

Results of the 2011 Student Substance Use and Safety Survey



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Description of Survey

Every year a self-report student survey of substance use and school safety is administered to a random, representative sample of AISD students. The survey is used to track student knowledge, attitudes, and self-reported behavior over time. In the spring of 2011 a sample of 8,480 students in grades 6-12 issues, yielding a

response rate of 73%.¹ All item results are attached.

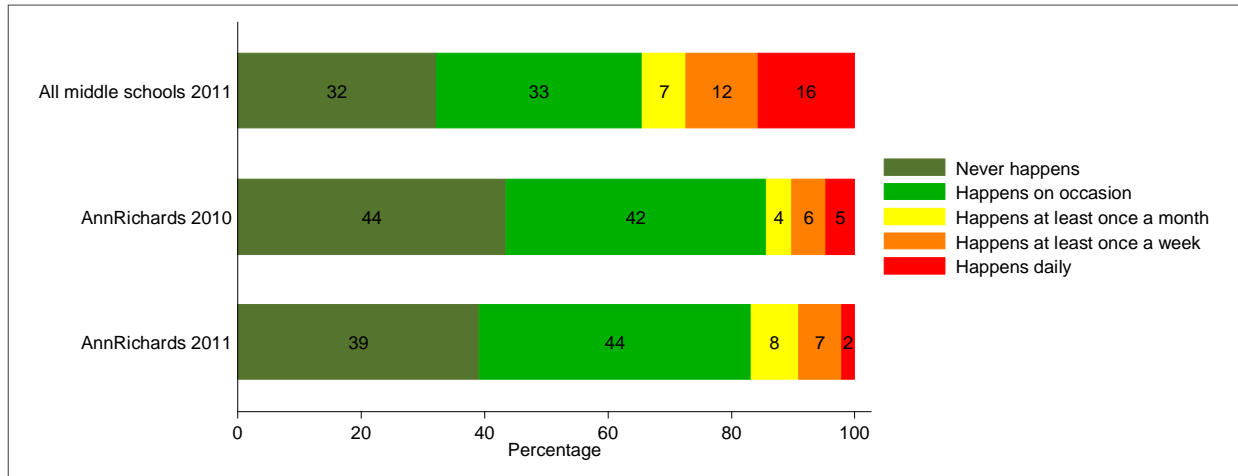
How should sample data be interpreted?

Q26: Of the following, which do you consider to be the most serious problem on your campus?

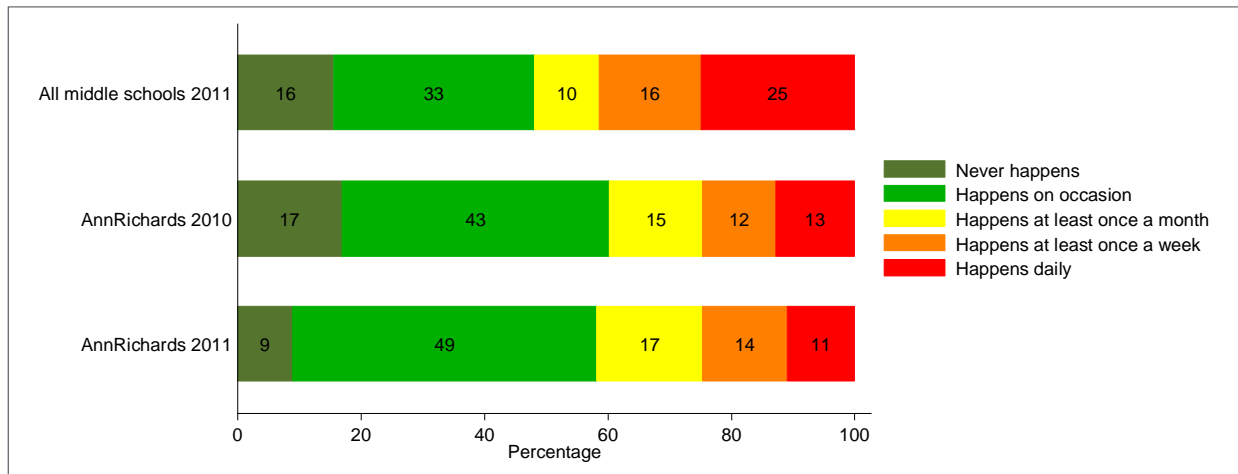
	Ann Richards 2010-2011	Percentage point change from 2009-2010*	All middle schools 2010-2011
Student fighting and physical aggression	1%	-1	26%
Student harassment, threats, and intimidation	41%	19	21%
Marijuana use	1%	-3	14%

SCHOOL SAFETY ITEMS

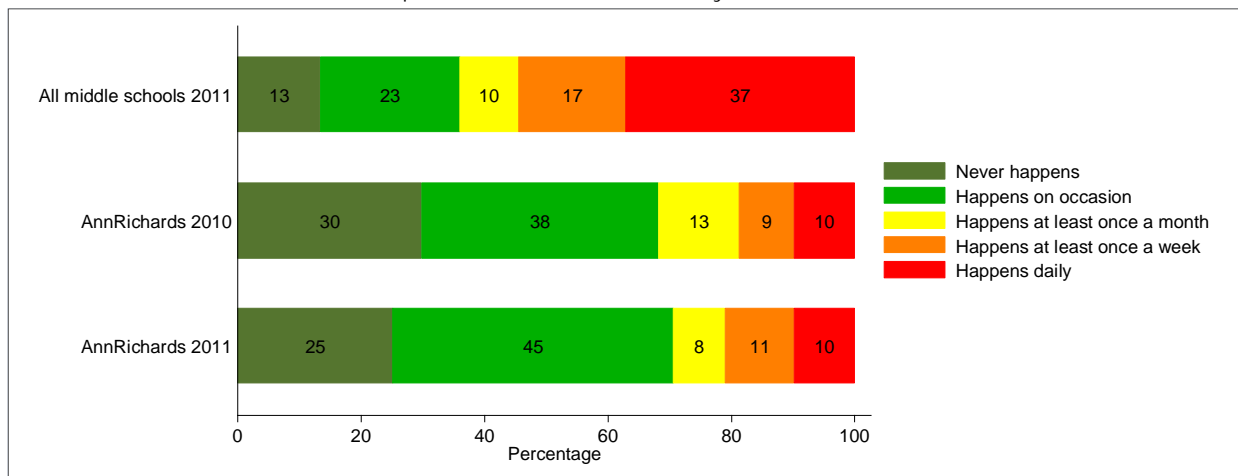
Q15a: How often does racial tension occur at your school?



