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TABLE 1
SAMPLE DESCRIPTION
Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|-------------------------|---|-------|------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | N | % |
| Total number of surveys | | 56 | 100% |
| Gender | Male | 34 | 61% |
| | Female | 22 | 39% |
| Age | 11 or younger | 14 | 25% |
| | 12 | 37 | 66% |
| | 13 | 4 | 7% |
| | 14 | 1 | 2% |
| Race/ethnicity | American Indian | 6 | 11% |
| | White | 46 | 82% |
| | Mixed race (checked more than one race/ethnicity) | 3 | 5% |
| | I don't know / no answer | 1 | 2% |

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TABLE 2
FEELINGS ABOUT SCHOOL, SCHOOL PLANS, AND TRUANCY
Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|---|---|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| How do you feel about going to school? | I like school very much | 21% | 18% |
| | I like school quite a bit | 27% | 55% |
| | I like school a little | 33% | 27% |
| | I don't like school very much | 9% | 0% |
| | I hate school | 9% | 0% |
| Which of these best describes your school plans? | I would like to quit school as soon as I can | 6% | 5% |
| | I plan to finish high school but won't go to college | 6% | 14% |
| | I'd like to go to some kind of trade or vocational school | 3% | 0% |
| | I'd like to go to college after high school | 65% | 59% |
| | I'd like to go to college and then to graduate school | 19% | 23% |
| During the last 30 days, how often have you skipped or cut full days of school? | Never | 85% | 95% |
| | Once or twice | 9% | 5% |
| | 3 to 5 times | 6% | 0% |

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TABLE 3
ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|--|-----------------------------|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Mark the two grades you get the most often. | A and B only | 59% | 59% |
| | B only | 3% | 5% |
| | B and C only | 24% | 32% |
| | C only | 6% | 0% |
| | C and D only | 3% | 0% |
| | Not applicable or no answer | 6% | 5% |

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TABLE 4
PERCEPTIONS OF SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT
Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| How many students in your school are friendly? | All | 9% | 0% |
| | Most | 59% | 73% |
| | Some | 28% | 23% |
| | A few | 3% | 5% |
| How many students in your school behave well in the hallways and lunchroom? | All | 0% | 9% |
| | Most | 52% | 50% |
| | Some | 42% | 41% |
| | A few | 6% | 0% |
| How many students in your school have made fun of or threatened students of different races or backgrounds? | Most | 6% | 5% |
| | Some | 29% | 10% |
| | A few | 35% | 62% |
| | None | 29% | 24% |
| How many of your teachers are interested in you as a person? | All | 26% | 15% |
| | Most | 32% | 50% |
| | Some | 23% | 30% |
| | A few | 10% | 0% |
| | None | 10% | 5% |
| How many of your teachers show respect for students? | All | 37% | 41% |
| | Most | 27% | 45% |
| | Some | 23% | 9% |
| | A few | 10% | 5% |
| | None | 3% | 0% |

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TABLE 5
PERCEPTIONS OF SCHOOL SAFETY
Traverse County

| <i>How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?</i> | | Grade | |
|---|--------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| I feel safe going to and from school | Strongly agree | 53% | 50% |
| | Agree | 35% | 50% |
| | Disagree | 12% | 0% |
| I feel safe at school | Strongly agree | 48% | 36% |
| | Agree | 42% | 55% |
| | Disagree | 9% | 9% |
| Bathrooms in this school are a safe place to be | Strongly agree | 21% | 23% |
| | Agree | 58% | 64% |
| | Disagree | 21% | 14% |
| Illegal gang activity is a problem at this school | Agree | 0% | 5% |
| | Disagree | 29% | 19% |
| | Strongly disagree | 71% | 76% |
| Student use of alcohol or drugs is a problem at this school | Strongly agree | 3% | 5% |
| | Agree | 15% | 18% |
| | Disagree | 47% | 45% |
| | Strongly disagree | 35% | 32% |

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TABLE 6
VICTIMIZATION AT SCHOOL
Traverse County

