Alaska Statewide: Alternative HS 2017
Compared to
Alaska Statewide: Traditional HS 2017
Combined Graphs Report

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Alaska Statewide Alternative High School Sample

Sample Description:

School Level - 13 alternative schools selected for the statewide alternative high school sample. These schools were selected based on criteria that they specifically serve at-risk students who benefit from nontraditional school settings and programs.

Class Level - All classes in the eligible schools were surveyed.

Response Rates:

Schools - 100% 13 of 13 sampled schools participated.

Students - 63% 816 of the 1298 sampled students submitted questionnaires.

Overall response rate - 100% * 63% = 63%

Note:

Because the overall response rate equaled or exceeded the 60% threshold established by the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) for statewide census samples, the data are weighted and are representative of the entire student body of Alaska students in alternative high school settings. Confidence intervals are generated where there are at least 100 survey responses.

District	School	Surveys	Class Enrollment	Response Rate
SUMMARY		816	1298	63%
Anchorage	AVAIL School	39	83	47%
Anchorage	Benson Secondary/S.E.A.R.C.H.	133	250	53%
Anchorage	Crossroads School	12	14	86%
Anchorage	S.A.V.E. High School	63	134	47%
Juneau Borough	Yaakoosge Daakahidi Alt. High School	61	82	74%
Kenai Pennisula Borough	Homer Flex High School	19	35	54%
Kenai Pennisula Borough	Kenai Alternative High School	40	62	65%
Ketchikan Gateway Borough	Revilla Jr/Sr High School	89	100	89%
Lower Kuskokwim	Kuskokwim Learning Academy	73	77	95%
Mat-Su Borough	Burchell High School	116	233	50%
Mat-Su Borough	Valley Pathways	129	169	76%
North Slope Borough	Kiita Learning Community	20	28	71%
Sitka	Pacific High School	22	31	71%

Alaska Statewide Traditional High School Sample

Sample Description:

School Level - All regular public schools containing grades 9, 10, 11, or 12 with enrollments of ten or more were included in the sampling frame. Schools were selected systematically with probability proportional to enrollment in grades 9 through 12 using a random start.

43 schools were sampled.

Class Level - All classes meeting during a particular period of the day
were included in the sampling frame. Systematic equal probability sampling
with a random start was used to select classes from each school
that participated in the survey.

Response Rates:

Schools - 93% 40 of 43 sampled schools participated

Students - 66% 1,343 of the 2,007 sampled students submitted questionnaires.

1,332 questionnaires were usable after data editing.

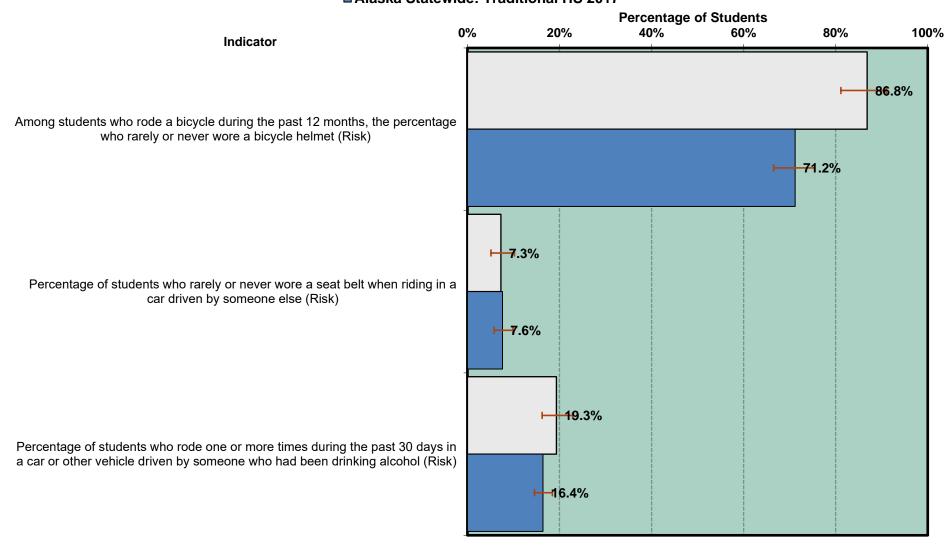
Overall response rate - 93% * 66% = 62%

Special Note:

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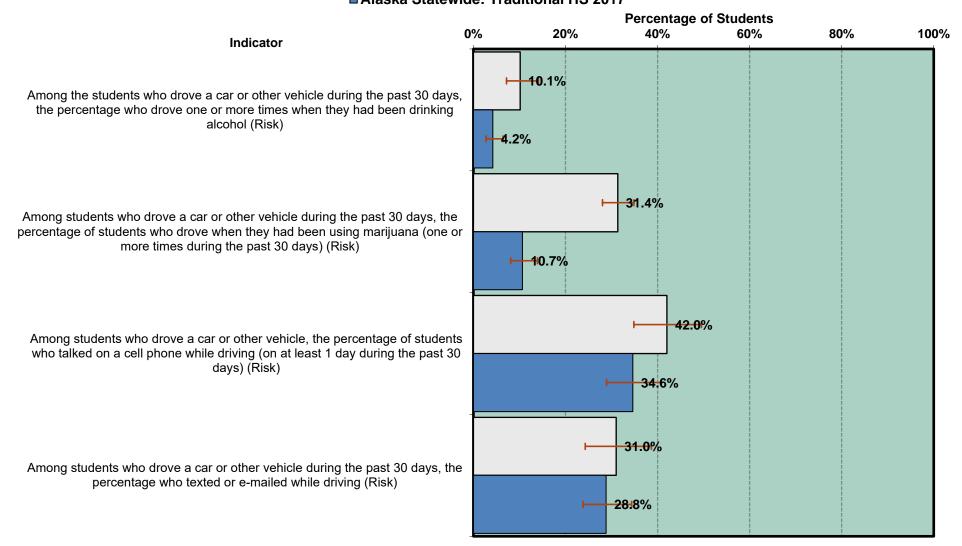
Safety - Risk Behaviors