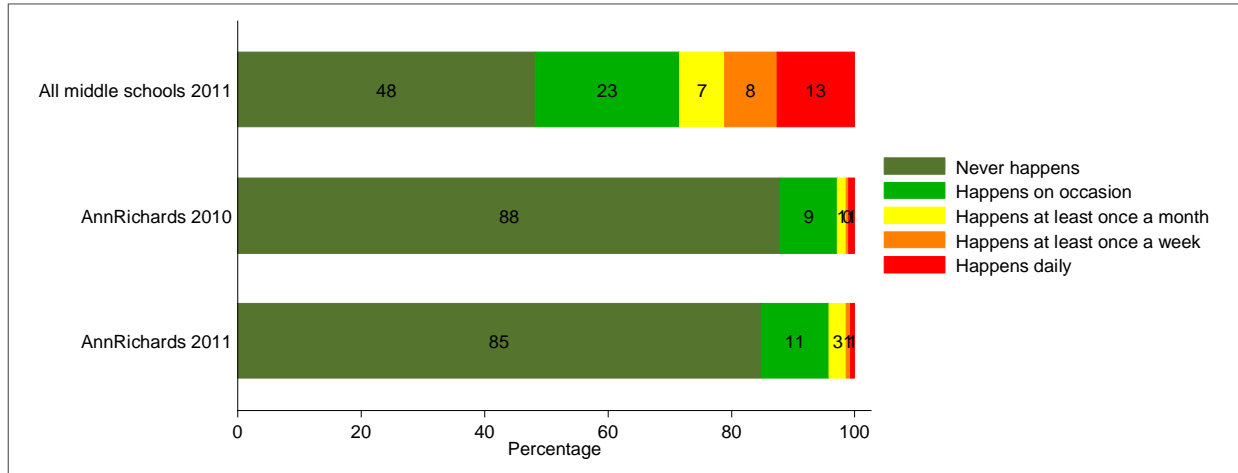
Q15b: How often does student bullying occur at your school?



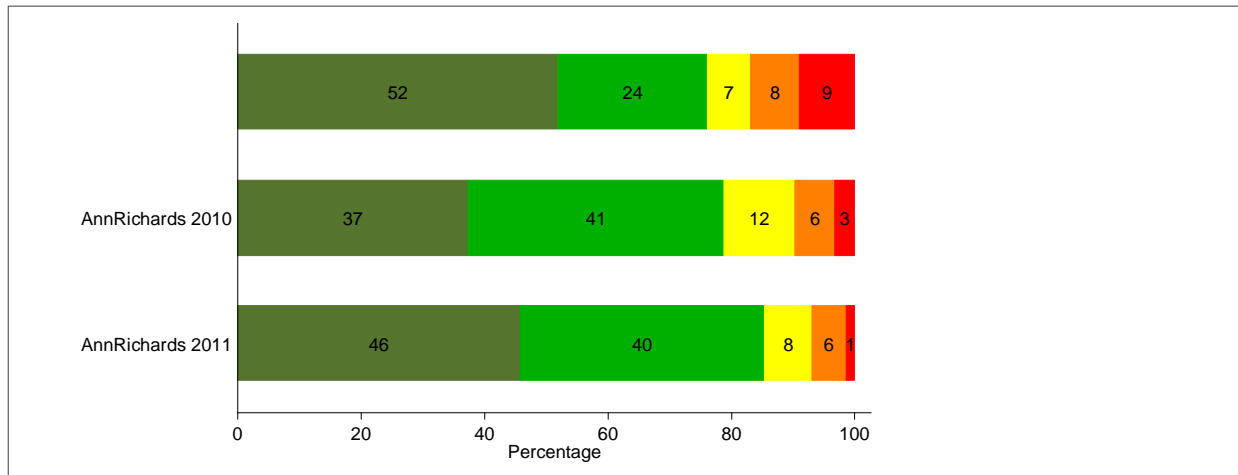
Q15c: How often do acts of disrespect for teachers occur at your school?



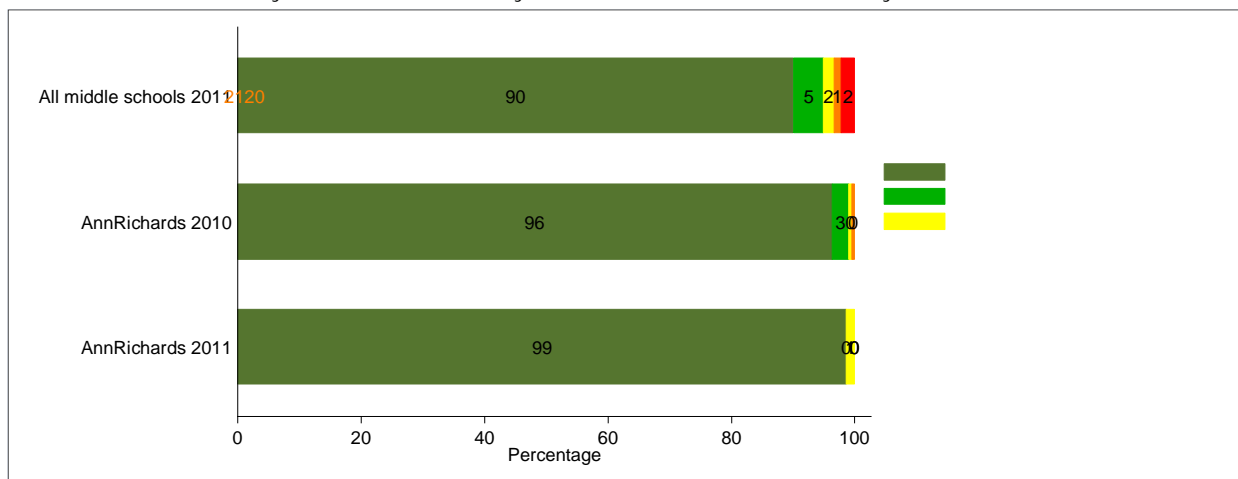
Q15d: How often do gang activities occur at your school?



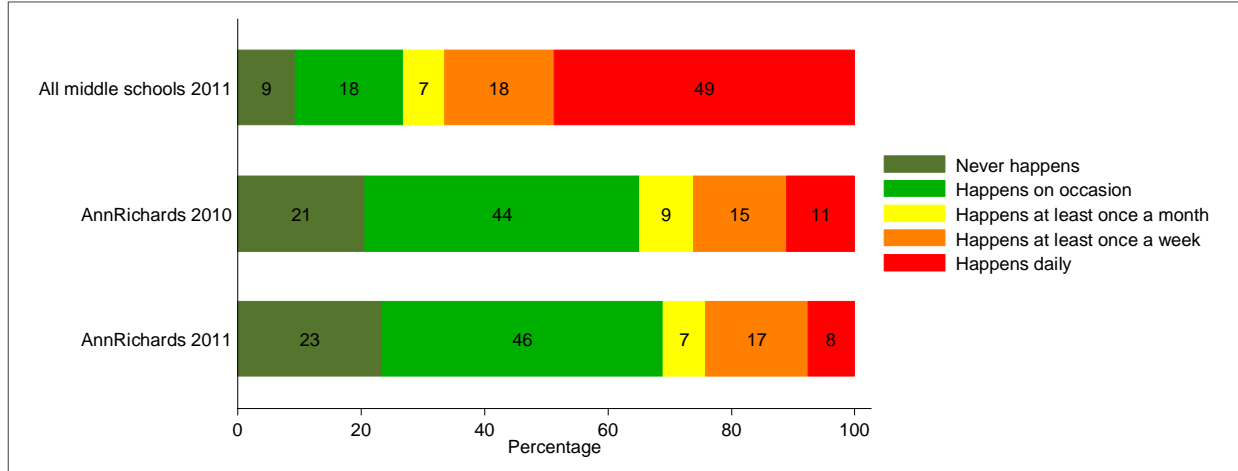
Q15e: How often have you experienced any type of bullying at your school?



