

2009/2010 Nebraska Young Adult Alcohol Opinion Survey Sub-State Indicator Tables by Stratified Region

Unfunded SPF SIG Counties¹

covers 33 counties

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Unfunded SPF SIG Counties¹: 2009/2010 Nebraska Young Adult Alcohol Opinion Survey Summary Table

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Indicators Overall and by Gender

Indicators	Overall			Male			Female		
	Sample Size (n) ^a	Weighted % ^b	95% C.I. ^c Low - High	Sample Size (n) ^a	Weighted % ^b	95% C.I. ^c Low - High	Sample Size (n) ^a	Weighted % ^b	95% C.I. ^c Low - High
Alcohol Use									
1. Lifetime Alcohol Use	424	85.8%	(81.7 - 89.1)	186	85.6%	(79.6 - 90.1)	238	86.0%	(80.1 - 90.3)
2. Past Month Alcohol Use	421	62.1%	(57.1 - 66.8)	184	66.1%	(58.8 - 72.7)	237	57.7%	(51.1 - 64.1)
3. Past Month Binge Drinking	414	34.4%	(29.9 - 39.3)	180	37.4%	(30.5 - 44.7)	234	31.4%	(25.7 - 37.7)
4. Past Month Binge Drinking, Among Past Month Alcohol Users	259	56.2%	(49.8 - 62.3)	118	57.2%	(47.9 - 66.1)	141	54.9%	(46.4 - 63.0)
5. Binge Drank More than Once in the Past Month	414	25.0%	(21.0 - 29.6)	180	28.7%	(22.6 - 35.8)	234	21.1%	(16.4 - 26.9)
Alcohol Impaired Driving									
1. Past Month Driving after Binge Drinking	421	8.1%	(5.7 - 11.2)	184	11.3%	(7.4 - 16.9)	237	4.6%	(2.6 - 8.0)
2. Past Year Alcohol Impaired Driving	418	23.5%	(19.6 - 28.0)	181	27.3%	(21.2 - 34.4)	237	19.5%	(15.0 - 25.0)
Perception of Risk									
1. Perceive Great Risk from Binge Drinking	398	33.5%	(28.9 - 38.4)	171	25.9%	(19.7 - 33.2)	227	41.4%	(34.9 - 48.1)
Social Norms Regarding Alcohol Use									
1. Wrong or very wrong for individuals 18 to 20 years old to have one or two drinks	418	59.4%	(54.4 - 64.1)	184	53.3%	(45.9 - 60.5)	234	65.8%	(59.4 - 71.8)
2. Wrong or very wrong for individuals 21 and older to have one or two drinks	419	6.6%	(4.4 - 9.6)	185	7.8%	(4.6 - 12.9)	234	5.2%	(2.9 - 9.0)
3. Wrong or very wrong for individuals 18 to 20 years old to get drunk	419	78.3%	(73.9 - 82.2)	185	74.6%	(67.7 - 80.4)	234	82.3%	(76.8 - 86.8)
4. Wrong or very wrong for individuals 21 and older to get drunk	417	28.2%	(23.8 - 32.9)	185	29.8%	(23.5 - 37.0)	232	26.3%	(20.8 - 32.7)
Attitudes and Perceptions related to Providing Alcohol to Minors									
1. Wrong or very wrong for individuals 21 and older to provide alcohol for people under 21 years old	416	83.3%	(79.2 - 86.7)	185	79.3%	(72.9 - 84.6)	231	87.6%	(82.3 - 91.5)
2. Likely that police will arrest an adult who is believed to have provided alcohol for persons under 21	364	73.0%	(68.1 - 77.5)	162	76.8%	(69.6 - 82.7)	202	68.9%	(61.9 - 75.1)

Indicators	Overall			Male			Female		
	Sample Size (n) ^a	Weighted % ^b	95% C.I. Low - Hi	Sample Size (n) ^a	Weighted % ^b	95% C.I. Low - Hi	Sample Size (n) ^a	Weighted % ^b	95% C.I. Low - Hi
Attitudes, Perceptions, and Behaviors related to Alcohol Service and Sales									
1. Support for Responsible Beverage Service Training	427	91.5%	(88.2 - 93.9)	188	88.4%	(82.9 - 92.3)	239	94.8%	(91.0 - 97.1)
2. Likely that a drunken adult would be sold an alcoholic beverage at a local bar or restaurant	375	88.8%	(85.0 - 91.7)	162	85.6%	(79.2 - 90.3)	213	92.0%	(87.6 - 94.9)
3. Likely that a drunken adult would be sold an alcoholic beverage at a local convenience store	380	83.1%	(78.8 - 86.7)	163	79.0%	(71.8 - 84.7)	217	87.4%	(82.4 - 91.2)
4. ID was not checked at last purchase attempt, among those who bought or tried to buy alcohol in the past 30 days and did not believe the person selling them the alcohol personally knew if they were old enough to buy	104	13.9%	(8.4 - 22.1)	40	10.2%	(3.8 - 24.4)	64	17.4%	(9.9 - 28.9)
Attitudes and Perceptions related to Alcohol Enforcement									
1. Support for increased patrolling of DUI	425	63.6%	(58.7 - 68.3)	187	54.4%	(47.1 - 61.6)	238	73.5%	(67.3 - 78.9)
2. Support for maximum punishment for DUI offenses	424	50.1%	(45.2 - 55.0)	187	43.9%	(36.8 - 51.3)	237	56.8%	(50.2 - 63.1)
3. Likely that someone would be stopped by the police and arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol	403	77.3%	(72.8 - 81.2)	176	74.9%	(68.0 - 80.8)	227	79.7%	(73.8 - 84.6)
4. Likely that police will break up parties where minors are drinking	379	75.4%	(70.7 - 79.6)	162	80.2%	(73.4 - 85.5)	217	70.5%	(63.9 - 76.4)

