

**Table SU05.8 Substance Dependence or Abuse in the Past Year among Individuals Aged 12 or Older, by Demographic Characteristics: Comparison of Percentages and Standard Errors from Restricted-Use File and Public Use File Estimates, 2005 NSDUH**

| Demographic Characteristic                | ILLICIT DRUGS <sup>1</sup> |              |                    |        |        |              | ALCOHOL      |              |                    |        |        |              | ILLICIT DRUGS OR ALCOHOL <sup>1</sup> |              |                    |        |        |              |
|---|----------------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------|--------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------|--------|--------|--------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------|--------|--------------|
|   | RUF Estimate               | PUF Estimate | Ratio of Estimates | RUF SE | PUF SE | Ratio of SEs | RUF Estimate | PUF Estimate | Ratio of Estimates | RUF SE | PUF SE | Ratio of SEs | RUF Estimate                          | PUF Estimate | Ratio of Estimates | RUF SE | PUF SE | Ratio of SEs |
| <b>TOTAL</b>                              | 2.8                        | 2.7          | 0.97               | 0.08   | 0.10   | 1.17         | 7.7          | 7.6          | 0.99               | 0.16   | 0.16   | 0.94         | 9.1                                   | 9.0          | 0.98               | 0.18   | 0.17   | 0.99         |
| <b>AGE</b>                                |                            |              |                    |        |        |              |              |              |                    |        |        |              |                                       |              |                    |        |        |              |
| 12-17                                     | 4.7                        | 4.6          | 0.98               | 0.19   | 0.22   | 1.17         | 5.5          | 5.6          | 1.02               | 0.20   | 0.19   | 0.96         | 8.0                                   | 8.0          | 1.00               | 0.24   | 0.24   | 1.02         |
| 18-25                                     | 8.4                        | 8.3          | 0.99               | 0.26   | 0.33   | 1.31         | 17.5         | 17.6         | 1.00               | 0.37   | 0.35   | 0.95         | 21.8                                  | 21.7         | 1.00               | 0.41   | 0.41   | 1.00         |
| 26 or Older                               | 1.6                        | 1.5          | 0.95               | 0.09   | 0.10   | 1.04         | 6.2          | 6.1          | 0.98               | 0.19   | 0.19   | 0.97         | 7.1                                   | 6.9          | 0.98               | 0.20   | 0.20   | 0.98         |
| <b>GENDER</b>                             |                            |              |                    |        |        |              |              |              |                    |        |        |              |                                       |              |                    |        |        |              |
| Male                                      | 3.5                        | 3.4          | 0.96               | 0.14   | 0.17   | 1.29         | 10.3         | 10.4         | 1.00               | 0.27   | 0.28   | 1.03         | 12.0                                  | 12.0         | 0.99               | 0.28   | 0.30   | 1.05         |
| Female                                    | 2.1                        | 2.1          | 0.98               | 0.10   | 0.10   | 1.00         | 5.2          | 5.0          | 0.97               | 0.17   | 0.16   | 0.96         | 6.4                                   | 6.2          | 0.97               | 0.19   | 0.19   | 1.02         |
| <b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>           |                            |              |                    |        |        |              |              |              |                    |        |        |              |                                       |              |                    |        |        |              |
| Not Hispanic or Latino                    | 2.8                        | 2.8          | 0.98               | 0.09   | 0.11   | 1.18         | 7.6          | 7.5          | 0.99               | 0.17   | 0.16   | 0.94         | 9.1                                   | 9.0          | 0.98               | 0.18   | 0.18   | 1.01         |
| White                                     | 2.7                        | 2.6          | 0.98               | 0.09   | 0.11   | 1.19         | 8.0          | 7.8          | 0.98               | 0.19   | 0.19   | 0.97         | 9.4                                   | 9.2          | 0.98               | 0.21   | 0.21   | 1.03         |
| Black or African American                 | 3.9                        | 3.8          | 0.98               | 0.33   | 0.35   | 1.07         | 6.4          | 6.4          | 1.01               | 0.46   | 0.44   | 0.96         | 8.5                                   | 8.5          | 1.00               | 0.49   | 0.50   | 1.03         |
| American Indian or Alaska Native          | 7.2                        | 7.2          | 1.01               | 2.11   | 2.00   | 0.95         | 18.3         | 20.5         | 1.12               | 3.62   | 4.33   | 1.20         | 21.0                                  | 23.3         | 1.11               | 3.64   | 4.47   | 1.23         |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 3.0                        | 3.2          | 1.08               | 1.13   | 0.90   | 0.80         | 9.5          | 8.3          | 0.87               | 2.60   | 2.38   | 0.92         | 11.0                                  | 10.0         | 0.91               | 2.76   | 2.49   | 0.90         |
| Asian                                     | 1.2                        | 1.2          | 0.99               | 0.28   | 0.32   | 1.15         | 3.8          | 3.5          | 0.93               | 0.54   | 0.52   | 0.96         | 4.5                                   | 4.2          | 0.93               | 0.57   | 0.54   | 0.94         |
| Two or More Races                         | 5.5                        | 4.1          | 0.74               | 1.58   | 0.52   | 0.33         | 7.5          | 7.7          | 1.03               | 1.01   | 1.01   | 1.00         | 10.9                                  | 9.5          | 0.87               | 1.79   | 1.04   | 0.58         |
| Hispanic or Latino                        | 2.6                        | 2.4          | 0.92               | 0.20   | 0.20   | 0.98         | 8.1          | 8.2          | 1.01               | 0.50   | 0.57   | 1.14         | 9.3                                   | 9.3          | 1.00               | 0.51   | 0.58   | 1.13         |

\* Low precision; no estimate reported.

PUF = public use file, which refers to estimates produced from a NSDUH public use file (a PUF is a NSDUH restricted-use file that has undergone statistical disclosure limitation treatment); RUF = restricted-use file, which refers to estimates produced from a NSDUH RUF and published in NSDUH's detailed tables available at <http://www.samhsa.gov/data/>; SE = standard error that is associated with the estimate.

NOTE:  $Ratio\ of\ estimates = PUF\ estimate \div RUF\ estimate$ ;  $Ratio\ of\ SEs = PUF\ SE \div RUF\ SE$ .

NOTE: Dependence or abuse is based on definitions found in the 4th edition of the *Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM-IV)*.

<sup>1</sup> Illicit Drugs include marijuana/hashish, cocaine (including crack), heroin, hallucinogens, inhalants, or prescription-type psychotherapeutics used nonmedically.

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2005.