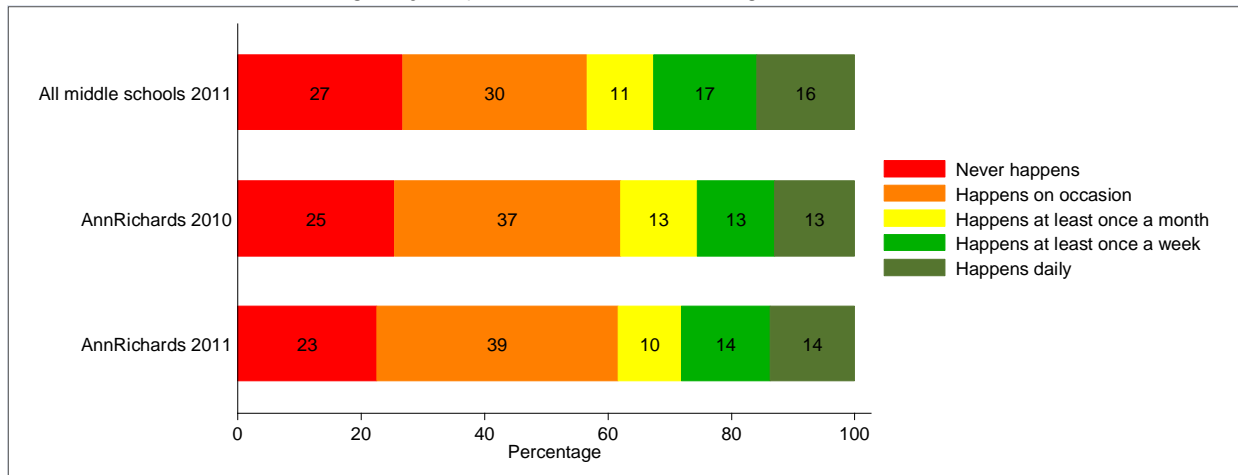
Q15f: How often were you absent because you did not feel safe on the way to/from school?



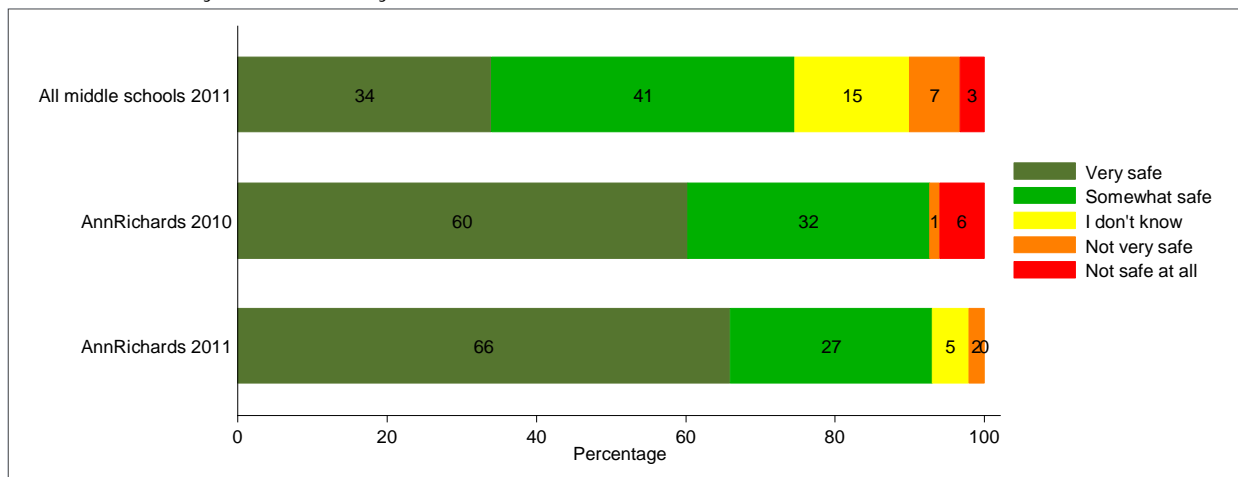
Q15g: How often does your teacher have to interrupt class to deal with student misbehavior?



Q15h: Do teachers or staff give you praise or rewards for good behavior?



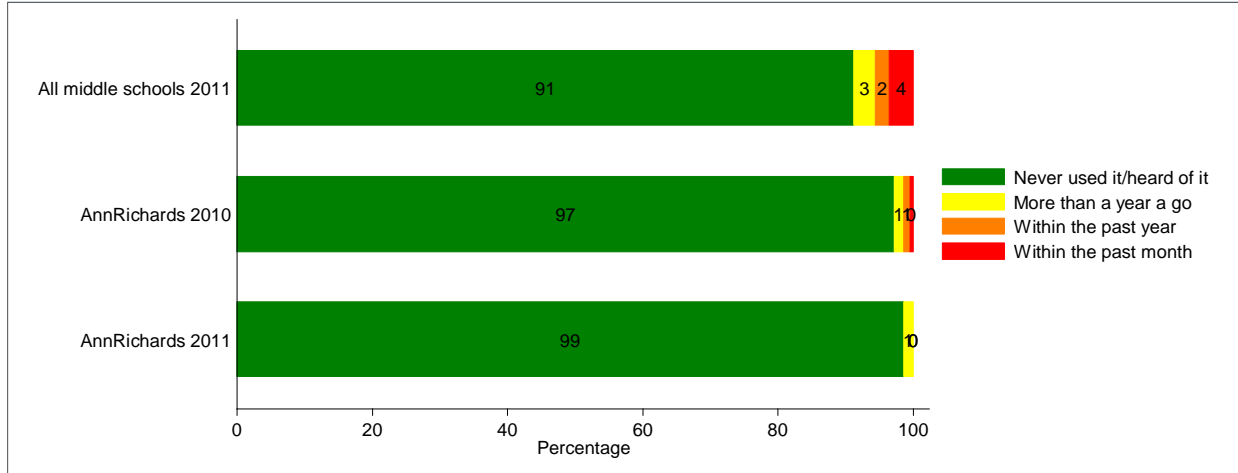
Q8: How safe do you feel when you are at school?



