

Table 8.8C Levels of Mental Illness in Past Year: Among People Aged 18 or Older; by Geographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics, Standard Errors of Numbers in Thousands, 2019 and 2020

Geographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	Any Mental Illness (2019)	Any Mental Illness (2020)	Serious Mental Illness (2019)	Serious Mental Illness (2020)	Any Mental Illness Excluding Serious Mental Illness (2019)	Any Mental Illness Excluding Serious Mental Illness (2020)	No Mental Illness (2019)	No Mental Illness (2020)
TOTAL	631	981	328	571	561	892	631	981
GEOGRAPHIC REGION								
Northeast	276	425	141	183	241	370	276	425
Midwest	270	401	136	248	235	346	270	401
South	366	639	199	382	328	565	366	639
West	332	540	173	260	299	498	332	540
COUNTY TYPE								
Large Metro	599	840	261	401	512	750	1,606	2,184
Small Metro	454	682	188	365	384	535	1,225	1,540
Nonmetro	288	459	119	227	231	361	831	1,296
Urbanized	187	323	74	162	150	257	605	893
Less Urbanized	222	330	94	142	176	269	624	982
Completely Rural	102	143	42	75	76	108	362	596
POVERTY LEVEL¹								
Less Than 100%	295	560	138	300	246	466	566	1,057
100-199%	349	569	178	299	292	478	744	1,077
200% or More	579	827	249	388	510	728	1,649	2,326
EDUCATION LEVEL								
< High School	241	407	108	212	213	367	631	407
High School Graduate	349	582	163	339	305	506	803	582
Some College/Associate's Degree	410	532	216	319	344	465	900	532
College Graduate	425	484	167	221	374	439	1,216	484
HEALTH INSURANCE²								
Private	578	773	233	358	509	682	1,561	2,139
Medicaid/CHIP	330	570	182	269	266	493	561	1,002
Other ³	394	669	169	375	358	588	1,017	1,640
No Coverage	208	344	97	173	176	298	546	820

* = low precision; -- = not available; da = does not apply; nc = not comparable due to methodological changes; nr = not reported due to measurement issues.

NOTE: Estimates in the 2020 column are italicized to indicate caution should be used when comparing estimates between 2020 and prior years because of methodological changes for 2020. Due to these changes, significance testing between 2020 and prior years was not performed. See the *2020 National Survey on Drug Use and Health: Methodological Summary and Definitions* for details.

NOTE: Estimates in this table for 2020 exclude a subset of respondents who did not complete the questionnaire. The analysis weights and estimates were adjusted for the reduced sample size. See the *2020 National Survey on Drug Use and Health: Methodological Summary and Definitions* for details.

NOTE: Mental Illness aligns with DSM-IV criteria and is defined as having a diagnosable mental, behavioral, or emotional disorder, other than a developmental or substance use disorder. Estimates of serious mental illness (SMI) are a subset of estimates of any mental illness (AMI) because SMI is limited to people with AMI that resulted in serious functional impairment. These mental illness estimates are based on a predictive model and are not direct measures of diagnostic status.

¹ Respondents aged 18 to 22 who were living in a college dormitory were excluded.

² Respondents could indicate multiple types of health insurance; thus, these response categories are not mutually exclusive.

³ Other Health Insurance is defined as having Medicare, military-related health care, or any other type of health insurance.

Definitions: Measures and terms are defined in Appendix A.

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2019 and Quarters 1 and 4, 2020.

Table 8.8D Levels of Mental Illness in Past Year: Among People Aged 18 or Older; by Geographic and Socioeconomic Characteristics, Standard Errors of Percentages, 2019 and 2020

Geographic/Socioeconomic Characteristic	Any Mental Illness (2019)	Any Mental Illness (2020)	Serious Mental Illness (2019)	Serious Mental Illness (2020)	Any Mental Illness Excluding Serious Mental Illness (2019)	Any Mental Illness Excluding Serious Mental Illness (2020)	No Mental Illness (2019)	No Mental Illness (2020)
TOTAL	0.25	0.39	0.13	0.23	0.22	0.35	0.25	0.39
GEOGRAPHIC REGION								
Northeast	0.63	0.97	0.32	0.42	0.55	0.84	0.63	0.97
Midwest	0.52	0.77	0.26	0.48	0.45	0.66	0.52	0.77
South	0.39	0.67	0.21	0.40	0.35	0.59	0.39	0.67
West	0.56	0.90	0.29	0.43	0.50	0.83	0.56	0.90
COUNTY TYPE								
Large Metro	0.34	0.53	0.18	0.29	0.30	0.49	0.34	0.53
Small Metro	0.45	0.76	0.23	0.44	0.41	0.63	0.45	0.76
Nonmetro	0.61	0.97	0.31	0.57	0.52	0.79	0.61	0.97
Urbanized	0.92	1.64	0.44	1.02	0.80	1.36	0.92	1.64
Less Urbanized	0.95	1.39	0.51	0.73	0.82	1.22	0.95	1.39
Completely Rural	1.68	2.66	0.85	1.56	1.38	2.04	1.68	2.66
POVERTY LEVEL¹								
Less Than 100%	0.77	1.23	0.41	0.74	0.66	1.12	0.77	1.23
100-199%	0.66	1.05	0.36	0.62	0.57	0.93	0.66	1.05
200% or More	0.29	0.45	0.14	0.23	0.26	0.40	0.29	0.45
EDUCATION LEVEL								
< High School	0.72	1.41	0.35	0.73	0.65	1.27	0.72	1.41
High School Graduate	0.51	0.84	0.26	0.49	0.46	0.73	0.51	0.84
Some College/Associate's Degree	0.46	0.70	0.27	0.42	0.40	0.61	0.46	0.70
College Graduate	0.43	0.63	0.20	0.29	0.39	0.57	0.43	0.63
HEALTH INSURANCE²								
Private	0.30	0.45	0.14	0.22	0.27	0.40	0.30	0.45
Medicaid/CHIP	0.77	1.18	0.48	0.66	0.65	1.06	0.77	1.18
Other ³	0.50	0.82	0.24	0.49	0.47	0.74	0.50	0.82
No Coverage	0.72	1.10	0.37	0.61	0.62	1.00	0.72	1.10

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