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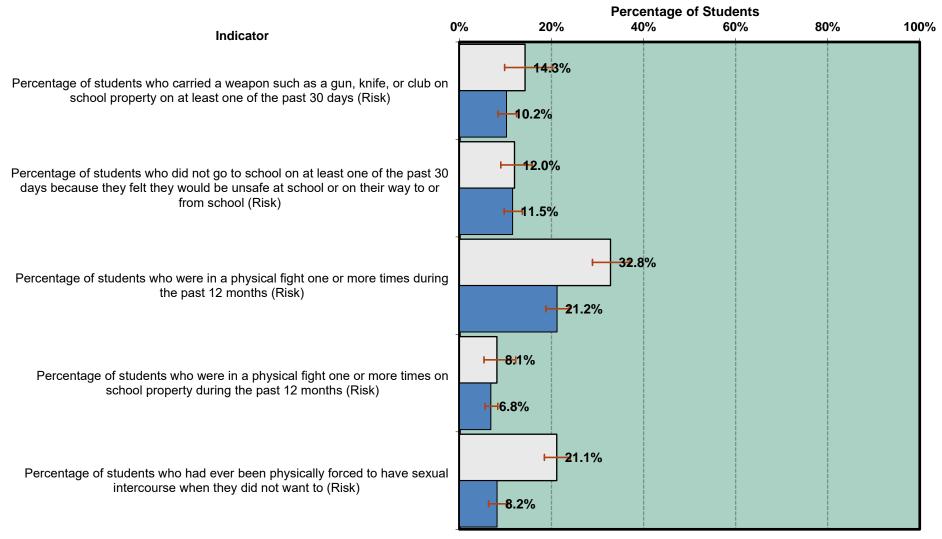
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Violence - Risk Behaviors

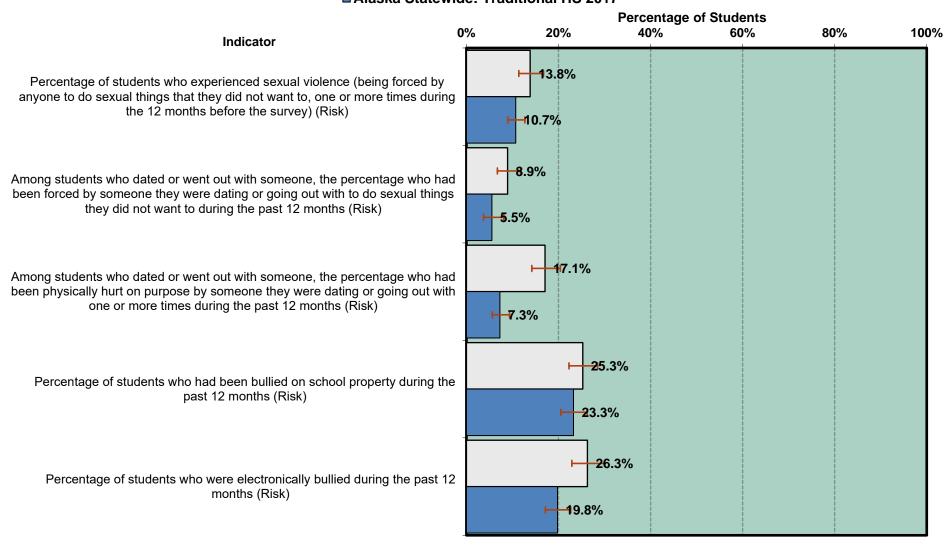
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Violence & Bullying - Risk Behaviors

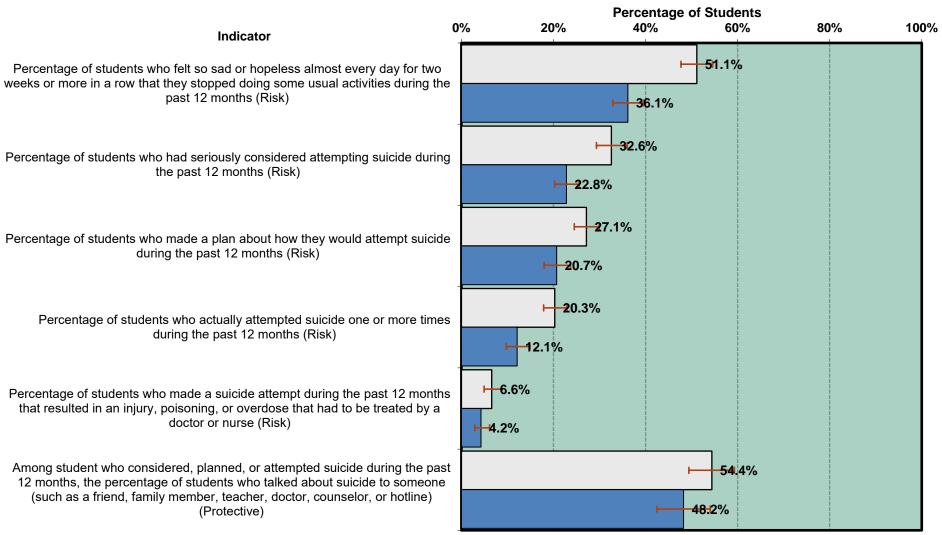
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Sad Feelings & Suicide - Risk & Protective Behaviors

