

Edentulous adults 65 to 74 years old by selected demographic characteristics

Characteristics	NHIS 1998	BRFSS 1999
	N=854	N=4,338
	Percent (95% CI)	
Total	24.72 (23.03, 26.42)	21.79 (20.82, 22.76)
Race/ethnicity		
Non-Hispanic white	24.86 (22.93, 26.79)	21.97 (20.91, 23.02)
Non-Hispanic black	27.66 (22.18, 33.14)	27.49 (23.68, 31.30)
Hispanic	20.75 (15.67, 25.82)	17.23 (13.50, 20.96)
Gender		
Male	24.46 (21.70, 27.22)	19.91 (18.40, 21.43)
Female	22.93 (22.72, 27.15)	23.22 (21.96, 24.49)
Education		
Less than years	39.07 (35.71, 42.43)	38.83 (36.20, 41.46)
12 years	25.04 (22.21, 27.86)	22.79 (21.17, 24.42)
Greater than 12 years	12.77 (10.56, 14.98)	12.09 (10.89, 13.29)
Federal poverty level (FPL)		
Below FPL	37.28 (31.52, 43.04)	NA
At/above FPL	25.13 (22.89, 27.37)	NA
Income		
Less than \$15,000	NA	37.14 (34.34, 39.94)
\$15,000-\$24,999	NA	26.94 (24.71, 29.17)
\$25,000-\$34,999	NA	19.06 (16.40, 21.73)
\$35,000-\$49,999	NA	12.95 (10.29, 15.62)
More than \$50,000	NA	7.72 (5.94, 9.51)
Below FPL		
Non-Hispanic white	35.83 (22.53, 49.14)	NA
Non-Hispanic black	38.39 (30.39, 46.39)	
Hispanic	33.40 (21.12, 45.69)	
At/above FPL		
Non-Hispanic white	18.50 (12.48, 24.51)	NA
Non-Hispanic black	25.78 (23.27, 28.30)	
Hispanic	25.87 (19.13, 32.60)	

Data sources: 1998 National Health Interview Survey, National Center for Health Statistics, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and 1999 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.