| | | | Grade | |
|--|------------------------------------|-----|-------|--------|
| | | | 6th | |
| | | | Male | Female |
| | | | % | % |
| During the last 12 months, has anyone offered, sold, or given you an illegal drug on school property? | Yes | | 6% | 0% |
| | No | | 94% | 100% |
| During the last 12 months, how many times has someone stolen or deliberately damaged your property at school? | 0 times | | 50% | 55% |
| | 1 time | | 26% | 23% |
| | 2 or 3 times | | 15% | 9% |
| | 4 or 5 times | | 6% | 14% |
| | 6 or more times | | 3% | 0% |
| During the last 30 days, how many days did you not go to school because you felt unsafe at school or going to/from school? | 0 days | | 94% | 95% |
| | 1 day | | 3% | 5% |
| | 2 or 3 days | | 3% | 0% |
| During the last 12 months, which of the following has happened to you on school property? Has a student: | Insulted you? | Yes | 50% | 41% |
| | | No | 50% | 59% |
| | Threatened you? | Yes | 24% | 14% |
| | | No | 76% | 86% |
| | Pushed, shoved, or grabbed you? | Yes | 59% | 23% |
| | | No | 41% | 77% |
| | Kicked, bitten, or hit you? | Yes | 41% | 5% |
| | | No | 59% | 95% |
| | Stabbed you or fired a gun at you? | No | 100% | 100% |
| | | | | |

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**TABLE 7A
ACTIVITIES**
Traverse County

| <i>During the school year, how many hours in a typical week do you spend doing the following?</i> | | Grade | |
|---|------------------|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Homework or study | 0 hours | 3% | 10% |
| | 1-2 hours | 48% | 38% |
| | 3-5 hours | 33% | 19% |
| | 6-10 hours | 9% | 19% |
| | 11-20 hours | 3% | 5% |
| | 21 hours or more | 3% | 10% |
| Band, choir, orchestra, music lessons, or practicing voice or an instrument | 0 hours | 53% | 45% |
| | 1-2 hours | 34% | 36% |
| | 3-5 hours | 9% | 9% |
| | 6-10 hours | 3% | 0% |
| | 11-20 hours | 0% | 9% |
| Clubs or organizations outside of school | 0 hours | 58% | 55% |
| | 1-2 hours | 19% | 14% |
| | 3-5 hours | 6% | 23% |
| | 6-10 hours | 10% | 9% |
| | 11-20 hours | 6% | 0% |
| Playing sports on a school team | 0 hours | 36% | 40% |
| | 1-2 hours | 21% | 20% |
| | 3-5 hours | 15% | 20% |
| | 6-10 hours | 9% | 10% |
| | 11-20 hours | 12% | 5% |
| | 21 hours or more | 6% | 5% |

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**TABLE 7B
ACTIVITIES**
Traverse County

| <i>During the school year, how many hours in a typical week do you spend doing the following?</i> | | Grade | |
|---|-------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Other physical activities | 0 hours | 6% | 19% |
| | 1-2 hours | 39% | 38% |
| | 3-5 hours | 16% | 33% |
| | 6-10 hours | 10% | 10% |
| | 11-20 hours | 19% | 0% |
| | 21 hours or more | 10% | 0% |
| Attending services, groups, or programs at a church, synagogue, or mosque | 0 hours | 42% | 32% |
| | 1-2 hours | 42% | 50% |
| | 3-5 hours | 3% | 18% |
| | 6-10 hours | 3% | 0% |
| | 21 hours or more | 9% | 0% |
| Reading for pleasure | 0 hours | 59% | 14% |
| | 1-2 hours | 25% | 45% |
| | 3-5 hours | 6% | 18% |
| | 6-10 hours | 0% | 23% |
| | 11-20 hours | 6% | 0% |
| | 21 hours or more | 3% | 0% |
| Watching TV or videos | 0 hours | 9% | 0% |
| | 1-2 hours | 27% | 36% |
| | 3-5 hours | 15% | 36% |
| | 6-10 hours | 21% | 5% |
| | 11-20 hours | 6% | 18% |
| | 21 hours or more | 21% | 5% |
| Playing computer or video games | 0 hours | 6% | 19% |
| | 1-2 hours | 30% | 48% |
| | 3-5 hours | 33% | 24% |
| | 6-10 hours | 21% | 10% |
| | 11-20 hours | 3% | 0% |
| | 21 hours or more | 6% | 0% |

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TABLE 7C
ACTIVITIES
Traverse County

| <i>During the school year, how many hours in a typical week do you spend doing the following?</i> | | Grade | |
|---|------------------|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Volunteer work or community service | 0 hours | 56% | 57% |
| | 1-2 hours | 25% | 24% |
| | 3-5 hours | 13% | 14% |
| | 6-10 hours | 3% | 5% |
| | 11-20 hours | 3% | 0% |
| Chores at home/babysitting for family | 0 hours | 23% | 5% |
| | 1-2 hours | 37% | 45% |
| | 3-5 hours | 7% | 32% |
| | 6-10 hours | 17% | 9% |
| | 11-20 hours | 7% | 0% |
| | 21 hours or more | 10% | 9% |
| Work for pay (including babysitting for others) | 0 hours | 41% | 18% |
| | 1-2 hours | 34% | 36% |
| | 3-5 hours | 13% | 36% |
| | 6-10 hours | 6% | 5% |
| | 11-20 hours | 0% | 5% |
| | 21 hours or more | 6% | 0% |
| Hanging out | 0 hours | 21% | 5% |
| | 1-2 hours | 27% | 18% |
| | 3-5 hours | 21% | 41% |
| | 6-10 hours | 3% | 23% |
| | 11-20 hours | 6% | 5% |
| | 21 hours or more | 21% | 9% |