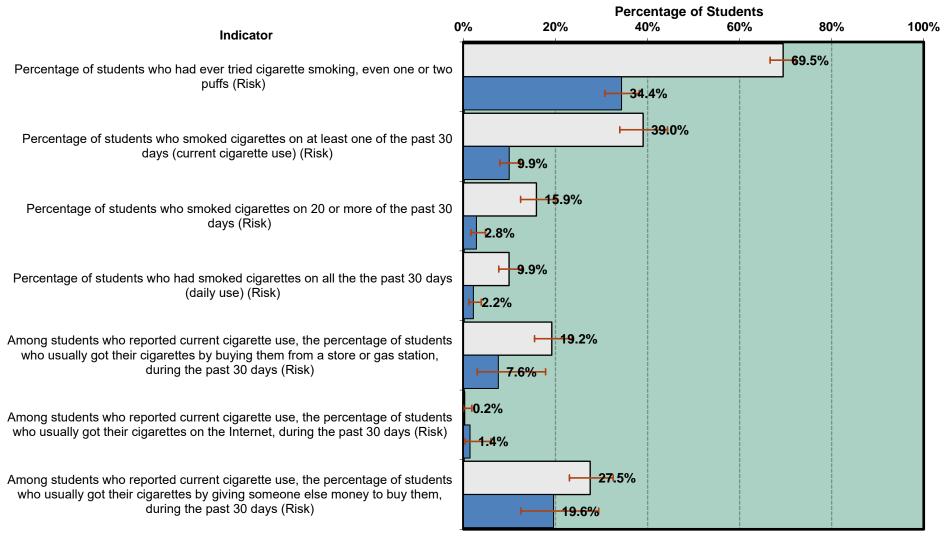
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Tobacco - Risk Behaviors

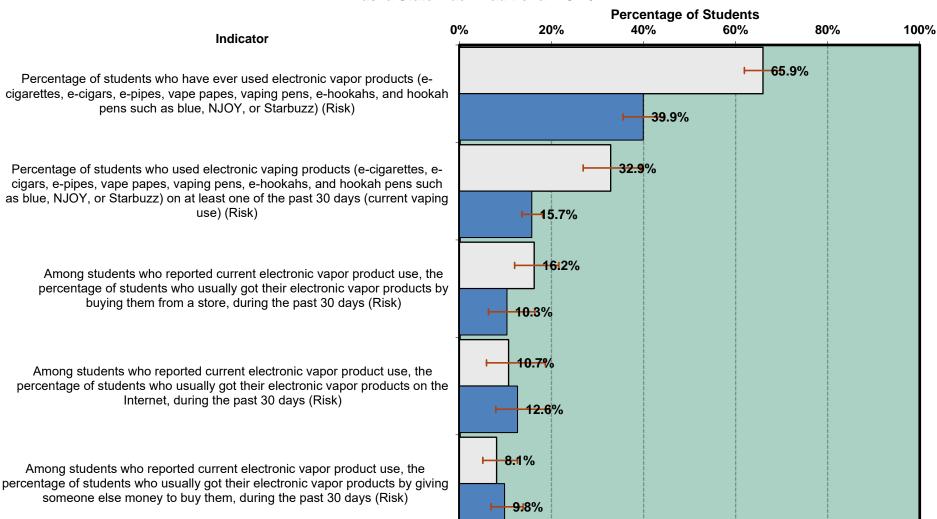
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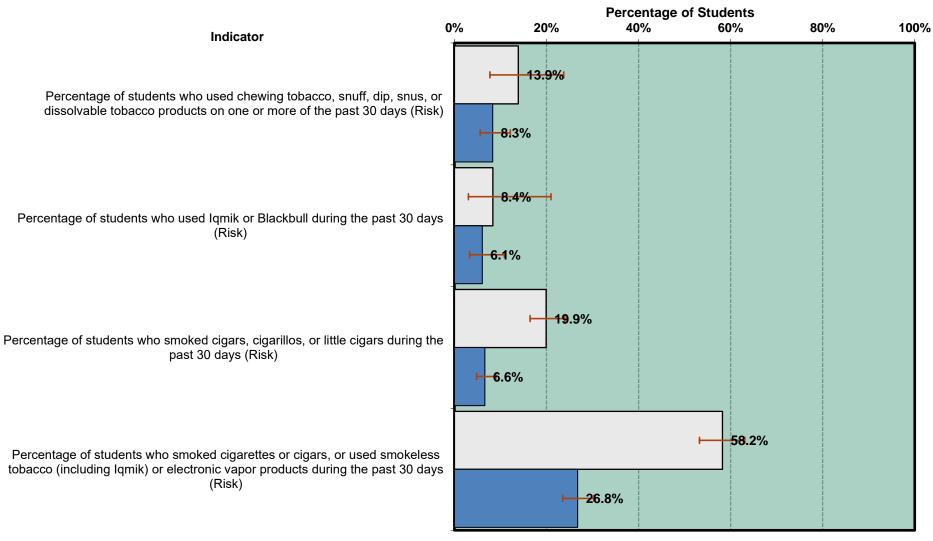
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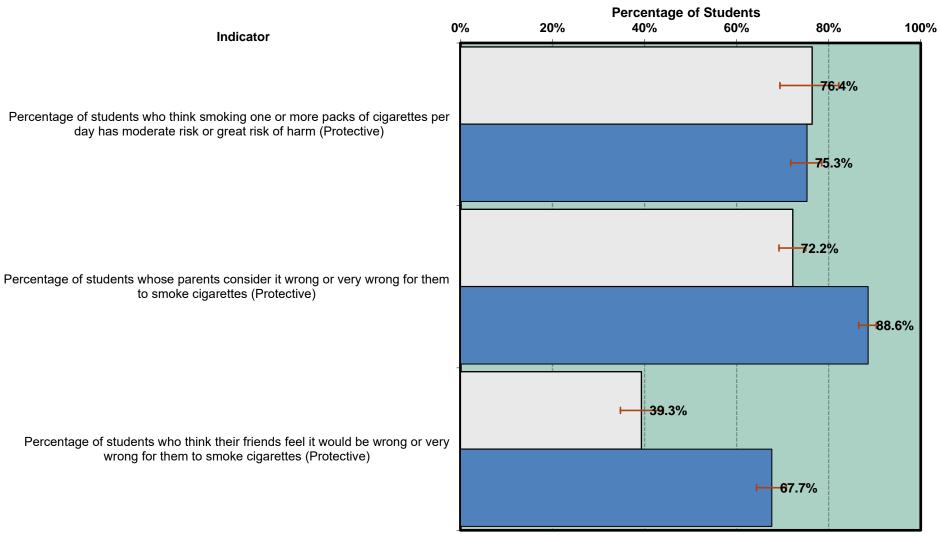
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Tobacco Perception of Harm - Protective Behaviors

