

Table 105-0457¹

Exposure to second-hand smoke in vehicles and public places in the past month, by age group and sex, non-smoking household population aged 12 and over, Canada, provinces, territories, health regions (June 2005 boundaries) and peer groups, every 2 years

Survey or program details:

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Geography ^{2,3}	Age group	Sex	Exposure to second-hand smoke in vehicles and public places ¹⁰	Characteristics ^{12,13,14,15}	2005
Total, 12 years and over	Males	Both sexes	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	18,916
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	100.0
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	1,347
			Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	7.1
		Males	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	1,497 ^E
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	7.9 ^E
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
	Females	Both sexes	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	F
			Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	9,207
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	100.0
		Females	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	630 ^E
			Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	6.8 ^E
			Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	707 ^E
12 to 19 years	Males	Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	7.7 ^E
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
			Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	F
		Males	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	9,709
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	100.0
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	717 ^E
	Females	Both sexes	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	7.4 ^E
			Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	790 ^E
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	8.1 ^E
		Females	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
			Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	F
			Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	3,268
20 to 34 years	Males	Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	100.0
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	557 ^E
			Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	17.0 ^E
		Males	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	F
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	F
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
	Females	Both sexes	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	F
			Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	1,762
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	100.0
		Females	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	364 ^E
			Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	20.7 ^E
			Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	F
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	F
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
			Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	F
	Females	Both sexes	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	1,506
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	100.0
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
		Females	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	F
			Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	3,849
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	100.0
Total, 20 to 34 years	Males	Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
			Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	F
			Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	F
		Males	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	F
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
			Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	F
	Females	Both sexes	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	1,655
			Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Percent	100.0
		Females	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
			Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Percent	F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	2,194	

			Percent	100.0
		Both sexes	Number of persons	2,313
			Percent	10.4
		Both sexes	Number of persons	3,078
			Percent	13.9
		Both sexes	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Males	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	11,980
			Percent	100.0
		Males	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	1,213 ^E
			Percent	10.1
		Males	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	1,662
			Percent	13.9
		Males	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	F
			Percent	F
		Females	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	10,189
			Percent	100.0
		Females	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	1,100 ^E
			Percent	10.8 ^E
		Females	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	1,416
			Percent	13.9
		Females	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	F
			Percent	F
		Both sexes	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	4,707
			Percent	100.0
		Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	1,044 ^E
			Percent	22.2 ^E
		Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	F
			Percent	14.7 ^E
		Both sexes	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	F
			Percent	F
		Males	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	2,395
			Percent	100.0
		Males	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	393 ^E
			Percent	16.4 ^E
		Males	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	F
			Percent	F
		Males	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	F
			Percent	F
		Females	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	2,312
			Percent	100.0
		Females	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	652 ^E
			Percent	28.2 ^E
		Females	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	F
			Percent	F
		Females	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	F
			Percent	F
		Both sexes	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	6,243
			Percent	100.0
		Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	582 ^E
			Percent	9.3 ^E
		Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	1,001 ^E
			Percent	16.0 ^E
		Both sexes	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	F
			Percent	F
		Males	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	3,211
			Percent	100.0
		Males	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	332 ^E
			Percent	10.4 ^E
		Males	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	624 ^E
			Percent	19.4 ^E
		Males	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	F
			Percent	F
		Females	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	3,032
			Percent	100.0
		Females	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	249 ^E
			Percent	8.2 ^E
		Females	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	378 ^E
			Percent	12.5 ^E
		Females	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	F
			Percent	F
		Both sexes	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	3,830
			Percent	100.0
		Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	F
			Percent	F
		Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	F
			Percent	F

35 to 44 years	Males	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
		Percent	F	
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	2,253
		Percent		100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
	Females	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
		Percent		F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
		Percent		F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	1,577
		Percent		100.0
	Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
		Percent		F
45 to 64 years	Males	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	6,173
		Percent		100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	987 ^E
	Females	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
		Percent		F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	3,532
		Percent		100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
		Percent		F
	Both sexes	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	2,641
		Percent		100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	438 ^E
65 years and over	Males	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
		Percent		F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	1,216
		Percent		100.0
	Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
		Percent		F
	Females	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	589
		Percent		100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
	Both sexes	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
		Percent		F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	627 ^E
		Percent		100.0
Total, 12 years and over	Males	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	8.4 ^E
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	11.0 ^E
		Percent		F
	Both sexes	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	7,018
		Percent		100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	591 ^E
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
		Percent		F
	Males	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	3,566
		Percent		100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	489 ^E

			Percent	13.7E
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Females	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	3,452
			Percent	100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
	Both sexes	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	1,859
			Percent	100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
	Males		Percent	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	341E
			Percent	18.3E
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
Nunavut [62]	12 to 19 years	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	1,055
			Percent	100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
	Females		Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	804
			Percent	100.0
	Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
	20 to 34 years		Percent	F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	1,977
			Percent	100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Males	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	954E
	Females		Percent	100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	35 to 44 years	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	1,231
			Percent	100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
	Both sexes		Percent	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Males	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	516E
			Percent	100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
	Females		Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	715E
			Percent	100.0
	Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F

		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Percent	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	1,594
			Percent	100.0
	Both sexes	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
45 to 64 years	Males	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	874
			Percent	100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
	Females	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	720 ^E
			Percent	100.0
	Females	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
65 years and over	Both sexes	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	356 ^E
			Percent	100.0
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
	Males	Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	F
			Percent	100.0
	Males	Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
	Females	Total non-smoking population ¹¹	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles	Number of persons	F
		Exposed to second-hand smoke in the past month, in public places	Number of persons	F
		Exposure to second-hand smoke in the past month, in vehicles and public places, not stated	Number of persons	F
			Percent	F

Symbol legend:

E Use with caution

F Too unreliable to be published

Footnotes:

1. Source: Statistics Canada, Canadian Community Health Survey (CCHS 3.1), 2005. The CANSIM table 105-0457 is an update of CANSIM table 105-0257.
2. Health regions are defined by the provincial ministries of health. These are legislated administrative areas in all provinces. The health regions presented in this table are based on boundaries and names in effect as of June 2005. For complete Canadian coverage, each of the northern territories also represents a health region.
3. A "peer group" is a grouping of health regions that have similar social and economic characteristics. The nine peer groups are identified by the letters A through I, which are appended to the health region 4-digit code.
10. Non-smoking population aged 12 and over who reported being exposed to second-hand smoke in private vehicles and/or public places on every day or almost every day in the past month.
11. The total does not correspond to the sum of the categories published in this table.
12. When comparing estimates, it is important to use confidence intervals to determine if differences between values are statistically significant. Confidence intervals describe sampling variability and give an indication of the precision of a given estimate.
13. Bootstrapping techniques were used to produce the coefficient of variation (CV) and 95% confidence intervals (CIs).
14. Data with a coefficient of variation (CV) from 16.6% to 33.3% are identified as follows: (E) use with caution.
15. Data with a coefficient of variation (CV) greater than 33.3% were suppressed due to extreme sampling variability and are identified as follows: (F) too unreliable to be published.

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