TABLE 8
COMPUTER USE AT HOME

Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|--------------------------------|-----|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Do you use a computer at home? | Yes | 76% | 91% |
| | No | 24% | 9% |

| | | Grade | |
|--|-----------------------------------|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Do you use the Internet at home? | Yes | 62% | 64% |
| | No | 38% | 36% |
| What do you use the Internet for at home? (Mark all that apply) | E-mail | 53% | 55% |
| | Surfing the web | 38% | 41% |
| | Chat rooms | 29% | 50% |
| | Listening to or downloading music | 44% | 36% |
| | Playing games | 56% | 36% |
| | Entertainment or sports | 32% | 5% |
| | Homework or other research | 53% | 68% |
| | Shopping | 29% | 0% |

TABLE 9
FAMILY COMPOSITION AND PARENTAL COMMUNICATION
Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|---|---|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Which adults do you live with? | Both biological parents | 68% | 64% |
| | Mother and stepfather | 12% | 5% |
| | Father and stepmother | 0% | 5% |
| | Mother only | 3% | 18% |
| | Sometimes with mother, sometimes with father | 6% | 9% |
| | Other | 12% | 0% |
| Can you talk to your father about problems you are having? | Yes, most of the time | 32% | 10% |
| | Yes, some of the time | 29% | 43% |
| | No, not very often | 19% | 19% |
| | No, not at all | 6% | 14% |
| | My father is not around | 13% | 14% |
| Can you talk to your mother about problems you are having? | Yes, most of the time | 50% | 59% |
| | Yes, some of the time | 25% | 32% |
| | No, not very often | 19% | 9% |
| | My mother is not around | 6% | 0% |

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

TABLE 10
PERCEPTIONS OF FAMILY CARING
Traverse County

| <i>How much do you feel ...</i> | | Grade | |
|--|-------------|--------------|---------------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| ... your parents care about you? | A little | 3% | 0% |
| | Some | 0% | 5% |
| | Quite a bit | 10% | 0% |
| | Very much | 87% | 95% |
| ... other adult relatives care about you? | A little | 3% | 5% |
| | Some | 10% | 0% |
| | Quite a bit | 16% | 33% |
| | Very much | 71% | 62% |
| ... your family cares about your feelings? | Not at all | 0% | 5% |
| | A little | 3% | 5% |
| | Some | 10% | 24% |
| | Quite a bit | 42% | 43% |
| | Very much | 45% | 24% |
| ... your family understands you? | Not at all | 0% | 9% |
| | A little | 10% | 9% |
| | Some | 23% | 32% |
| | Quite a bit | 23% | 45% |
| | Very much | 45% | 5% |
| ... your family has lots of fun together? | Not at all | 10% | 0% |
| | A little | 10% | 14% |
| | Some | 13% | 23% |
| | Quite a bit | 35% | 36% |
| | Very much | 32% | 27% |
| ... your family respects your privacy? | Not at all | 6% | 5% |
| | A little | 19% | 14% |
| | Some | 6% | 27% |
| | Quite a bit | 16% | 36% |
| | Very much | 52% | 18% |

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TABLE 11
PERCEPTIONS OF OTHERS CARING
Traverse County

| <i>How much do you feel ...</i> | | Grade | |
|--|-------------|--------------|---------------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| ... friends care about you? | Not at all | 0% | 5% |
| | A little | 10% | 9% |
| | Some | 23% | 14% |
| | Quite a bit | 45% | 36% |
| | Very much | 23% | 36% |
| ... teachers or other adults at school care about you? * | Not at all | 10% | 5% |
| | A little | 13% | 10% |
| | Some | 23% | 19% |
| | Quite a bit | 39% | 57% |
| | Very much | 16% | 10% |
| ... church or spiritual leaders care about you? * | Not at all | 0% | 9% |
| | A little | 10% | 27% |
| | Some | 23% | 36% |
| | Quite a bit | 27% | 18% |
| | Very much | 40% | 9% |
| ... police officers care about you? | Not at all | 16% | 14% |
| | A little | 16% | 32% |
| | Some | 16% | 41% |
| | Quite a bit | 29% | 9% |
| | Very much | 23% | 5% |
| ... other adults in your community care about you? | Not at all | 6% | 23% |
| | A little | 19% | 14% |
| | Some | 29% | 32% |
| | Quite a bit | 23% | 18% |
| | Very much | 23% | 14% |

* Variations in wording for this item affect year-to-year comparisons.

