

List of Acronyms

Ads	Advertisements
CDC	Center for Disease Control
ETS	Environmental Tobacco Smoke
FCTC	Framework Convention on Tobacco Control
GYTS	Global Youth Tobacco Survey
NEMA	National Environment Management Authority
TFI	Tobacco Free Initiative
WHO	World Health Organization

Operational Definitions

Adolescents are persons in the 10-19 years age group while youths are defined as those between 15-24 years (WHO 1989). The two groups overlap into one entity of 'young people', covering the age range of 10-24 years. Uganda has under the draft adolescent health policy already adopted the same definition and classification of youth and young people. This study covers 13-15 age group.

Current Smokers means students who are currently smoking cigarettes.

Never Smokers means students who are not or have never tried to smoke cigarettes.

Rest of Central Districts refers to schools selected in the study districts of Kiboga, Luwero, Masaka, Mubende, Mukono, Rakai and Ssembabule.

Secondhand smoke/environmental tobacco smoke exposure refer to tobacco smoke exhaled by a smoker and smoke that comes off the end of a lit cigarette.

Tobacco products includes cigarettes, chewing tobacco, snuff, cigars, cigarillos, pipe.