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1. The following grades are taught.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Sixth grade				
High School	63	0	0	0 - 0
Middle School	106	73	69	62 - 75
Junior/Senior Combined	44	33	77	68 - 86
Overall	213	106	50	46 - 54
Seventh grade				
High School	63	0	0	0 - 0
Middle School	116	113	97	95 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	46	95	90 - 100
Overall	228	159	70	66 - 73
Eighth grade				
High School	62	0	0	0 - 0
Middle School	116	110	95	92 - 98
Junior/Senior Combined	50	49	98	96 - 100
Overall	228	159	70	66 - 73
Ninth grade				
High School	91	84	92	88 - 96
Middle School	87	19	22	16 - 29
Junior/Senior Combined	50	50	100	100 - 100
Overall	228	153	68	64 - 71
Tenth grade				
High School	95	95	100	100 - 100
Middle School	84	0	0	0 - 0
Junior/Senior Combined	50	50	100	100 - 100
Overall	229	145	64	61 - 67
Eleventh grade				
High School	96	96	100	100 - 100
Middle School	83	0	0	0 - 0
Junior/Senior Combined	50	50	100	100 - 100
Overall	229	146	64	61 - 67
Twelfth grade				
High School	98	98	100	100 - 100
Middle School	83	0	0	0 - 0
Junior/Senior Combined	50	50	100	100 - 100
Overall	231	148	65	62 - 67

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2. Health education is required for students in any of grades 6 through 12.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	97	91	93	89 - 98
Middle School	115	105	91	87 - 96
Junior/Senior Combined	47	44	93	86 - 100
Overall	259	240	92	89 - 95

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3. Required health education is taught in each of the following ways to students in grades 6 through 12.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
In a combined health education and physical education course				
High School	87	42	49	40 - 58
Middle School	96	59	61	53 - 69
Junior/Senior Combined	43	31	71	59 - 84
Overall	226	132	59	53 - 64
In a course mainly about another subject other than health education such as science, social studies, home economics, or English				
High School	81	14	17	11 - 24
Middle School	84	36	43	36 - 51
Junior/Senior Combined	35	7	19	8 - 31
Overall	200	57	28	24 - 33

*Among those schools that required health education for students in any of grades 6 through 12.

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4. Number of required health education courses students take in grades 6 through 12.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
0 courses				
High School	89	4	5	1 - 8
Middle School	102	15	14	8 - 20
Junior/Senior Combined	43	3	7	3 - 11
Overall	234	22	9	6 - 12
1 course				
High School	89	69	77	69 - 85
Middle School	102	33	33	25 - 42
Junior/Senior Combined	43	24	57	43 - 70
Overall	234	126	54	49 - 60
2 courses				
High School	89	12	14	8 - 21
Middle School	102	20	20	13 - 27
Junior/Senior Combined	43	8	19	9 - 28
Overall	234	40	17	13 - 22
3 courses				
High School	89	2	2	0 - 5
Middle School	102	27	26	18 - 34
Junior/Senior Combined	43	1	2	0 - 6
Overall	234	30	12	9 - 16
4 or more courses				
High School	89	2	2	0 - 4
Middle School	102	7	7	3 - 11
Junior/Senior Combined	43	7	16	6 - 26
Overall	234	16	7	4 - 9

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5. A required health education course is taught in each of the following grades.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Sixth grade				
High School				. - .
Middle School	55	41	74	63 - 84
Junior/Senior Combined	23	11	48	30 - 66
Overall	80	53	65	56 - 75
Seventh grade				
High School				. - .
Middle School	80	56	70	60 - 79
Junior/Senior Combined	32	18	56	41 - 71
Overall	114	75	65	57 - 73
Eighth grade				
High School				. - .
Middle School	78	64	81	74 - 89
Junior/Senior Combined	36	21	59	45 - 74
Overall	117	87	74	67 - 81
Ninth grade				
High School	68	50	74	64 - 83
Middle School	17	9	53	31 - 76
Junior/Senior Combined	38	30	78	66 - 91
Overall	123	89	72	65 - 79
Tenth grade				
High School	75	38	51	42 - 61
Middle School				. - .
Junior/Senior Combined	37	20	54	40 - 67
Overall	114	58	51	44 - 59
Eleventh grade				
High School	66	14	22	14 - 30
Middle School				. - .
Junior/Senior Combined	34	12	34	22 - 47
Overall	102	26	26	19 - 32
Twelfth grade				
High School	65	12	19	11 - 27
Middle School				. - .
Junior/Senior Combined	34	14	41	28 - 53
Overall	101	26	26	20 - 33

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6. Percent of students in grades 6 through 12 who are exempted or excused from any part of a required health education course by parental request.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Students cannot be exempted or excused				
High School	85	24	28	21 - 36
Middle School	84	11	13	7 - 19
Junior/Senior Combined	40	17	41	28 - 54
Overall	209	52	25	20 - 29
Less than 1%				
High School	85	48	56	47 - 65
Middle School	84	64	77	69 - 84
Junior/Senior Combined	40	20	50	38 - 62
Overall	209	132	63	58 - 69
1% to 5%				
High School	85	11	13	6 - 19
Middle School	84	9	11	5 - 16
Junior/Senior Combined	40	3	9	0 - 17
Overall	209	23	11	7 - 15
6% or more				
High School	85	2	3	0 - 5
Middle School	84	0	0	0 - 0
Junior/Senior Combined	40	0	0	0 - 0
Overall	209	2	1	0 - 2