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TABLE 12
FAMILY SUBSTANCE ABUSE

Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|---|--|--------------|---------------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Has alcohol use by any family member repeatedly caused family, health, job, or legal problems? | Yes | 13% | 14% |
| | No | 88% | 86% |
| If yes, whose use? (Mark all that apply) | Parent who lives with me | 6% | 0% |
| | Parent who doesn't live with me | 3% | 9% |
| | Other relative | 6% | 5% |
| Has drug use by any family member repeatedly caused family, health, job, or legal problems? | Yes | 13% | 9% |
| | No | 88% | 91% |
| If yes, whose use? (Mark all that apply) | Parent who lives with me | 3% | 5% |
| | Parent who doesn't live with me | 3% | 0% |
| | Other relative | 9% | 5% |

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TABLE 13
FAMILY/DATE VIOLENCE
Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Have you ever been the victim of violence on a date? * | | | |
| Has any adult in your household ever hit you so hard that you had marks or were afraid of that person? | Yes | 22% | 9% |
| | No | 78% | 91% |
| Has anyone in your family ever hit anyone else in the family so hard that they had marks or were afraid of that person? | Yes | 15% | 14% |
| | No | 85% | 86% |

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 14
SEXUAL ABUSE
Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|--|-----|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Have you ever been the victim of date rape? * | | | |
| Has any older person outside the family touched you sexually against your wishes or forced you to touch them sexually? | Yes | 9% | 5% |
| | No | 91% | 95% |
| Has any older/stronger member of your family touched you sexually or had you touch them sexually? | Yes | 0% | 10% |
| | No | 100% | 90% |

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 15
GENERAL HEALTH ISSUES**

Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|---|---|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| When was the last time you had a physical exam? | Within the last 12 months | 39% | 36% |
| | 1-2 years ago | 18% | 27% |
| | 3-4 years ago | 9% | 9% |
| | More than 4 years ago | 12% | 18% |
| | I have never had a physical exam | 21% | 9% |
| Have you ever been treated for an alcohol or other drug problem? * | | | |
| Do you have a mental or physical health problem that has lasted at least 12 months? | No | 88% | 81% |
| | Yes | 12% | 19% |
| In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because someone hit you in the head? | Never | 94% | 91% |
| | Once | 3% | 5% |
| | Two times or more | 3% | 5% |
| In the past 12 months, how often have you blacked out because you fell or were accidentally hit in the head? | Never | 76% | 91% |
| | Once | 21% | 9% |
| | Two times or more | 3% | 0% |

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 16
WEIGHT-RELATED ISSUES
Traverse County**

| | | | Grade | |
|---|------------------------|--|-------|--------|
| | | | 6th | |
| | | | Male | Female |
| | | | % | % |
| During the last 12 months, have you ever eaten so much in a short time that you felt out of control (binge-eating)? * | | | | |
| At the present time, do you think you are... | Underweight | | 19% | 14% |
| | About the right weight | | 66% | 55% |
| | Overweight | | 16% | 32% |
| During the last 12 months, have you done any of the following to lose or control weight? (Mark all that apply) * | | | | |

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 17
EXERCISE**

Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|---|--------|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| On how many of the last 7 days did you exercise or play sports that made you sweat or breathe hard for at least 20 minutes? | 0 days | 12% | 5% |
| | 1 day | 6% | 0% |
| | 2 days | 15% | 14% |
| | 3 days | 21% | 19% |
| | 4 days | 3% | 29% |
| | 5 days | 12% | 19% |
| | 6 days | 9% | 10% |
| | 7 days | 21% | 5% |
| On how many of the last 7 days were you physically active for a combined total of at least 30 minutes? | 0 days | 3% | 0% |
| | 1 day | 0% | 14% |
| | 2 days | 13% | 19% |
| | 3 days | 23% | 19% |
| | 4 days | 3% | 24% |
| | 5 days | 13% | 19% |
| | 6 days | 7% | 0% |
| | 7 days | 37% | 5% |

