

**Table L2.2**  
**Adult Self-Reported Lifetime Asthma Prevalence Rate (Number)**  
**by Sex and State or Territory: BRFSS 2001**

| State       | Sample Size | Male Prevalence (number) | Male 95% CI* (number)   |  | Sample Size | Female Prevalence (number) | Female 95% CI* (number)   |
|-------------|-------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|--|-------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| U.S. Total* | 83,543      | 9,391,523                | (9,040,009 - 9,743,037) |  | 121,254     | 13,818,735                 | (13,447,365 - 14,190,104) |
| AL          | 1,049       | 123,257                  | (94,736 - 151,778)      |  | 1,743       | 200,438                    | (171,012 - 229,864)       |
| AK          | 1,357       | 20,433                   | (15,394 - 25,472)       |  | 1,514       | 30,596                     | (24,384 - 36,808)         |
| AZ          | 1,341       | 195,825                  | (152,623 - 239,027)     |  | 1,920       | 279,104                    | (225,041 - 333,167)       |
| AR          | 1,122       | 86,119                   | (65,803 - 106,434)      |  | 1,805       | 126,568                    | (107,588 - 145,548)       |
| CA          | 1,687       | 1,179,376                | (984,664 - 1,374,088)   |  | 2,483       | 1,865,479                  | (1,644,891 - 2,086,066)   |
| CO          | 864         | 122,310                  | (90,172 - 154,448)      |  | 1,166       | 272,300                    | (230,690 - 313,910)       |
| CT          | 3,199       | 138,717                  | (120,569 - 156,866)     |  | 4,546       | 183,114                    | (166,442 - 199,786)       |
| DE          | 1,361       | 28,158                   | (21,852 - 34,463)       |  | 2,149       | 43,292                     | (36,367 - 50,217)         |
| DC          | 783         | 19,153                   | (13,811 - 24,496)       |  | 1,103       | 35,177                     | (29,001 - 41,352)         |
| FL          | 1,909       | 507,848                  | (424,226 - 591,471)     |  | 2,766       | 734,533                    | (644,942 - 824,124)       |
| GA          | 1,722       | 303,854                  | (246,432 - 361,275)     |  | 2,808       | 370,245                    | (318,204 - 422,287)       |
| HI          | 1,933       | 51,130                   | (41,788 - 60,472)       |  | 2,559       | 60,824                     | (51,467 - 70,180)         |
| ID          | 2,070       | 48,315                   | (40,963 - 55,667)       |  | 2,760       | 59,971                     | (52,819 - 67,123)         |
| IL          | 1,642       | 395,160                  | (322,531 - 467,789)     |  | 2,365       | 654,190                    | (575,034 - 733,345)       |
| IN          | 1,614       | 196,574                  | (162,403 - 230,745)     |  | 2,377       | 318,502                    | (281,233 - 355,771)       |
| IA          | 1,481       | 85,847                   | (68,475 - 103,219)      |  | 2,148       | 126,407                    | (107,988 - 144,825)       |
| KS          | 1,853       | 95,768                   | (80,840 - 110,696)      |  | 2,740       | 136,480                    | (118,843 - 154,117)       |
| KY          | 2,920       | 125,796                  | (106,170 - 145,422)     |  | 4,598       | 207,260                    | (183,485 - 231,036)       |
| LA          | 1,886       | 126,023                  | (104,381 - 147,665)     |  | 3,113       | 167,589                    | (147,300 - 187,878)       |
| ME          | 1,027       | 49,359                   | (38,659 - 60,058)       |  | 1,386       | 72,176                     | (61,358 - 82,995)         |
| MD          | 1,819       | 176,792                  | (132,464 - 221,120)     |  | 2,645       | 268,967                    | (233,083 - 304,852)       |
| MA          | 3,554       | 254,932                  | (224,027 - 285,837)     |  | 5,060       | 384,243                    | (350,505 - 417,980)       |
| MI          | 1,515       | 373,986                  | (299,487 - 448,485)     |  | 2,308       | 540,481                    | (474,556 - 606,407)       |
| MN          | 1,696       | 172,672                  | (142,327 - 203,018)     |  | 2,262       | 195,831                    | (170,157 - 221,505)       |
| MS          | 1,146       | 84,720                   | (65,291 - 104,150)      |  | 1,894       | 104,065                    | (87,320 - 120,810)        |
| MO          | 1,652       | 226,284                  | (181,288 - 271,281)     |  | 2,523       | 276,302                    | (237,763 - 314,840)       |
| MT          | 1,422       | 34,395                   | (27,316 - 41,474)       |  | 1,912       | 44,152                     | (36,817 - 51,487)         |
| NE          | 1,422       | 48,093                   | (36,058 - 60,129)       |  | 2,274       | 58,215                     | (48,960 - 67,471)         |
| NV          | 1,308       | 95,571                   | (76,406 - 114,736)      |  | 1,263       | 108,891                    | (86,832 - 130,950)        |
| NH          | 1,725       | 52,658                   | (43,818 - 61,498)       |  | 2,338       | 64,651                     | (56,662 - 72,640)         |
| NJ          | 2,441       | 213,356                  | (174,055 - 252,658)     |  | 3,568       | 397,368                    | (350,446 - 444,291)       |

