

Appendix C

Cigarette Buying and Access to Tobacco in the Past 30 Days of the Survey: Middle Schools Regional Data – WVYTS 2002

Region	Cigarette Buying <i>(Expressed as percent of all current smokers under 18)</i> Usually got their cigarettes by buying them in a store in the past 30 days % (95%CI)*	Access to Tobacco <i>(Expressed as percent of all current smokers under 18 who bought cigarettes in a store in the past 30 days)</i>	
		Not asked for proof of age while purchasing cigarettes % (95%CI)	Not refused a cigarette sale because of age % (95%CI)
Region 1: Southern Coalfield	7.0 (±2.6)	65.4 (±7.8)	61.0 (±10.4)
Region 2: Western	6.1 (±3.0)	78.5 (±8.5)	68.0 (±11.0)
Region 3: Kanawha Valley	2.4 (±3.3)	68.9 (±22.0)	65.1 (±13.8)
Region 4: Greenbrier Valley	3.0 (±3.4)	73.2 (±18.0)	78.2 (±9.3)
Region 5: Mid-Ohio Valley	6.5 (±2.2)	73.1 (±3.9)	69.7 (±11.1)
Region 6: Northern Panhandle	4.2 (±3.6)	60.3 (±11.6)	70.1 (±8.6)
Region 7: North Central	3.1 (±0.9)	68.7 (±17.0)	75.5 (±8.3)
Region 8: Eastern Panhandle	5.0 (±2.5)	67.6 (±6.4)	72.5 (±8.3)
Overall WV Middle Schools	4.8 (±1.1)	70.0 (±4.3)	69.1 (±3.9)

* CI= Confidence Interval