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**TABLE 18
NUTRITION**

Traverse County

| <i>How many glasses of each of the following did you drink yesterday?</i> | | Grade | |
|--|---------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Milk | 0 glasses | 15% | 14% |
| | 1-2 glasses | 36% | 57% |
| | 3-4 glasses | 30% | 24% |
| | 5 or more glasses | 18% | 5% |
| 100% fruit juice | 0 glasses | 39% | 29% |
| | 1-2 glasses | 42% | 48% |
| | 3-4 glasses | 12% | 14% |
| | 5 or more glasses | 6% | 10% |
| Fruit juice drinks | 0 glasses | 39% | 55% |
| | 1-2 glasses | 35% | 32% |
| | 3-4 glasses | 19% | 5% |
| | 5 or more glasses | 6% | 9% |
| Pop or soda | 0 glasses | 36% | 48% |
| | 1-2 glasses | 39% | 38% |
| | 3-4 glasses | 12% | 14% |
| | 5 or more glasses | 12% | 0% |
| Sports drinks | 0 glasses | 65% | 80% |
| | 1-2 glasses | 26% | 15% |
| | 5 or more glasses | 10% | 5% |
| Water | 0 glasses | 6% | 18% |
| | 1-2 glasses | 30% | 36% |
| | 3-4 glasses | 18% | 14% |
| | 5 or more glasses | 45% | 32% |
| How many servings of fruits, fruit juices, or vegetables did you eat yesterday? | 0 servings | 0% | 9% |
| | 1 serving | 18% | 18% |
| | 2 servings | 12% | 9% |
| | 3 servings | 44% | 14% |
| | 4 servings | 21% | 32% |
| | 5 or more servings | 6% | 18% |

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TABLE 19
SEAT BELT USE
Traverse County

| <i>How often do you wear a seat belt when you ...</i> | | Grade | |
|---|------------------|--------------|---------------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| ...ride in a car? | Never | 12% | 0% |
| | Sometimes | 47% | 32% |
| | Often | 26% | 50% |
| | Always | 15% | 18% |
| ...drive a car? * | | | |

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 20
SOURCES OF INFORMATION ON RISK BEHAVIORS
Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|---|--|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Where have you received most of your information about alcohol and other drugs? (Mark all that apply) | Friends or peers | 47% | 59% |
| | Parents | 71% | 68% |
| | Brothers or sisters | 18% | 32% |
| | School, teachers, or counselors | 71% | 86% |
| | Clinics, doctors, or nurses | 15% | 9% |
| | Internet | 21% | 18% |
| | TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books | 41% | 59% |
| | I do not know much about alcohol or drugs | 6% | 0% |
| Where have you received most of your information about sex? (Mark all that apply) | Friends or peers | 44% | 59% |
| | Parents | 35% | 73% |
| | Brothers or sisters | 12% | 18% |
| | School, teachers, or counselors | 29% | 32% |
| | Clinics, doctors, or nurses | 15% | 9% |
| | Internet | 18% | 0% |
| | TV, radio, magazines, newspapers, or books | 24% | 41% |
| | I do not know much about sex | 18% | 18% |

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TABLE 21
SELF-ESTEEM *
Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|--|------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| I usually feel good about myself. | Disagree | 12% | 14% |
| | Mostly disagree | 9% | 9% |
| | Mostly agree | 32% | 55% |
| | Agree | 47% | 23% |
| I am able to do things as well as most other people my age. | Disagree | 18% | 0% |
| | Mostly disagree | 0% | 9% |
| | Mostly agree | 35% | 45% |
| | Agree | 47% | 45% |
| On the whole, I'm satisfied with myself. | Disagree | 9% | 0% |
| | Mostly disagree | 9% | 14% |
| | Mostly agree | 27% | 45% |
| | Agree | 55% | 41% |
| I feel I do not have much to be proud of. | Agree | 29% | 14% |
| | Mostly agree | 3% | 9% |
| | Mostly disagree | 29% | 23% |
| | Disagree | 38% | 55% |
| Sometimes I think that I am no good. | Agree | 29% | 9% |
| | Mostly agree | 9% | 14% |
| | Mostly disagree | 24% | 41% |
| | Disagree | 38% | 36% |
| I feel that I can't do anything right. | Agree | 13% | 9% |
| | Mostly agree | 6% | 18% |
| | Mostly disagree | 13% | 32% |
| | Disagree | 69% | 41% |
| I feel that my life is not very useful. | Agree | 19% | 9% |
| | Mostly agree | 3% | 9% |
| | Mostly disagree | 16% | 32% |
| | Disagree | 63% | 50% |

* Responses on this table have been ordered so that the highest risk response is always first and the lowest risk response is always last.