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7. Students who fail a required health education course are required to repeat it.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	83	81	98	95 - 100
Middle School	84	14	17	10 - 23
Junior/Senior Combined	40	35	88	79 - 97
Overall	207	130	63	59 - 67

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8. Health education is coordinated by the following persons.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
No one coordinates health education in this school				
High School	97	3	3	0 - 6
Middle School	114	6	5	2 - 9
Junior/Senior Combined	49	3	7	0 - 13
Overall	260	12	5	2 - 7
District administrator				
High School	97	5	5	1 - 9
Middle School	114	14	12	8 - 17
Junior/Senior Combined	49	4	8	1 - 15
Overall	260	23	9	6 - 12
District health education or curriculum coordinator				
High School	97	18	18	12 - 25
Middle School	114	20	18	12 - 24
Junior/Senior Combined	49	1	2	0 - 6
Overall	260	39	15	11 - 19
School administrator				
High School	97	13	14	7 - 20
Middle School	114	15	13	8 - 18
Junior/Senior Combined	49	10	20	10 - 30
Overall	260	38	15	11 - 18
Health education teacher				
High School	97	49	50	41 - 58
Middle School	114	44	38	31 - 46
Junior/Senior Combined	49	23	46	34 - 59
Overall	260	116	44	39 - 49
School nurse				
High School	97	1	1	0 - 3
Middle School	114	6	5	2 - 8
Junior/Senior Combined	49	1	2	0 - 6
Overall	260	8	3	1 - 5
Someone else				
High School	97	8	9	5 - 12
Middle School	114	9	8	4 - 12
Junior/Senior Combined	49	7	15	7 - 22
Overall	260	24	10	7 - 12

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9. A newly hired health education teacher is required to be certified, licensed, or endorsed by the state in health education.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	96	79	82	77 - 87
Middle School	112	63	57	49 - 64
Junior/Senior Combined	47	30	65	53 - 76
Overall	255	172	68	63 - 72

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10. A school health committee or advisory group develops policies, coordinates activities, or seeks student and family involvement in programs that address health issues.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	97	56	59	51 - 67
Middle School	114	63	56	48 - 64
Junior/Senior Combined	48	22	46	35 - 58
Overall	259	141	55	50 - 60

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11. Physical education is required for students in any of grades 6 through 12.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	97	92	94	90 - 98
Middle School	117	114	97	96 - 99
Junior/Senior Combined	50	48	95	90 - 100
Overall	264	254	96	94 - 98

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12. Number of required physical education courses students take in grades 6 through 12.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
0 courses				
High School	92	0	0	0 - 0
Middle School	112	0	0	0 - 0
Junior/Senior Combined	48	0	0	0 - 0
Overall	252	0	0	0 - 0
1 course				
High School	92	3	3	0 - 7
Middle School	112	9	8	4 - 12
Junior/Senior Combined	48	3	6	0 - 11
Overall	252	15	6	3 - 8
2-3 courses				
High School	92	67	72	65 - 79
Middle School	112	84	75	69 - 81
Junior/Senior Combined	48	18	39	25 - 52
Overall	252	169	67	62 - 71
4-5 courses				
High School	92	17	19	13 - 25
Middle School	112	11	10	5 - 15
Junior/Senior Combined	48	22	45	32 - 58
Overall	252	50	20	16 - 24
6-7 courses				
High School	92	4	4	1 - 8
Middle School	112	6	5	2 - 8
Junior/Senior Combined	48	4	9	1 - 16
Overall	252	14	5	3 - 8
8 or more courses				
High School	92	1	1	0 - 3
Middle School	112	2	2	0 - 4
Junior/Senior Combined	48	1	2	0 - 5
Overall	252	4	2	0 - 3

*Among those schools that required physical education for students in any of grades 6 through 12.

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13. A required physical education course is taught in each of the following grades.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Sixth grade				
High School				. - .
Middle School	71	70	99	96 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	33	31	94	86 - 100
Overall	107	103	96	93 - 99
Seventh grade				
High School				. - .
Middle School	106	106	100	100 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	43	41	95	89 - 100
Overall	152	149	98	96 - 100
Eighth grade				
High School				. - .
Middle School	103	102	99	98 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	46	41	90	82 - 97
Overall	152	145	96	93 - 98
Ninth grade				
High School	75	72	96	92 - 100
Middle School	22	17	77	61 - 93
Junior/Senior Combined	46	43	94	88 - 100
Overall	143	132	92	89 - 96
Tenth grade				
High School	85	70	82	75 - 90
Middle School				. - .
Junior/Senior Combined	45	39	87	78 - 95
Overall	133	111	83	78 - 89
Eleventh grade				
High School	79	43	55	45 - 64
Middle School				. - .
Junior/Senior Combined	38	18	47	35 - 60
Overall	119	62	52	44 - 60
Twelfth grade				
High School	75	40	54	44 - 64
Middle School				. - .
Junior/Senior Combined	38	18	47	35 - 60
Overall	115	59	52	44 - 60

