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Occupation	Estimated Population	Nonsmokers			Former Smokers			Current Smokers		
		Prevalence (%)	95% Confidence Interval		Prevalence (%)	95% Confidence Interval		Prevalence (%)	95% Confidence Interval	
Architects and surveyors	40,646	81.5	70.8–92.2		9.8	2.2–17.4		8.7	0.6–16.9	
Health diagnosing	297,093	78.3	73.5–83.0		14.2	10.3–18.2		7.5	4.3–10.8	
Engineers	203,813	74.1	68.4–79.8		13.6	9.1–18.1		11.8	7.6–16.0	
Teachers, librarians, and counselors	4,771,497	72.7	71.5–74.0		17.0	15.9–18.1		10.0	9.1–10.8	
Natural mathematical and computer scientists	802,793	69.2	66.1–72.3		18.2	15.6–20.8		12.3	10.2–14.5	
Private household	655,619	65.8	62.1–69.4		15.9	13.1–18.7		18.0	15.0–21.0	
Health assessment and treating occupations	2,919,192	64.9	63.1–66.7		20.9	19.3–22.4		13.7	12.4–15.0	
Farm operators and managers	155,093	64.5	57.1–71.9		17.2	11.3–23.1		18.3	12.4–24.3	
Other professional specialty	1,452,885	62.6	60.2–65.0		22.8	20.6–24.9		14.2	12.5–15.9	
Computer equipment operators	205,102	62.3	55.8–68.8		16.7	11.9–21.6		21.0	15.6–26.4	
Personal service	2,278,641	61.8	59.9–63.8		17.5	15.9–19.0		20.2	18.6–21.9	
Secretaries, stenographers, and typists	2,624,172	61.4	59.5–63.3		19.0	17.4–20.6		19.4	17.9–20.9	
Technologists and technicians except health	849,645	61.3	58.1–64.6		16.7	14.2–19.2		21.8	19.0–24.5	
Writers, artists, entertainers, and athletes	1,129,647	61.3	58.5–64.2		23.1	20.7–25.6		15.3	13.2–17.3	
Other administrative support	8,366,394	61.1	60.0–62.1		16.6	15.8–17.4		21.9	21.0–22.8	
Management related	2,966,447	60.9	59.2–62.6		19.3	17.8–20.7		19.7	18.3–21.1	
Farm workers and other agricultural workers	369,488	60.3	55.2–65.4		13.4	9.8–17.1		25.8	21.2–30.4	
Cleaning and building service	1,433,779	59.9	57.4–62.4		11.6	10.0–13.3		28.0	25.7–30.2	
Police and firefighters	221,496	59.9	53.7–66.2		14.3	9.9–18.7		25.2	19.7–30.7	
Health technologist and technicians	1,493,134	59.5	57.0–62.1		17.9	15.9–19.9		22.3	20.1–24.4	
Officials and administrators, public administration	371,010	59.4	54.7–64.0		24.1	20.0–28.2		16.5	13.1–19.9	
Fabricators, assemblers, inspectors and samplers	1,000,786	58.8	55.7–61.8		13.7	11.5–15.9		27.3	24.5–30.0	
Other sales	3,818,844	58.6	56.9–60.2		14.1	13.0–15.3		27.1	25.6–28.6	
Financial records processing	1,902,368	57.7	55.5–60.0		19.5	17.7–21.4		22.3	20.4–24.1	
Machine operators and tenderers, except precision	1,485,822	57.6	55.1–60.1		13.2	11.5–15.0		29.1	26.8–31.3	
Freight, stock and material handlers	916,695	57.3	54.1–60.6		9.9	8.0–11.8		32.4	29.3–35.4	
Health service	2,366,040	56.5	54.5–58.5		14.5	13.0–15.9		28.5	26.7–30.3	

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Sales representatives, commodities and finance	1,581,945	56.4	54.0 – 58.8	20.4	18.4 – 22.4	22.7	20.7 – 24.8
Managers and administrators, except public administration	5,128,297	55.9	54.6 – 57.3	21.0	19.9 – 22.1	22.8	21.6 – 23.9
Other protective service	265,936	55.7	49.6 – 61.9	13.2	9.2 – 17.2	30.7	24.9 – 36.5
Precision production	814,181	52.7	49.3 – 56.2	17.2	14.6 – 19.9	29.7	26.5 – 32.9
Supervisors and proprietors	1,544,405	52.6	50.1 – 55.2	19.6	17.6 – 21.6	27.5	25.2 – 29.7
Mail and message distributing	375,442	52.1	47.0 – 57.2	22.3	18.0 – 26.6	25.2	20.7 – 29.7
Motor vehicle operators	512,524	51.0	46.7 – 55.3	16.6	13.4 – 19.7	31.3	27.3 – 35.4
Forestry and fishing	5,338	49.6	15.0 – 84.2	35.0	4.1 – 65.9	15.4	0.0 – 42.6
Food service	3,184,026	49.1	47.3 – 50.9	12.6	11.5 – 13.8	38.0	36.3 – 39.8
Mechanics and repairers	206,714	47.5	40.9 – 54.1	20.6	15.2 – 26.1	31.4	25.1 – 37.8
Military	6,401	44.4	10.2 – 78.7	24.8	0.0 – 51.2	30.8	0.0 – 65.9
Construction laborers	26,562	39.1	22.4 – 55.8	9.0	0.0 – 21.3	51.9	34.2 – 69.5
Material moving equipment operators	76,951	38.8	28.4 – 49.1	17.4	9.3 – 25.4	42.1	31.3 – 52.9
Construction and extractive trades	154,843	36.8	28.9 – 44.6	15.0	9.4 – 20.6	46.7	38.4 – 55.0
Other transportation, except motor vehicles	4,300	36.6	0.0 – 74.0	15.1	0.0 – 42.3	48.4	10.2 – 86.6
Refused, not ascertained, don't know	2,213,477	64.7	62.7 – 66.6	10.8	9.6 – 12.1	15.1	13.6 – 16.6
TOTAL	61,199,481	60.2	59.8 – 60.6	17.1	16.8 – 17.4	22.1	21.7 – 22.4

NOTE: See appendices for source description and methods.

SOURCE: National Center for Health Statistics Health Interview Survey.