

UNWED BIRTH PREVENTION

Adolescent Sexual Activity Estimates

ASHLEY COUNTY, Arkansas

Youth population by age, 2006 U. S. Census

	5-9 years	10-14 years	15-17 years	18-19 years
Male	748	855	491	327
Female	726	855	483	322

Youth Risk Behavior Survey Categories	Estimated # of HS Males: 662		Estimated # of HS Females: 654		Est. Total: 1316
	%	#	%	#	Total
Percentage/number of students who have had sexual intercourse	54.8	363	55.3	362	725
Percentage/number of students who had sexual intercourse before age 13	12.7	84	5.8	38	122
Percentage/number of students who had sexual intercourse with four or more people during their life	21.9	145	16.1	105	250
Percentage/number of students who had sexual intercourse during the past three months	37.0	245	42.6	279	524
Of students who have had sexual intercourse, the percentage/number who drank alcohol or used drugs before last sexual intercourse	25.3	92	16.5	60	152
Of students who have had sexual intercourse, the percentage/number who did NOT use a condom during the last intercourse	36.3	132	45.0	163	295
Percentage/number of students who have been physically forced to have sexual intercourse when they did not want to.	9.2	61	18.8	123	184
Percentage/number of students hit, slapped, or physically hurt by boy/girl friend on purpose in past 12 months	13.3	88	15.1	99	187

Sexual Activity Percentages – Based on responses by Arkansas high school students to questions in the 2007 Arkansas Youth Risk Behavior Survey (Arkansas Department of Education)

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