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**TABLE 22
EMOTIONAL WELL-BEING/DISTRESS
Traverse County**

| <i>During the last 30 days ...</i> | | Grade | |
|--|--|--------------|---------------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| ... how has your mood been? | Very bad | 3% | 0% |
| | Bad | 3% | 0% |
| | Up and down a lot | 64% | 76% |
| | Very good | 24% | 24% |
| | Excellent | 6% | 0% |
| ... have you felt you were under any stress or pressure? | Yes, almost more than I could take | 13% | 10% |
| | Yes, quite a bit of pressure | 13% | 5% |
| | Yes, more than usual | 16% | 38% |
| | Yes, a little | 31% | 43% |
| | Not at all | 28% | 5% |
| ... have you felt sad? | All the time | 0% | 9% |
| | Most of the time | 6% | 14% |
| | Some of the time | 21% | 23% |
| | Little of the time | 42% | 41% |
| | None of the time | 30% | 14% |
| ... have you felt so discouraged or hopeless that you wondered if anything was worthwhile? | Extremely so, to the point that I have just about given up | 3% | 5% |
| | Quite a bit | 6% | 10% |
| | Some, enough to bother me | 9% | 10% |
| | A little bit | 28% | 38% |
| | Not at all | 53% | 38% |
| ... have you felt nervous, worried, or upset? | Most of the time | 16% | 9% |
| | Some of the time | 19% | 27% |
| | Little of the time | 47% | 50% |
| | None of the time | 19% | 14% |
| ... how satisfied have you been with your personal life? | Very dissatisfied | 0% | 5% |
| | Somewhat dissatisfied | 18% | 14% |
| | Satisfied | 48% | 59% |
| | Very satisfied | 15% | 18% |
| | Extremely satisfied | 18% | 5% |

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TABLE 23
SUICIDAL THOUGHTS AND BEHAVIOR
Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|---|---------------------------|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Have you ever thought about killing yourself? | No | 79% | 86% |
| | Yes, during the last year | 9% | 5% |
| | Yes, more than a year ago | 12% | 9% |
| Have you ever tried to kill yourself? | No | 97% | 95% |
| | Yes, during the last year | 3% | 5% |

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**TABLE 24
GAMBLING BEHAVIOR ***

Traverse County

This table only includes data from 9th and 12th graders.

*Your sample sizes in these grades were too small to be included
in the table.*

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**TABLE 25
GAMBLING CONSEQUENCES ***

Traverse County

This table only includes data from 9th and 12th graders. Your sample sizes in these grades were too small to be included in the table.

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**TABLE 26
DESTRUCTIVE AND ANTISOCIAL BEHAVIOR
Traverse County**

| | | Grade | |
|--|--------------------|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| During the last 12 months, how often have you run away from home? | Never | 88% | 91% |
| | Once or twice | 6% | 5% |
| | 3 to 5 times | 3% | 0% |
| | More than 10 times | 3% | 5% |
| During the last 12 months, how often have you damaged or destroyed property at school or somewhere else? | Never | 79% | 90% |
| | Once or twice | 12% | 10% |
| | 3 to 5 times | 3% | 0% |
| | 6 to 10 times | 3% | 0% |
| | More than 10 times | 3% | 0% |
| During the last 12 months, how often have you hit or beat up another person? | Never | 68% | 90% |
| | Once or twice | 21% | 10% |
| | 3 to 5 times | 6% | 0% |
| | More than 10 times | 6% | 0% |
| During the last 12 months, how often have you taken something from a store without paying for it? | Never | 91% | 95% |
| | Once or twice | 3% | 5% |
| | 3 to 5 times | 3% | 0% |
| | More than 10 times | 3% | 0% |
| Do you get a real kick out of doing things that are a little dangerous? | Not at all | 45% | 57% |
| | A little | 33% | 38% |
| | Quite a bit | 9% | 5% |
| | Very much | 12% | 0% |
| On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a gun on school property? | 0 days | 97% | 100% |
| | 2 or 3 days | 3% | 0% |
| On how many of the last 30 days did you carry a weapon (other than a gun) on school property? | 0 days | 94% | 100% |
| | 1 day | 3% | 0% |
| | 2 or 3 days | 3% | 0% |

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TABLE 27
SUMMARY OF SUBSTANCE USE *
Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|--|--|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| Use of any tobacco products during the past year | No | 88% | 100% |
| | Yes | 13% | 0% |
| DAILY use of any tobacco products during the past year | No | 94% | 100% |
| | Yes | 6% | 0% |
| Frequent binge drinking in the past year (typically drank 5 or more drinks at a time and drank on 10 or more occasions during the past year) | No | 97% | 100% |
| | Yes | 3% | 0% |
| Any alcohol and/or other drug use during the past year (excluding tobacco) | No alcohol or other drug use in the past year | 79% | 74% |
| | Used only alcohol in the past year | 9% | 26% |
| | Used both alcohol and other drugs in the past year | 12% | 0% |

* These are all computed variables based on combinations of responses to two or more survey items.

