

Table 13. Height in centimeters for persons 2-19 years-number of examined persons, mean, standard error of the mean, and selected percentiles, by sex and age : United States, 1988-1994

Sex and age	Number of examined persons	Mean	Standard error of the mean	Selected percentile								
				5th	10th	15th	25th	50th	75th	85th	90th	95th
Male												
2 years	589	90.9	0.27	84.5	86.0	87.3	88.3	90.9	93.5	95.2	95.9	97.9
3 years	513	98.8	0.32	91.9	92.8	93.8	95.3	99.4	102.1	103.1	104.3	105.6
4 years	551	105.2	0.33	98.0	99.9	100.6	102.5	105.1	108.0	110.1	111.3	113.3
5 years	497	112.3	0.38	104.2	106.4	107.4	108.9	112.3	115.3	117.9	119.3	121.4
6 years	283	118.9	0.65	*	111.4	112.0	114.6	118.9	123.2	125.4	126.9	*
7 years	270	125.9	0.68	*	118.1	120.1	121.3	126.0	131.1	133.5	134.8	*
8 years	269	131.3	0.60	*	123.8	125.2	126.5	131.3	135.4	137.1	139.6	*
9 years	280	137.7	0.65	*	129.6	131.0	133.2	137.5	142.0	146.1	147.2	*
10 years	297	142.0	0.83	*	134.3	135.5	138.2	143.1	146.4	149.2	152.1	*
11 years	285	147.4	0.76	*	138.7	140.0	143.6	147.1	151.5	154.9	157.5	*
12 years	207	155.5	0.89	*	*	147.8	150.0	154.5	162.3	165.5	*	*
13 years	190	161.6	1.06	*	*	152.7	155.0	161.8	168.3	170.9	*	*
14 years	191	169.0	0.91	*	*	162.6	164.6	168.9	174.3	176.3	*	*
15 years	188	172.8	0.99	*	*	164.6	167.6	172.3	179.9	182.2	*	*
16 years	197	175.0	0.92	*	*	167.3	170.5	175.4	179.6	184.1	*	*
17 years	196	176.5	1.03	*	*	168.3	172.6	176.8	182.5	187.0	*	*
18 years	176	177.3	0.99	*	*	168.4	172.4	176.0	182.3	186.1	*	*
19 years	169	175.5	0.69	*	*	170.1	171.6	175.4	179.0	181.2	*	*
Female												
2 years	564	89.7	0.33	82.6	84.0	85.1	86.9	89.2	92.7	94.3	95.3	96.9
3 years	590	98.2	0.33	91.3	92.8	93.8	95.0	98.2	101.4	103.2	104.1	106.0
4 years	535	105.1	0.36	*	98.3	100.2	102.2	105.0	108.5	110.4	111.5	*
5 years	557	112.2	0.41	*	105.2	106.3	108.0	112.0	115.5	117.8	119.5	*
6 years	274	117.9	0.61	*	*	111.5	114.5	118.2	122.1	124.1	*	*
7 years	275	124.3	0.67	*	*	118.6	120.5	123.4	128.0	130.8	*	*
8 years	247	131.1	0.70	*	*	125.3	127.4	131.1	135.5	137.5	*	*
9 years	282	136.6	0.70	*	128.6	129.4	132.6	136.5	139.9	142.7	143.6	*
10 years	262	142.7	0.74	*	*	135.4	137.2	142.5	147.8	150.6	*	*
11 years	275	150.2	0.75	*	*	143.1	144.3	151.1	155.1	157.1	*	*
12 years	239	155.5	0.88	*	*	147.5	150.6	155.6	161.2	164.2	*	*
13 years	225	159.9	0.83	*	*	152.0	155.3	159.5	164.6	167.6	*	*
14 years	226	161.2	0.83	*	*	154.5	156.1	161.5	166.4	169.1	*	*
15 years	201	162.8	0.70	*	*	157.8	159.3	162.9	166.8	168.7	*	*
16 years	221	163.1	0.74	*	*	157.4	159.1	162.7	166.3	168.7	*	*
17 years	217	163.4	0.78	*	*	155.8	158.9	163.4	167.1	171.0	*	*
18 years	193	163.2	0.88	*	*	155.0	158.0	163.6	167.6	170.1	*	*
19 years	194	163.8	0.81	*	*	156.1	158.5	164.7	168.6	169.9	*	*

* Figure does not meet standard of reliability or precision.