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|-------------|-------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|------------|-------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| NM          | 1,499       | 55,524                   | (44,300 - 66,748)     |            | 2,119       | 85,574                     | (73,638 - 97,511)       |
| NY          | 1,609       | 640,166                  | (513,770 - 766,563)   |            | 2,285       | 962,943                    | (834,641 - 1,091,245)   |
| NC          | 2,380       | 253,501                  | (196,250 - 310,753)   |            | 3,821       | 371,104                    | (315,928 - 426,281)     |
| ND          | 1,065       | 17,982                   | (13,561 - 22,403)     |            | 1,444       | 24,801                     | (20,759 - 28,843)       |
| OH          | 1,350       | 335,955                  | (266,898 - 405,012)   |            | 2,081       | 496,232                    | (427,963 - 564,500)     |
| OK          | 1,774       | 105,198                  | (85,215 - 125,182)    |            | 2,771       | 154,709                    | (134,046 - 175,372)     |
| OR          | 1,051       | 131,442                  | (106,372 - 156,513)   |            | 1,478       | 203,567                    | (175,851 - 231,283)     |
| PA          | 1,479       | 425,628                  | (342,907 - 508,349)   |            | 2,179       | 581,839                    | (493,035 - 670,643)     |
| RI          | 1,542       | 37,704                   | (30,558 - 44,851)     |            | 2,567       | 60,343                     | (53,160 - 67,525)       |
| SC          | 1,264       | 139,385                  | (111,319 - 167,451)   |            | 1,932       | 183,530                    | (155,849 - 211,212)     |
| SD          | 2,164       | 19,901                   | (16,268 - 23,534)     |            | 2,945       | 22,223                     | (19,077 - 25,369)       |
| TN          | 954         | 148,878                  | (109,932 - 187,824)   |            | 1,967       | 257,130                    | (221,005 - 293,254)     |
| TX          | 2,436       | 609,440                  | (513,668 - 705,213)   |            | 3,475       | 856,611                    | (765,425 - 947,797)     |
| UT          | 1,651       | 75,099                   | (60,815 - 89,382)     |            | 1,998       | 82,704                     | (68,789 - 96,619)       |
| VT          | 1,788       | 22,052                   | (18,456 - 25,649)     |            | 2,504       | 33,437                     | (29,459 - 37,415)       |
| VA          | 1,241       | 249,698                  | (200,956 - 298,440)   |            | 1,696       | 366,462                    | (306,136 - 426,788)     |
| WA          | 1,752       | 212,592                  | (178,284 - 246,900)   |            | 2,441       | 317,421                    | (280,914 - 353,928)     |
| WV          | 1,227       | 71,234                   | (57,782 - 84,686)     |            | 1,864       | 102,266                    | (89,195 - 115,337)      |
| WI          | 1,478       | 186,670                  | (149,392 - 223,948)   |            | 1,872       | 248,178                    | (209,014 - 287,343)     |
| WY          | 1,319       | 20,991                   | (17,240 - 24,742)     |            | 1,719       | 20,249                     | (17,217 - 23,280)       |
| Territories |             |                          |                       |            |             |                            |                         |
| GU          | 382         | 2,941                    | (1,651 - 4,231)       |            | 489         | 4,163                      | (2,913 - 5,412)         |
| PR          | 1,518       | 211,856                  | (171,799 - 251,913)   |            | 2,716       | 332,025                    | (294,028 - 370,022)     |
| VI          | 876         | 2,906                    | (2,110 - 3,702)       |            | 1,387       | 3,829                      | (2,879 - 4,778)         |

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