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TABLE 28
CIGARETTE USE
Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|--|--------------------------------------|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| During the last 12 months, how often have you used cigarettes? * | Not at all | 91% | 100% |
| | Monthly | 3% | 0% |
| | Daily | 6% | 0% |
| During the last 30 days, on how many days did you smoke a cigarette? | 0 days | 91% | 100% |
| | 6 to 9 days | 3% | 0% |
| | All 30 days | 6% | 0% |
| During the last 30 days, how frequently have you smoked cigarettes? | Never | 91% | 100% |
| | One to five cigarettes per day | 3% | 0% |
| | About one and one-half packs per day | 6% | 0% |
| If you have not smoked a cigarette in the last year, do you think you will during the next year? | Definitely yes | 6% | 0% |
| | Probably yes | 6% | 0% |
| | Probably not | 9% | 14% |
| | Definitely not | 79% | 86% |

* Variations in wording for this item affect year-to-year comparisons.

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TABLE 29
CIGAR AND SMOKELESS TOBACCO USE
Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|---|-------------------|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| During the last 12 months, how often have you used chewing tobacco or snuff? * | Not at all | 91% | 100% |
| | Less than monthly | 3% | 0% |
| | Weekly | 6% | 0% |
| During the last 12 months, how often have you used cigars, cigarillos, or little cigars? | Not at all | 91% | 100% |
| | Less than monthly | 3% | 0% |
| | Daily | 6% | 0% |

* Variations in wording for this item affect year-to-year comparisons.

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TABLE 30
ACCESS TO TOBACCO
Traverse County

| INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO USED TOBACCO IN THE LAST 30 DAYS | | Grade |
|---|---|--------------|
| | | 6th |
| | | Male |
| | | % |
| If you used tobacco, how did you get it in the last 30 days? (Mark all that apply) | Bought it at gas stations or convenience stores | 0% |
| | Bought it at bars or restaurants | 0% |
| | Bought it at grocery, discount, or drug stores | 0% |
| | Bought it at places like bowling alleys, video arcades, or pool halls | 67% |
| | Bought it from vending machines | 0% |
| | Bought it on the Internet * | |
| | Got it from friends | 33% |
| | Got it from family members | 67% |
| | Got it by getting someone else to buy for me | 0% |
| | Took it from my home | 33% |
| | Took it from a friend's home | 0% |
| | Took it from stores | 0% |

| INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO BOUGHT TOBACCO IN THE LAST 30 DAYS | | Grade |
|---|-----|--------------|
| | | 6th |
| | | Male |
| | | % |
| If you bought tobacco in the last 30 days, did you use a fake ID? | Yes | 17% |
| | No | 83% |

* 6th grade survey did not provide this response option.

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**TABLE 31
ALCOHOL USE FREQUENCY AND QUANTITY
Traverse County**

| | | Grade | |
|--|---|--------------|---------------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| On how many occasions (if any) have you had alcoholic beverages to drink during the last 12 months? | 0 | 81% | 75% |
| | 1-2 | 10% | 20% |
| | 3-5 | 6% | 0% |
| | 6-9 | 0% | 5% |
| | 40+ | 3% | 0% |
| On how many occasions (if any) have you had alcoholic beverages to drink during the last 30 days? | 0 | 93% | 89% |
| | 1-2 | 3% | 5% |
| | 3-5 | 0% | 5% |
| | 6-9 | 3% | 0% |
| If you drink beer/wine/wine coolers/hard liquor, generally, how much (if any) do you drink at one time? | I don't drink beer/wine/wine coolers/hard liquor | 82% | 86% |
| | 1 glass, can, or drink | 9% | 14% |
| | 3 glasses, cans, or drinks | 3% | 0% |
| | 5 glasses, cans, or drinks | 3% | 0% |
| | 6 or more glasses, cans, or drinks | 3% | 0% |
| Over the last 2 weeks, how many times (if any) have you had five or more drinks in a row? * | | | |

* 6th grade survey did not ask this question.

