

# UNWED BIRTH PREVENTION

## Adolescent Sexual Activity Estimates

**BENTON COUNTY**, Arkansas

Youth population by age, 2006 U. S. Census

	5-9 years	10-14 years	15-17 years	18-19 years
Male	7212	7325	4027	2685
Female	7151	6914	3877	2584

Youth Risk Behavior Survey Categories	Estimated # of HS Males: 5492		Estimated # of HS Females: 5260		Est. Total: 10,752
	%	#	%	#	Total
Percentage/number of students who have had sexual intercourse	54.8	3010	55.3	2909	5919
Percentage/number of students who had sexual intercourse before age 13	12.7	697	5.8	305	1002
Percentage/number of students who had sexual intercourse with four or more people during their life	21.9	1203	16.1	847	2050
Percentage/number of students who had sexual intercourse during the past three months	37.0	2032	42.6	2241	4273
Of students who have had sexual intercourse, the percentage/number who drank alcohol or used drugs before last sexual intercourse	25.3	762	16.5	480	1242
Of students who have had sexual intercourse, the percentage/number who did NOT use a condom during the last intercourse	36.3	1093	45.0	1309	2402
Percentage/number of students who have been physically forced to have sexual intercourse when they did not want to.	9.2	505	18.8	989	1494
Percentage/number of students hit, slapped, or physically hurt by boy/girl friend on purpose in past 12 months	13.3	730	15.1	794	1524

**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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