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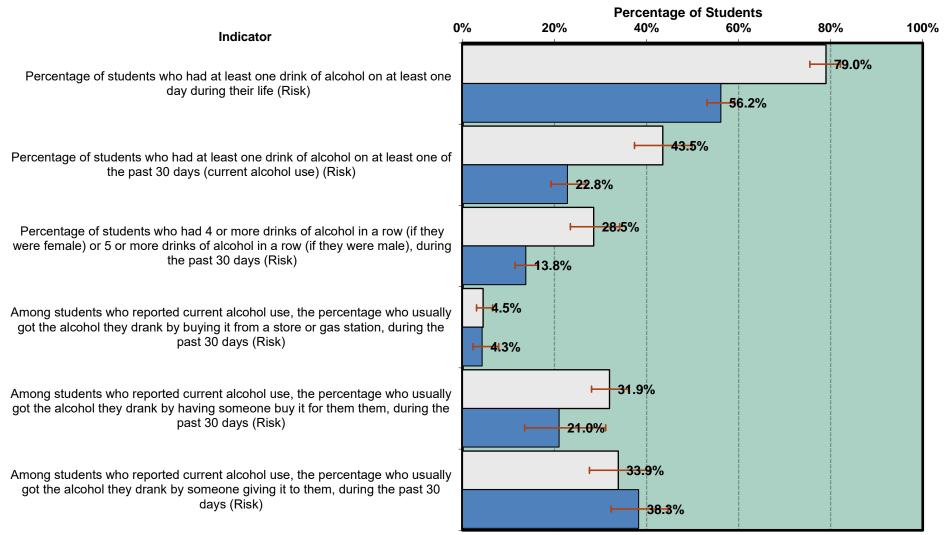
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Alcohol - Risk Behaviors