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TABLE 32
ACCESS TO ALCOHOL
Traverse County

| INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO USED ALCOHOL IN THE LAST 30 DAYS * | | Grade | |
|--|--|--------------|---------------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| If you used alcohol, how did you get it in the last 30 days? (Mark all that apply) | Bought it at bars or restaurants | 50% | 0% |
| | Bought it at stores | 0% | 0% |
| | Bought it on the Internet ** | | |
| | Got it from friends | 0% | 0% |
| | Got it from family members | 0% | 50% |
| | Got it by getting someone else to buy for me | 0% | 0% |
| | Got it at parties | 100% | 0% |
| | Took it from my home | 0% | 0% |
| | Took it from a friend's home | 0% | 0% |
| | Took it from stores | 0% | 0% |

| INCLUDES ONLY THOSE WHO BOUGHT ALCOHOL IN THE LAST 30 DAYS | | Grade |
|---|------------|--------------|
| | | 6th |
| | | Male |
| | | % |
| If you bought alcohol in the last 30 days, did you use a fake ID? | Yes | 25% |
| | No | 75% |

* In 1998, percentages were based on only recent alcohol users who cited a source. This year, percentages are based on all recent alcohol users, even if they skipped this question. This results in small decreases in many of the 2001 results. Therefore, these percentages are not comparable to previous survey results.

** 6th grade survey did not provide this response option.

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**TABLE 33
DRINKING AND DRIVING ***

Traverse County

This table only includes data from 9th and 12th graders. Your sample sizes in these grades were too small to be included in the table.

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TABLE 34
MARIJUANA, INHALANTS, AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS
Traverse County

| <i>On how many occasions (if any) have you ...</i> | | Grade | |
|---|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| ... used marijuana (grass, pot) or hashish (hash, hash oil) during the last 12 months? | 0 | 91% | 100% |
| | 1-2 | 3% | 0% |
| | 6-9 | 3% | 0% |
| | 10-19 | 3% | 0% |
| ... used marijuana (grass, pot) or hashish (hash, hash oil) during the last 30 days? | 0 | 91% | 100% |
| | 1-2 | 6% | 0% |
| | 10-19 | 3% | 0% |
| ... sniffed glue or inhaled any other gases or sprays in order to get high during the last 12 months? * | 0 | 100% | 100% |
| ... taken other people's prescription drugs during the last 12 months? * | 0 | 94% | 100% |
| | 1-2 | 6% | 0% |

* Questions regarding use of these substances in the past 30 days were dropped due to low prevalence

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**TABLE 35
AMPHETAMINES, METHAMPHETAMINE, COCAINE AND ECSTASY ***

Traverse County

This table only includes data from 9th and 12th graders. Your sample sizes in these grades were too small to be included in the table.

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**TABLE 36
HALLUCINOGENS, OPIATES AND TRANQUILIZERS ***

Traverse County

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**TABLE 37
ACCESS TO OTHER DRUGS ***

Traverse County

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TABLE 38
SUBSTANCE USE PATTERNS
Traverse County

| <i>Do you ever use alcohol or other drugs ...</i> | | Grade | |
|---|------------|--------------|---------------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| ...before school? | Yes | 9% | 0% |
| | No | 91% | 100% |
| ...during school? | Yes | 3% | 0% |
| | No | 97% | 100% |
| ...right after school? | Yes | 9% | 0% |
| | No | 91% | 100% |

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**TABLE 39
REASONS FOR SUBSTANCE USE ***

Traverse County

This table only includes data from 9th and 12th graders. Your sample sizes in these grades were too small to be included in the table.

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TABLE 40
REASONS FOR SUBSTANCE NON-USE *
Traverse County

| | | Grade | |
|--|--|-------|--------|
| | | 6th | |
| | | Male | Female |
| | | % | % |
| If you do not use alcohol or other drugs, what factors influence your choice not to use? (Mark all that apply) | My friends don't use | 59% | 64% |
| | One or both of my parents would object | 62% | 64% |
| | I have no desire to use | 68% | 73% |
| | Use is against my principles or religious beliefs | 24% | 18% |
| | Alcohol and drugs are dangerous | 62% | 73% |
| | Alcohol and drug education at school | 26% | 36% |
| | Use could affect my performance in school, sports, or other activities | 62% | 64% |

* 9th-12th grade survey did not ask this question.

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**TABLE 41A CONSEQUENCES OF
SUBSTANCE USE ***

Traverse County

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sample sizes in these grades were too small to be included
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**TABLE 41B CONSEQUENCES OF
SUBSTANCE USE ***

Traverse County

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sample sizes in these grades were too small to be included
in the table.*

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**TABLE 42A SEXUAL
BEHAVIOR ***

Traverse County *

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sample sizes in these grades were too small to be included
in the table.*

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**TABLE 42B SEXUAL
BEHAVIOR ***

Traverse County

*This table only includes data from 9th and 12th graders. Your
sample sizes in these grades were too small to be included
in the table.*

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**TABLE 43
REASONS FOR SEXUAL ABSTINENCE ***

Traverse County

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