Table SU12.9   Sources Where Pain Relievers Were Obtained for Nonmedical Use in the Past Month among Past Month Users Aged 12 or Older, by Age Group: Comparison of Percentages and Standard Errors from Restricted-Use File and Public Use File Estimates, Annual Averages Based on 2011 and 2012 NSDUHs

Source for Past Month Nonmedical Use among Past Month Pain Reliever Users[1]	TOTAL						AGED 12-17						AGED 18-25						AGED 26+					
	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	RUF Estimate	PUF Estimate	Ratio of Estimates	RUF SE	PUF SE	Ratio of SEs
From One Doctor	27.3	26.9	0.99	1.46	1.55	1.06	25.9	26.5	1.02	1.94	2.06	1.07	21.9	21.5	0.98	1.54	1.75	1.14	29.9	29.3	0.98	2.22	2.49	1.12
From More Than One Doctor	3.9	3.2	0.84	0.63	0.65	1.03	3.7	3.4	0.94	0.96	1.03	1.07	3.7	2.8	0.75	0.74	0.58	0.78	3.9	3.4	0.86	0.95	1.03	1.08
Wrote Fake Prescription	0.7	0.3	0.44	0.32	0.12	0.38	1.6	1.6	0.99	0.76	0.85	1.12	0.2	0.2	1.12	0.11	0.13	1.18	0.8	0.2	0.19	0.49	0.12	0.24
Stole from Doctor's Office, Clinic, Hospital, or Pharmacy	1.6	1.5	0.99	0.46	0.53	1.17	2.0	1.9	0.96	0.60	0.57	0.95	1.1	1.2	1.16	0.33	0.32	0.96	1.7	1.6	0.95	0.72	0.84	1.18
From Friend or Relative for Free	60.0	59.5	0.99	1.64	1.59	0.97	49.0	48.0	0.98	2.17	2.25	1.04	62.7	61.8	0.99	1.72	2.04	1.18	60.6	60.4	1.00	2.50	2.44	0.98
Bought from Friend or Relative	25.9	25.5	0.99	1.38	1.69	1.22	16.4	15.8	0.97	1.62	1.81	1.12	31.7	31.5	0.99	1.60	1.46	0.91	24.9	24.6	0.99	2.12	2.68	1.26
Took from Friend or Relative without Asking	10.1	10.1	1.00	0.97	1.29	1.33	14.4	13.9	0.97	1.56	1.74	1.12	11.5	10.8	0.94	1.09	1.10	1.00	8.8	9.2	1.04	1.47	2.03	1.38
Bought from Drug Dealer or Other Stranger	12.2	12.0	0.98	0.88	1.01	1.15	9.2	9.0	0.99	1.17	1.47	1.26	21.0	21.3	1.01	1.37	1.61	1.17	8.7	8.4	0.96	1.18	1.24	1.06
Bought on the Internet	1.1	0.5	0.43	0.39	0.18	0.46	0.6	0.5	0.79	0.27	0.24	0.92	1.3	0.7	0.56	0.50	0.29	0.59	1.1	0.4	0.33	0.59	0.24	0.42
Some Other Way	4.7	4.4	0.93	0.60	0.63	1.04	8.7	8.6	0.99	1.15	1.24	1.08	6.7	6.8	1.01	0.96	1.10	1.15	3.2	2.7	0.84	0.84	0.85	1.01

* 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 ÷ RUF estimate*; *Ratio of SEs = PUF SE ÷ RUF SE.*
NOTE: Respondents could indicate multiple sources from which they obtained pain relievers for past month nonmedical use; thus, these response categories are not mutually exclusive.

[1] Respondents with unknown data on Source for Past Month Nonmedical Use and respondents with unknown or invalid responses to the corresponding other-specify questions were excluded from the analysis.

Source: SAMHSA, Center for Behavioral Health Statistics and Quality, National Survey on Drug Use and Health, 2011 and 2012.