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^aUnweighted sample size (i.e. number of survey respondents)

^bPercentage weighted by gender, age, and region

^c95% confidence interval for the weighted percentage

[^]Insufficient sample (< 20) to calculate a reliable estimate

Indicators by Age Category

Indicators	19-20 year olds			21-22 year olds			23-25 year olds		
	Sample Size (n) ^a	Weighted % ^b	95% C.I. Low - Hi	Sample Size (n) ^a	Weighted % ^b	95% C.I. Low - Hi	Sample Size (n) ^a	Weighted % ^b	95% C.I. Low - Hi
Alcohol Use									
1. Lifetime Alcohol Use	117	68.2%	(58.8 - 76.3)	118	93.7%	(87.8 - 96.8)	189	93.7%	(88.0 - 96.8)
2. Past Month Alcohol Use	116	33.3%	(25.2 - 42.6)	118	80.2%	(72.0 - 86.4)	187	71.3%	(64.0 - 77.6)
3. Past Month Binge Drinking	115	20.2%	(13.7 - 28.8)	113	42.7%	(33.8 - 52.0)	186	39.7%	(32.6 - 47.3)
4. Past Month Binge Drinking, Among Past Month Alcohol Users	38	61.9%	(45.5 - 76.0)	89	53.8%	(43.2 - 64.0)	132	56.0%	(46.9 - 64.7)
5. Binge Drank More than Once in the Past Month	115	13.7%	(8.5 - 21.5)	113	31.0%	(23.1 - 40.2)	186	29.6%	(23.3 - 36.9)
Alcohol Impaired Driving									
1. Past Month Driving after Binge Drinking	116	4.8%	(2.0 - 11.0)	118	8.2%	(4.4 - 14.6)	187	10.5%	(6.6 - 16.4)
2. Past Year Alcohol Impaired Driving	116	14.2%	(8.9 - 21.9)	117	24.1%	(17.0 - 33.0)	185	30.3%	(23.8 - 37.7)
Perception of Risk									
1. Perceive Great Risk from Binge Drinking	109	39.4%	(30.5 - 49.1)	104	30.0%	(22.0 - 39.4)	185	31.3%	(24.8 - 38.8)
Social Norms Regarding Alcohol Use									
1. Wrong or very wrong for individuals 18 to 20 years old to have one or two drinks	117	52.8%	(43.5 - 61.9)	116	61.0%	(51.7 - 69.6)	185	63.3%	(55.8 - 70.3)
2. Wrong or very wrong for individuals 21 and older to have one or two drinks	117	7.6%	(3.9 - 14.1)	117	6.1%	(2.9 - 12.3)	185	6.1%	(3.2 - 11.4)
3. Wrong or very wrong for individuals 18 to 20 years old to get drunk	117	73.8%	(64.9 - 81.1)	117	82.6%	(74.2 - 88.7)	185	78.8%	(71.9 - 84.3)
4. Wrong or very wrong for individuals 21 and older to get drunk	117	32.1%	(24.1 - 41.4)	116	25.7%	(18.6 - 34.4)	184	26.8%	(20.3 - 34.4)
Attitudes and Perceptions related to Providing Alcohol to Minors									
1. Wrong or very wrong for individuals 21 and older to provide alcohol for people under 21 years old	115	70.9%	(61.7 - 78.6)	116	86.4%	(78.5 - 91.7)	185	90.6%	(85.3 - 94.2)
2. Likely that police will arrest an adult who is believed to have provided alcohol for persons under 21	99	69.1%	(59.2 - 77.5)	102	71.7%	(62.3 - 79.5)	163	76.9%	(69.3 - 83.1)