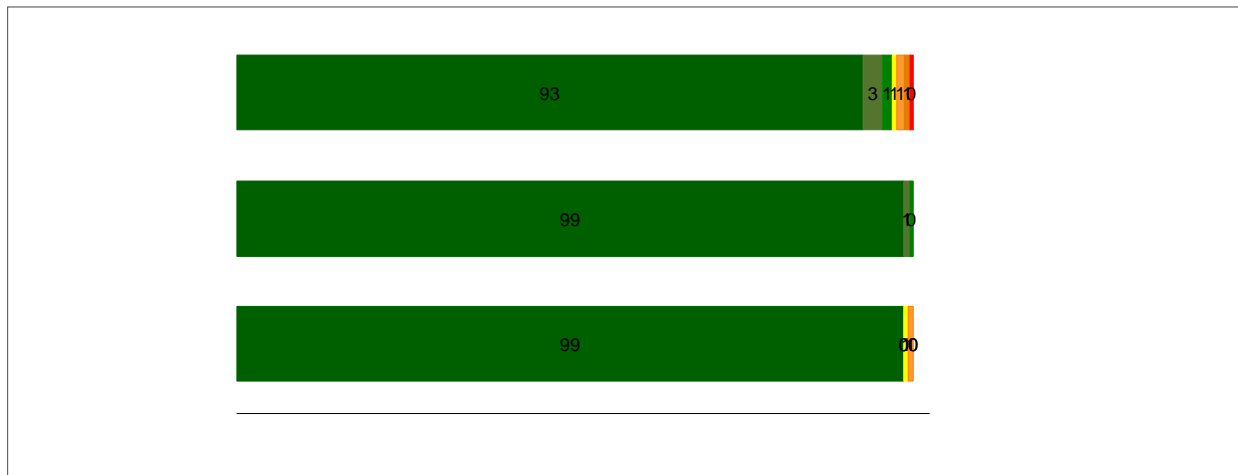
SUBSTANCE USE ITEMS

Tobacco:

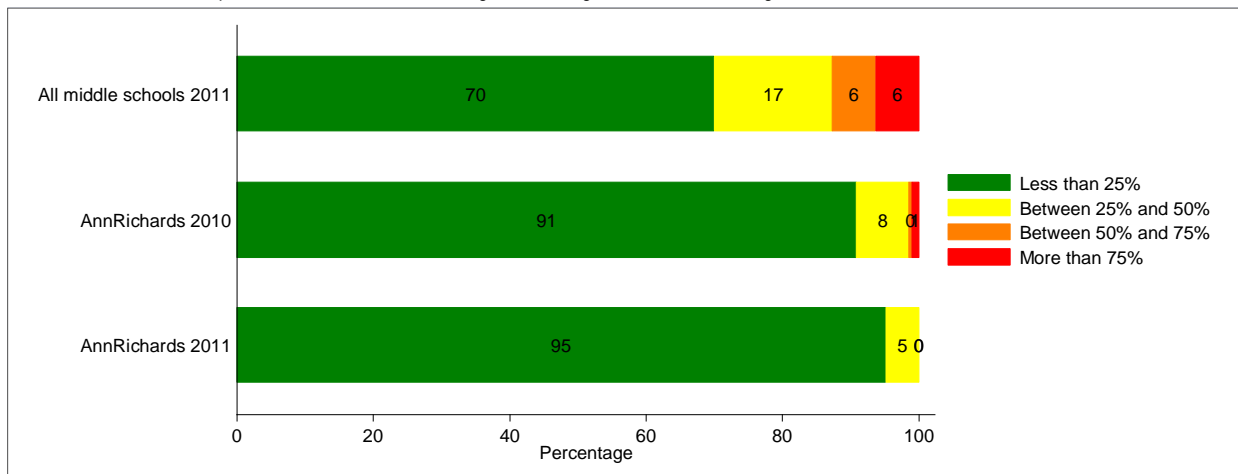
Q18a: What is the most recent you have used Tobacco?



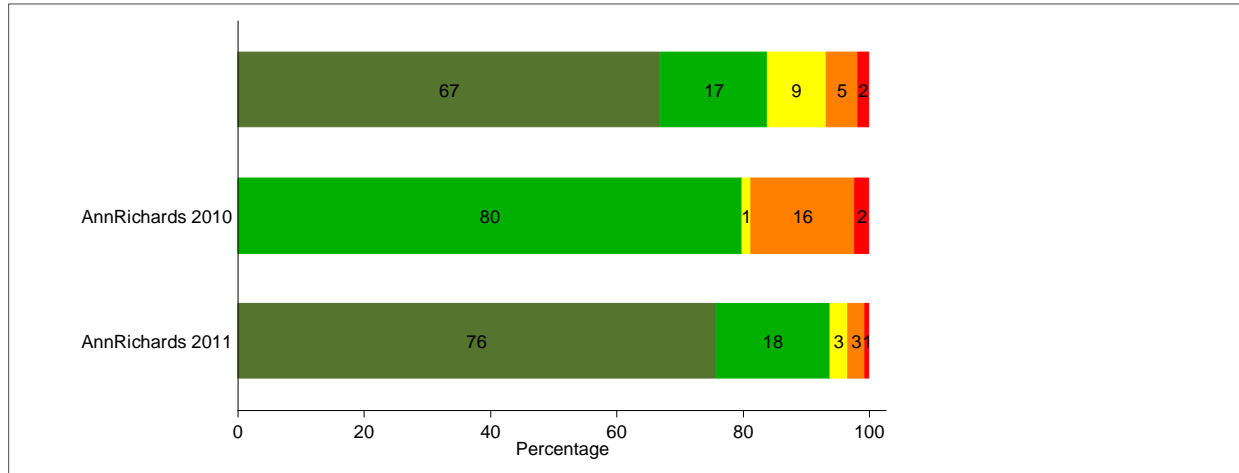
Q21a: During this year, how often did you use Tobacco?



Q29a: Within the past month, how many kids at your school do you think have used tobacco?



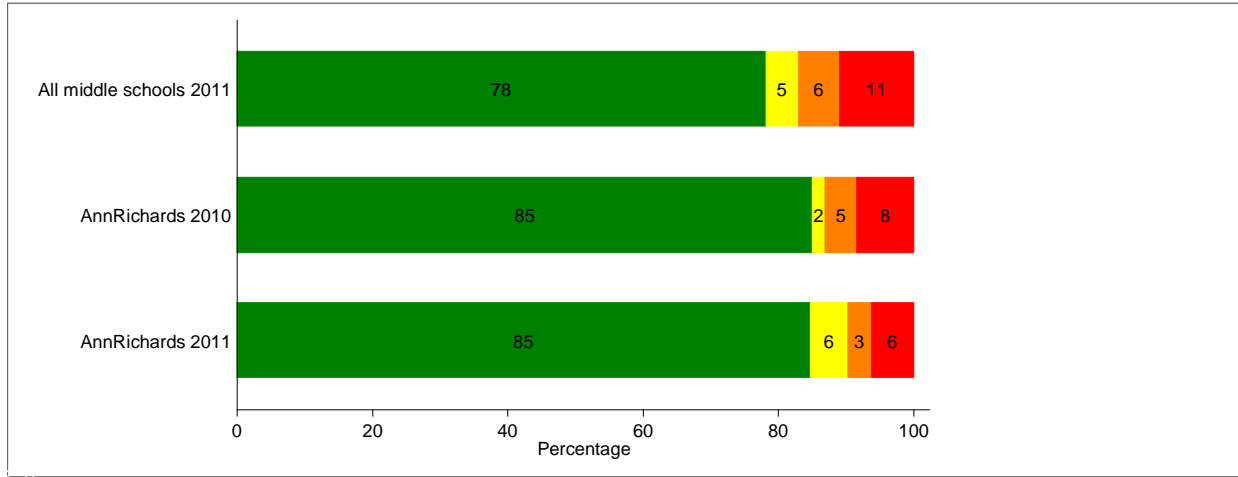
Q27a: How dangerous is it for kids your age to use Tobacco?