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14. Students can be exempted from taking a required physical education course for any of the following reasons.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Enrollment in other courses				
High School	89	28	32	24 - 40
Middle School	111	28	25	18 - 32
Junior/Senior Combined	45	4	8	2 - 15
Overall	245	60	24	20 - 29
Participation in school sports				
High School	91	45	50	42 - 57
Middle School	112	21	18	12 - 25
Junior/Senior Combined	48	36	73	63 - 84
Overall	251	102	40	36 - 45
Participation in other school activities				
High School	88	35	40	33 - 48
Middle School	112	9	8	4 - 13
Junior/Senior Combined	45	12	26	15 - 37
Overall	245	56	23	19 - 27
Participation in community sports				
High School	90	18	21	14 - 28
Middle School	112	26	23	17 - 30
Junior/Senior Combined	46	13	29	17 - 41
Overall	248	57	24	20 - 28

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15. Students who fail a required physical education course are required to repeat it.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	91	86	95	90 - 99
Middle School	110	15	13	9 - 18
Junior/Senior Combined	48	43	90	83 - 97
Overall	249	144	58	55 - 61

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16. A newly hired physical education teacher or specialist is required to be certified, licensed, or endorsed by the state in physical education.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	96	90	93	89 - 97
Middle School	113	97	86	81 - 90
Junior/Senior Combined	49	42	86	78 - 94
Overall	258	229	89	86 - 91

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17. Students are offered opportunities to participate in before- or after-school intramural activities or physical activity clubs.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	98	58	59	51 - 67
Middle School	117	88	76	71 - 82
Junior/Senior Combined	50	24	48	36 - 60
Overall	265	170	64	60 - 69

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18. Transportation home is provided for students who participate in after-school intramural activities or physical activity clubs.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	58	18	31	21 - 40
Middle School	88	49	56	48 - 65
Junior/Senior Combined	24	7	28	13 - 43
Overall	170	74	44	38 - 49

*Among those schools that offered students opportunities to participate in before- or after-school intramural activities or physical activity clubs.

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19. Outside of school hours or when school is not in session, children or adolescents use the school's activity or athletic facilities for community-sponsored sports teams or physical activity programs.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	95	81	84	79 - 89
Middle School	114	111	97	95 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	50	41	82	75 - 89
Overall	259	233	89	87 - 92

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20. School has adopted a policy prohibiting tobacco use.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	98	98	100	100 - 100
Middle School	117	117	100	100 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	50	49	98	95 - 100
Overall	265	264	100	99 - 100

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21A. The tobacco prevention policy specifically prohibits the use of each type of tobacco for students.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Cigarettes				
High School	98	96	98	95 - 100
Middle School	116	111	96	93 - 99
Junior/Senior Combined	49	49	100	100 - 100
Overall	263	256	97	96 - 99
Smokeless tobacco				
High School	97	95	98	95 - 100
Middle School	116	110	95	92 - 98
Junior/Senior Combined	48	48	100	100 - 100
Overall	261	253	97	95 - 99
Cigars				
High School	97	94	97	94 - 100
Middle School	116	106	92	88 - 96
Junior/Senior Combined	49	45	92	85 - 98
Overall	262	245	94	91 - 96
Pipes				
High School	97	94	97	94 - 100
Middle School	115	105	92	88 - 96
Junior/Senior Combined	49	45	92	85 - 98
Overall	261	244	94	91 - 96

*Among those schools that adopted a policy prohibiting tobacco use.

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21B. The tobacco prevention policy specifically prohibits the use of each type of tobacco for faculty/staff.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Cigarettes				
High School	98	92	94	89 - 98
Middle School	111	102	92	88 - 96
Junior/Senior Combined	49	44	90	83 - 97
Overall	258	238	92	90 - 95
Smokeless tobacco				
High School	97	90	93	88 - 97
Middle School	111	102	92	88 - 96
Junior/Senior Combined	49	43	88	81 - 96
Overall	257	235	92	89 - 94
Cigars				
High School	96	90	94	90 - 98
Middle School	111	99	89	85 - 94
Junior/Senior Combined	49	40	82	73 - 91
Overall	256	229	90	87 - 93
Pipes				
High School	96	90	94	90 - 98
Middle School	110	98	89	85 - 94
Junior/Senior Combined	49	40	82	73 - 91
Overall	255	228	90	87 - 93

*Among those schools that adopted a policy prohibiting tobacco use.

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21C. The tobacco prevention policy specifically prohibits the use of each type of tobacco for visitors.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Cigarettes				
High School	98	93	95	91 - 99
Middle School	112	103	92	88 - 96
Junior/Senior Combined	49	44	90	83 - 97
Overall	259	240	93	90 - 95
Smokeless tobacco				
High School	97	89	92	88 - 96
Middle School	111	102	92	88 - 96
Junior/Senior Combined	49	43	88	81 - 96
Overall	257	234	91	88 - 94
Cigars				
High School	97	91	94	90 - 98
Middle School	112	100	90	85 - 94
Junior/Senior Combined	49	40	82	73 - 91
Overall	258	231	90	87 - 93
Pipes				
High School	97	91	94	90 - 98
Middle School	112	100	90	85 - 94
Junior/Senior Combined	49	40	82	73 - 91
Overall	258	231	90	87 - 93

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22A. The tobacco prevention policy specifically prohibits tobacco use during each of the following times for students.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
During school hours				
High School	98	97	99	97 - 100
Middle School	117	117	100	100 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	48	48	100	100 - 100
Overall	263	262	100	99 - 100
During non-school hours				
High School	98	86	88	82 - 94
Middle School	114	106	93	89 - 97
Junior/Senior Combined	48	41	86	77 - 94
Overall	260	233	90	86 - 93