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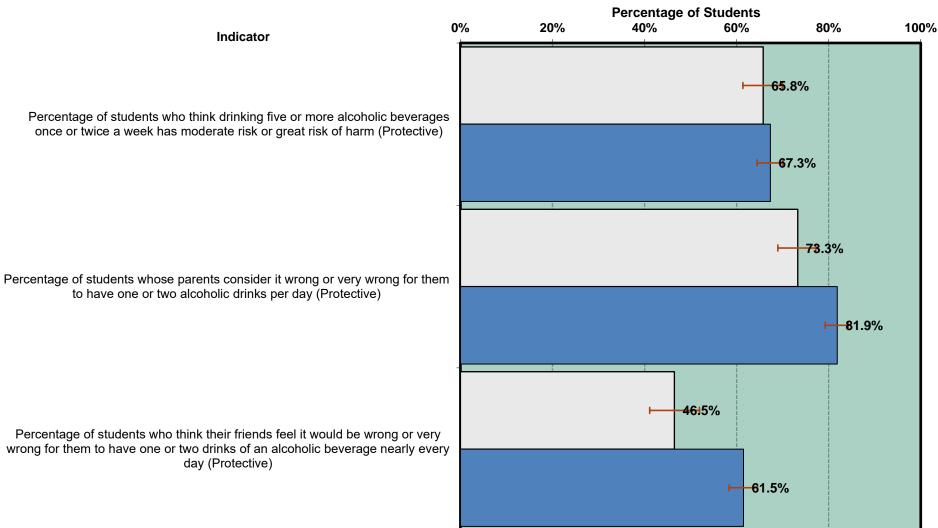
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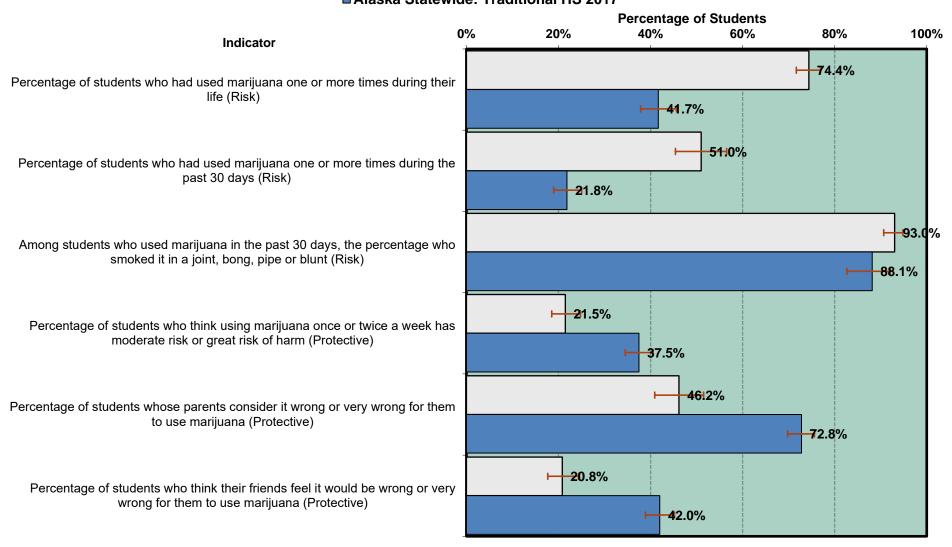
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Marijuana Use & Perception of Harm - Risk & Protective Behaviors

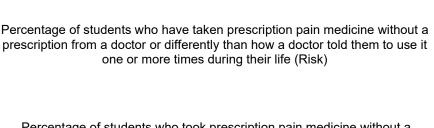
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Prescription Pain Medicine Misuse & Perception of Harm - Risk & Protective Behaviors

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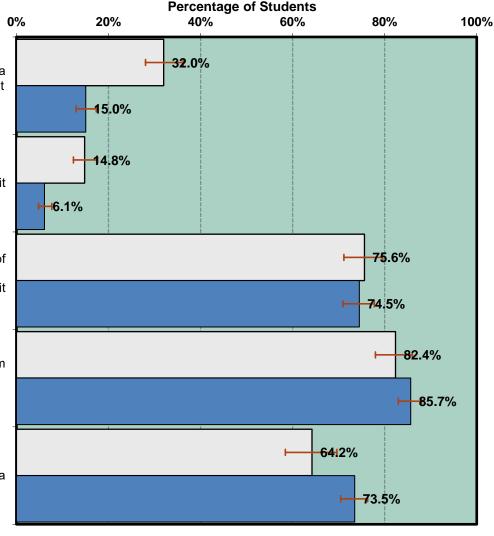
Indicator

Percentage of students who took prescription pain medicine without a prescription from a doctor or differently than how a doctor told them to use it one or more times during the past 30 days (Risk)

Percentage of students who think people have moderate risk or great risk of harming themselves if they use prescription pain medicine without a prescription from a doctor or differently than how a doctor told them to use it (Protective)

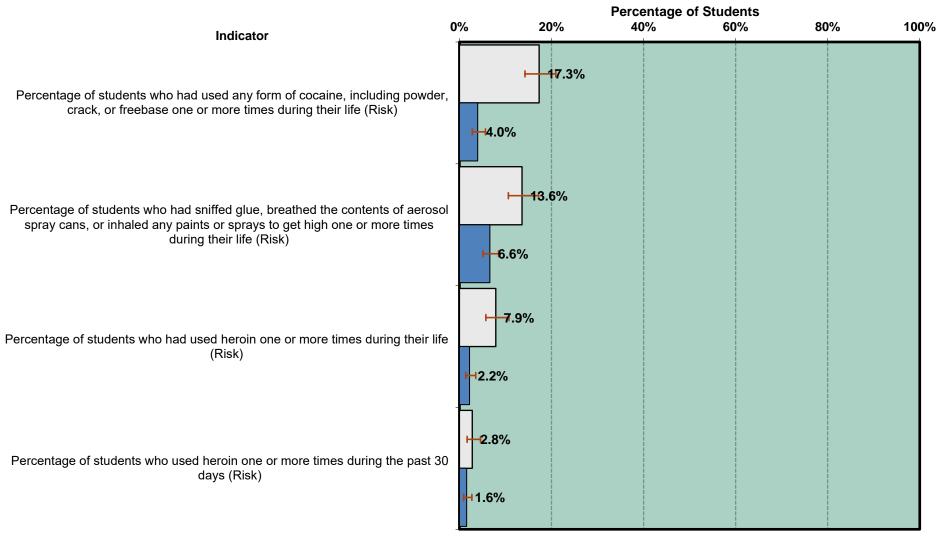
Percentage of students whose parents consider it wrong or very wrong for them to use prescription pain medicine without a prescription from a doctor or differently than how a doctor told them to use it (Protective)

