

## 2012 South Carolina Statewide CHAS Survey Results

### Nutrition

**On a TYPICAL DAY, how many times does (CHILD) drink sweetened beverages such as soda pop, sweet tea, fruit punch, Kool-aid, sports drinks or fruit drinks? (Do not count 100% fruit juices.)**

	Total Responses	None			1 Serving Daily			2 Servings Daily			3 or More Servings Daily		
		N	%	C.I.(95%)	N	%	C.I.(95%)	N	%	C.I.(95%)	N	%	C.I.(95%)
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,354</b>	<b>389</b>	<b>33.6</b>	<b>29.9-37.3</b>	<b>392</b>	<b>28.9</b>	<b>25.5-32.4</b>	<b>269</b>	<b>19.1</b>	<b>16.2-22.1</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>18.3</b>	<b>15.4-21.2</b>
<b>GENDER</b>													
Male	711	181	30.4	25.4-35.3	209	31.8	26.9-36.6	143	17.9	14.1-21.6	178	20.0	15.9-24.2
Female	641	206	37.1	31.5-42.6	183	26.0	21.1-30.8	126	20.5	15.9-25.2	126	16.5	12.5-20.5
<b>RACE</b>													
White	912	301	38.2	33.8-42.7	252	28.8	24.8-32.9	176	18.5	15.0-21.9	183	14.5	11.6-17.3
African American	397	66	19.8	14.0-25.6	132	32.7	26.2-39.2	84	22.1	16.2-27.9	115	25.5	19.5-31.4
Other Minorities	44	22	52.0	35.3-68.7	8	17.9	5.3-30.4	8	13.6	2.5-24.7	6	16.6	3.7-29.4
<b>HISPANIC</b>													
Yes	48	17	40.9	23.7-58.0	13	28.0	12.8-43.2	12	19.9	5.8-33.1	***	***	***
No	1,298	371	33.0	29.3-36.7	377	29.0	25.5-32.5	256	19.1	16.0-22.1	294	18.9	15.9-21.9
<b>AGE GROUPS</b>													
Under 5	237	115	49.7	41.4-58.1	62	21.8	15.3-28.3	38	21.9	14.5-29.3	22	6.5	2.6-10.5
5 through 10	416	126	32.1	26.0-38.3	141	36.3	29.9-42.6	76	16.3	11.6-21.0	73	15.3	10.6-20.0
11 through 13	265	65	27.6	19.5-35.7	73	30.7	22.3-39.0	51	15.1	9.2-20.9	76	26.7	19.0-34.3
14 through 17	429	82	23.2	16.1-30.3	113	24.5	18.5-30.6	102	23.1	17.4-28.9	132	29.1	22.4-35.9
<b>PARENT EDUCATION</b>													
High School or Less	286	54	21.9	14.5-29.3	70	25.1	17.7-32.5	71	26.5	19.1-34.0	94	26.4	19.2-33.7
Some College	384	97	30.2	23.3-37.0	105	27.5	21.1-33.9	82	23.4	17.1-29.8	100	18.9	13.9-24.0
College Graduate	676	237	40.8	35.5-46.1	217	32.1	27.2-37.0	115	13.2	10.0-16.4	107	13.9	10.1-17.7
<b>SCHOOL</b>													
Public School	973	222	26.7	22.5-30.8	280	30.7	26.5-34.9	208	19.8	16.4-23.2	263	22.8	19.1-26.5
Private School	136	48	36.8	24.5-49.2	48	37.0	25.0-49.1	26	14.3	5.3-23.3	14	11.8	1.3-22.3
<b>CHILD GRADE</b>													
Preschool	73	26	40.4	25.6-55.2	24	27.4	14.8-40.0	12	16.6	5.2-28.0	11	15.6	4.6-26.6
Elementary	435	130	30.1	24.3-36.0	144	36.7	30.4-43.0	79	16.5	11.8-21.2	82	16.7	11.8-21.6
Middle School	259	60	26.6	18.4-34.8	71	17.5	11.3-23.7	54	17.5	11.3-23.7	74	27.6	19.8-35.4
High School	399	80	25.7	18.0-33.3	106	24.5	18.3-30.7	92	22.5	16.6-28.5	121	27.3	20.4-34.2
Not in School	70	18	35.0	19.4-40.5	26	27.6	14.7-40.5	16	31.5	16.3-46.8	***	***	***
<b>TYPE OF HEALTH INSURANCE</b>													
Public	782	249	38.3	33.3-43.3	238	31.2	26.6-35.8	140	15.7	12.3-19.1	155	14.9	11.5-18.2
Private	504	120	28.3	22.6-34.1	145	27.5	22.1-33.0	111	22.1	16.9-27.3	128	22.0	16.9-27.1
Other	18	***	***	***	4	36.4	6.3-6.7	4	26.2	0.1-52.3	6	24.0	0.4-47.5
Not Currently Insured	61	18	30.8	11.4-50.1	14	16.7	10.0-43.5	12	17.2	5.1-29.3	17	25.3	8.5-42.2
<b>NEED REGULAR MEDICATION</b>													
Yes	345	85	28.2	21.1-35.3	98	31.9	24.6-39.2	81	20.9	14.9-26.8	81	19.1	13.0-25.1
No	1,007	304	35.3	31.0-39.7	293	28.0	24.1-31.9	188	18.6	15.1-22.1	222	18.1	14.8-21.3

**\*\*\* This estimate was suppressed because it did not meet statistical reliability standards; see SC CHAS Technical Notes for more details**

<sup>1</sup>Asked of all children ages 1 to 17 years

<sup>2</sup>Use caution in interpreting cell sizes less than 50. N = numerator, % = Percentage, C.I.(95%) = Confidence Interval (at 95 percent probability level). Percentages are weighted to population characteristics and therefore cannot be calculated exactly from the numbers in this table.

<sup>3</sup>Health Insurance categories: PRIVATE = State Employee Health Plan, Blue Cross/Blue Shield of SC, or other private health insurance plan purchased from an employer or directly from insurance company. PUBLIC = Medicaid, Absolute Total Care, BlueChoice HealthPlan Medicaid, Carolina Medical Homes, First Choice by Select Health of SC, Palmetto Physicians Connections, South Carolina Solutions, or United Healthcare Community Plan. OTHER = the military, CHAMPUS, TRICARE, Indian Health Services or other type not otherwise listed.

<sup>4</sup>Regular Medication Needs: This category represents any child that needs or uses any kind of medication prescribed by a doctor, other than vitamins