

TABLE 1. Asthma Indicators by Sex among adults with current asthma in Nevada: BRFSS 2006.

Indicator	Total			Male			Female			P*
	n	%	se	n	%	se	n	%	se	
Age at Diagnosis (onset)	281			101			180			0.28 **
Child (<18)	119	47.9	4.7	55	54.2	6.7	64	44.2	6.4	
Adult (>=18)	162	52.1	4.7	46	45.8	6.7	116	55.8	6.4	
Preventive Medication (30 days)	280			101			179			0.02 **
No days	115	38.9	4.4	48	52.5	7.1	67	30.9	5.2	
Any days	165	61.1	4.4	53	47.5	7.1	112	69.1	5.2	0.09 ***
1 to 14 days	59	24.6	4.2	21	20.5	5.3	38	27.0	5.9	
15 to 24 days	7	6.6	3.7	2	0.7	0.5	5	10.1	5.8	
25 to 30 days	99	29.9	3.7	30	26.3	5.8	69	32.0	4.9	
Rescue Inhaler (30 days)	280			100			180			0.30 **
Never	143	51.4	4.7	56	57.5	6.9	87	47.8	6.3	
Any times	137	48.6	4.7	44	42.5	6.9	93	52.2	6.3	0.52 ***
1 to 4 times	76	29.4	4.3	24	21.4	4.9	52	34.1	6.1	
5 to 14 times	28	9.6	2.5	10	9.9	4.2	18	9.4	3.2	
15 to 59 times	23	6.6	1.8	8	6.0	2.7	15	7.0	2.3	
60 or more times	10	3.0	1.5	2	5.2	3.8	8	1.7	0.8	
Attack	285			102			183			0.47 **
Did not have attack	138	51.2	4.6	57	55.5	7.0	81	48.7	6.2	
Had attack	147	48.8	4.6	45	44.5	7.0	102	51.3	6.2	
Emergency Department Visits	286			102			184			0.13 **
No visit	253	88.0	3.4	95	93.7	2.8	158	84.7	5.1	
Any visit	33	12.0	3.4	7	6.3	2.8	26	15.3	5.1	0.21 ***
One visit	19	7.8	3.2	3	2.0	1.2	16	11.1	4.9	
Two or more visits	14	4.2	1.4	4	4.3	2.5	10	4.2	1.7	
Urgent Doctor Visits	283			100			183			0.02 **
No visit	219	79.6	3.3	88	88.8	3.8	131	74.3	4.7	
Any visit	64	20.4	3.3	12	11.2	3.8	52	25.7	4.7	0.02 ***
One visit	30	8.7	2.0	8	7.7	3.1	22	9.3	2.6	
Two or more visits	34	11.7	2.7	4	3.5	2.1	30	16.4	4.1	
Routine Doctor Visits	280			98			182			0.42 **
No visits	138	46.0	4.7	58	50.9	7.1	80	43.3	6.3	
Any visit	142	54.0	4.7	40	49.1	7.1	102	56.7	6.3	0.70 ***
One visit	74	34.6	4.5	19	30.3	6.5	55	37.1	5.9	
Two visits	28	6.7	1.6	10	8.2	3.4	18	5.8	1.7	
Three or more visits	40	12.7	2.7	11	10.6	4.2	29	13.8	3.5	
Activity Limitation	233			78			155			0.03 **
No days	172	72.5	4.6	68	85.0	5.3	104	66.4	6.3	
Any days	61	27.5	4.6	10	15.0	5.3	51	33.6	6.3	<0.01 ***
1-10 days	41	20.8	4.4	4	4.6	2.6	37	28.7	6.2	
> 10 days	20	6.7	2.0	6	10.4	5.0	14	4.9	1.8	
Days with Symptoms	276			98			178			0.66 **
No days	59	21.7	3.9	17	19.3	7.2	42	23.0	4.7	
Any days	217	78.3	3.9	81	80.7	7.2	136	77.0	4.7	0.73 ***
< once a week	71	30.1	4.7	24	27.2	6.3	47	31.8	6.4	
once, or more, a week	92	33.6	4.4	37	35.0	6.4	55	32.9	5.9	
every day	54	14.6	2.7	20	18.5	5.1	34	12.3	3.1	
Days with Sleep Disturbance	280			99			181			0.96 **
No days	182	68.0	4.2	68	67.8	6.5	114	68.2	5.5	
Any days	98	32.0	4.2	31	32.2	6.5	67	31.8	5.5	0.99 ***
1-2 days	45	17.1	3.4	17	16.7	4.8	28	17.4	4.6	
3-10 days	37	10.4	2.6	12	10.9	4.5	25	10.0	3.2	
> 10 days	16	4.5	1.5	2	4.6	3.3	14	4.4	1.5	

* P: Wald chi-square test for the general association between each Indicator and Sex.

** chi-square for 2 category Indicator.

*** chi-square for 3 to 5 category Indicator.