Percentage of students who think their friends feel it would be wrong or very wrong for them to use prescription pain medicine without a prescription from a doctor or differently than how a doctor told you to use it (Protective)



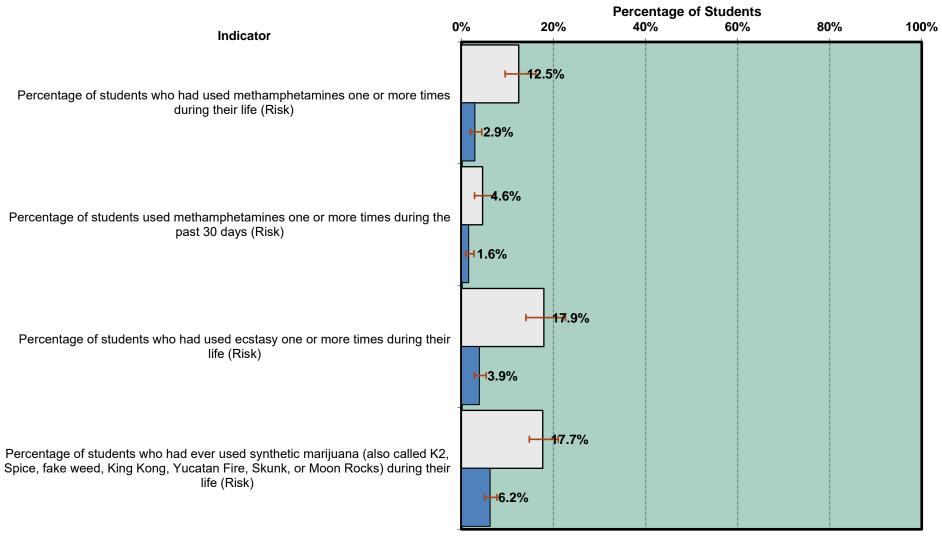
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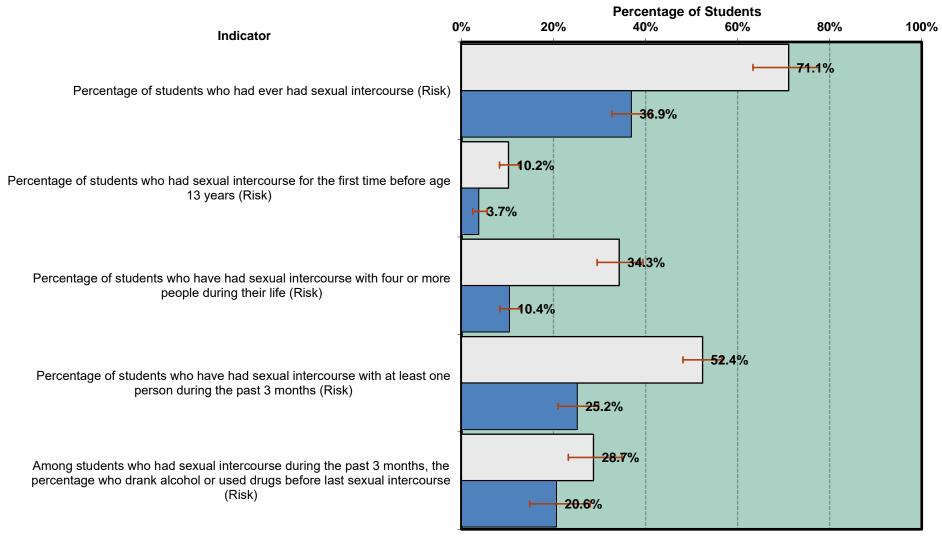
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Sexual Behavior - Risk Behaviors

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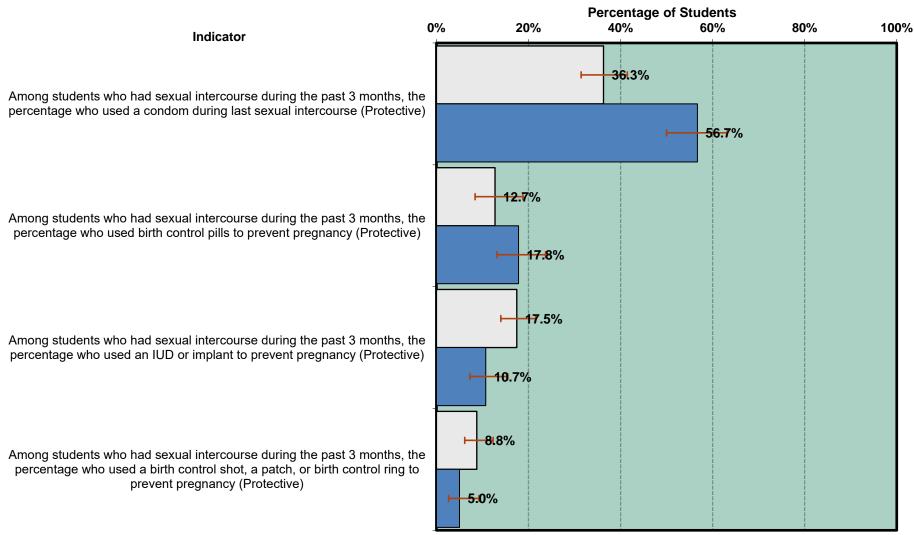
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Sexual Behavior - Protective Behaviors