Indicators	19-20 year olds			21-22 year olds			23-25 year olds		
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Attitudes, Perceptions, and Behaviors related to Alcohol Service and Sales									
1. Support for Responsible Beverage Service Training	119	92.6%	(86.2 - 96.2)	118	88.1%	(80.5 - 93.0)	190	93.0%	(87.8 - 96.1)
2. Likely that a drunken adult would be sold an alcoholic beverage at a local bar or restaurant	101	88.5%	(80.6 - 93.5)	108	89.3%	(81.5 - 94.0)	166	88.5%	(82.3 - 92.8)
3. Likely that a drunken adult would be sold an alcoholic beverage at a local convenience store	106	85.9%	(77.8 - 91.5)	108	84.7%	(76.6 - 90.3)	166	79.8%	(72.3 - 85.6)
4. ID was not checked at last purchase attempt, among those who bought or tried to buy alcohol in the past 30 days and did not believe the person selling them the alcohol personally knew if they were old enough to buy	4	— [^]	— [^] - — [^]	40	9.4%	(3.6 - 22.7)	60	9.8%	(4.6 - 19.4)
Attitudes and Perceptions related to Alcohol Enforcement									
1. Support for increased patrolling of DUI	119	69.6%	(60.5 - 77.4)	116	62.0%	(52.7 - 70.5)	190	60.1%	(52.5 - 67.3)
2. Support for maximum punishment for DUI offenses	118	51.7%	(42.5 - 60.8)	117	44.5%	(35.7 - 53.7)	189	52.7%	(45.2 - 60.1)
3. Likely that someone would be stopped by the police and arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol	118	76.7%	(68.1 - 83.6)	110	78.1%	(69.2 - 84.9)	175	77.1%	(70.1 - 83.0)
4. Likely that police will break up parties where minors are drinking	106	68.9%	(59.4 - 77.1)	109	77.5%	(68.7 - 84.4)	164	79.0%	(72.0 - 84.6)

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Indicator Definitions

Alcohol Use

1. Percentage who reported that they have ever consumed alcohol (more than a few sips) during their lifetime
2. Percentage who reported having at least one alcoholic beverage during the 30 days preceding the survey
3. Percentage who reported having five or more drinks for men/four or more drinks for women within a couple of hours on one or more of the 30 days preceding the survey
4. Among past month alcohol users, the percentage who reported having five or more drinks for men/four or more drinks for women within a couple of hours on one or more of the 30 days preceding the survey
5. Percentage who reported binge drinking on two or more of the 30 days preceding the survey

Alcohol Impaired Driving

1. Percentage who reported that they drove shortly after consuming five drinks of alcohol within a couple of hours during the 30 days preceding the survey
2. Percentage who reported that they drove a vehicle while under the influence of alcohol during the 12 months preceding the survey

Perception of Risk related to Binge Drinking

1. Percentage who reported that people put themselves at great risk physically or in other ways when they have five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage once or twice a week

Social Norms Regarding Alcohol Use

1. Percentage who reported that it is wrong or very wrong for individuals 18 to 20 years old to have one or two drinks
2. Percentage who reported that it is wrong or very wrong for individuals 21 and older to have one or two drinks
3. Percentage who reported that it is wrong or very wrong for individuals 18 to 20 years old to get drunk
4. Percentage who reported that it is wrong or very wrong for individuals 21 and older to get drunk

Attitudes and Perceptions related to Providing Alcohol to Minors

1. Percentage who reported that it is wrong or very wrong for individuals 21 and older to provide alcohol for people under 21 years old
2. Percentage who reported that police are somewhat likely or very likely to arrest an adult who is believed to have provided alcohol for persons under 21

Attitudes, Perceptions, and Experiences related to Alcohol Service and Sales

1. Percentage who agree or strongly agree that bartenders and wait staff who work in restaurants and bars should be taught how to serve alcohol responsibly (not serving minors or drunken customers)
2. Percentage who reported that it is somewhat likely or very likely that that a drunken adult, 21 years of age or older, would be served a drink of alcohol if they asked for one in a local bar or
3. Percentage who reported that it is somewhat likely or very likely that that a drunken adult, 21 years of age or older, would be sold an alcoholic beverage if they tried to buy it in a local convenience store
4. Percentage who reported that their ID was not checked the last time they bought or tried to buy alcohol during the 30 days preceding the survey, among those who did not believe that the person selling them the alcohol personally knew if they were old enough to buy

Attitudes and Perceptions related to Alcohol Enforcement

1. Percentage who agree or strongly agree that more police officers should patrol for driving under the influence of alcohol (e.g., DUI)
2. Percentage who agree or strongly agree that someone caught driving under the influence of alcohol should be arrested and receive the maximum sentence
3. Percentage who reported that it is somewhat likely or very likely that someone would be stopped by the police and arrested for driving under the influence of alcohol
4. Percentage who reported that police are somewhat likely or very likely to break up parties where persons under age 21 are drinking