, see Appendix 5.

<sup>e</sup>Injured seriously enough to be treated by a doctor or nurse.  
<sup>f</sup>During the 12 months preceding the survey.

<sup>a</sup>One or more times during the 30 days preceding the survey.

<sup>b</sup>Carried a weapon (e.g., a gun, knife, or club) on 1 or more of the 30 days preceding the survey.

<sup>c</sup>On 1 or more of the 30 days preceding the survey.

<sup>d</sup>One or more times during the 12 months preceding the survey.

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