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22B. The tobacco prevention policy specifically prohibits tobacco use during each of the following times for faculty/staff.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
During school hours				
High School	98	94	96	93 - 99
Middle School	113	109	96	93 - 99
Junior/Senior Combined	48	44	92	86 - 98
Overall	259	247	95	93 - 98
During non-school hours				
High School	98	79	81	73 - 88
Middle School	110	92	84	79 - 89
Junior/Senior Combined	48	34	71	60 - 83
Overall	256	205	80	76 - 85

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22C. The tobacco prevention policy specifically prohibits tobacco use during each of the following times for visitors.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
During school hours				
High School	96	92	96	92 - 99
Middle School	115	110	96	92 - 99
Junior/Senior Combined	47	43	92	86 - 99
Overall	258	245	95	93 - 97
During non-school hours				
High School	95	78	82	75 - 89
Middle School	111	93	84	79 - 89
Junior/Senior Combined	46	33	73	61 - 84
Overall	252	204	81	77 - 85

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23A. The tobacco prevention policy specifically prohibits tobacco use in each of the following locations for students.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
In school buildings				
High School	98	97	99	97 - 100
Middle School	117	116	99	98 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	49	100	100 - 100
Overall	264	262	99	98 - 100
On school grounds				
High School	98	98	100	100 - 100
Middle School	117	117	100	100 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	49	100	100 - 100
Overall	264	264	100	100 - 100
In school buses or other vehicles used to transport students				
High School	98	96	98	95 - 100
Middle School	116	116	100	100 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	49	100	100 - 100
Overall	263	261	99	98 - 100
At off-campus, school-sponsored events				
High School	98	93	95	91 - 99
Middle School	117	114	98	95 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	48	43	89	82 - 97
Overall	263	250	95	93 - 97

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23B. The tobacco prevention policy specifically prohibits tobacco use in each of the following locations for faculty/staff.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
In school buildings				
High School	96	94	98	95 - 100
Middle School	114	112	98	97 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	47	96	92 - 100
Overall	259	253	98	96 - 99
On school grounds				
High School	96	94	98	96 - 100
Middle School	113	112	99	98 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	46	94	88 - 100
Overall	258	252	98	96 - 99
In school buses or other vehicles used to transport students				
High School	96	93	97	94 - 100
Middle School	113	111	98	97 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	47	96	92 - 100
Overall	258	251	97	96 - 99
At off-campus, school-sponsored events				
High School	96	85	89	84 - 95
Middle School	112	104	93	89 - 97
Junior/Senior Combined	48	38	79	68 - 90
Overall	256	227	89	86 - 92

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23C. The tobacco prevention policy specifically prohibits tobacco use in each of the following locations for visitors.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
In school buildings				
High School	96	94	98	95 - 100
Middle School	114	112	98	97 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	47	96	92 - 100
Overall	259	253	98	96 - 99
On school grounds				
High School	96	95	99	97 - 100
Middle School	114	113	99	98 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	46	94	88 - 100
Overall	259	254	98	97 - 100
In school buses or other vehicles used to transport students				
High School	94	91	97	94 - 100
Middle School	113	111	98	97 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	45	92	86 - 98
Overall	256	247	97	95 - 98
At off-campus, school-sponsored events				
High School	95	75	80	73 - 87
Middle School	111	94	85	80 - 90
Junior/Senior Combined	48	31	64	54 - 75
Overall	254	200	79	75 - 83

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24. There are procedures to inform each of the following groups about the tobacco prevention policy that prohibits their use of tobacco.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Students				
High School	98	98	100	100 - 100
Middle School	116	115	99	98 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	49	100	100 - 100
Overall	263	262	100	99 - 100
Faculty and staff				
High School	98	96	98	96 - 100
Middle School	112	106	95	91 - 98
Junior/Senior Combined	49	45	92	86 - 99
Overall	259	247	96	93 - 98
Visitors				
High School	94	87	92	88 - 97
Middle School	110	96	88	82 - 93
Junior/Senior Combined	48	40	84	76 - 91
Overall	252	223	89	85 - 92

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25. There are procedures to inform parents about the policy that prohibits tobacco use by students.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	98	96	98	96 - 100
Middle School	116	114	98	97 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	49	100	100 - 100
Overall	263	259	99	98 - 100

*Among those schools that adopted a policy prohibiting tobacco use.

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26. A designated individual has primary responsibility for seeing that the tobacco use prevention policy is enforced.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	98	63	64	56 - 73
Middle School	116	78	68	60 - 75
Junior/Senior Combined	49	29	59	46 - 71
Overall	263	170	65	60 - 70

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27A. The following actions are NEVER taken when students are caught smoking cigarettes.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Parents or guardians are informed				
High School	98	2	2	0 - 5
Middle School	116	0	0	0 - 0
Junior/Senior Combined	46	0	0	0 - 0
Overall	260	2	1	0 - 2
Referred to a school counselor				
High School	97	10	11	5 - 17
Middle School	113	8	7	3 - 11
Junior/Senior Combined	44	3	8	0 - 15
Overall	254	21	9	6 - 12
Referred to a school administrator				
High School	98	1	1	0 - 3
Middle School	116	0	0	0 - 0
Junior/Senior Combined	45	0	0	0 - 0
Overall	259	1	0	0 - 1
Encouraged, but not required to participate in an assistance, education, or cessation program				
High School	97	11	12	6 - 18
Middle School	114	11	10	5 - 15
Junior/Senior Combined	43	6	15	5 - 24
Overall	254	28	12	8 - 15
Required to participate in an assistance, education, or cessation program				
High School	96	17	18	12 - 25
Middle School	111	27	24	17 - 31
Junior/Senior Combined	45	12	27	16 - 38
Overall	252	56	23	18 - 27
Referred to legal authorities				
High School	96	27	29	22 - 37
Middle School	115	28	24	18 - 31
Junior/Senior Combined	44	7	17	7 - 28
Overall	255	62	25	21 - 29
Placed in detention				
High School	95	35	37	29 - 45
Middle School	112	37	33	26 - 41
Junior/Senior Combined	45	17	38	26 - 50
Overall	252	89	36	31 - 41

