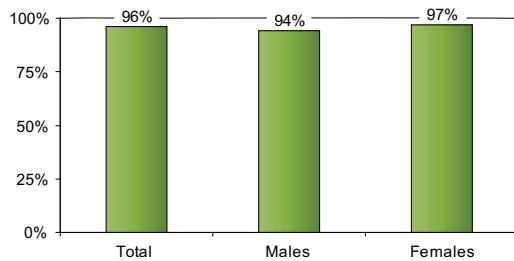


Surveillance Update

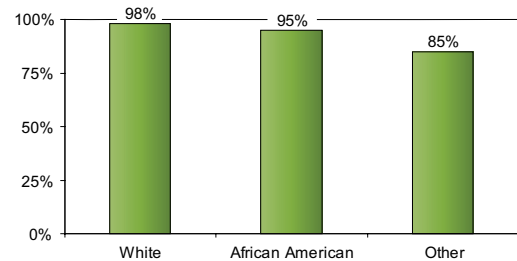
Parents Feel Well Prepared to Talk to Teens about HIV and STDs — North Carolina 2007



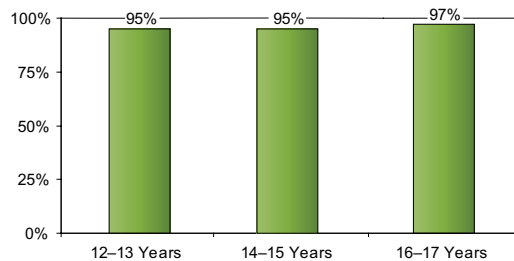
Percentage of N.C. Parents Who Feel Well Prepared To Talk To Their Child (Ages 12 to 17 Years) About Reducing His or Her Chances of Getting HIV and STDs, by Child's Sex



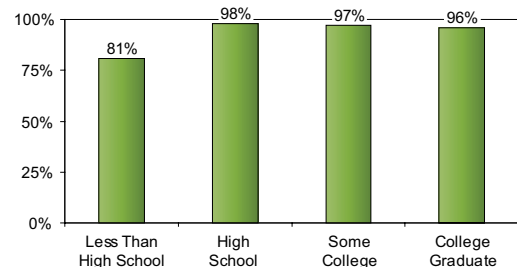
Percentage of N.C. Parents Who Feel Well Prepared To Talk To Their Child (Ages 12 to 17 Years) About Reducing His or Her Chances of Getting HIV and STDs, by Child's Race



Percentage of N.C. Parents Who Feel Well Prepared To Talk To Their Child (Ages 12 to 17 Years) About Reducing His or Her Chances of Getting HIV and STDs, by Child's Age Group



Percentage of N.C. Parents Who Feel Well Prepared To Talk To Their Child (Ages 12 to 17 Years) About Reducing His or Her Chances of Getting HIV and STDs, by Parent's Education Level



The North Carolina Child Health Assessment and Monitoring Program (NC CHAMP) is a surveillance system that collects information about the health characteristics of children from age 0 to 17 years. NC CHAMP is a follow-up survey of the Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance System (BRFSS) which is a telephone survey of adults, ages 18 and older. All adult respondents with children living in their household are invited to participate in the CHAMP survey. One child is randomly selected from the household and the adult most knowledgeable about the health of the selected child is interviewed in a follow-up survey. This surveillance update includes data collected in 2007 on 1,048 parental surveys of children ages 12 to 17. Results presented here are for parents who responded "yes" to the question: "Do you feel well prepared to talk with your child about reducing his/her chances of getting HIV and STDs (sexually transmitted diseases)?" Percentages are weighted to population characteristics. For further information about NC CHAMP, please visit www.schs.state.nc.us/SCHS/champ.



State of North Carolina / Beverly Eaves Perdue, Governor
 Department of Health and Human Services / Lanier M. Cansler, Secretary / www.ncdhs.gov
 North Carolina Division of Public Health / Jeffrey P. Engel, State Health Director / www.ncpublichealth.com
 State Center for Health Statistics / Karen L. Knight, Director / CHAMP / (919) 855-4494 / www.schs.state.nc.us/SCHS/champ