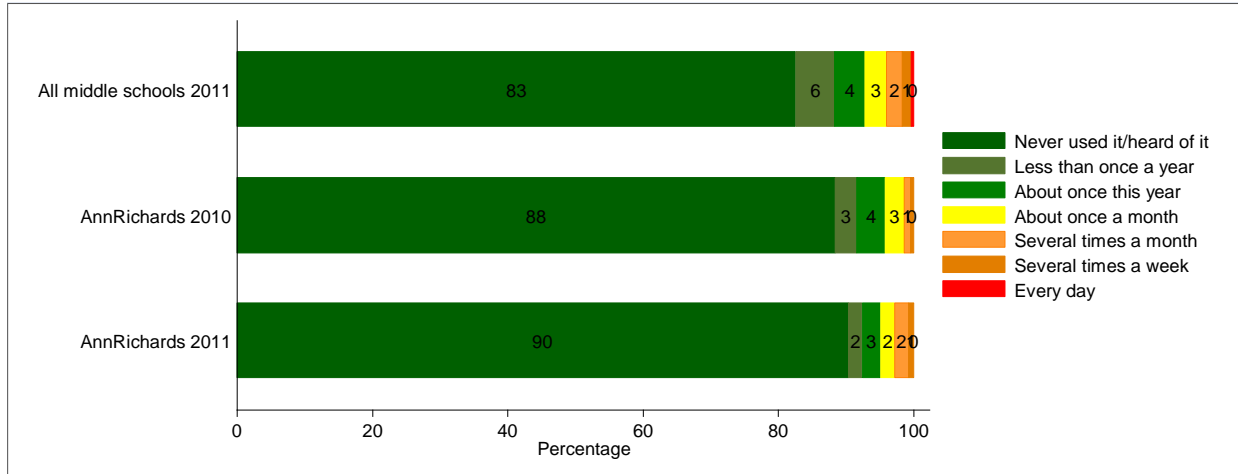
Q28g. During the school year, how many times have you experienced advertisements (TV, radio, billboard)

ALCOHOL:

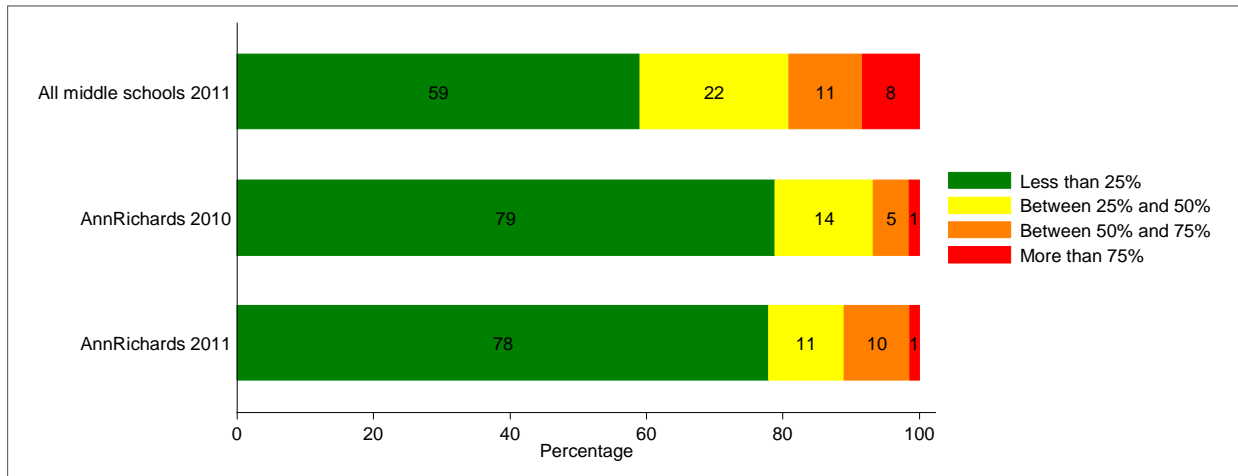
Q18b: What is the most recent you have used Alcohol?



Q21b: During this year, how often did you use Alcohol?

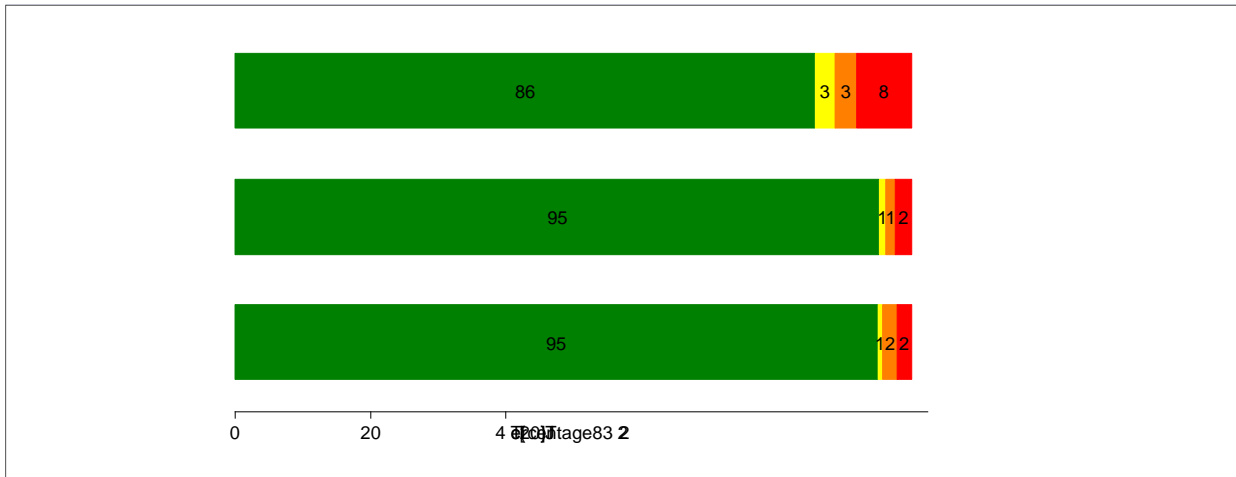


Q29b. Within the past month, how many kids at your school do you think have used alcohol?