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27A. The following actions are NEVER taken when students are caught smoking cigarettes.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Given in-school suspension				
High School	95	31	33	27 - 40
Middle School	112	20	18	12 - 25
Junior/Senior Combined	44	14	33	22 - 44
Overall	251	65	27	22 - 31
Suspended from school				
High School	95	6	7	2 - 12
Middle School	114	3	3	0 - 5
Junior/Senior Combined	44	6	14	5 - 24
Overall	253	15	6	4 - 9

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27B. The following actions are RARELY taken when students are caught smoking cigarettes.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Parents or guardians are informed				
High School	98	0	0	0 - 0
Middle School	116	0	0	0 - 0
Junior/Senior Combined	46	1	2	0 - 5
Overall	260	1	0	0 - 1
Referred to a school counselor				
High School	97	25	27	19 - 34
Middle School	113	16	14	9 - 20
Junior/Senior Combined	44	5	11	3 - 20
Overall	254	46	19	14 - 23
Referred to a school administrator				
High School	98	0	0	0 - 0
Middle School	116	0	0	0 - 0
Junior/Senior Combined	45	3	8	0 - 15
Overall	259	3	1	0 - 3
Encouraged, but not required to participate in an assistance, education, or cessation program				
High School	97	9	9	4 - 15
Middle School	114	13	11	6 - 16
Junior/Senior Combined	43	5	11	3 - 20
Overall	254	27	11	7 - 14
Required to participate in an assistance, education, or cessation program				
High School	96	25	26	19 - 34
Middle School	111	12	11	6 - 16
Junior/Senior Combined	45	8	17	7 - 27
Overall	252	45	18	14 - 22
Referred to legal authorities				
High School	96	26	27	19 - 35
Middle School	115	30	26	19 - 34
Junior/Senior Combined	44	15	33	21 - 45
Overall	255	71	28	23 - 33
Placed in detention				
High School	95	8	9	4 - 14
Middle School	112	14	13	7 - 18
Junior/Senior Combined	45	6	13	4 - 23
Overall	252	28	11	8 - 15

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27B. The following actions are RARELY taken when students are caught smoking cigarettes.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Given in-school suspension				
High School	95	10	11	6 - 17
Middle School	112	14	12	7 - 17
Junior/Senior Combined	44	8	18	7 - 28
Overall	251	32	13	9 - 16
Suspended from school				
High School	95	14	15	8 - 21
Middle School	114	8	7	3 - 11
Junior/Senior Combined	44	5	12	4 - 21
Overall	253	27	11	7 - 14

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27C. The following actions are SOMETIMES taken when students are caught smoking cigarettes.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Parents or guardians are informed				
High School	98	7	7	3 - 12
Middle School	116	2	2	0 - 4
Junior/Senior Combined	46	1	2	0 - 5
Overall	260	10	4	2 - 6
Referred to a school counselor				
High School	97	37	37	29 - 44
Middle School	113	30	26	19 - 33
Junior/Senior Combined	44	17	38	25 - 50
Overall	254	84	32	28 - 37
Referred to a school administrator				
High School	98	8	8	4 - 12
Middle School	116	1	1	0 - 3
Junior/Senior Combined	45	3	7	0 - 13
Overall	259	12	5	3 - 6
Encouraged, but not required to participate in an assistance, education, or cessation program				
High School	97	43	45	36 - 54
Middle School	114	35	30	23 - 37
Junior/Senior Combined	43	14	33	19 - 46
Overall	254	92	36	31 - 42
Required to participate in an assistance, education, or cessation program				
High School	96	36	37	28 - 45
Middle School	111	46	42	33 - 50
Junior/Senior Combined	45	14	31	19 - 43
Overall	252	96	38	32 - 43
Referred to legal authorities				
High School	96	31	31	24 - 39
Middle School	115	40	35	28 - 42
Junior/Senior Combined	44	14	32	20 - 43
Overall	255	85	33	28 - 38
Placed in detention				
High School	95	33	35	28 - 43
Middle School	112	40	36	28 - 43
Junior/Senior Combined	45	14	32	21 - 42
Overall	252	87	35	30 - 40

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27C. The following actions are SOMETIMES taken when students are caught smoking cigarettes.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Given in-school suspension				
High School	95	38	39	31 - 47
Middle School	112	56	50	43 - 57
Junior/Senior Combined	44	16	36	25 - 48
Overall	251	110	44	39 - 48
Suspended from school				
High School	95	47	50	41 - 59
Middle School	114	47	42	34 - 49
Junior/Senior Combined	44	16	35	22 - 47
Overall	253	110	44	38 - 49

