

**Table 9-9. Asthma: Estimated prevalence by current industry and smoking status, U.S. male residents age 18 and over, 2000**

Industry	Nonsmokers			Current Smokers		
	Number of Respondents	Prevalence (%)	95% Confidence Interval	Number of Respondents	Prevalence (%)	95% Confidence Interval
Private households	6	17.0	0.0 - 47.6	2	0.0	- -
Food, bakery and dairy stores	100	14.4	5.8 - 23.0	57	12.6	1.2 - 24.0
General merchandise stores	49	11.4	0.0 - 23.4	40	10.6	1.2 - 20.0
Communications	105	11.2	4.5 - 17.9	42	4.0	0.0 - 9.5
Primary metal industries	31	10.7	0.0 - 22.1	30	9.5	0.0 - 19.9
Trucking service and warehousing	136	10.7	4.4 - 17.0	96	7.6	1.5 - 13.7
Other nondurable goods	75	10.5	1.3 - 19.7	46	0.0	- -
Elementary and secondary schools and colleges	313	10.1	6.8 - 13.4	56	1.3	0.0 - 3.8
Fabricated metal industries, including ordnance	57	9.8	0.2 - 19.4	54	11.0	0.8 - 21.2
Printing, publishing and allied industries	65	9.5	0.0 - 19.3	32	6.0	0.0 - 13.8
Health services, except hospitals	103	8.9	2.0 - 15.8	32	0.0	- -
Furniture, lumber and wood	81	8.8	1.9 - 15.7	41	8.6	0.6 - 16.6
Insurance, real estate, and other finance	181	8.7	4.0 - 13.4	80	8.5	2.0 - 15.0
Other and not specified durable goods	78	8.5	1.1 - 15.9	47	2.1	0.0 - 6.0
Banking and credit agencies	55	8.5	0.3 - 16.7	23	5.7	0.0 - 14.3
Transportation equipment	114	8.4	2.9 - 13.9	58	10.7	2.5 - 18.9
Legal, engineering and other professional services	211	8.2	4.1 - 12.3	59	11.8	2.6 - 21.0
Railroads	19	8.0	0.0 - 20.9	12	0.0	- -
Entertainment and recreation services	116	8.0	1.5 - 14.5	48	4.8	0.0 - 12.4
Wholesale trade	218	7.4	3.3 - 11.5	115	6.6	1.7 - 11.5
Public administrations	258	7.4	3.5 - 11.3	91	12.2	4.6 - 19.8
Utilities and sanitary	83	7.1	1.4 - 12.8	29	4.1	0.0 - 12.1
Other and not specified retail trade	214	7.0	3.5 - 10.5	103	10.0	2.6 - 17.4
Eating and drinking places	195	6.8	2.5 - 11.1	161	12.3	6.2 - 18.4
Business services	350	6.6	3.7 - 9.5	186	13.6	7.9 - 19.3
Social services, religious and membership orgs.	98	6.5	1.4 - 11.6	21	3.2	0.0 - 9.3
Construction	490	5.8	3.3 - 8.3	423	5.0	3.0 - 7.0
Machinery, except electrical	105	5.8	1.5 - 10.1	72	12.2	3.8 - 20.6
Hospitals	112	5.8	0.9 - 10.7	26	2.4	0.0 - 7.1
Chemicals and allied products	54	5.6	0.0 - 12.1	21	0.0	- -
Electrical machinery, equipment and supplies	87	5.3	1.2 - 9.4	43	17.6	3.9 - 31.3
Automotive dealers and gasoline stations	98	4.8	0.0 - 10.3	82	6.6	0.7 - 12.5
Mining	24	4.4	0.0 - 12.6	21	14.8	0.0 - 31.1
Textile mill and finished textile products	33	3.5	0.0 - 10.8	23	0.0	- -
Agriculture	203	3.4	0.9 - 5.9	87	2.8	0.0 - 6.9
Repair services	99	3.0	0.1 - 5.9	96	11.4	3.8 - 19.0
Other transportation	125	2.7	0.0 - 5.4	69	6.4	0.0 - 14.0
Other personal services	75	2.1	0.0 - 4.6	60	15.4	5.2 - 25.6
Food and kindred products	62	1.3	0.0 - 3.1	56	7.6	0.0 - 17.0
Forestry and fisheries	12	0.0	- -	6	7.9	0.0 - 23.6
Other educational services	7	0.0	- -	3	0.0	- -
Armed forces	1	0.0	- -	0	-	- -
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>5,056</b>	<b>7.2</b>	<b>6.4 - 8.0</b>	<b>2,714</b>	<b>8.0</b>	<b>6.8 - 9.2</b>

-- No estimates due to no asthma cases or no respondents.

Nonsmokers - Those respondents who indicated that they never smoked or smoked less than 100 cigarettes in their lifetime.

NOTE: Industries were classified according to 1995 Standard Industrial Classification System and then regrouped by NCHS. See appendices for source description, methods, and ICD codes.

SOURCE: National Center for Health Statistics 2000 National Health Interview Survey.