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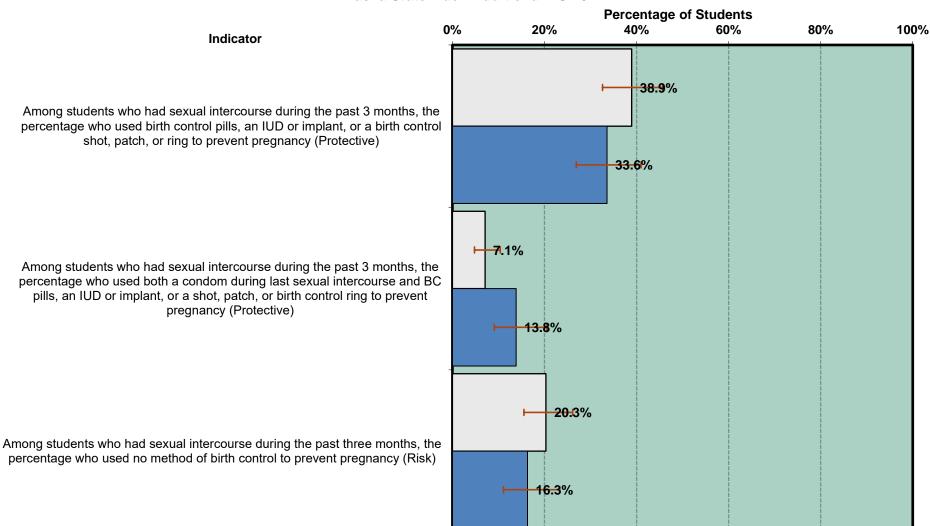
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Sexual Behavior - Protective & Risk Behaviors

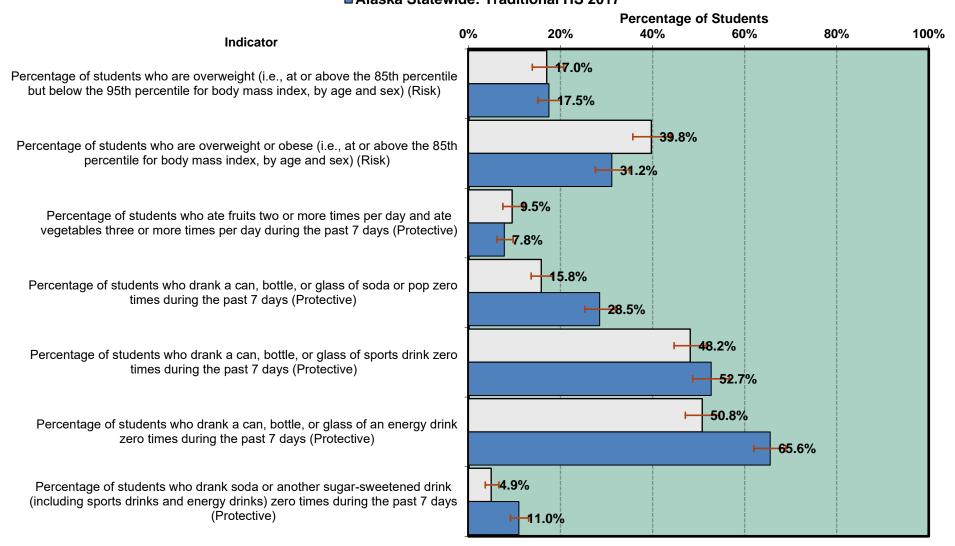
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Body Weight & Diet - Risk & Protective Behaviors

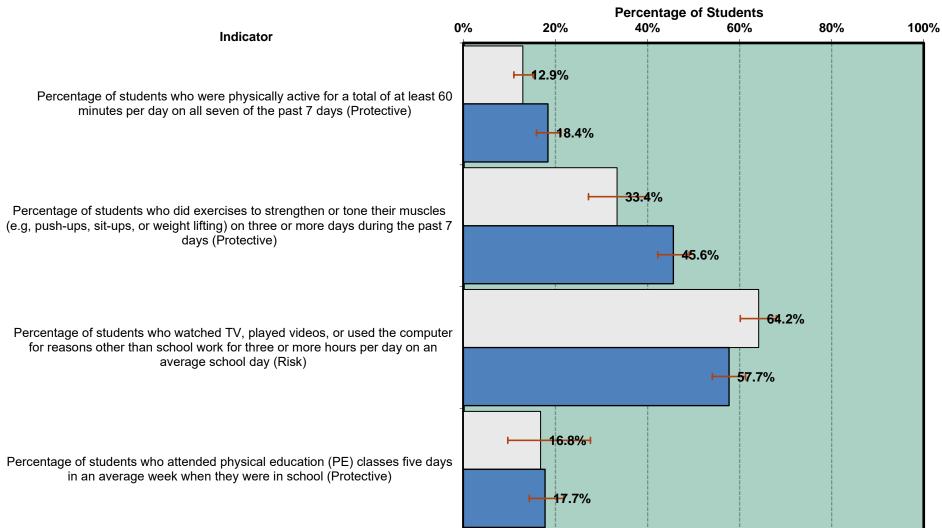
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Physical Activity - Protective & Risk Behaviors