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27D. The following actions are ALWAYS or ALMOST ALWAYS taken when students are caught smoking cigarettes.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Parents or guardians are informed				
High School	98	89	90	85 - 96
Middle School	116	114	98	96 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	46	44	96	91 - 100
Overall	260	247	95	92 - 97
Referred to a school counselor				
High School	97	25	25	18 - 32
Middle School	113	59	52	43 - 61
Junior/Senior Combined	44	19	43	32 - 55
Overall	254	103	40	35 - 45
Referred to a school administrator				
High School	98	89	91	86 - 95
Middle School	116	115	99	97 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	45	39	86	76 - 95
Overall	259	243	93	91 - 96
Encouraged, but not required to participate in an assistance, education, or cessation program				
High School	97	34	34	26 - 41
Middle School	114	55	49	40 - 57
Junior/Senior Combined	43	18	41	28 - 54
Overall	254	107	41	36 - 47
Required to participate in an assistance, education, or cessation program				
High School	96	18	19	12 - 26
Middle School	111	26	24	16 - 31
Junior/Senior Combined	45	11	24	13 - 36
Overall	252	55	22	17 - 27
Referred to legal authorities				
High School	96	12	12	7 - 18
Middle School	115	17	15	9 - 20
Junior/Senior Combined	44	8	18	9 - 26
Overall	255	37	14	11 - 18
Placed in detention				
High School	95	19	19	12 - 25
Middle School	112	21	18	12 - 25
Junior/Senior Combined	45	8	17	8 - 26
Overall	252	48	18	14 - 22

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27D. The following actions are ALWAYS or ALMOST ALWAYS taken when students are caught smoking cigarettes.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Given in-school suspension				
High School	95	16	16	10 - 22
Middle School	112	22	20	13 - 26
Junior/Senior Combined	44	6	13	5 - 21
Overall	251	44	17	13 - 21
Suspended from school				
High School	95	28	29	21 - 36
Middle School	114	56	49	40 - 57
Junior/Senior Combined	44	17	39	27 - 50
Overall	253	101	39	34 - 44

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28. Referrals are provided to tobacco cessation programs for each of the following groups.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Faculty and staff				
High School	98	30	32	24 - 40
Middle School	116	29	25	19 - 32
Junior/Senior Combined	47	11	23	13 - 34
Overall	261	70	27	23 - 32
Students				
High School	97	81	83	77 - 89
Middle School	114	90	79	73 - 86
Junior/Senior Combined	48	33	68	57 - 80
Overall	259	204	79	75 - 83

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29. Tobacco advertising is prohibited in each of the following locations.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
In the school building				
High School	98	93	95	91 - 99
Middle School	117	115	98	96 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	48	98	94 - 100
Overall	264	256	97	95 - 99
On school grounds including on the outside of the building, on playing fields, or other areas of the campus				
High School	98	93	95	91 - 99
Middle School	117	115	98	96 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	48	98	94 - 100
Overall	264	256	97	95 - 99
On school buses or other vehicles used to transport students				
High School	97	92	95	91 - 99
Middle School	117	113	97	94 - 99
Junior/Senior Combined	49	47	96	90 - 100
Overall	263	252	96	94 - 98
In school publications				
High School	98	92	94	90 - 98
Middle School	117	115	98	96 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	46	93	87 - 100
Overall	264	253	96	94 - 98

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30. Tobacco advertising through sponsorship of school events is prohibited.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	98	92	93	90 - 97
Middle School	115	107	93	89 - 97
Junior/Senior Combined	49	46	94	89 - 100
Overall	262	245	93	91 - 96

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31. Students are prohibited from wearing tobacco brand-name apparel or carrying merchandise with tobacco company names, logos, or cartoon characters on it.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	98	89	91	86 - 95
Middle School	117	115	98	96 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	45	91	84 - 99
Overall	264	249	94	92 - 96

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32. Signs are posted marking a tobacco-free school zone, that is, a specified distance from school grounds where tobacco use by students, faculty and staff, and visitors is not allowed.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	97	79	81	74 - 88
Middle School	114	96	84	79 - 90
Junior/Senior Combined	49	43	88	81 - 94
Overall	260	218	84	80 - 88

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33. Students usually have the following amount of time to eat lunch once they are seated.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Less than 20 minutes				
High School	98	15	15	10 - 20
Middle School	117	16	14	8 - 19
Junior/Senior Combined	49	10	20	10 - 30
Overall	264	41	15	12 - 19
20 minutes or more				
High School	98	78	79	73 - 85
Middle School	117	101	86	81 - 92
Junior/Senior Combined	49	33	67	55 - 80
Overall	264	212	80	76 - 84
This school does not serve lunch to students				
High School	98	5	6	2 - 9
Middle School	117	0	0	0 - 0
Junior/Senior Combined	49	6	13	4 - 21
Overall	264	11	4	2 - 6

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34. There is a school or district policy stating that fruits or vegetables will be offered at school settings such as student parties, after-school programs, staff meetings, parents' meetings, or concession stands.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	97	10	11	5 - 16
Middle School	115	9	8	4 - 13
Junior/Senior Combined	48	5	11	3 - 19
Overall	260	24	10	7 - 13

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35. Students can purchase snack foods or beverages from vending machines or at the school store, canteen, or snack bar.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	98	95	96	93 - 100
Middle School	117	104	89	85 - 93
Junior/Senior Combined	49	41	83	75 - 92
Overall	264	240	91	88 - 93