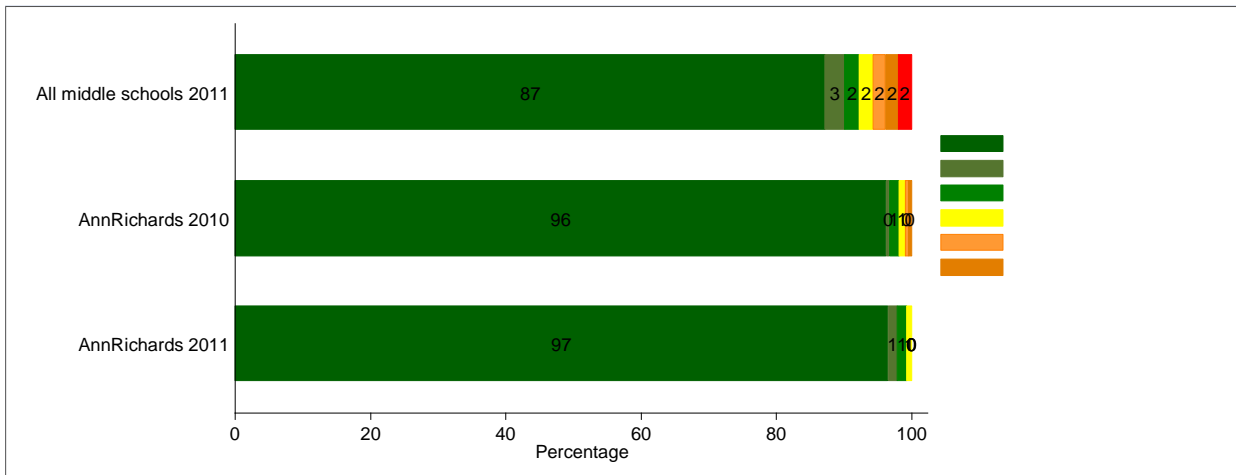


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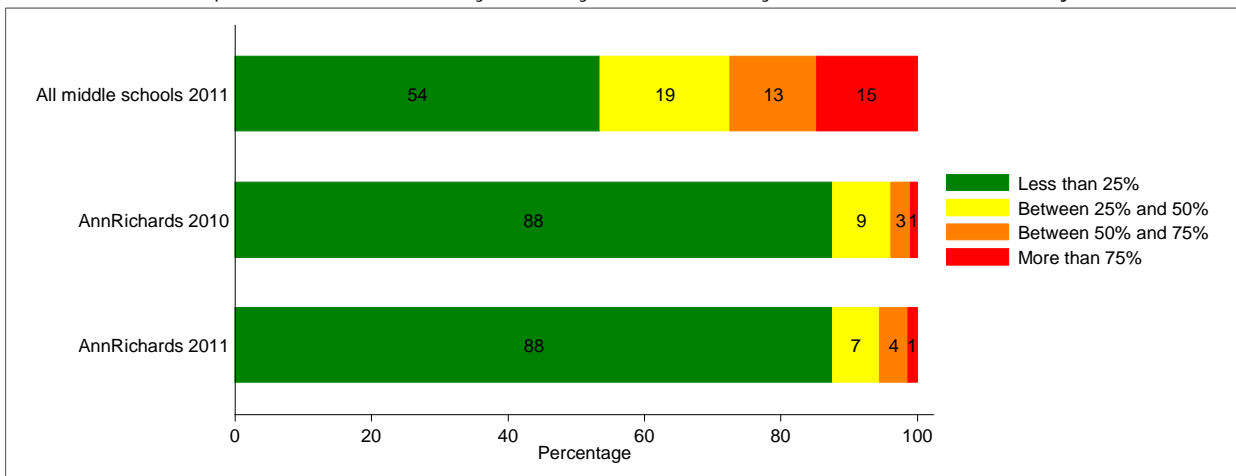
Q18c: What is the most recent you have used Marijuana?



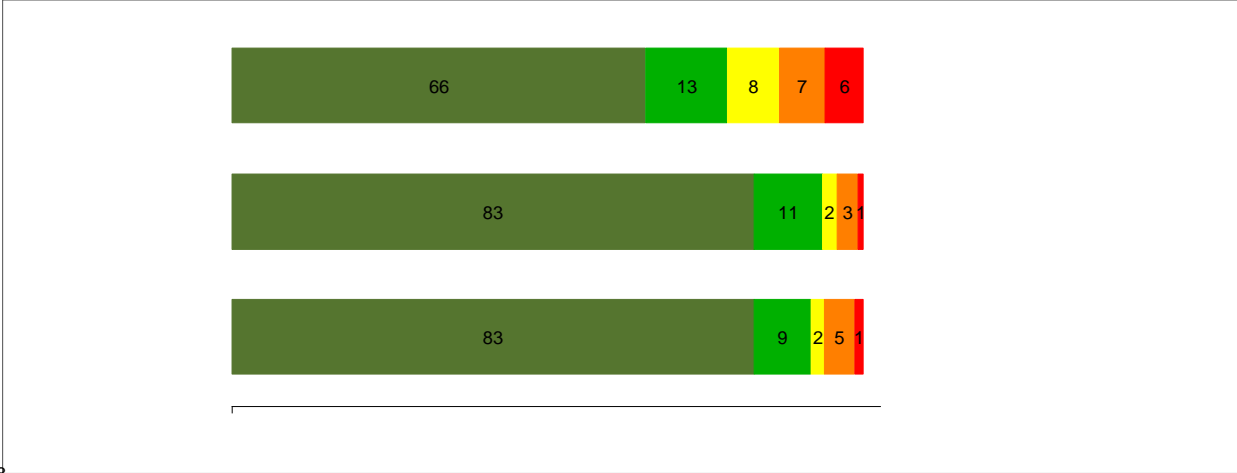
Q21c: During this year, how often did you use Marijuana?



Q29c. Within the past month, how many kids at your school do you think have used marijuana?



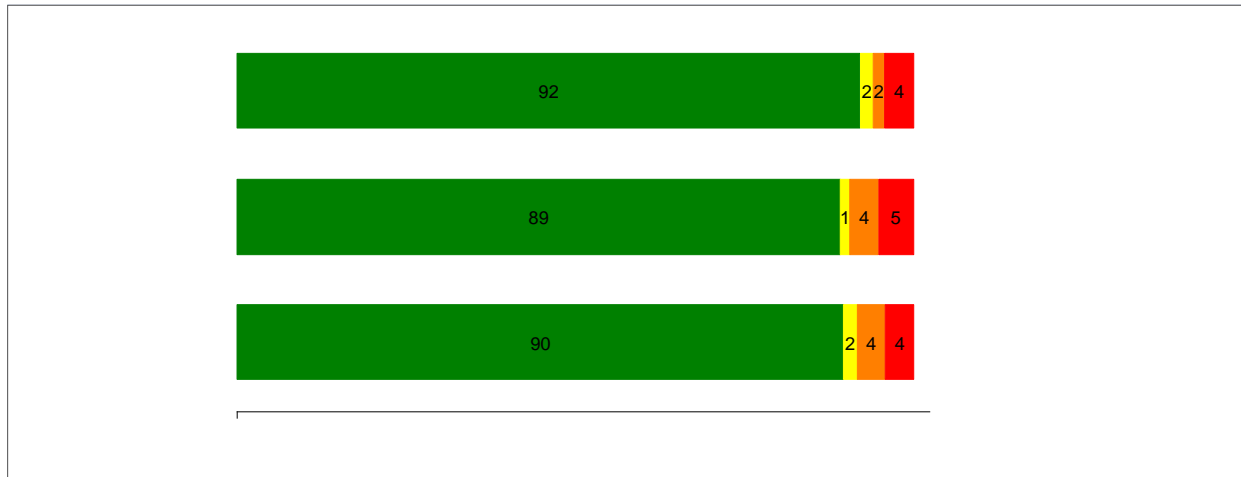
Q27c: How dangerous is it for kids your age to use Marijuana?



