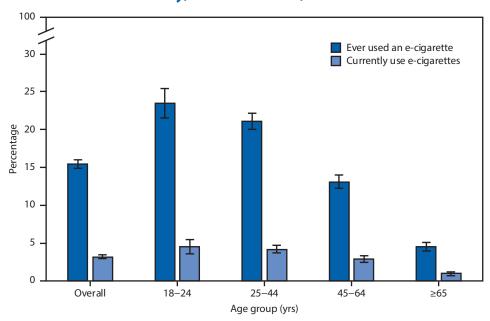
## QuickStats

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## Percentage\* of Adults Who Ever Used an E-cigarette<sup>†</sup> and Percentage Who Currently Use E-cigarettes, by Age Group — National Health Interview Survey, United States, 2016¶



<sup>\*</sup> With 95% confidence intervals indicated with error bars.

Overall, 15.4% of adults aged  $\geq$ 18 years had ever used an e-cigarette, and 3.2% currently used e-cigarettes in 2016. Adults aged 18–24 years were the most likely to have ever used an e-cigarette (23.5%); the percentage declined steadily to 4.5% among adults aged  $\geq$ 65 years. Adults aged 18–24 years (4.5%) and 25–44 years (4.2%) were more likely to be current e-cigarette users than adults aged 45–64 years (2.9%) and those aged  $\geq$ 65 years (1.0%). Across all age groups, fewer than one fourth of adults who had ever used an e-cigarette reported being a current user.

 $\textbf{Source:} \ \textbf{National Health Interview Survey, 2016 data.} \ \textbf{https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nhis.htm.}$ 

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>†</sup> Based on the response of "yes" to the survey question "Have you ever used an e-cigarette, even one time?"

 $<sup>^{\</sup>S}$  Based on a response of "every day" or "some days" to the question "Do you now use e-cigarettes every day, some days or not at all?"

<sup>¶</sup> Estimates are based on household interviews of a sample of the civilian, noninstitutionalized U.S. population and are derived from the National Health Interview Survey Sample Adult component.