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36. Students can purchase each snack food or beverage from vending machines or at the school store, canteen, or snack bar.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Chocolate candy				
High School	95	82	86	81 - 92
Middle School	102	56	54	46 - 63
Junior/Senior Combined	41	33	79	69 - 90
Overall	238	171	72	67 - 76
Other kinds of candy				
High School	95	86	91	86 - 96
Middle School	102	59	58	50 - 66
Junior/Senior Combined	41	33	79	69 - 90
Overall	238	178	75	70 - 79
Salty snacks that are not low in fat, such as regular potato chips				
High School	95	87	92	87 - 97
Middle School	102	70	68	61 - 76
Junior/Senior Combined	41	34	83	74 - 92
Overall	238	191	80	76 - 84
Salty snacks that are low in fat, such as pretzels, baked chips, or other low fat chips				
High School	94	84	89	84 - 95
Middle School	101	80	79	73 - 86
Junior/Senior Combined	41	34	82	73 - 91
Overall	236	198	84	80 - 88
Fruits or vegetables				
High School	95	47	49	40 - 58
Middle School	100	45	45	38 - 52
Junior/Senior Combined	41	16	39	25 - 52
Overall	236	108	46	40 - 51
Low-fat cookies, crackers, cakes, pastries, or other low-fat baked goods				
High School	91	65	70	62 - 79
Middle School	101	59	58	50 - 66
Junior/Senior Combined	41	26	64	52 - 76
Overall	233	150	64	59 - 69
Soft drinks, sports drinks, or fruit drinks that are not 100% juice				
High School	95	94	99	97 - 100
Middle School	103	97	94	90 - 98
Junior/Senior Combined	41	40	98	94 - 100
Overall	239	231	97	95 - 99

*Among those schools where students can purchase snack foods or beverages from vending machines or at the school store, canteen, or snack bar.

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36. Students can purchase each snack food or beverage from vending machines or at the school store, canteen, or snack bar.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
100% fruit juice				
High School	94	83	88	82 - 94
Middle School	101	86	85	79 - 91
Junior/Senior Combined	41	35	84	76 - 93
Overall	236	204	86	82 - 90
Bottled water				
High School	95	92	97	94 - 100
Middle School	103	99	96	93 - 99
Junior/Senior Combined	41	38	92	87 - 97
Overall	239	229	96	94 - 98

*Among those schools where students can purchase snack foods or beverages from vending machines or at the school store, canteen, or snack bar.

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37. Students can purchase candy; high fat snacks; or soft drinks, sports drinks, or fruit drinks that are not 100% fruit juice during the following times.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Before classes begin in the morning				
High School	95	87	91	86 - 96
Middle School	102	46	45	37 - 53
Junior/Senior Combined	40	34	85	74 - 95
Overall	237	167	70	66 - 75
During any school hours when meals are not being served				
High School	95	70	74	66 - 81
Middle School	102	31	30	22 - 38
Junior/Senior Combined	40	24	59	46 - 72
Overall	237	125	53	48 - 58
During school lunch periods				
High School	94	80	85	78 - 91
Middle School	103	81	79	71 - 86
Junior/Senior Combined	41	35	85	75 - 95
Overall	238	196	82	78 - 87

*Among those schools where students can purchase snack foods or beverages from vending machines or at the school store, canteen, or snack bar.

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38. Each of the following safety and security measures is implemented.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Require visitors to report to the main office or reception area upon arrival				
High School	98	98	100	100 - 100
Middle School	116	116	100	100 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	47	96	91 - 100
Overall	263	261	99	98 - 100
Maintain a "closed campus" where students are not allowed to leave school during the school day, including during lunchtime				
High School	97	58	59	50 - 68
Middle School	115	113	98	96 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	49	23	48	35 - 60
Overall	261	194	74	70 - 78
Use staff or adult volunteers to monitor school halls during and between classes				
High School	98	79	80	73 - 86
Middle School	115	109	95	91 - 98
Junior/Senior Combined	48	37	76	65 - 88
Overall	261	225	86	82 - 89
Routinely conduct bag, desk, or locker checks				
High School	98	26	26	19 - 33
Middle School	115	37	32	24 - 39
Junior/Senior Combined	49	15	31	19 - 44
Overall	262	78	29	25 - 34
Prohibit students from carrying backpacks or book bags at school				
High School	98	5	4	1 - 8
Middle School	115	34	29	22 - 36
Junior/Senior Combined	49	3	6	0 - 12
Overall	262	42	16	12 - 19
Require students to wear school uniforms				
High School	97	3	3	0 - 5
Middle School	115	2	2	0 - 4
Junior/Senior Combined	49	1	2	0 - 5
Overall	261	6	2	1 - 4
Require students to wear identification badges				
High School	96	5	5	1 - 9
Middle School	115	4	4	1 - 6
Junior/Senior Combined	49	1	2	0 - 5
Overall	260	10	4	2 - 6

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38. Each of the following safety and security measures is implemented.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Use metal detectors				
High School	96	7	7	3 - 11
Middle School	114	1	1	0 - 3
Junior/Senior Combined	49	2	4	0 - 8
Overall	259	10	4	2 - 6
Have uniformed police, undercover police, or security guards during the regular school day				
High School	96	55	57	50 - 64
Middle School	115	47	41	35 - 48
Junior/Senior Combined	49	6	13	4 - 21
Overall	260	108	42	38 - 46

