

**Table SU09.8 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, 2009 NSDUH**

| Demographic Characteristic                | ILLCIT DRUGS <sup>1</sup> |              |                    |        |        |              | ALCOHOL      |              |                    |        |        |              | ILLCIT 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                       | 2.8          | 1.00               | 0.09   | 0.11   | 1.23         | 7.5          | 7.5          | 1.01               | 0.17   | 0.19   | 1.12         | 9.0                                  | 9.1          | 1.01               | 0.18   | 0.21   | 1.14         |
| <b>AGE</b>                                |                           |              |                    |        |        |              |              |              |                    |        |        |              |                                      |              |                    |        |        |              |
| 12-17                                     | 4.3                       | 4.3          | 1.01               | 0.18   | 0.20   | 1.10         | 4.6          | 4.6          | 1.00               | 0.20   | 0.21   | 1.04         | 7.1                                  | 7.1          | 1.00               | 0.23   | 0.25   | 1.08         |
| 18-25                                     | 7.7                       | 7.9          | 1.02               | 0.25   | 0.32   | 1.32         | 16.1         | 16.3         | 1.01               | 0.35   | 0.39   | 1.13         | 20.1                                 | 20.3         | 1.01               | 0.38   | 0.44   | 1.15         |
| 26 or Older                               | 1.8                       | 1.8          | 0.99               | 0.10   | 0.11   | 1.08         | 6.3          | 6.4          | 1.01               | 0.20   | 0.24   | 1.15         | 7.3                                  | 7.4          | 1.01               | 0.22   | 0.26   | 1.16         |
| <b>GENDER</b>                             |                           |              |                    |        |        |              |              |              |                    |        |        |              |                                      |              |                    |        |        |              |
| Male                                      | 3.8                       | 3.9          | 1.01               | 0.16   | 0.18   | 1.15         | 10.0         | 10.3         | 1.03               | 0.28   | 0.34   | 1.21         | 12.0                                 | 12.3         | 1.03               | 0.31   | 0.36   | 1.17         |
| Female                                    | 1.9                       | 1.8          | 0.98               | 0.09   | 0.09   | 0.98         | 5.1          | 4.9          | 0.98               | 0.18   | 0.22   | 1.20         | 6.2                                  | 6.0          | 0.97               | 0.20   | 0.25   | 1.21         |
| <b>HISPANIC ORIGIN AND RACE</b>           |                           |              |                    |        |        |              |              |              |                    |        |        |              |                                      |              |                    |        |        |              |
| Not Hispanic or Latino                    | 2.8                       | 2.8          | 1.00               | 0.09   | 0.11   | 1.20         | 7.3          | 7.4          | 1.01               | 0.18   | 0.20   | 1.15         | 8.8                                  | 8.9          | 1.01               | 0.19   | 0.23   | 1.18         |
| White                                     | 2.8                       | 2.8          | 1.00               | 0.11   | 0.13   | 1.18         | 7.5          | 7.6          | 1.01               | 0.20   | 0.21   | 1.07         | 9.1                                  | 9.2          | 1.01               | 0.21   | 0.24   | 1.12         |
| Black or African American                 | 3.2                       | 3.1          | 0.98               | 0.27   | 0.27   | 1.00         | 7.0          | 7.1          | 1.02               | 0.51   | 0.61   | 1.20         | 8.7                                  | 8.7          | 1.00               | 0.55   | 0.64   | 1.18         |
| American Indian or Alaska Native          | 6.0                       | 6.2          | 1.02               | 1.06   | 0.97   | 0.92         | 13.3         | 13.8         | 1.04               | 1.89   | 1.89   | 1.00         | 15.5                                 | 16.2         | 1.05               | 1.99   | 2.03   | 1.02         |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | 1.8                       | 2.1          | 1.14               | 0.78   | 0.89   | 1.14         | 4.4          | 4.8          | 1.07               | 1.81   | 2.18   | 1.20         | 5.3                                  | 5.6          | 1.07               | 1.94   | 2.34   | 1.21         |
| Asian                                     | 1.2                       | 1.4          | 1.16               | 0.29   | 0.38   | 1.31         | 2.6          | 2.6          | 0.99               | 0.39   | 0.44   | 1.13         | 3.6                                  | 3.7          | 1.04               | 0.49   | 0.56   | 1.15         |
| Two or More Races                         | 4.6                       | 4.7          | 1.04               | 0.90   | 0.95   | 1.06         | 10.8         | 11.0         | 1.02               | 1.43   | 1.58   | 1.11         | 13.2                                 | 13.3         | 1.01               | 1.60   | 1.96   | 1.22         |
| Hispanic or Latino                        | 3.0                       | 3.0          | 1.01               | 0.24   | 0.26   | 1.10         | 8.6          | 8.5          | 0.99               | 0.54   | 0.56   | 1.04         | 10.1                                 | 10.0         | 0.99               | 0.56   | 0.57   | 1.03         |

\* 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: Some 2009 RUF estimates and SEs may differ from previously published estimates due to updates (see Section B.3 in Appendix B of the *Results from the 2011 National Survey on Drug Use and Health: National Findings*).

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

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, including data from original methamphetamine questions but not including new methamphetamine items added in 2005 and 2006.

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2009.