

Data table for Figure 7. Obesity among children and adolescents aged 2–19 years, by sex and race and Hispanic origin: United States, 2013–2016

Excel and PowerPoint: https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/hus/contents2017.htm#Figure_007

<i>Sex and race and Hispanic origin</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Standard error</i>
Total	17.8	0.8
White, not Hispanic	14.7	1.0
Black, not Hispanic	20.4	1.7
Asian, not Hispanic	9.8	1.2
Hispanic.	23.6	1.2
Boys	18.1	1.1
White, not Hispanic	15.3	1.3
Black, not Hispanic	17.9	1.7
Asian, not Hispanic	11.9	1.9
Hispanic.	24.3	1.8
Girls	17.5	1.0
White, not Hispanic	14.1	1.5
Black, not Hispanic	23.0	2.3
Asian, not Hispanic	7.4	1.2
Hispanic.	22.9	1.4

NOTES: Obesity in youth is defined as body mass index (BMI) at or above the sex- and age-specific 95th percentile of the 2000 CDC Growth Charts. Kuczmarski RJ, Ogden CL, Guo SS, Grummer-Strawn LM, Flegal KM, Mei Z, et al. 2000 CDC Growth Charts for the United States: Methods and development. *Vital Health Stat* 11(246). 2002. Available at: https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/data/series/sr_11/sr11_246.pdf. BMI equals weight in kilograms divided by height in meters squared. See [Appendix II](#), Body mass index (BMI). In *Health, United States*, the NHANES variable, Body Mass Index, is used to assign persons to BMI categories. Age is at the time of examination. Height is measured without shoes. Data on both age and height were collected during a standardized physical examination conducted in mobile examination centers. Estimates exclude pregnant females. Crude rates, not age-adjusted rates, are shown. See *Health, United States, 2013*, Table 70, for earlier data years. Standard errors for selected years are available in the spreadsheet version of this table. Data for additional years are available. See the Excel spreadsheet on the *Health, United States* website at: <https://www.cdc.gov/nchs/hus.htm>.

SOURCE: NCHS, National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey. See [Appendix I](#), National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey (NHANES).