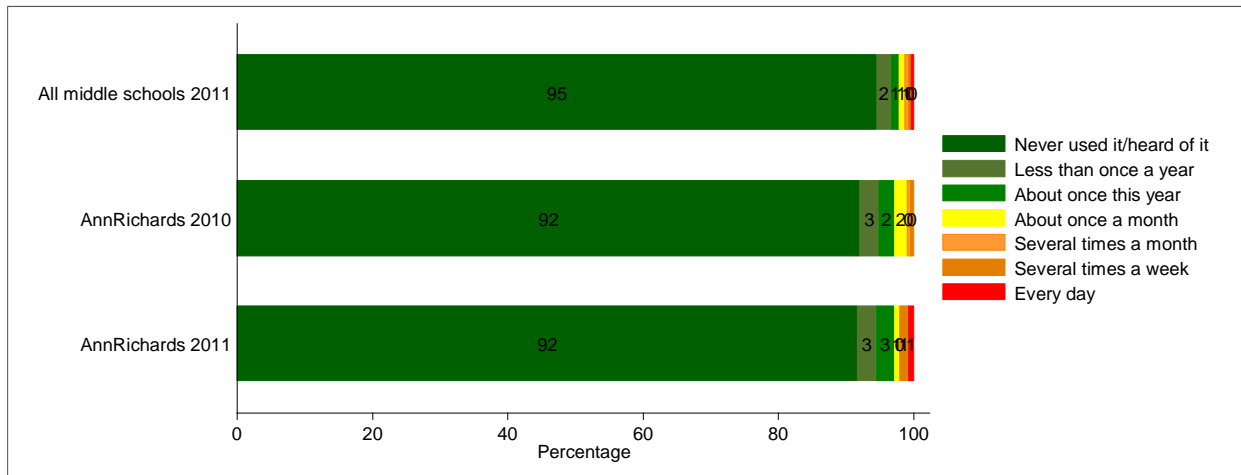
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INHALANTS:

Q18d: What is the most recent you have used Inhalants?



Q21d: During this year, how often did you use Inhalants?

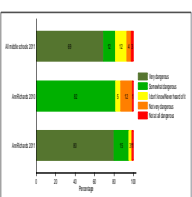


Q27d: How dangerous is it for kids your age to use Inhalants?



OVER THE COUNTER MEDICATION:

Q18e: What is the most recent you have used Over the Counter M1 1(M1 1BiON)tv (s)8uther e 5(h)3(g)-6(et)9(h)3(av)-(s



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STEROIDS OR PERFORMANCE ENHANCING DRUGS:

Q18g: What is the most recent you have used Steroids or Performance Enhancing Drugs?



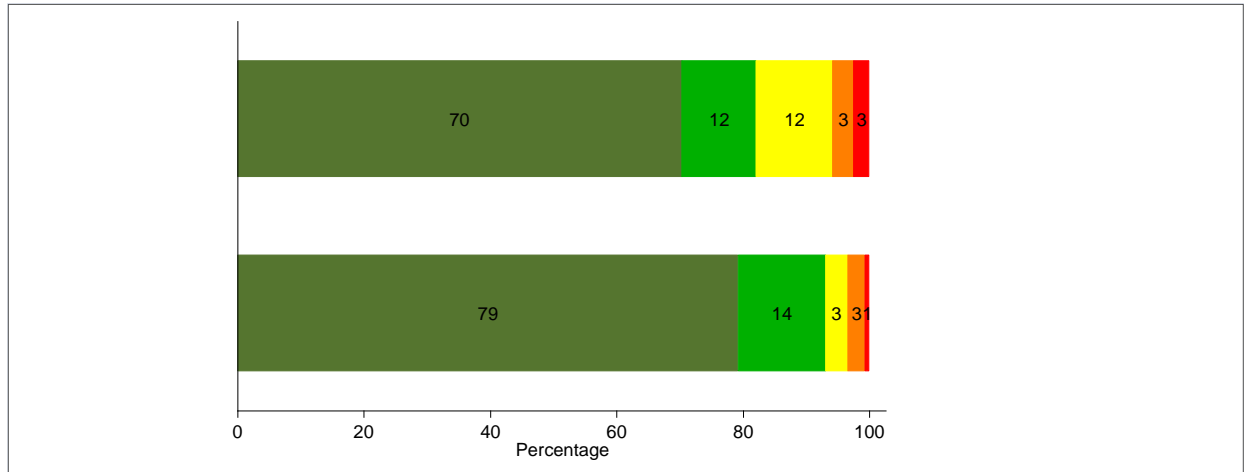
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Q21g: During this year, how often did you use Steroids or Performance Enhancing Drugs?



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Q27g: How dangerous is it for kids your age to use Steroids or Performance Enhancing Drugs?

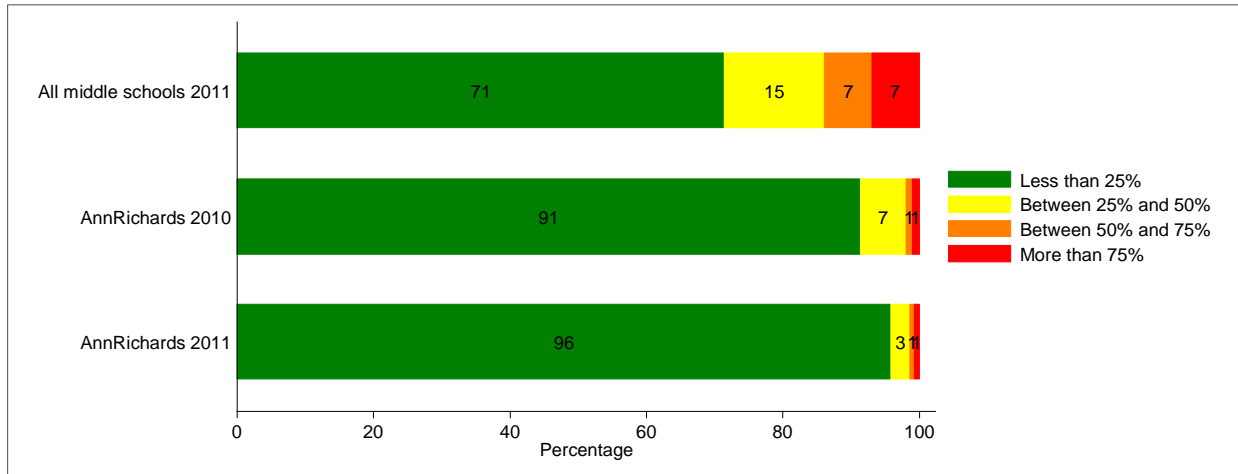


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OTHER ILLEGAL DRUGS:

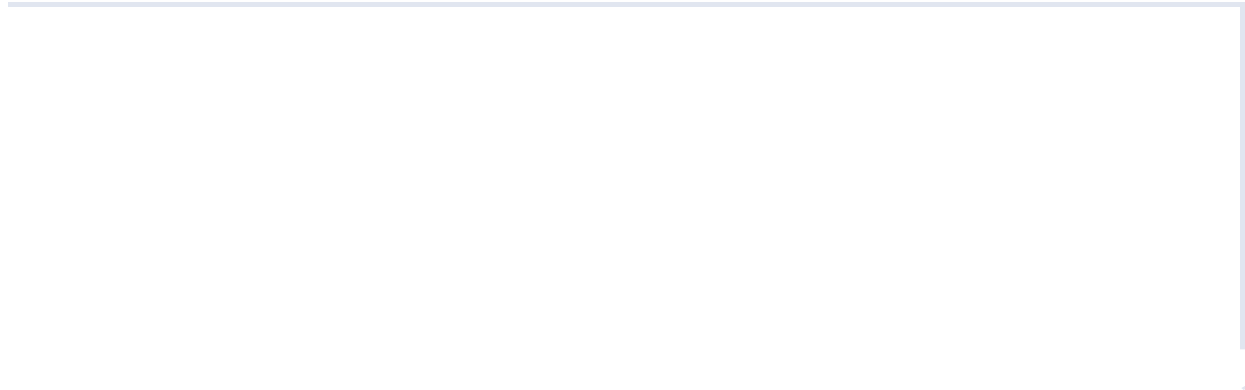
Q18h: What is the most recent you have used Other Illegal Drugs (e.g., cocaine, ecstasy, hallucinogens,

Q29d. Within the past month, how many kids at your school do you think have used other illegal drugs (e.g., cocaine, ecstasy, heroin, etc.) ?

