

2010 California Teen Eating, Exercise and Nutrition Survey (CalTEENS)

Table 29: Prevalence of Hunger Among California Adolescents (N=1,112)

During the last 12 months, were you ever hungry but didn't eat because there wasn't enough money to buy food for your house or home?

	Gone Hungry Last 12 Months, Percent of Adolescents
Total	6.3
Gender	
Male	5.3
Female	7.3
Ethnicity	
White	5.8
African American	8.4
Latino	8.3
Asian/Other	0.9
Gender by Age	
Male	
12-13	5.1
14-15	2.3
16-17	9.2
Female	
12-13	9.1
14-15	6.5
16-17	6.7
Income	
<\$15,000	10.9
\$15,000 - \$24,999	10.5
\$25,000 - \$34,999	4.4
\$35,000 - \$49,999	15.1
\$50,000 - \$74,999	5.1
≥ \$75,000	1.5
CalFresh Status, % FPL¹	
Participant	13.2
Likely Eligible ≤ 130%	7.4
Not Eligible > 185%	2.3
Smoking Status	
Non-Smoker	6.1
Smoker	9.3
Physical Activity Status	
Regular	6.8
Irregular	5.5
Overweight Status	
Not Overweight	5.2
Overweight/Obese	8.8

¹Survey respondents between 130-185% FPL omitted from analysis due to insufficient sample size.

A box around a group of numbers signifies that differences observed within this group are statistically significant.

Chi Square Test: * p<.05, ** p<.01, *** p<.001

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Table 90: Food Assistance Among Households of California Adolescents (N=1,196)

In the last 12 months, have you or anyone in your household received food assistance from any of the following sources?

- CalFresh
- WIC

	Household Receives Food Assistance, Percent of Adolescents	
	CalFresh	WIC
Total	23.8	13.4
Gender		
Male	22.8	11.9
Female	24.8	15.0
Ethnicity		
White	12.6 ***	2.2 ***
African American	36.3	12.3
Latino	38.2	28.6
Asian/Other	7.1	1.9
Gender by Age		
Male		
12-13	24.0	10.7
14-15	21.2	10.5
16-17	23.8	14.8
Female		
12-13	25.1	17.5
14-15	22.9	15.9
16-17	27.2	11.0
Income		
<\$15,000	59.8 ***	25.9 ***
\$15,000 - \$24,999	47.8	28.5
\$25,000 - \$34,999	26.8	19.7
\$35,000 - \$49,999	14.3	19.6
\$50,000 - \$74,999	7.4	4.1
≥ \$75,000	1.3	0.2
CalFresh Status, % FPL¹		
Participant		33.2 ***
Likely Eligible ≤ 130%		18.2
Not Eligible > 185%		1.0
Smoking Status		
Non-Smoker	22.8 **	13.4
Smoker	37.7	13.3
Physical Activity Status		
Regular	24.4	12.5
Irregular	22.8	14.9
Overweight Status		
Not Overweight	19.6 ***	11.2 *
Overweight/Obese	33.5	16.1

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Table 90a: Use of Free or Reduced Price Breakfast or Lunch Programs by California Adolescents (N=1,196)

In the last 12 months, has you or anyone in your household received food assistance from any of the following sources?

- Free or reduced price school breakfast
- Free or reduced price school lunch

	Percent of Adolescents	
	Receive Free or Reduced Price School Breakfast	Receive Free or Reduced Price School Lunch
Total	27.1	34.8
Gender		
Male	24.2 *	33.8
Female	30.2	35.9
Ethnicity		
White	18.1 ***	22.4 ***
African American	31.2	41.3
Latino	40.6	52.6
Asian/Other	11.6	15.1
Gender by Age		
Male		
12-13	22.0	29.7 **
14-15	22.1	29.2
16-17	29.1	43.5
Female		
12-13	26.2 **	32.8 **
14-15	26.2	31.0
16-17	40.6	46.6
Income		
<\$15,000	49.2 ***	58.4 ***
\$15,000 - \$24,999	46.7	59.0
\$25,000 - \$34,999	43.2	52.5
\$35,000 - \$49,999	26.4	41.3
\$50,000 - \$74,999	22.5	28.4
≥ \$75,000	5.4	8.6
CalFresh Status, % FPL¹		
Participant	53.2 ***	61.2 ***
Likely Eligible ≤ 130%	42.0	56.5
Not Eligible > 185%	7.5	10.8
Smoking Status		
Non-Smoker	26.1 **	33.9 **
Smoker	42.1	48.4
Physical Activity Status		
Regular	25.7	33.4
Irregular	29.4	37.2
Overweight Status		
Not Overweight	22.3 ***	27.2 ***
Overweight/Obese	38.4	50.9

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Table 97: Income Related Food Risk Among California Adolescents (N=1,194)

In the last 12 months, have you or anyone in your household received food assistance from any of the following sources?
 - CalFresh
 - WIC
 During the last 12 months, were you ever hungry but didn't eat because there wasn't enough money to buy food for your house or home?

	At Income Related Food Risk, Percent of Adolescents
Total	32.1
Gender	
Male	29.3
Female	35.0
Ethnicity	
White	16.8
African American	40.6
Latino	54.1
Asian/Other	7.5
Gender by Age	
Male	
12-13	32.7
14-15	25.3
16-17	31.1
Female	
12-13	35.7
14-15	33.7
16-17	36.3
Income	
<\$15,000	68.5
\$15,000 - \$24,999	63.3
\$25,000 - \$34,999	36.5
\$35,000 - \$49,999	40.2
\$50,000 - \$74,999	15.7
≥ \$75,000	2.6
CalFresh Status, % FPL¹	
Participant	100.0
Likely Eligible ≤ 130%	24.2
Not Eligible > 185%	3.3
Smoking Status	
Non-Smoker	31.5
Smoker	40.4
Physical Activity Status	
Regular	31.2
Irregular	33.5
Overweight Status	
Not Overweight	26.7
Overweight/Obese	44.0

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