



Emerging Risks for Adolescent Health

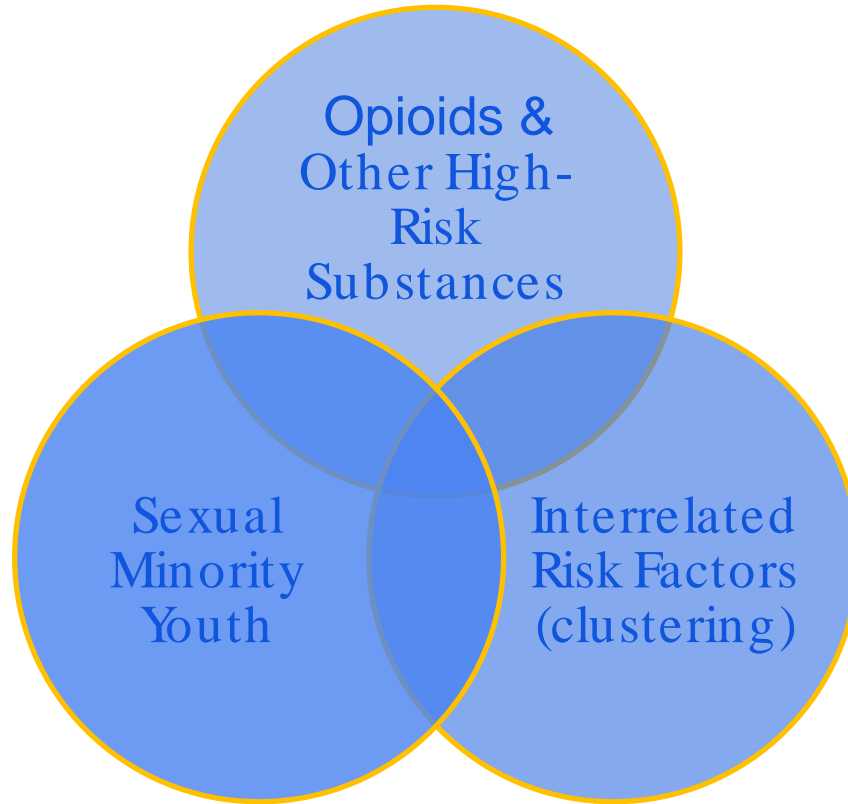
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Emerging (and Converging) Trends



Decline in Systems Level Policies & Practices

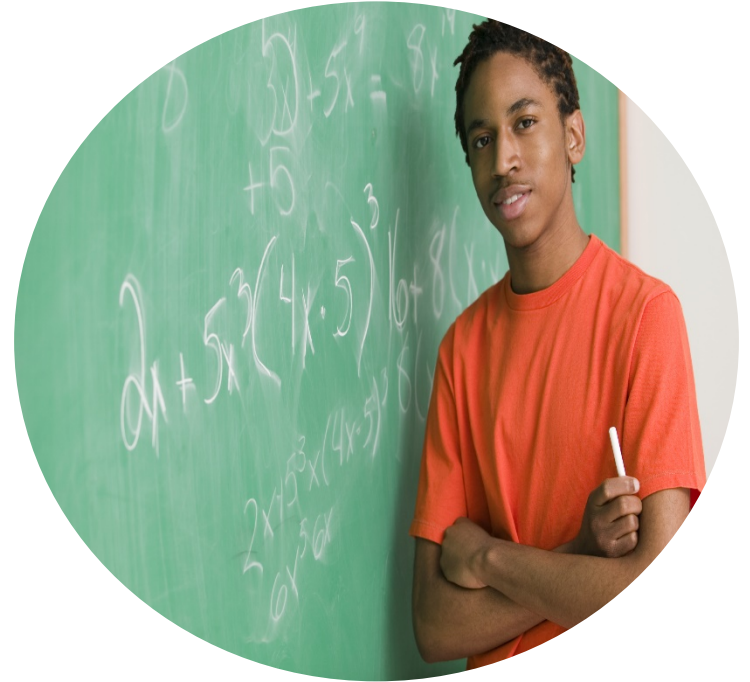
- In 2015 50% of school districts specify time requirements for health education in middle schools, down from more than 65% in 2006.
- Only 34% of school districts require full time nurses in their schools.
- Fewer than 2% of districts had policies requiring schools to provide health services such as testing for HIV and STDs.
- Fewer than 50% of districts require that health teachers get professional development on substance use, HIV, human sexuality, STDs, or suicide.

On the Horizon

Promoting Adolescent Health through School-Based HIV Prevention

CDC will begin a five year cooperative agreement to reduce HIV and STD and related risk behaviors among middle and high school students. This multi-component approach includes:

- School-based surveillance
- School-based HIV/STD prevention
- Technical assistance and capacity building



Up Next

2017 YRBS Data Release

- June 14th CDC will release
 - *MMWR* Surveillance Summary
 - Public data set
 - YRBS Data Summary and Trends Report
 - Covers the set of behaviors & experiences that place youth at highest risk for HIV and STD, including sexual behavior, violence victimization, mental health and suicide, and high risk substance use.
 - Includes 10 year trends and an additional focus on sexual minority youth



YRBSS Web site and Youth Online

www.cdc.gov/yrbs

The screenshot shows the CDC Adolescent and School Health page for the Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS). The page features a search bar, a navigation menu on the left, and a main content area. The main content area includes a title, social media icons, a date announcement for the 2017 data release, a brief description of the YRBSS, a list of behaviors monitored, and a list of additional measures. At the bottom, there are buttons for 'OVERVIEW' and 'METHODS'.

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Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS)

The 2017 YRBSS data and results are currently scheduled to be released on the afternoon of June 14, 2018.

The Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS) monitors six types of health-risk behaviors that contribute to the leading causes of death and disability among youth and adults, including—

- Behaviors that contribute to unintentional injuries and violence
- Sexual behaviors related to unintended pregnancy and sexually transmitted diseases, including HIV infection
- Alcohol and other drug use
- Tobacco use
- Unhealthy dietary behaviors
- Inadequate physical activity

YRBSS also measures the prevalence of obesity and asthma and other priority health-related behaviors plus sexual identity and sex of sexual contacts.

YRBSS includes a national school-based survey conducted by CDC and state, territorial, tribal, and local surveys conducted by state, territorial, and local education and health agencies and tribal governments.

OVERVIEW **METHODS**

The screenshot shows the CDC Youth Online YRBSS data analysis tool. The page features a search bar, a navigation menu on the left, and a main content area. The main content area includes a title, social media icons, a brief description of the tool, a date announcement for the 2017 data release, a list of behaviors monitored, and a list of additional measures. At the bottom, there are buttons for 'OVERVIEW' and 'METHODS'.

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High School YRBSS

Youth Online

Youth Online lets you analyze national, state, and local Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS) data from 1991–2015. Data from high school and middle school surveys are included. You can filter and sort on the basis of race/ethnicity, sex, grade, sexual orientation, or site, create customized tables, maps and graphs, and perform statistical tests by site and health topic. Please see [Youth Online Help](#) for more information using all Youth Online capabilities.

View data from: High School YRBSS Middle School YRBSS

View all responses for one location

View survey results for the United States, a state, a territory or selected location. To view U.S. data, click the View U.S. Data link. To choose a specific location, make a selection in the dropdown menu or click a location on the map.

Select Location: State, Local Site, Territory, or Other

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