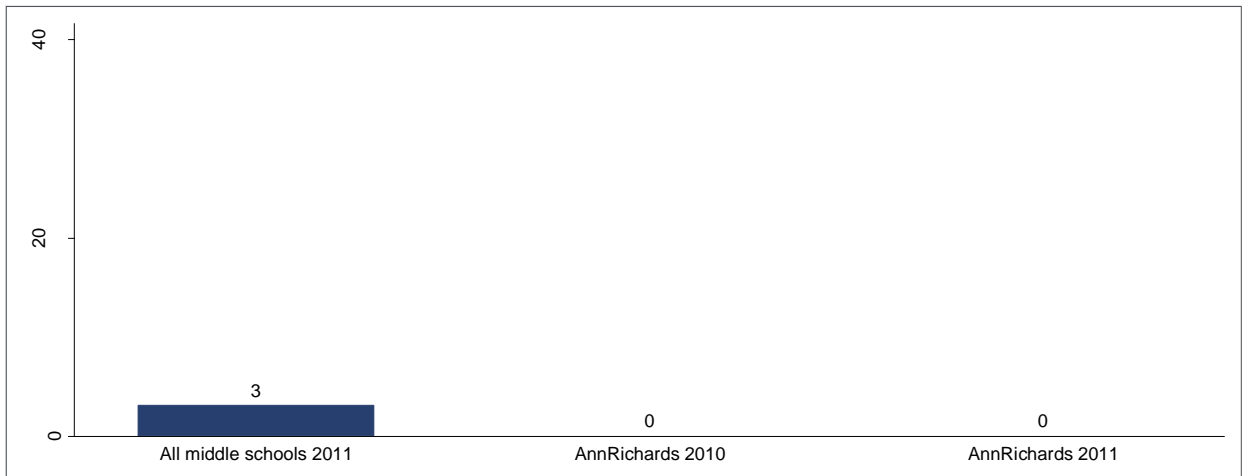


OPINIONS, EXPERIENCE, AND EXPOSURE:

Q13: Are school rules about drug, alcohol, and tobacco use enforced by school staff?



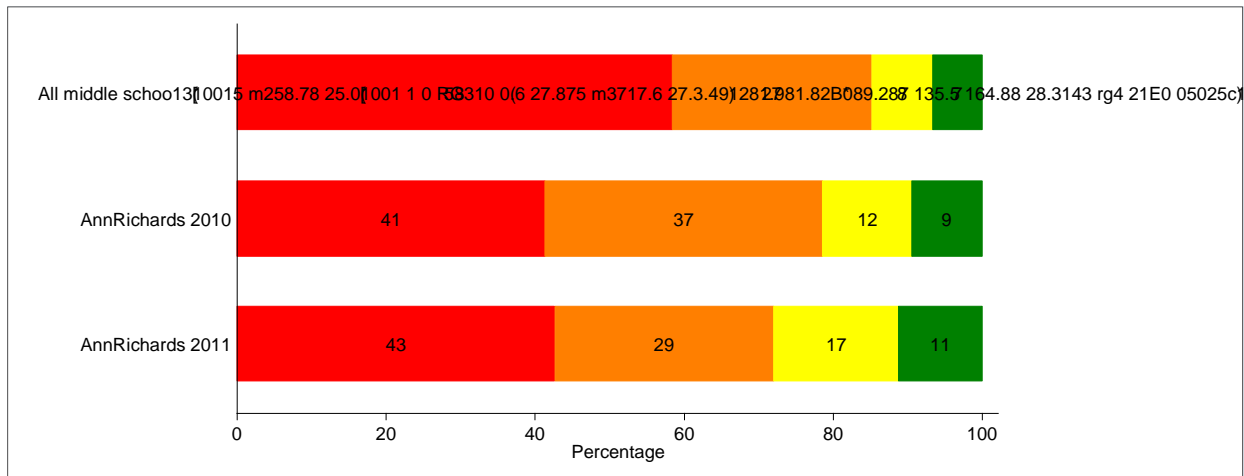
Q19: During this school year, have you gotten into trouble with the police because of tobacco, drugs, or alcohol?



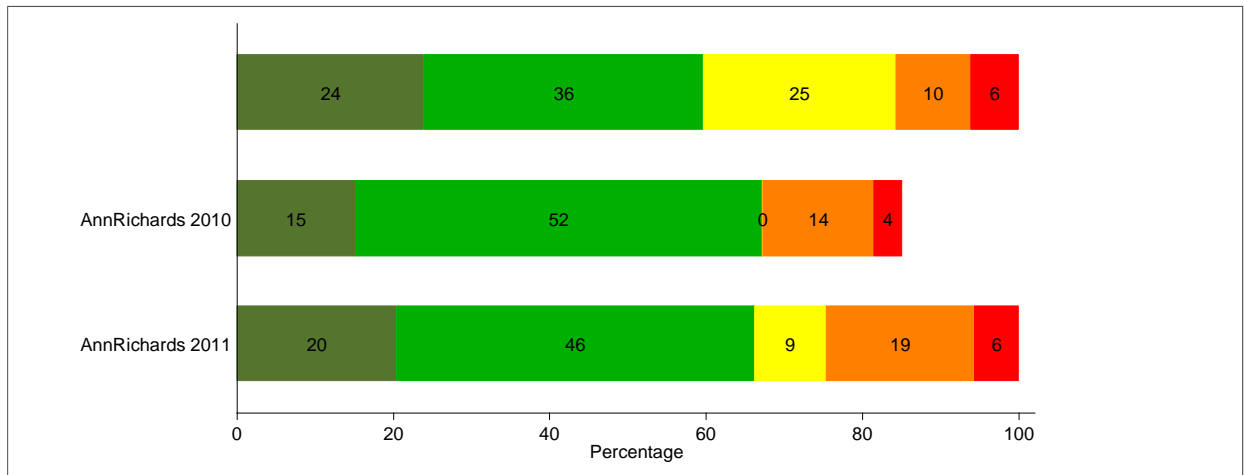
Q24: If you had a drug or alcohol problem and needed help, who would you go to?



Q28e. During the school year, how many times have you experienced printed materials with cartoons and stories about how students avoid substance abuse?



Q30. How good is your ability to cope with stress and negative emotions?



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