

**Data Brief 92. Total and High-density Lipoprotein Cholesterol in Adults: National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey, 2009–2010**

**Data table for Figure 2. Trends in percentage of adults aged 20 and over with high total cholesterol: United States, 1999–2010**

Survey period	Total		Men		Women	
	Percent	Standard error	Percent	Standard error	Percent	Standard error
1999–2000	18.3	1.00	17.2	1.14	19.1	1.28
2001–2002	16.5	0.82	15.8	1.26	16.7	0.80
2003–2004	16.8	0.64	16.3	0.78	17.1	1.12
2005–2006	15.7	0.71	13.8	1.00	17.3	0.74
2007–2008	14.3	0.87	13.3	1.08	15.0	1.09
2009–2010	13.4	0.72	12.2	0.87	14.3	0.78

NOTES: High total cholesterol is serum total cholesterol level equal to or greater than 240 mg/dL. Estimates were age adjusted by the direct method to U.S. Census 2000 population estimates using age groups 20–39, 40–59, and 60 and over.

SOURCE: CDC/NCHS, National Health and Nutrition Examination Surveys, 1999–2010.

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**Data table for Figure 3. Trends in percentage of adults aged 40-59 and 60 and over with high total cholesterol: United States, 1999–2010**

Survey period	Aged 40–59						Aged 60 and over					
	Total		Men		Women		Total		Men		Women	
	Percent	Standard error	Percent	Standard error	Percent	Standard error	Percent	Standard error	Percent	Standard error	Percent	Standard error
1999–2000	22.7	2.14	24.8	2.30	20.7	3.26	23.8	0.83	15.1	1.66	30.9	1.26
2001–2002	20.4	1.51	21.8	2.66	18.9	1.80	20.9	1.29	11.8	1.32	27.7	1.63
2003–2004	21.3	1.34	23.3	1.36	19.4	2.20	19.8	0.90	12.9	1.57	25.2	1.62
2005–2006	19.0	1.63	19.2	1.96	18.8	1.89	17.1	1.36	10.0	1.03	23.0	1.99
2007–2008	19.0	1.32	19.5	1.81	18.6	1.98	16.1	0.93	8.3	0.83	22.4	1.52
2009–2010	17.8	1.10	16.7	1.74	19.0	1.15	15.5	1.26	9.9	1.35	20.2	1.88

NOTE: High total cholesterol is serum total cholesterol equal to or greater than 240 mg/dL.  
SOURCE: CDC/NCHS, National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey, 1999–2010.