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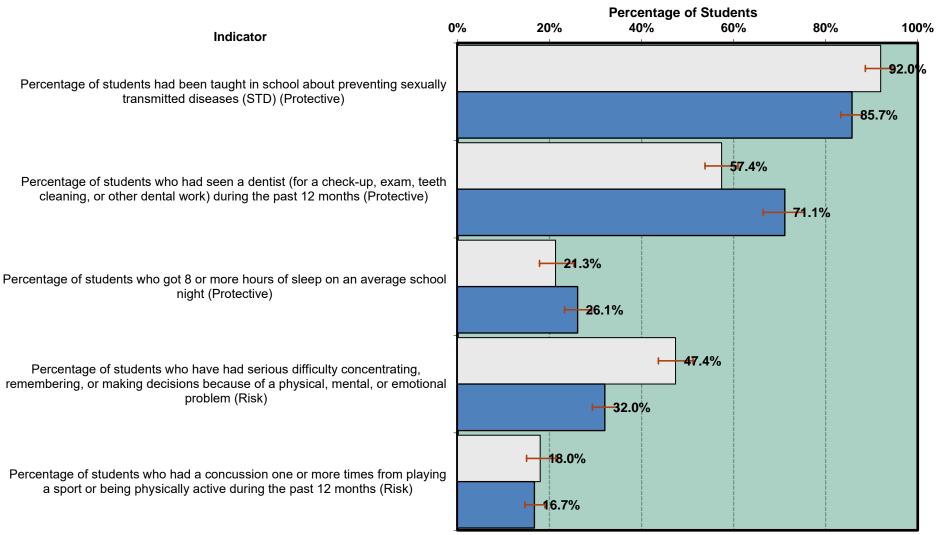
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Other Health - Protective & Risk Behaviors

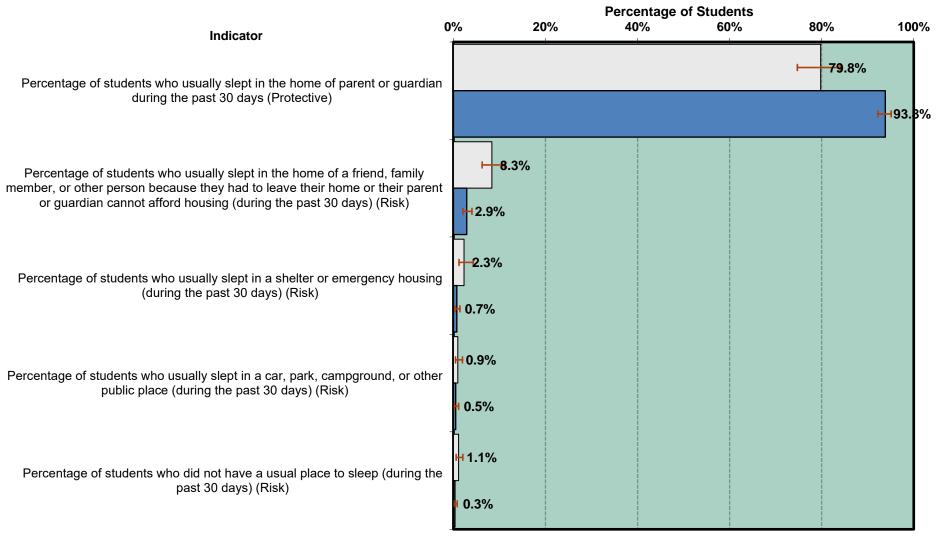
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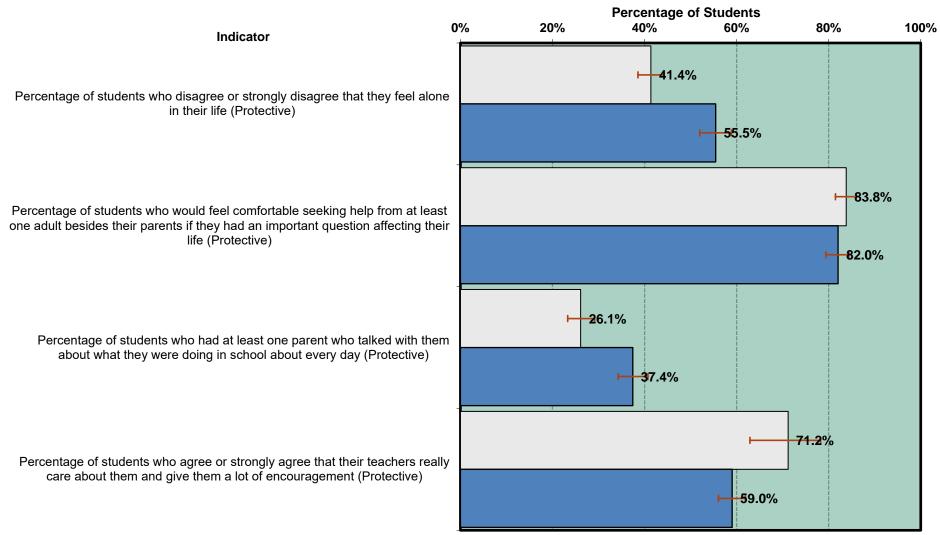
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Student Connectedness - Protective Behaviors

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