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39. School has or participates in each of the following programs.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
A peer mediation program				
High School	97	37	38	31 - 45
Middle School	115	52	46	38 - 54
Junior/Senior Combined	49	12	24	14 - 35
Overall	261	101	39	34 - 44
A safe-passage to school program				
High School	97	5	5	1 - 9
Middle School	115	4	3	1 - 6
Junior/Senior Combined	49	1	2	0 - 5
Overall	261	10	4	2 - 6
A program to prevent gang violence				
High School	97	31	33	25 - 41
Middle School	115	29	26	20 - 32
Junior/Senior Combined	49	11	23	14 - 32
Overall	261	71	28	24 - 32
A program to prevent bullying				
High School	97	57	58	50 - 67
Middle School	114	91	80	75 - 86
Junior/Senior Combined	49	28	57	48 - 67
Overall	260	176	68	63 - 72

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40. There is a written plan for responding to violence at this school.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	95	90	94	90 - 98
Middle School	113	107	94	91 - 97
Junior/Senior Combined	48	44	91	84 - 98
Overall	256	241	94	91 - 96

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41. The following school-based asthma management activities are implemented.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Provide a full-time registered nurse, all day every day				
High School	96	22	22	15 - 30
Middle School	116	12	11	6 - 16
Junior/Senior Combined	48	8	17	9 - 25
Overall	260	42	16	12 - 20
Identify and track all students with asthma				
High School	97	88	91	85 - 96
Middle School	115	109	95	91 - 98
Junior/Senior Combined	48	44	91	84 - 98
Overall	260	241	92	90 - 95
Obtain and use an Asthma Action Plan (or Individualized Health Plan) for all students with asthma				
High School	94	72	77	70 - 84
Middle School	116	89	77	70 - 83
Junior/Senior Combined	48	36	74	63 - 85
Overall	258	197	76	72 - 81
Assure immediate access to medications as prescribed by a physician and approved by parents (allow students to self-carry inhalers)				
High School	96	89	92	88 - 97
Middle School	115	113	98	97 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	48	41	86	77 - 95
Overall	259	243	94	91 - 96
Provide intensive case management for students with asthma who are absent 10 days or more per year				
High School	94	39	42	33 - 51
Middle School	114	38	34	27 - 41
Junior/Senior Combined	45	14	32	22 - 43
Overall	253	91	37	32 - 42
Educate school staff about asthma				
High School	96	54	57	49 - 65
Middle School	116	58	50	42 - 58
Junior/Senior Combined	48	27	56	44 - 68
Overall	260	139	54	49 - 59
Educate students with asthma about asthma management				
High School	93	48	52	43 - 61
Middle School	113	64	57	49 - 65
Junior/Senior Combined	48	20	42	30 - 54
Overall	254	132	52	47 - 58

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41. The following school-based asthma management activities are implemented.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Teach asthma awareness to all students in at least one grade				
High School	96	22	22	16 - 29
Middle School	111	15	14	8 - 20
Junior/Senior Combined	46	11	23	13 - 34
Overall	253	48	19	15 - 23
Encourage full participation in physical education and physical activity when students with asthma are doing well				
High School	97	90	92	88 - 96
Middle School	115	114	99	98 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	48	42	87	78 - 95
Overall	260	246	94	92 - 96
Provide modified physical education and physical activities as indicated by the student's Asthma Action Plan				
High School	96	84	87	82 - 93
Middle School	114	106	93	89 - 97
Junior/Senior Combined	47	36	76	66 - 86
Overall	257	226	88	84 - 91

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42. There is a written policy that protects the rights of students and/or staff with HIV infection or AIDS.

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Yes				
High School	92	66	73	64 - 81
Middle School	113	76	68	61 - 74
Junior/Senior Combined	47	30	63	52 - 75
Overall	252	172	69	64 - 74

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43. The HIV infection policy addresses each of the following issues for students and/or staff with HIV infection or AIDS.*

	Number	Response	Percent	95% Confidence
Attendance of students with HIV infection				
High School	61	57	93	88 - 99
Middle School	65	56	86	78 - 93
Junior/Senior Combined	28	28	100	100 - 100
Overall	154	141	91	88 - 95
Procedures to protect HIV-infected students and staff from discrimination				
High School	61	60	99	96 - 100
Middle School	66	61	92	87 - 98
Junior/Senior Combined	28	26	92	83 - 100
Overall	155	147	95	92 - 98
Maintaining confidentiality of HIV-infected students and staff				
High School	61	61	100	100 - 100
Middle School	66	63	95	91 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	28	28	100	100 - 100
Overall	155	152	98	96 - 100
Worksite safety				
High School	61	60	99	96 - 100
Middle School	66	65	99	96 - 100
Junior/Senior Combined	28	27	96	89 - 100
Overall	155	152	98	96 - 100
Confidential counseling for HIV-infected students				
High School	60	48	81	73 - 89
Middle School	66	50	76	68 - 85
Junior/Senior Combined	28	26	93	85 - 100
Overall	154	124	81	76 - 86
Communication of the policy to students, school staff, and parents				
High School	61	54	89	83 - 96
Middle School	66	52	79	71 - 88
Junior/Senior Combined	28	26	93	86 - 100
Overall	155	132	86	81 - 90
Adequate training about HIV infection for school staff				
High School	62	58	93	88 - 99
Middle School	66	57	87	80 - 94
Junior/Senior Combined	28	26	94	86 - 100
Overall	156	141	91	87 - 95
Procedures for implementing the policy				
High School	62	60	97	94 - 100
Middle School	66	58	88	82 - 95
Junior/Senior Combined	28	27	97	91 - 100
Overall	156	145	94	90 - 97

*Among those schools that adopted a written policy that protects the rights of students and/or staff with HIV infection or AIDS.