



# Calvert County

## Tobacco use by Youth

Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene

<b>CURRENT USE OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS</b>			
Under-Age (<18) Public Middle and High School Youth (Combined) Proportion (%) and Estimated Number of Youth			
<b>TOBACO PRODUCTS</b>	<b>2000 Baseline Data</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>2006</b>
<b>Any Tobacco Product</b> Source: Table 3a	<b>24.2%</b> 1,932	<b>22.5%</b> 1,979	<b>17.2%</b> 1,677
<b>Cigarette</b> Source: Table 8a	<b>19.6%</b> 1,502	<b>17.9%</b> 1,505	<b>13.3%</b> 1,270
<b>Cigar</b> Source: Table 10a	<b>10.0%</b> 786	<b>10.1%</b> 856	<b>6.4%</b> 612
<b>Pipe (tobacco)</b> Source: Table 11	<b>3.6%</b> 286	<b>6.5%</b> 551	<b>3.8%</b> 367
<b>Bidi</b> Source: Table 12	<b>3.9%</b> 306	<b>5.5%</b> 467	<b>3.8%</b> 363
<b>Kretek</b> Source: Table 13	<b>3.5%</b> 274	<b>5.4%</b> 455	<b>4.1%</b> 391
<b>Smokeless Tobacco</b> Source: Table 9a	<b>2.8%</b> 220	<b>4.0%</b> 340	<b>3.4%</b> 320

<b>INITIATION OF TOBACCO USE IN PAST YEAR</b>			
Under-Age (<18) Public Middle and High School Youth Combined Proportion (%) and Estimated Number of Youth			
Source: Table 1a	<b>2000 Baseline Data</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>2006</b>
Youth who used a tobacco product for the first time during the past 12 months	<b>23.3%</b> 1,857	<b>19.5%</b> 1,717	<b>17.5%</b> 1,707

<b>CESSATION OF TOBACCO USE IN PAST YEAR</b>			
Under-Age (<18) Public Middle and High School Youth Combined Proportion (%) and Estimated Number of Youth			
Source: Table 5a	<b>2000 Baseline Data</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>2006</b>
Youth who stopped using tobacco products during the past 12 months	<b>31.2%</b> 367	<b>26.7%</b> 275	<b>36.1%</b> 311

*References and Sources:* "Monitoring Changing Tobacco-use Behaviors in Maryland," 2007 Maryland Department of Health and Mental Hygiene and the Maryland Youth Tobacco Surveys (2000, 2002, and 2006), and unpublished data from Maryland's Youth Tobacco Surveys.

## CURRENT CIGARETTE SMOKING — School Type, Gender & Minorities

Under-Age (<18) Public Middle and High School Youth (Combined)  
Proportion (%) and Estimated Number of Youth

PRODUCTS	2000 Baseline Data	2002	2006
<b>Middle School (MS)</b> Source: Table 8b	<b>9.6%</b> 337	<b>6.1%</b> 238	<b>3.8%</b> 152
<b>MS Females</b> Source: Table 8d	<b>12.2%</b> 199	<b>5.3%</b> 99	<b>3.8%</b> 75
<b>MS Males</b> Source: Table 8c	<b>7.2%</b> 137	<b>6.8%</b> 139	<b>3.7%</b> 77
<b>MS Minorities</b> Source: Table 8e	<b>11.8%</b> 97	<b>7.4%</b> 69	<b>7.3%</b> 74
<b>High School (HS)</b> Source: Table 8f	<b>28.3%</b> 1,164	<b>28.1%</b> 1,267	<b>20.3%</b> 1,119
<b>HS Females</b> Source: Table 8h	<b>29.2%</b> 604	<b>26.1%</b> 610	<b>20.8%</b> 587
<b>HS Males</b> Source: Table 8g	<b>27.3%</b> 557	<b>30.4%</b> 657	<b>19.8%</b> 532
<b>HS Minorities</b> Source: Table 8i	<b>23.2%</b> 196	<b>33.5%</b> 290	<b>19.8%</b> 268

### Calvert County - Current Cigarette Smoking (Middle & High School Youth of All Ages, By Grade)

